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Sons of The American Legion Detachment of Wisconsin



Detachment Officers

Detachment Information

Squadron Information

We are still 1st in the Central Region, but have dropped to 8th in the Nation, in membership. We rank 3rd in the Nation right now for Member Retention. Keep up the great work, and encourage your neighboring Squadrons to do the same.

[Posted at this link is the February 16 2009 membership report...](#) Membership reports can be found on our web site www.wisal.org, under [Membership Reports](#), as PDF files.

Keep up the great work!

[Michael Lawler, Detachment Adjutant](#)

Member Data

Our longest continual members are Marty Kapp, Squadron 38 Appleton, 59 continual years, Ferdinand Brutvan, Squadron 27 South Milwaukee, 57 continual years, Allen Faust, Ronald Faust, and SC Coyle Squadron 245 Cross Plains, 45 continual years,

Our oldest member are: Ethan Witthun Born 1903 Squadron 288 Cedarberg; Charles Weinkauff Born 1922, *Squadron 375 Mukwonago*; Charles Davison, 1923, 67 Lake Mills; Kenneth Bonde, 1923, 406 Menomonee Falls; Malen Teclaw, 1924, 118 Thorp; Daniel Guadagno, 1924, 214 Darlington; Robert Wilhelm 1924, 336 Onalaska; Robert Romanowski, 1926, 375 Mukwonago; Charles Stuvengen, 1926 209 Orfordville; Richard Kratt 1927, 52 LaCrosse; Marvin Johnson, 1927, 158 Maiden Rock; and George Collins 1929, 288 Cedarburg.

And **our youngest members** were born in 2008, Casey Miller, 157 Horicon; Dayton Glandt, 11 Green Bay; Alex Espirito, 245 Cross Plains.

We have 1625 DOBs out of the 5056 names we have on file. Are your squadrons DOBs up to date and correct?

Squadron Officer Information Sheet

http://www.wisal.org/documents/squadron_officers_report_0708.pdf

We need you to fill out this [form](#) so we are able to contact your [Squadron Officers](#). Without an updated form on file we can not keep your Squadron informed. Make sure it is filled out completely, thanks.

Detachment Spring Meetings To Be Held In Portage April 25 2009

We will be holding our Spring DEC meetings in Portage April 25 2009, We will meet at SAL Headquarters 2930 American Legion Dr., Portage at 9:00 AM. Mandatory for Detachment Officers, Recommended to Squadron Officers

Honor Grounds Coffee

Century Services has launched the "Honor Grounds" coffee program.

Our Mission: *To raise support dollars for veterans and military members who have served this*

great nation, and their loved ones so often left behind. __

Here's How it Works:

Individual states will receive contribution dollars raised through the purchase of Honor Grounds Coffee. As our Vendor Partners begin selling and distributing Honor Grounds Coffee, those sales are tracked by state. Cases of coffee or grocery retail bags carry a rebate ranging from .50 to \$1.50 an item depending on the case size and count purchased by our clients. These dollars are donated to the local citizen soldiers through selected military support organizations. The total contribution amount will vary from state to state depending on the success of the program within that state. The contribution dollars are disbursed on a quarterly basis through our "Patriot Fund" to your "local" Military Family Assistance Programs. CS is a for profit organization. In addition to the support dollars, service members and veterans will be recognized for their service through the Hometown Hero stories post on the Honor Grounds website and on the back of retail grocery bags of Honor Grounds coffee. This is how we intend to give back to those who sacrifice to protect our nation.

[Read Full Article](#)

Raise Money with Honor Grounds Coffee

The Wisconsin American Legion has partnered with Honor Grounds Coffee to raise money for Wisconsin service members and their families. Last month, we featured an article about Honor Grounds Coffee being introduced into Roundy's, Copps and Pick'N Save grocery stores in late October. This program has been delayed and the coffee will not likely be on the shelves until next year sometime. We will keep you updated, but in the meantime, your Post can raise funds for itself and the Troop and Family Support Fund through the sale of Honor Grounds Coffee.

Features and Benefits:

- Promote **your Post** with **your logo** on every box
- Raise donations for **your activities**
- Generate an additional donation that will support military members and their families
- Educate others about **the Legion** on the back of every coffee bag

[Read Full Article](#)

We Need Your Help

1 Germantown	22	0	0%
387 Franklin	16	0	0%
326 Boyd	10	0	0%

These three squadrons have not submitted any membership, if you are from these squadrons or know someone who is please contact us. We want to help.

Headquarters 608-745-1090

Email Adjutant@wisal.org

District Report

Did Your District Score

Three Districts made the 90%, goal. Congratulations!

We need your help to make the next goal of 100 Percent by March 7th, let's wrap up our membership game and get working the programs!

1. Fifth District 105.36%
2. Eleventh District 103.92%
3. Sixth District 96.73%
4. Tenth District 94.78%
5. Third District 88.95%
6. First District 86.60%
7. Ninth District 86.29%
8. Fourth District 85.93%
9. Twelfth District 85.29%
10. Seventh District 81.73%
11. Second District 78.00%
12. Eighth District 71.01%

Squadron Report 105-190 Percent

129 Black River Falls	21	40	190%
21 Kenosha	21	37	176%
116 Coon Valley	13	22	169%
150 Wausaukee	15	25	167%
434 Oak Creek	11	17	155%
417 French Island	15	22	147%
53 Eau Claire	24	32	133%
355 Grafton	31	40	129%
313 Black Earth	12	15	125%
172 North Freedom	18	22	122%
273 Grand Marsh	14	17	121%
75 Fond du Lac	39	47	121%
48 Beloit	21	25	119%
375 Mukwonago	56	64	114%
18 Milwaukee	55	62	113%
189 Watertown	21	23	110%
121 River Falls	42	46	110%
294 Hartland	76	83	109%
93 Tomahawk	13	14	108%
406 General King	18	19	106%
23 Cudworth	38	40	105%
168 Glenwood City	21	22	105%

100-104 Percent Squadrons

534 McFarland	69	72	104%
157 Horicon	26	27	104%
196 Delafield	58	60	103%
547 Lublin	38	39	103%
180 Bay View	43	44	102%
245 Cross Plains	103	104	101%
15 Juneau	9	11	100%
67 Lake Mills	48	48	100%
84 Monroe	12	12	100%

151 Madison	19	19	100%
220 Soldiers Grove	33	33	100%
433 Barneveld	32	32	100%
444 F. D. Roosevelt	12	12	100%
538 Carlton	44	44	100%
118 Thorp	40	40	100%
155 Westby	20	20	100%

90-97 Percent Squadron

117 Shawano	35	34	97%
120 Tanner-Paull	25	24	96%
305 Johnson Creek	20	19	95%
522 Hubertus	20	19	95%
44 Wabeno	35	33	94%
100 Sparta	30	28	93%
115 Elroy	15	14	93%
70 Oshkosh	24	22	92%
437 Mazomanie	57	52	91%
108 Clear Lake	39	35	90%

17-87 Percent Squadrons

271 Poynette	46	40	87%
10 Wausau	15	13	87%
214 Darlington	52	45	87%
203 Federal	28	24	86%
73 Neilsville	20	17	85%
336 Onalaska	72	61	85%
243 Plymouth	20	16	80%
385 Verona	10	8	80%
143 St. Croix Falls	29	23	79%
209 Orfordville	88	69	78%
171 Union Grove	13	10	77%
38 Appleton	43	32	74%
339 Almond	45	33	73%
158 Maiden Rock	37	27	73%
183 Genoa City	23	16	70%
284 Holmen	19	13	68%
366 Princeton	25	17	68%
27 South Milwaukee	18	12	67%
333 Sun Prairie	28	18	64%
481 Madison	100	63	63%
501 Madison	16	10	63%
91 Oconomowoc	31	19	61%
11 Green Bay	49	30	61%
54 Marshfield	25	15	60%
288 Cedarburg	75	44	59%
347 Lomira	31	18	58%
449 Brookfield	100	55	55%
302 Oconto Falls	11	6	55%

416 Greendale	37	20	54%
52 La Crosse	174	94	54%
405 Dousman	43	21	49%
62 Columbus	15	7	47%
51 West Salem	71	33	46%
537 Harold Todd	41	17	41%
63 Clintonville	18	3	17%

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