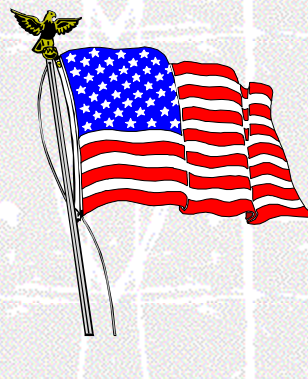
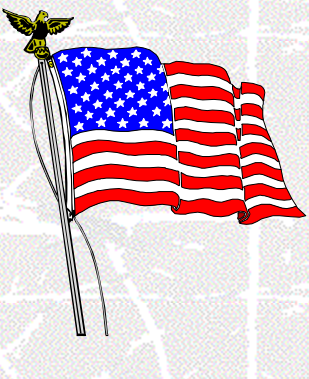




**MARTIN GRAVES POST 339
BELLEVUE AMERICAN
LEGION
NEWSLETTER
FALL/WINTER 2017**



2018 POST OFFICERS

COMMANDER - DAWN MATTHEWS - 402-291-8984
VICE COMMANDER - VACANT
ADJUTANT - DAVE COOMBS - 402-850-8688
SERVICE OFFICER - WAYNE HEFFNER - 402-291-7389
SGT AT ARMS - GEORGE EMBRY - 402-291-3275
CHAPLAIN - MITCH MATTHEWS - 402-291-8984
FINANCE OFFICER - DON KIVINIEMI - 402-292-3205

2018 MEMBERSHIP DUES

2018 MEMBERSHIP DUES INCREASED TO \$47.00. PLEASE GET YOUR 2018 RENEWALS SENT IN. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR MEMBERSHIP, CALL THE ADJUTANT DAVE COOMBS AT 402-850-8688.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

MONTHLY MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE FOURTH MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH, AT 7PM, AT SOUTH OMAHA AMERICAN LEGION POST 331, 4830 SO. 21ST STREET, IN SOUTH OMAHA. NEXT MEETINGS ARE OCTOBER 23RD, NOVEMBER 27TH, NO MEETING IN DECEMBER. PUT THESE DATES ON YOUR CALENDAR AND ATTEND THE NEXT MEETING.

NEW ADDRESS FOR RETIRED PAY

Defense Finance and Accounting Service
U.S. Military Retired Pay
8899 E. 56th Street
Indianapolis, IN 46249-1200

NEW ADDRESS FOR ANNUITANT PAY

Defense Finance and Accounting Service
U.S. Military Annuitant Pay
8899 E. 56th Street
Indianapolis, IN 46249-1200

OMAHA VETERANS HOSPITAL VISITS

POST 339 VETERANS HOSPITAL VISITS ARE DONE QUARTERLY. CONTACT POST 339 COMMANDER FOR MORE INFORMATION AND IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GET INVOLVED WITH OUR VISITS.



SICKCALL TAPS

IF YOU KNOW OF A POST MEMBER WHO IS SICK, IN THE HOSPITAL, OR PASSED AWAY, PLEASE NOTIFY POST 339 SERVICE OFFICER, WAYNE HEFFNER, AT 291-7389.

HAVE YOU REGISTERED WITH THE VA

HOW MANY OF YOU OUT THERE NEVER REGISTERED WITH THE VA HOSPITAL IN OMAHA? HOW MANY OF YOU COULD BE GETTING HEALTH BENEFITS OR COMPENSATION FROM THE VA? IT ONLY TAKES A TELEPHONE CALL TO SEE IF YOU QUALIFY. CALL 402-346-8800

POST 339 FOOD PANTRY AT VICTORY

POST 339 FOOD PANTRY AT VICTORY WILL OPEN ON THE FOURTH MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH FROM 3PM TO 6 PM. CONTACT DON KIVINIEMI, 402-689-1113 OR JIM COSTELLO 402-630-1841 FOR MORE INFORMATION

FOOD DONATIONS FOR THE PANTRY

DONATIONS OF FOOD OR IF YOU WANT TO MAKE A MONETARY DONATION, CONTACT DON KIVINIEMI, 402-689-1113

VA CHRISTMAS VISIT WITH SANTA & HIS ELVES & POST 339

SANTA & HIS ELVES WILL VISIT THE OMAHA VA HOSPITAL ON DECEMBER 16TH, AT 1PM, MEET IN THE LOBBY OF THE VA HOSPITAL.

BINGO AT VICTORY APTS.

POST 339 HOLDS MONTHLY BINGO NIGHTS FOR THE VETERANS OF VICTORY APARTMENTS, THE SECOND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH 7PM.

CLUB HOURS

MONDAY - THURSDAY 11AM TO 11PM
FRIDAY - SATURDAY 11AM TO 1AM
SUNDAY - 11AM TILL 10PM

CLUB DINNER MENU
MONDAYS - HAMBURGER'S
TUESDAY - SOUP
WEDNESDAY - 2ND WEDNESDAY, CHICKEN WEDNESDAY'S
THURSDAY - TACO'S
FRIDAY - DIFFERENT DINNER SPECIAL EVERY FRIDAY
SATURDAY - NO DINNER SERVED
DINNERS ARE SERVED FROM 5PM TO 7PM

CALL 402-731-5185 TO SEE WHAT'S COOKIN

LEGIONNAIRE INSURANCE

Legionnaire Insurance Trust is a **free** program that provides the beneficiary \$1000.00 for **accidental death** or \$5000.00 if the unforeseen accident took place while the Legionnaire was on official Legion-business. PRESS CONTROL KEY + CLICK ON THE FOLLOWING LINK <http://www.theleit.com>. Once you are on the LIT Web Site, Click on the Member Benefits Tab, then select the No Cost Legion Care tab. Sign up now!!

THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS

THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS WILL BE DELIVERED TO FIVE NEEDY BELLEVUE FAMILIES ON NOVEMBER 18TH

CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS

CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS WILL BE DELIVERED TO FIVE NEEDY BELLEVUE FAMILIES ON DECEMBER 16TH

VA CONTACTS AND WEB INFORMATION

OMAHA VA HOSPITAL - 402-346-8800, 800-451-5796
MEDICATIONS & BILLING - 800-661-0827, 866-347-2352
VA NURSE HEALTHCARE ADVICE 24 HOURS A DAY
866-687-7382

VETERANS BENEFITS FOR SURVIVORS 800-827-1000
AID AND ATTENDANCE BENEFIT 800-827-1000
HTTP://WWW.VABENEFITS.VBA.VA.GOV/VONAPP/

MAIN .ASP
LONG TERM EXTENDED CARE 800-827-1000
VA DIABETES WEB SITE
HTTP://WWW.VA.GOV/DIABETES

AGENT ORANGE WEB SITE: HTTP://WWW.VA.GOV/BENEFITS

VA/STATE/NATIONAL CEMETERY BURIAL RIGHTS
HEADSTONE MARKERS
PRESIDENTIAL MEMORIAL CERTIFICATE
BURIAL FLAG

MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS
REIMBURSEMENT OF BURIAL EXPENSES
SURVIVING SPOUSE BENEFITS
SURVIVING CHILDREN BENEFITS

CONTACT THE SARPY COUNTY/DOUGLAS COUNTY VETERANS SERVICE OFFICERS, LINCOLN VA REGIONAL OFFICE OR POST 339 SERVICE OFFICER, WAYNE HEFFNER, AT 402-291-7389 FOR MORE ASSISTANCE.

THANKSGIVING DINNER WITH VETS AT VICTORY

POST 339 WILL SERVE A THANKSGIVING DINNER WITH ALL THE FIXINS ON THANKSGIVING DAY, TO THE VETS AT VICTORY NOVEMBER 23RD AT 3PM



VICTORY CHRISTMAS WITH SANTA

THE CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION WITH THE VETS AT VICTORY WITH SANTA & HIS ELVES WILL BE SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17TH AT 3PM



