

# THIS WEEK @ THE POST

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**VFW POST 7696**



# COMMENTS & EDITORIALS



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Hey Mates,

Here is hoping the new year finds all members and their families well and everyone had a great holiday season. This past Thursday we had our first meeting of 2019. Missed seeing a lot of you. Remember we meet the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday every month, except in December or in special cases. We make sure that announcement is made loud and clear .

In the very near future we will be sitting down and taking a look at our programs and up coming events to determine how we can meet them. We are pulling out the files and starting the prep work for the Memorial Day Parade. We have been confirmed on four dates for the “On The Square” Events (TBA). Plus, Dave Smith is meeting with the Adena Elementary students on February 7<sup>th</sup> to instruct them on proper flag techniques. So as you can see the Post Is awakening from those long winters naps!! Hoping to see everyone at the February 28th meeting.

“Stay warm , safe & be kind to each other”

## UNDER THE WEATHER



If you know of a Post Member that is having health Issues let us know. Remember this cold weather and cloudy days can be very depressing , just give your buddies a quick call. Check-in !!! That’s all it takes to put a little **sunshine** in someone's day.





# THOUGHTS & PRAYERS FOR THE BOYER FAMILY



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# POST 7696 NEW MEMBERS! WELCOME & CONGRATULATIONS



From Left to Right Jennifer Gross, Jason Marlow, and Eric Holter



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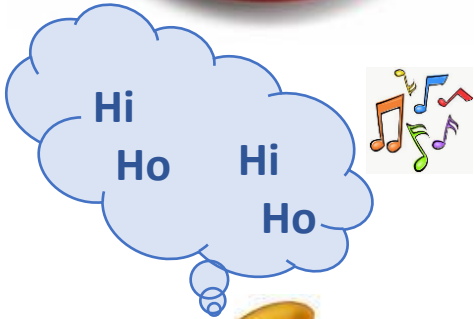






## Introducing the newly formed Friends of VFW Post 7696 (FOP)

The group is open to anyone who wants to boost the visibility of VFW Post 7696 by supporting its members as they serve Veterans and our Community. When the Post needs help with an activity, project or event, the Commander will contact the group with a request for assistance. FOP members will be notified of the Post request via e-Blast from the group liaison. Donna Marquardt has volunteered to serve as liaison for 2019.



Unlike the VFW Auxiliary, FOP is not a non-profit or affiliated with the National VFW. Members will not pay dues, have elected officers, regular meetings, or be required to be related to a Veteran of a Foreign War.



VFW Post 7696 is a very active Post. Some of the activities and events the FOP can assist with are: Decorate the Post House for Memorial Day, Flag Day and the W.C. Christmas Walk. Help with, Pumpkin Fest at Keener Park; Veterans Day Events; Memorial Day Parade; Serve food and beer at the Clock Tower Music Series; Patriots Pen and Voice of Democracy; Poppy and Flag Fundraisers, and the list goes on.

Those interested in this support group, please send a message to: [vfwpost7696@yahoo.com](mailto:vfwpost7696@yahoo.com), subject: RE: FOP

# SAVE THE DATE



## [The Four Chaplains](#)

**Four Chaplains Memorial Service** which will be held at St. Boniface Church (1750 Chase Avenue, Northside) on Sunday, February 10, 2019, at noon. There will be a reception immediately following the service at Gailey VFW Post 7340 (8326 Browns way Lane, North College Hill, Ohio).