



January 2011

PALMER LAKE NEWS – POST 3915

CHARTER 1965

Good day Members,

Happy New Year! Welcome to 2011. The top two winners of our Christmas raffle were Peter Moore (\$5,000) and Janet Harahan (\$2,500). Congratulations! We had many other \$100 winners as well.

I want to thank the Men's Auxiliary for their donation of a new LCD TV for the Post. I also want to thank Rod and Randy for the beautiful job they did constructing the new Memorabilia case. It looks awesome. Now we need to fill it. If you have some unique items from past conflicts, stop up and see Lee Ulferts to get these items in our new case. Thank you again, June Clark, for your gracious donation.

Winter conference is 21-23 Jan 2011.

All our 133 APS Adopt a Unit members made it home safely. Thank you for your service.

Before I close, I need to recognize our Jr Vice, Brian Lintonen, for all his hard work and for taking on the additional activities I gave him while I focused on Post items. He will make a great Commander soon. That is all for now. Enjoy 2011.

Yours in Comradeship,
Scott Bill, Commander, Post 3915

CLARENCE LABELLE NEWS – POST 217

CHARTER 1930

Comrades and Sisters,

I trust your Holidays were as good as mine. Post 217 is looking forward to 2011 and all of its challenges. Keep well, keep happy and come to a meeting on the third Wednesday every month at 7:00 p.m.

Let's brag a bit! Post 217 was once again honored with Deputy Chief of Staff awarded from National. Our teacher of the year candidate, Anna Hoppe, is 7th District and State Teacher of the year and goes to National. Good luck, Anna! You are the best.

On a sad note, we lost our surgeon, Floyd Longerbone. He was surgeon for over 50 years. Rest in peace Floyd, you will be missed. At our last meeting, Don Hansen was elected to fill Floyd's empty chair.

Comrades and Sisters, let us not forget those in harms way and separated from loved ones. Keep them in your prayers and thoughts this holiday season and beyond. God Bless them all!

Remember

WWII Vets gave us all our Christmases
to celebrate the birth of Jesus.

Chuck Quigley, Commander, Post 217, 763-424-6417
Alice Naslund, Auxiliary President, 763-432-6737





LADIES AUXILIARY NEWS

CHARTER 1966

Dear Sisters,

Happy New Year! With new year resolutions, opportunities for new beginnings, or just a fresh start on things, I am really looking forward to continuing the work we have done in 2010 for our organization. I am honored to work with such a committed group of women and looking forward to new ideas and projects in 2011.

I want to recognize Jan Linderholm and the membership committee for their dedication and commitment to achieving our goal of 100% by the end of the 2010 calendar year. Nice work ladies! When we pull together, great things do happen.

Remember to report your **community service!** Please contact Marcie Short.

The Children's Christmas Party was a great success and I want to thank each and every one of the volunteers (rather Santa's elves) for their hard work, extra hours, and dedication on the transformation of the hall into a snowflake-themed wonderland scene. Thank you to members and guests from District 7 for your participation in the Potluck Christmas Party which followed.



Yours in Sistership,
Francesca Bill, Ladies Auxiliary President, Post #3915
-Frankie-

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MEN'S AUXILIARY NEWS

CHARTER 2004

Members,

Happy Holidays! Yes, it is that time of year and with it comes a slow down in our schedule. I do have a few things to mention though. First, we do have Hoodies for sale now so drop in and pick one up. We are planning a Casino trip after the holidays so stay tuned on that item.

There are a number of people with unpaid dues, please take care of this soon. The next meeting will be Wednesday, January 5. Attend and be heard.

If you have any membership issues or want to get signed up, see Mike Marthaler.

If you have any community service to report, contact Stuart Ruud, Jr. Vice, and he will document it for you.

Also, continue to help build the Blood Drive. Donations are held every 60 days at the Post. If you would like to donate blood or help with the Drive, call Gary Archambault at 763-432-9828 or sign up at the Post. Check the calendar for the dates. Your help is appreciated!

Merry Christmas and see yah in the New Year!

Respectfully,
Gary Lind,
Men's Auxiliary President – Post 3915

Four Time All-American
PALMER LAKE VFW
 Post 3915

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26 12 PM VIKINGS at Philadelphia	27 5:30 PM Member Drawing	28 5:30 PM Meat Raffle 7 PM - Bargo	29 7:30 PM Karaoke	30 6:30 - 10:30 pm Karaoke	31 7:30 PM NEW YEAR'S EVE - Karaoke with Dave & Sandy	January 1 New Year's Day 10 am - 1 pm New Years Omelet Brunch - \$7.00 3:30 PM Meat Raffle 7:30 PM-Karaoke
2 12 PM VIKINGS at Detroit	3 2 pm - 7 pm Blood Drive at Post 5:30 PM Member Drawing	4 5:30 PM Meat Raffle 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm House Committee Meeting 7 PM - Bargo	5 6 PM 3915 Men's Auxiliary Mtg. 7:30 PM Karaoke	6 6:30 - 10:30 pm Karaoke	7 7:30 PM Bargo	8 10 - 11 am District 7 Meeting--Coon Rapids #9625 12 - 3 pm Cribbage-Cost-\$6 3:30 PM Meat Raffle 6-8 pm-Dist.VOD Banquet--Fridley #363 7:30 PM-Karaoke
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