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The American Legion Guyer-Carignan Post # 22
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Mewsletter

Commander Robert St. Pierre

COMMANDER'S CORNER

I will take this opportunity to introduce myself as the new, recently elected Commander for the post. I look forward to working with all members (SAL, Auxiliary, Riders) guests and families.

It is my pleasure to have worked during the last two years as vice-commander. I am very confident in our newly elected officers and we will be working to continue the success of the post.

I will be working to increase our communications through the newsletter and work at having the post website accurate and up to date. We have been fortunate to launch our website and get it established. We must now keep it up to date and use it as another venue to communicate all the events that are taking place at the post. We will be collaborating with the SAL to share a common newsletter. This will benefit both organizations as many members support both organizations to their ability. The auxiliary will continue with their own newsletter. However, if there are important events happening with the auxiliary we will be advertising those events. The entire Legion Family benefits when we work together.

We will be doing a biographical history on all post officers throughout the year. A biographical history of myself follows:

Retired US Army as MAJOR. Spent 23 years in the Army National Guard in NH, VT and Nevada. Served as a Fire Direction Officer. Commander of Service Battery. Commander of Armored Cavalry Squadron, 11th ACR, Battalio XO, and Battalion S-4. Active Duty in Operation Iraqi Freedom from 2005-06 in Ramadi, Iraq.

Civilian Education: BS-Cornell University, MA-Western State College, Gunnison, CO, MA-Keene State College.

Currently employed at the River Bend Career & Technical Center, Bradford, VT as Director.

Currently live in Pike, NH with wife Cheryl. Cheryl has two grown children and we have 2 grandchildren. Our hobbies are gardening, riding our motorcycles and being home in the country.

Post 22 Commander

Robert St. Pierre

<u>Adjutant's corner</u>

I would like to thank all members who have paid their dues for 2015. For those who haven't, please do so. We have reached our 100% goal, but still have a few yet to pay. The 2015 American Legion year is just about over. We did have good year recruiting new members and that helped tremendously in reaching our goal.

I thank you all for your help.

To our local

Heroes & their family members who are protecting our Freedoms today.

If you are flying the American Flag outside your home and when your flag wears out, we would appreciate your support by allowing us to provide you with a new one. Our prices are extremely low, and your purchase helps to support our Post and the work that we do.



For God and Country

Larry Greenwood

Adjutant



LEGION BASEBALL CHAIRMAN

PETE ST. PIERRE



Legion Baseball is gearing up for the Season.
Visit www.post22baseball.org to view more information of game schedule, events etc. & other information on our baseball program.



GUYER-CARIGNAN LEBANON POST 22 BASEBALL



CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Remember Mother's Day, May 10th for all those mothers that have made us what we are today. Pay special attention to those mothers who are no longer with us but remain with us in loving spirit.

Please remember to observe Memorial Day. This day is to remember not only veterans, but, also family and friends that are no longer with us. The Post will present to the City of Lebanon our usual Memorial Day Parade and service in Colburn Park on Monday, 25 May. During the parade there will be a wreath service at the Hanover Street Bridge and School Street cemetery. Following the parade, the Legion Family will provide a Memorial Day Service in Colburn Park with guest speakers and music from the Lebanon High School band. After the Service, refreshments for the parade youth participants by the Sons of the American Legion in the park, and, for the adults parade participants, refreshments at the Post Home on Mechanic Street.

At all times, remember our shut-ins, hospitalized and fellow veterans and families. Visit them whenever you can, as I'm sure they would enjoy that. Call before visiting to make sure you can see them.

Remember and proudly display your flag on Flag Day, Sunday, June 14th as our Pledge of Allegiance reminds us "one nation, *under God*, with liberty and justice for all".

Don't forget Father's Day, Sunday, June 21st for those fathers or father-figures that guided us to adulthood and beyond.

Finally, for all that was given by our ancestors during the fight for independence and those who gave their all, please remember Independence Day, Saturday, July 4th.

May God be with you, your families and friends as you go about your daily chores.

Tom Wiley - Post 22 Chaplain

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Commander	Robert St. Pierre	<u>Committees</u>	
First Vice Commander	Wayne Aldrich	Americanism	Ike McKim
Second Vice Commander	Eric Morrill	Boys State	Ken Smith
Adjutant	Larry Greenwood	Children & Youth	VACENT
Finance Officer	Bill Wilson	Community Service	Ted Occhi
Historian	Dino Vlahakis	Graves & Registration	Mose Sanville
Chaplain	Thomas Wiley	House Committee	Ike McKim
Sergeant at Arms	Tony Gove	Legion Baseball	Pete St. Pierre
Judge Advocate	Les St. Pierre	Membership	Wayne Aldrich
Service Officer	Louis Sabotto	Publicity Officer	Wayne Aldrich
		<i>Oratorical</i>	Steve Favreau
Contact Infor	<u>mation</u>	SAL Advisor	Mose Sanville
Dues La	irry Greenwood	Scholarship	Les St. Pierre
Funeral / Wakes L	arry Greenwood	Riders	Dave Hoisington
Hospitalization L	ouis Sabotto	Fundraising	Eric Morrill

<u>DUES</u> Regular Member \$25.00 per year



Guyer-Carignan Post # 22 Sons of American Legion Officers 2015 - 2016

VA Representative

Chairperson-Tilton

Veterans Home

Louis Sabotto

Annette Scott

NOTE:

Beginning with this Issue of
Post #22's Newsletter, the
S.A.L. Newsletter Section will be included.
More from the SAL in next issue.

DUES

Regular Member \$25.00 per year Junior Member \$10.00 per year

Commander Mark St. Pierre First Vice Commander Kevin Bailey Second Vice Commander Charles Therriault Garry Dunn Adjutant Finance Officer Dan Griswold Historian Virgil Hayes Mark Boutin Chaplain Sergeant at Arms Sid Pixley SAL Advisor Les St. Pierre

POST CALENDAR DATES

Please visit our website often for news, events, announcements for Post #22

Website – http://www.post22.org

MAY 2015

NOTE:

Lucky Card Drawing every Friday night @ 7pm

5/1 - Meat Raffle with Bar & Grill @ 5:330pm.

5/2 – USO Show in Tilton Veteran's Home
DJ Jim Wilson @ 7:30pm

5/7 - Legion & Auxiliary Meeting @7pm

5/8 - 70th Anniversary of V - Day @6p

5/13 - Wing Nite 5:30pm - 7:30pm

5/14 - SAL Meeting @ 6pm

5/16 - Baseball Dinner @6:30pm

5/20 - House Committee Meeting @5:30pm Flags out at cemeteries

5/21 - Rain Date for putting flags out at cemeteries.

5/22nd & 23rd - Auxiliary Unit 22 Selling Poppies.

5/25 - Memorial Day Parade - More info on website

5/27 - Wing Nite 5:30pm - 7:30pm

5/30 - Golf Tournament to benifit Legion Baseball

5/31 – Legion Riders Meeting @ 11am

JUNE 2015

NOTE:

Lucky Card Drawing every Friday night @ 7pm

6/4 - Legion & Auxiliary Meeting @7pm

6/11 - SAL Meeting @ 6pm

6/17 - House Committee Meeting @5:30pm

6/25 thru 28th - American Legion Convention

@ Manchester, New Hampshire

6/28 - Legion Riders Meeting @ 11am

JULY 2015

NOTE:

Lucky Card Drawing every Friday night @ 7pm

7/2 - Legion & Auxiliary Meeting @7pm

7/13 - Legion Calendar Meeting @ 6pm(Tentative)

7/15 - House Committee Meeting @5:30pm

7/16 - SAL Meeting @ 6pm

7/26 - Legion Riders Meeting @ 11am

<u>Misc.</u> Information

POST VACANCIES

House Committee

Contact Ike McKim for more information and for applying

Child & Youth

Contact Post #22 Commander Robert St. Pierre for more information

Alumni Parade in June Field Day @ Post #22 - August 9th, 2015 Cornish Fair - August 21st - 23rd

The Legion Riders are planning the Toys for Tots ride in July & the Rich Madore Ride in August.

More information will be on the Posts website when dates are confirmed.