



**Montgomery-Plant-Dudley Post 10**  
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Bob Weller

**Wausau American Legion Newsletter**

February - March 2026

**Commanders Report**

***Our Legion Family - Strength in Unity***

Greetings,

Apparently Mother Nature decided that she was not done with winter yet. We went from 60 degrees and Sunny with no snow on the ground to a record breaking 31 inches of snow in 3 days. With everyone still digging out, please take some time to check on your friends and neighbors to make sure that they are getting along well.

As we move into spring, we are entering a very busy time at the Post. Many of our committees are meeting to prepare for the upcoming year. Our Membership Committee is making a push to get our renewals processed and recruit new members. Right now we are at 90% renewals for the year. We still need 50 members to get to our 100% goal.

Our Children and Youth Committee just completed their scholarship selections, which are listed in this edition. They are also working on getting our Badger Boys State registrations processed. The baseball and softball teams are preparing for their season and are working on their fundraisers.

Our Finance Committee is preparing our 2026-2027 annual budget so that all of our post finances are ready for the upcoming year. Once completed it will be presented to the Executive Board and to the membership for approval.

Our Honor Guard will be exceptionally busy in the coming months with numerous events involving Memorial Day, including the parade in Wausau on Saturday the 23rd and the Memorial Service at Restlawn Memorial Park on Monday the 25th at 11am. Our Activities Committee continues to be active with our Veterans Meal Delivery program, and getting our Avenue of Honors Banners ready to be hung on Grand Ave and Schofield Ave,

As you can see we have a very active post. We would like to have you get involved and join us. Coming to a meeting is a great place to start. We meet on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm at Bunkers at Tribute Golf Course. Come and see about of the great we are doing. I have members reach out or comment on why did we make a change or do something new? Each decision we make and each change that is put into effect is discussed in detail at our board meetings and/or membership meetings. We ask for members input constantly at those meetings. Please join us to be a part of those discussions.

For God and Country,

Tony Nardi  
Commander, Wausau Post 10



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Greetings Members of American Legion Auxiliary Unit 10:

Hopefully, everyone has dug themselves out or got some help digging themselves out from the historic blizzard of 2026 that set an all-time mark for snowfall in the Wausau Area of 30.9+ inches the weekend of March 14 through 16<sup>th</sup>.

Looking forward, tomorrow is the first day of spring, March 21, 2026, and everyone is looking forward to seeing the snow melt quickly, so we can

get on with Easter egg Hunts in a couple of weeks and get out to the many outdoor sports we enjoy here in this beautiful state of Wisconsin.

A big "Thank You" to all our members for paying their dues in a timely manner. Without the support of our members, we would not be able to provide the services that we do to the servicemen and women and their families. This is a reminder that membership dues should be paid annually by January 31<sup>st</sup>. If not paid by that date member shall be classified as delinquent and shall be suspended from all membership privileges. Dues are \$40 for seniors. Dues are \$7 for juniors. Dues can be mailed to Linda Tryczak, 807 S. Ninth Avenue, Wausau, Wisconsin 54401. With questions for Linda call 715 848 2686, or email at Tryczak.l@gmail.com.

**2026 NON-PAID MEMBERS RENEWAL NOTICE:**

Pauline Bruss

Jenny Buska

Alissa Davies

Donna Hessil

Rebecca Kassis

Donna Koepnick

Patricia Kreuzer

Diana LaCerte

Tracey McDonald

Shannon Roloff

Rosemary Schroeder

Karen Tritten

Kimberly Tritten

Cari Wenninger

**WALASBA BOWLING TOURNAMENT**

The American Legion Auxiliary Unit 10 is hosting the WALASBA Bowling Tournament on April 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> at Dales Weston Lanes in Weston, WI. This will be a great time to join us for a weekend of bowling, great food, and great company.

Our Unit 10 is extremely busy this time of year. The District 8 Spring Conference is next weekend, March 28, 2026, in Fremont, Wisconsin. Unit 10 has

eight members participating.

Our members will come back and report about all the interesting things they have learned from the other units. April 16<sup>th</sup> is The Business Expo at the Cedar Creek Conference Center where the Auxiliary will join the Post passing out information to those in attendance and explaining what the American Legion and Auxiliary do for the veterans and their families.

In May our Unit will be sending out poppies to all our members with a letter. Think about making a nice donation to help us with our largest fundraiser of the year. All proceeds go back into our programs. We are sending three girls to Badger Girls State this year at \$500 each. The American Legion Auxiliary Badger Girls State Government and Leadership Conference will be held on June 21<sup>st</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Our poppy fundraiser allows us to make donations totaling approximately \$3300 to support veteran's programs all over Wisconsin.

## Unit 10 Presidents Report - Continued

On May 22<sup>nd</sup> you will find members of our Unit distributing poppies in the Wausau area. Volunteers are needed. Contact our Poppy Chair, Karen Maier at [mothersue62@gmail.com](mailto:mothersue62@gmail.com). The Memorial Day Parade will be May 23<sup>rd</sup> Saturday in Wausau from Trinity Lutheran Church to Opportunity, Inc. Memorial Day Ceremony will be at Restlawn Cemetery on May 25<sup>th</sup> at 10:00a.m.

July 16<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026 the Legion Family Department Convention will be held at the Hilton Paper Valley, Appleton.

We are still in need of Program Chairs for Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation (VA&R) Chair, a Junior Chair, and a Troop Support Chair. If anyone is interested in any of these positions and would like to hear more about what the duties involve, please call 715 573 7728.

Thank you for your continued support of the American Legion Auxiliary. Please come and join us at our meetings which are held on the third Tuesday of every month (except July and December) at 6:30 p.m. at Bunkers and support the veterans and their families in our community.

Respectfully submitted,

Respectfully Submitted,  
Frances Bender,  
American Legion Auxiliary Unit 10  
[csmrb@charter.net](mailto:csmrb@charter.net)  
715 359 8469  
715 573 7728



## Wausau Veterans Committee

The Wausau Veterans Committee needs assistance and new members. We are the committee that plans the Memorial Day Parade and Veterans Day Ceremony. We have members from the American Legion, VFW and Man of Honor working together.

If you are interested, please contact John Pellegrino at 715-551-1039 or [Navy2315@gmail.com](mailto:Navy2315@gmail.com)



## Post 10 High School Scholarships



Our Scholarship Committee awarded 5 scholarships for our 2026 graduating seniors in the amount of \$1000.00 each. Congratulations to the recipients and best of luck in your academic futures.

David De Leon	Mosinee H.S.
William Nagel	Shorewood H.S.
Caden Allen	D.C. Everest H.S.
Clyde Anderson	Edina Senior H.S. - MN
Faith Thompson	Venice H.S. - FL

Ray Bender  
Children & Youth Committee

### ***Chaplains Corner***

Dear Friend,

Do you ever feel unappreciated for all the things that you do for other people? Do you feel that no one really notices or even says “Thank you” to you?

Hebrews 6:10 says:

“God is not unjust; He will not forget your work and the love you have shown Him as you have helped His people and continue to help them.” (NLT)

Aren't you glad to know that the things that you do for God do not go unnoticed? He notices every little thing you do even if others don't. There will even be times you will do things for others and no one ever thanks you or appreciates what you have done.

I've been in the ministry a long time and know that people do things for the Lord and no one ever really seems to notice. Yet, your Heavenly Father knows these things. He doesn't forget one of them! You may not be treated fairly at your job, at school, in your family or around your friends, but you will be treated fairly by God.

Don't be discouraged in serving the Lord. It will always be worth it in the end. Keep up the good work! It is worth serving Christ today!

Here's to great times ahead living for Him!

Don Hildebrandt

Chaplain, American Legion Post 10

**Be The One**



## Membership Information

Our post will be conducting new member induction at our May Membership Meeting which is Tuesday May 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM in conjunction with our wonderful Auxiliary. If you are a newer member who has not been inducted officially into the American Legion Family, we urge you to please try and attend. In addition, we would like to have special recognition for all of our long-term members who have been in The Legion for 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 and beyond.

It would be a great photo op to have new members and older ones together. The Post will provide Continuous Years Certificates and a picture frame holder for the certificate. Please mark this on your calendar. As the date nears, we will contact the members involved via phone or email and if necessary, a letter.



Thank you-Your Membership Committees.



### MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL INFORMATION

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS HAVE NOT RENEWED AS OF MARCH 18<sup>TH</sup>. YOUR MEMBERSHIP IS VERY IMPORTANT TO US AND WE HOPE YOU WILL CONSIDER RENEWING. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ON YOUR MEMBERSHIP STATUS, PLEASE CALL OUR ADJUTANT AT 715-574-1882.

OUR DUES ARE \$45.00 AND CHECKS CAN BE MAILED TO THE ADDRESS BELOW.

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TODD SCHULZ

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PHIL SUMMERS  
JOSEPH TRITTIN  
WILLIAM VEGA  
PHILIP WINDORSKI



Come out for fun filled day at the golf course and support our girls softball team. This the fundraiser that kicks off their season.

# Post 10 *Patriots* Softball

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Golf Outing

Sunday June 7, 2026      4 Person – 9 Hole Scramble



**PROCEEDS BENEFIT WAUSAU AMERICAN LEGION POST 10 PATRIOTS  
SOFTBALL PROGRAM**

**Limited to the first 18 Registered Teams**

Team Check-in: 9am | Shotgun Start: 10 am

Cost \$60.00 per Person

(checks can be made to Wausau American Legion Post 10)

Includes 9 Holes of golf w/cart, Lunch, Raffles & Prizes

**Trapp River Golf Course**

243124 County Highway WW, Wausau WI 54403

**Tournament Host:**

**Montgomery- Plant- Dudley Post 10  
Wausau American Legion**



To Register a team or for Event Sponsor Information Contact:

Kristin Gille at 715-671-9814 or email: [krissy.gille927@gmail.com](mailto:krissy.gille927@gmail.com)

## American Legion Baseball

Please support our Post 10 Bulldogs & Polar Bears Baseball Teams. We will publish our baseball and softball season schedules in the June-July Newsletter.

**2026 Wausau American Legion Baseball Raffle**

**Prizes Include:**

**\$1500 CASH • \$500 CASH • \$100 CASH**  
**Badger Football & Brewers Baseball Tickets**  
**and a Fantastic 5-Night Stay at a Condo**  
**in Key Colony Beach Florida**

**Drawing: Monday, June 1, 2026 • 5:30 pm**  
**at Lopppnow's Sports Bar.**  
**NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

**Checks payable to Wausau American Legion Baseball**  
**\$20 per ticket** License # R000 2881-02845

*Sample*

The 2026 Wausau American Legion Baseball Raffle is back. It's the biggest fund-raiser of the year for the Junior Legion Polar Bears and Senior Legion Bulldogs

Once again, we have some great prizes which include \$1500, \$500 and \$100 cash. We also have a fabulous five-night stay at a beautiful condo in Key Colony Beach Florida. (Must be 18 to win and travel not included). Other prizes included Badger football and Brewers baseball tickets plus other prizes as well.

Tickets are \$20 each and the drawing will be Monday June 1<sup>st</sup> at 5:30 at Lopppnows Sports Bar in Wausau. Need not be present to win.

You can purchase tickets from any Wausau Legion player or pick them up at Lopppnows or the Chatterbox Bar. Checks can be made out to Wausau American Legion Baseball and sent to Tom Magnuson, 145072 Moon Rd Mosinee, Wi 54455. If you use Venmo you can send the money to @Tom-Magnuson-5.

**Thank You to all Post 10 members. We couldn't do it without you.**



WAUSAU AMERICAN LEGION POST 10



**BULLDOGS BASEBALL**

WAUSAU JR LEGION



**POLAR BEAR BASEBALL**

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### Calendar of Events for the Wausau American Legion Family

April 13th	Post Executive Board Meeting	6:30pm
April 15th	Veterans Meal Delivery	
April 21st	Post & Unit Membership Meetings	6:30pm
May 11th	Post Executive Board Meeting	6:30pm
May 19th	Post & Unit Membership Meetings	6:30pm
May 23rd	Memorial Day Parade	
May 25th	Memorial Day Ceremony - Restlawn	11am

You can still sign up to receive the full color version of this newsletter electronically up to 2 weeks before the mail version. Email our adjutant to sign up at [adjutant@wausaupost10.com](mailto:adjutant@wausaupost10.com)

Check out the events calendar on our new website for a current and very detailed list of events. [Wausaupost10.com](http://Wausaupost10.com)