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Greetings Comrades,

All members are invited to attend a meeting at the Post on June 16 at 10:00 a.m. to learn about help available to Veterans through the **Minnesota Assistance Council for Veterans (MACV)**. Enter through rear door.

The 2018 State Convention will be held June 7-10, 2018 at the Minneapolis Marriott NW Hotel in Brooklyn Park. The annual convention allows all VFW members in the State of Minnesota to have a voice in the decision-making process of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. By-law changes on the state and national levels are acted upon during the committee meetings and General Sessions of the Convention. All members are urged to attend this important gathering of Post, District and Department members and officers.

Thank you to Comrade Chuck Dreson for his work on the bronze statue of the Vietnam Era Missing Man that will be permanently installed at Memorial Park. Chuck dedicated the statue to the citizens of Prior Lake on behalf of the VFW during the ceremony on Memorial Day.

This is my last newsletter as commander. It has been an absolute honor to be the Commander of VFW Post 6208 for the past two years! I thank all of the members for their time and effort to keep the VFW going. It cannot not be done without you!

The next meeting of VFW Post 6208 is Monday, June 11th at 7:30pm.

Yours in comradeship,

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Auxiliary Members,

The VFW Auxiliary 2018 Department Convention will be held June 7-10 at the Minneapolis Marriott Northwest in Brooklyn Park. A special invitation was in the May General Orders to all 45+ members to attend and be recognized. Additional information can be obtained at [mnvfwauxiliary.org](http://mnvfwauxiliary.org). Kansas City will be hosting the National Convention from July 21-25, 2018, for the 105th National Convention. Kansas City is also the home town to the VFW Auxiliary National Headquarters.

**FLAG DAY** is celebrated on Thursday June 14th. It is the same day every year. It commemorates the adoption of the flag of the United States, which happened on June 14, 1777. Flag Day is the same day that the United States Army celebrates its birthday.

The need continues to recruit new members! Membership in our organization is vital to the services we provide our veterans, military and families. If we continue to decrease in members, we may be unable to continue to help them. Application for membership or member transfer may be obtained at the club office.

Our next meeting will be Monday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.

To those who have been ill, we wish you a speedy recovery. To those who have lost a loved one, our prayers are with you.

Loyally,

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## VFW Post And Auxiliary Roster 2017 - 2018



Commander	Rachel Maloney	Auxiliary President	Lynda Allen
Senior Vice Commander	Kim Loftsgaarden	Senior Vice President	Josie Schmaltz
Junior Vice Commander	Mike Martin	Junior Vice President	Theresa Wenzel
Adjutant	Lee Seurer	Secretary	Freida Barlage
Quarter Master	Ed Speiker	Treasurer	Carol Dresen
Chaplain	Cheryl Burton	Chaplain	Darlene Davidson
Surgeon	Floyd Nagler	Conductor	Ron Tessmer
Judge Advocate	David Lathrop	Guard	Rick Draeger
Gambling Chairman	Chuck Dresen	Trustee - 1 Year	Mary Lou Lannon
House Committee Chairman	David Lathrop	Trustee - 2 Year	Caroline Martin
Legislative Chairman	Tom Faxvog	Trustee - 3 Year	Sharon Draeger
Blood Chairman	Chuck Dresen	Americanism	Caroline Martin
Steak Fry Chairman	Mike McGahey	Hospital	Pat Cates
Pancake Breakfast Chair	Robert Herubin	Legislative	Rick Draeger
Americanism	Mike McGahey	MN Scholarships	Darlene Davidson
Honor Guard	David Lathrop	National Scholarships	Maria Belden
Youth Activities	Bob Schmokel	Veterans & Family Support	Ann Cole
POW/MIA	King Cole	Youth Activities	Theresa Wenzel
Service Officer	Floyd Nagler		

**JUNE  
2018**

# PRIOR LAKE VFW POST 6208



**LIVE MUSIC**

**23<sup>th</sup> - Solid Gold**



**\$2.50 Beer of the Month**


**WEEKLY EVENTS**

- \* Burger Monday
- \* TACO Tuesday
- \* BINGO Wednesday
- \* Harvest market– Thurs starting 6/21
- \* Steak Fry 4th Saturday
- \* Meat raffle–Mondays and Thursdays

UNWAVERING SUPPORT



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY		
<p><b>HELP wanted:</b> VETERANS Harvest Market every Thursday! Please contact House Committee for volunteer opportunities.</p>					1	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> Chef Special Grilled Pork Chops</p>	2	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> 5-8:30pm <b>Blood Drive</b></p>
3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
	<p><b>MEAT RAFFLE</b> <b>BURGER NIGHT</b></p>	<p><b>TACO NIGHT!</b>  Beyond Yellow Ribbon</p>	<p><b>BINGO 6pm</b> Full Kitchen Menu</p>	<p><b>Meat Raffle</b> HC Meeting 7pm</p>	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> Chef Special Chicken with Spanish Rice</p>	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> 5-8:30pm</p>		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
	<p><b>MEAT RAFFLE</b> <b>BURGER NIGHT</b> VFW Post/Aux 7:30pm</p> 	<p><b>TACO NIGHT!</b></p>	<p><b>Senior Dance</b> <b>Snowmobile Club</b> <b>BINGO 6pm</b> Full Kitchen Menu</p>	<p><b>Meat Raffle</b></p>	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> Chef Special Beef Stroganoff</p>	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> 5-8:30pm</p>		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23		
<p><b>FATHERS DAY</b></p>	<p><b>MEAT RAFFLE</b> <b>BURGER NIGHT</b> Legion Meeting</p> 	<p><b>TACO NIGHT!</b> Hook Setters</p>	<p><b>BINGO 6pm</b> Full Kitchen Menu</p>	<p><b>First Day Summer</b> <b>HARVEST MARKET</b>  <b>Meat Raffle</b> Marine Corps 7:00pm</p>	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> Chef Special Steak and Shrimp Scampi</p>	<p><b>Steak Fry</b> <b>SOLID GOLD</b></p> 		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30		
	<p><b>MEAT RAFFLE</b> <b>BURGER NIGHT</b> SNOTRAILS</p>	<p><b>TACO NIGHT!</b></p>	<p><b>BINGO 6pm</b> Full Kitchen Menu</p>	<p><b>HARVEST MARKET</b> <b>Meat Raffle</b></p>	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> Chef Special Chicken Alfredo</p>	<p><b>DINNER MENU</b> 5-8:30pm</p>		