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Dear Alma American Legion Post 224:

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2021 is flying past and soon our fields will be white. I hope your year has been better than the last. Our fund raisers have done well this year and our hall now leaves a green footprint.

My heartfelt thanks to David Bautch for his years of commitment and dedication to our organization for many years of service. I think we'd all agree, he's "one of a kind."

Due to the continued Covid threat, the schools will not be hosting a Veteran's Program this year.

It is my hope that Covid will release its ugly grip soon and that we might see many more members comfortably attending our meetings.

I look forward to meeting more of you in the days to come.

Finally, I have to give a shout out to Sandy Ebert for her years of tireless effort as the President of the Auxiliary. She has been our Eveready Bunny.

Thank you Sandy!!!

Respectfully,
Gary Jepsen, Commander

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AUXILIARY MEMBERS

Dear Auxiliary Members of Unit 224:

Hello everyone! This is Karla Hokschi your new, but old Auxiliary President.

At this time I wish to THANK Sandra Ebert for filling my shoes for the past several months. I TRULY appreciate and thank her. I am happy to be able to take over as your Auxiliary President finally.

Please pay your dues (\$33.00) to Jan Michaels, WI003 Oak Valley Rd, Fountain City, WI 54619.

I hope to see you all at our next meeting on Oct 11, at 2:00pm.

Respectfully,
Karla Hokschi, President



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Important Notice - Bylaw Proposal

Bylaws are items that are carefully chosen and written within an organization but as the organization grows and changes, so must the bylaws. We do so with care and regard to all members so they have an opportunity to have any concerns addressed. The executive committee addressed three issues and brought them to the membership. The items must then be published in the newsletter and voted upon again at the membership meeting to be held in September.

- **All officer postings here forward will be for two year terms. (Currently reads one year.)**
- **Executive committee meeting will be convened at the call of the commander or three members of the executive committee. (Currently reads, convenes once per month - this has not been the practice.)**
- **The financial audit shall be conducted by August 31st of each year and the audit report given at the September Members Meeting.**

These bylaw changes will be brought forward for discussion and a vote on September 17th at 7:00pm. You are encouraged to be present and let your voice be heard. A 2/3 majority is required for bylaw changes.

Finally, my heartfelt gratitude and prayers for those members and their families who have recently departed our post and community. Their contributions and sacrifices will not be forgotten. A Grateful Nation Remembers!

Respectfully,
Gary Jepsen, Commander



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EVENT SCHEDULE

OCTOBER

Saturday, October 9
Charcoal Steak & Brats
Serving 4:00pm to 7:00pm

Monday, October 11
2:00pm Auxiliary Meeting
Servers: TBA

Thursday, October 21
6:30pm Meal Gathering
7:00pm Post Members Meeting

NOVEMBER

Monday, November 8
2:00pm Auxiliary Meeting
Servers: TBA

Thursday, November 11
Veterans Day Programs
Alma Area Schools
Program #1 8:30am
Program #2 9:30am
Open House After Presentation
@ American Legion Post 224

Saturday, November 13
Veterans Day Dinner
Social 4:00pm Dinner 6:00pm

Thursday, November 18
6:30pm Meal Gathering
7:00pm Post Members Meeting

Thursday, November 25
Happy Thanksgiving
Gather Together and Enjoy!

DECEMBER

Saturday, December 4
Card Show
More details coming soon

Monday, December 13
No Auxiliary
Meeting This Month

Thursday, December 16
Legion & Auxiliary
Christmas Party

4:00pm Social Hours
6:00pm Dinner
(Pot Luck Style Dinner)

Saturday, December 25
Merry Merry Christmas
Rejoice and Celebrate!

Please visit the website for current and up-to-date Event information.

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HALL RENTAL

(Donations Accepted)

MEMBERS:

Hall Only \$125.00
Hall & Kitchen \$150.00

LEGION/AUXILIARY FUNERALS:

Hall & Kitchen FREE

NON-MEMBERS:

Hall Only \$150.00
Hall & Kitchen \$200.00

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS:

Hall & Kitchen NO CHARGE

SHORT MEETINGS

Minimum Charge \$50.00

GUIDLINES & DETAILS

- ✓ Hall is to be cleaned after use. A \$75 deposit is due with rental fee at contract signing which will be returned after rental if hall is properly cleaned. There will be a \$5.00 per bag charge if Legion **"City"** bags are used.
- ✓ Hall is available one day prior to use for decorating, if arrangements are made with the Legion in advance.
- ✓ Person signing as **"Renter"** is responsible for meeting the terms of this agreement. This includes cleaning, any damaged or broken items that occur during the event.
- ✓ Cleaning of premises includes sweeping and mopping if necessary, whipping off tables and chairs, washing all dishes, utensils, roasters, etc. and **removal of garbage**. (See instructions posted on kitchen door)
- ✓ All alcoholic beverages must be purchased from the Legion. A licensed bartender is required and will be furnished if the bar is to be used. **Please do not allow minors to consume alcoholic beverages.**
- ✓ Positively no kitchen equipment such as roasters, pots/pans, etc. are to be removed from the building.
- ✓ Paper tablecloths, napkins, and other decorations are the responsibility of the renter and must be removed after use.
- ✓ Key for the building may be signed out for at the Dam View Bar and must be returned after use.
- ✓ Building is available for planning and inspection by contacting Legion member listed below.

Vernon Langhorst, S1297 Deer Creek Road, Nelson, WI 54756, 608-685-3389

Please attach check, sign and return this portion to the above listed address.

Renters Name: _____ Amount enclosed: _____

Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Date of Rental: _____ Event: _____ Time of Event: _____

Bartender Requested? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Hall Option (Hall Only or Hall & Kitchen): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

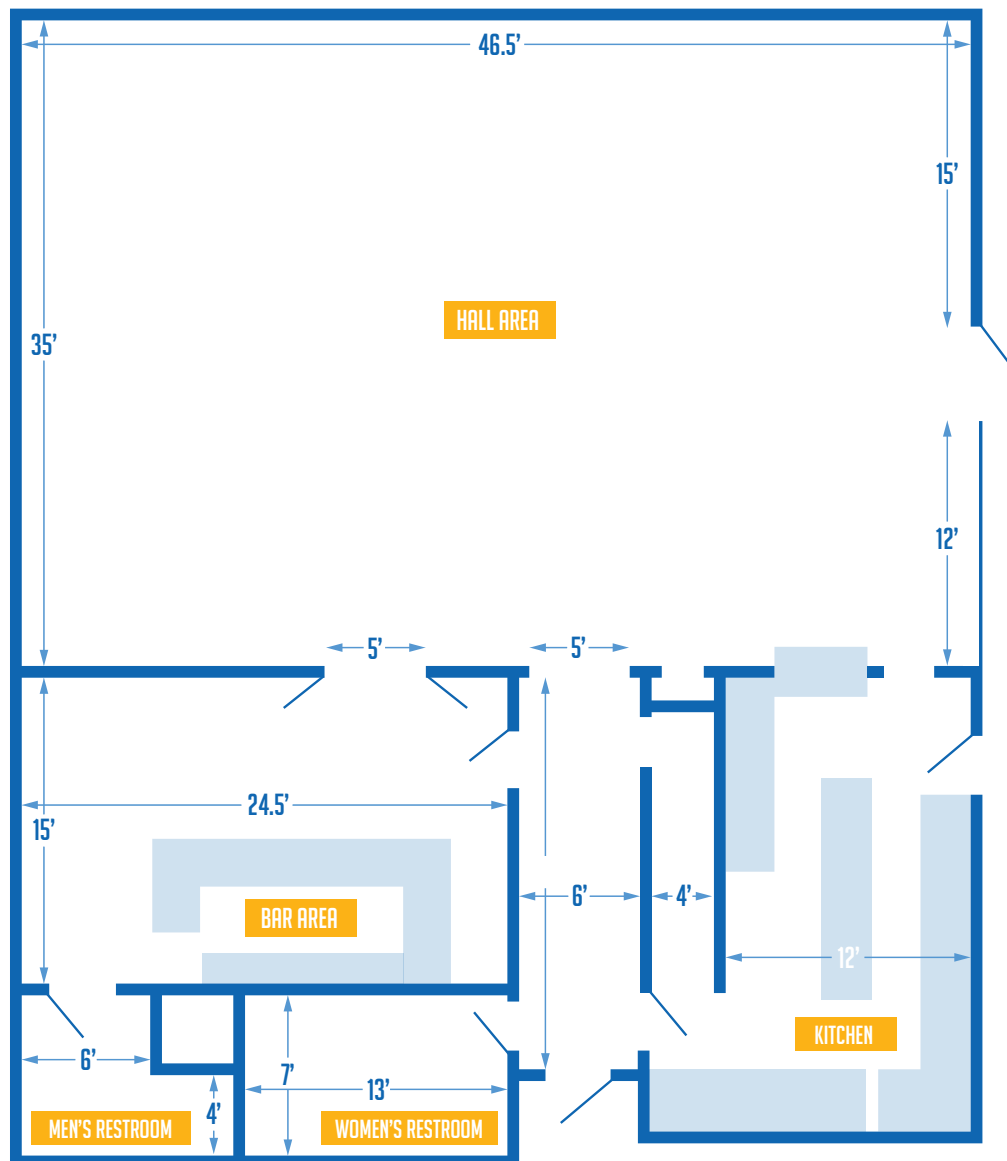


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FLOOR PLAN





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