



VFW Post 4719 March 2021 News

Canteen Hours

Sun: 9AM-8PM+
Mon: Closed
Tues: 4PM-10PM+
Wed: 12PM-10PM+
Thurs: 12PM-10PM+
Fri: 12PM-10PM+
Sat: 12PM-10PM+
Closed Easter April 4

Meeting Times

- VFW 4719: 3rd Tuesday @7PM
- VFW Auxiliary: 1st Thursday @ 6:30PM
- American Legion 797: 3rd Thursday @ 7PM
- Marine Corps League: 3rd Wednesday @ 7PM
- 40&8: 1st Tuesday @ 7PM

QUEEN OF HEARTS: Drawing Thursdays @ 8PM!!

BAR BINGO ON TUESDAYS STARTING @ 7PM!!!

Movie Nights: 2nd & 4th Wednesday @ 7PM

Weekly Meals (Yum!):

1st Friday: Steak, baked potato, salad, dessert, roll, dessert \$13 (chopped steak \$9), seafood option for lent is Salmon;
2nd Friday: Meatloaf, mashed potato, green beans, roll, dessert \$8
3rd Friday: Open faced Roast Beef with mashed potatoes and etc. \$8.
4th Friday: No 4th Friday Meals
Every Sunday: Eggs to Order (omelets, etc.), pancakes, French toast, waffles, bacon, sausage, home fries, toast all for \$7.
Everyday: hotdogs; brats, corn dogs, egg rolls, hot links, taquitos, pizza, chicken parm sandwiches, mozzarella sticks, White Castle sliders & more! (prices vary).
Just in time for Old Man Winter: Soup of the Week has returned! See Bartender.

Commander's Korner

It is with great sadness to announce the passing of a great friend of VFW Post 4719, Commander of American Legion Post 797 (current and past) Jack Steinhauser. He was "Captain Jack" of the Honor Guard and greeted many with a loud shout and candy and hugs at meal times. He passed away from a heart attack the morning of February 21. There will be a graveside service Saturday, April 10 at 11:00AM at Forest Lawn Cemetery with the Honor Guard. His obituary should be in the Dispatch this weekend and on the SChoedinger.com website. Please keep him and his family in your prayers. We will miss him.

As a reminder, we need Honor Guard members! We do dozens of funerals, plus the Memorial Day, Veterans Day, July 4 ceremonies and much more. Please see ask one of the members for information. We also desperately need volunteers for Friday meals and Sunday breakfasts. See the Canteen Manager for details.

Elections are coming up for both VFW and VFW Auxiliary in April. Nominations will be held in March and in April with the vote in April. If interested, please see Commander Richard and President Marie. Always need folks to step in and make a difference!

The return of MASH Pantry is on starting the 2nd Thursday of May (running each 2nd Thursday from May-October) at the Post from 4-5:30. For those who don't know MASH Pantry is a food pantry run by Navy veteran Amber Hudson. We had good turnouts from the community and we and she helped a lot of people. We need volunteers to assist. See me (Ernest Massie) and email by replying to this email and seeing the flyer. <https://www.mashpantry.org>

VFW District 11 (our district) Riders will be sponsoring a golf outing from 29-20 May at Buckeye Hills Country Club, Greenfield, Ohio for the benefit of the VFW National Home for Children. The cost is \$220 per team if paid before 22 May and \$240 if paid the day of. Please see the attached flyer.

CHARITABLE GAMING: When the 133rd General Assembly ended, so did our bills to legalize our machines. Work is ongoing in the 134th G.A. The new Senate President, Senator Matt Huffman created a new committee to study gaming in Ohio. It is the SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON GAMING and is holding weekly hearing and listening to testimony from all interested parties. We have had witnesses testifying on behalf of charitable gaming in the past two weeks with more to come. There is also a new bill for our machines that was introduced by the same two Representative who sponsored HB 282 for us in the last G.A. Representatives Jeff LaRe and Adam Holmes introduced House Bill 65 on February 5th and it was referred to the House Finance Committee. There has been no action as of yet. Please contact your state representative and senator to encourage them to vote for this Bill. The VFW and other organizations make \$0 off of these machines!! All our proceeds go to charities, hence the name "Charitable Gaming"! Some want to take it away and keep these proceeds for themselves!

House Finance Chair:

Rep. Scott Oeslager (614) 752-2438; rep48@ohiohouse.gov

TRY A REAL BREAKFAST FOR \$7. SAVE THE BACHELOR CHOW FOR COMPANY.



Eggs to order, omelettes, pancakes, waffles, French toast, sausage (patties/links), bacon, biscuits & gravy, toast, and potatoes. Served each Sunday from 9:00AM-11:00AM

Bar Bingo Rules

Each game card has 5 playing cards on it

You can buy more than 1 game card

First person to have all cards called on the same game card wins

If more than 1 winner pot to be divided

At the end of each game cards to be turned back in so cards can be repurchased for another game

Game cards are the property of VFW Post 4719 and must be returned after each game and at the end of the night

**BAR BINGO: \$2/CARD; PLAYED ON TUESDAYS AND
WHENEVER THE MOOD STRIKES.**

**MOVIE NIGHTS EVERY 2ND AND 4TH
WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH. COME GRAB
SOME POPCORN AND A DRINK OR TWO**



We start at 7PM.

**IN ORDER TO WIN THE
QUEENS HEART, YOU HAVE
TO PLAY THE QUEEN OF
HEARTS.**

**QUEEN OF HEARTS
DRAWING THIS THURSDAY
(DRAWING AT 8:00PM)**



**MUST BE A VFW, AL, AUXILIARY OR
GUEST MEMBER TO PLAY**

**THE FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH: Steak
(\$13) or Chopped Steak (\$8), Baked Potato,
and all the fixin's will drive this Hippie
back to California!!**



Lenten option is Salmon. This one maybe??



World's largest Loaf of Meat? Dug into a pit?? MEATLOAF, MASHED POTATOES, GREEN BEANS, ROLL, AND DESSERT FOR \$8 ON THE 2ND FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH!!



Lenten option is Tilapia. Look up “fish skin bandages.”



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS *of the United States*

Tri - Community Post No. 4719



VFW POST 4719 WOULD LIKE TO OFFER YOU ADVERTISING SPACE FOR YOUR BUSINESS OR EVENTS IN OUR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER!

We are offering advertising in our monthly VFW newsletter that reaches several hundred members of VFW Post 4719, American Legion Post 797 and members of our local Gahanna area community for your business or organizational event’s needs. The newsletter is both posted on our FaceBook page, is emailed out to our members and is available at our Post and at some local establishments. Pricing is shown below:

Size	One-Month	3-Months	6-Months	Year
Full Page	\$100	\$275	\$525	\$960
Half Page	\$ 50	\$135	\$260	\$480
Quarter Page	\$ 25	\$ 70	\$130	\$240

All you need to do is either provide a PDF via email (vfwohiopost4719@gmail.com) of what you want or give us the information that you would want on the ad (name of business/event, contact info, what you do, hours and the like) and we can come up with an ad for your approval.

If you have any interest in the ad, please contact newsletter writer Ernest Massie at vfwohiopost4719@gmail.com, at (614) 746-0331, use our FaceBook page or stop by the Post.

Currently, we receive numerous requests from various local relief agencies (County Veterans Services, etc.) as well as direct requests from veterans or their families and current members of the Reserves and National Guard for assistance with housing issues, food, bill payments, wheelchairs, and similar items. We also assist our nation’s veterans make connections to the VA and other services. We also grant awards to Gahanna-Lincoln High School Marching Band seniors and to winners of our Voice of Democracy (VFW High School oratory program) and Patriot Pen (VFW Middle School oratory program) contests. We donate to many worthy causes, such as GRIN, MASH Pantry. We make trips to the VA hospital in Chillicothe bring items such as toiletries, clothes, books/games and monetary donations.

**THE GRINCH SERVED ROAST BEAST, WE'LL SERVE
OPEN FACED ROAST BEEF SANDWICHES WITH
MASHED POTATOES, AND ALL THE ETC. FOR \$8 ON**



**NO MEAL SERVED THE 4th OR 5th FRIDAYS
We are closed Easter Sunday, April 4.**

The Resolution was introduced Wednesday, March 17th and referred to the House Armed Services and Veterans affairs Committee. It is scheduled to have its first hearing tomorrow morning, March 24th at 11:00. Th hearing can be watched live or later (recorded) on the Ohio Channel.

To help speed the resolution along, contact all the members of the Committee and urge them to give favorable passage to HCR 7 as quickly as possible. Contact information for the Committee Members is as follows.... Those Committee Members with an (*) have already cosponsored HCR 7 – **Thank them!**

Chair: *Haraz N. Ghanbari 614-466-8104 rep03@ohiohouse.gov

Vice Chair: *Mike Loychik 614-466-3488 rep63@ohiohouse.gov

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Members:

Richard D. Brown 614-644-6002 rep20@ohiohouse.gov

Erica C. Crawley 614-466-8010 rep26@ohiohouse.gov

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*Jennifer Gross 614-466-8550 rep52@ohiohouse.gov

*Adam Holmes 614-644-6014 rep97@ohiohouse.gov

Brian E. Lampton 614-644-6020 rep73@ohiohouse.gov

THE RETURN OF MASH PANTRY

WHEN: 2ND THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH (MAY-OCTOBER;
EXCLUDING JULY); FROM 4:00PM-5:30PM

WHERE: VFW POST 4719; 75 W. JOHNSTOWN RD. GAHANNA.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO ASSIST IN DISTRIBUTION AND CLEAN-
UP. ALSO TO GET THE WORD OUT TO THOSE IN NEED!!

CONTACT:

Ernest Massie at vfwohiopost4719@gmail.com or 614.746.0331

MASH



**PANTRY AND
RESOURCE
CENTER**

MILITARY AND SERVICE HEROES

WWW.MASHPANTRY.ORG

VFW RIDERS OHIO DISTRICT 11

**Buckeye Hills County Club 7261 Limes Rd
Greenfield, Ohio 45123**

**May 29th and 30th, 2021 @ 9 A.M.
Shotgun Start**

**Limited to the first 36 teams each day
\$220 per team if paid by May 22nd
(\$240 if paid after)**

**Closest to Pin
Longest Drive
Longest Put**

**GREAT PRIZES TO BE RAFFLED OFF
50/50 DRAWING**

Food and drinks will be provided

**ALL PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT VFW
NATIONAL HOME FOR CHILDREN**

**Contact Mark Hunley (740-505-2519)
Steve Grubb (740-505-9203)**

**Duke Hansel District 11 VFW Riders Ohio
President (740-505-4459) or Mike Milam
VFW Department of Ohio National Home
Chairman (513-479-5146)**

**To register or if you are interested in
sponsoring a hole / donations or prizes**



**VFW NATIONAL HOME FOR CHILDREN
HELP HOPE HONOR**

VFW Post #4719**April 2021****Dinners 5:30 – 7:30 PM**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Open Noon VFW Auxiliary Meeting - 6:30 PM Queen of Hearts Drawing - 8PM	2 Open Noon Steak Fry \$13.00 (Chopped Steak \$8) or Salmon option	3 Open Noon
4 Open 9 AM <i>Post Closed for Easter</i>	5 Canteen Closed	6 Open 4PM 40 & 8 Meeting @ 7PM Bar Bingo @ 7:00!!	7 Open Noon Movie Night @6:30PM	8 Open Noon Queen of Hearts Drawing - 8PM	9 Open Noon MEATLOAF DINNER \$8.00	10 Open Noon
11 Open 9 AM <i>Breakfast \$7 9-11 AM</i>	12 Canteen Closed	13 Open 4 PM Bar Bingo	14 Open Noon	15 Open Noon American Legion Post 397 - 7 PM Meeting Queen of Hearts Drawing - 8PM	16 Open Noon Open Faced Roast Beef Dinner \$8.00	17 Open Noon
18 Open 9 AM <i>Breakfast \$7 9-11 AM</i>	19 Canteen Closed	20 Open 4PM VFW Post 4719 Meeting - 7 PM Elections!!! Bar Bingo @ 7:00!!	21 Open Noon Marine Corps League - 7 PM Movie Night @6:30PM	22 Open Noon Queen of Hearts Drawing - 8PM	23 Open Noon No Dinner Served	24 Open Noon
25 Open 9 AM <i>Breakfast \$7 9-11 AM</i>	26 Canteen Closed	27 Open 4PM Bar Bingo @ 7:00!!	28 Open Noon Movie Night @6:30PM	29 Open Noon Queen of Hearts Drawing - 8PM	30 Open Noon No Dinner Served	

NOTE:

Don't forget Movie Nights

There is a meeting w/ VFW and American Legion selected officers on April 3 at 6:30PM.

April 20s VFW meeting we will have final nominations and take the vote for our 2019-2020 Post officers!
Ditto for the American Legion on April 15.Easter Sunday is April 4 | The Post will be closed