



CANTEEN NEWSLETTER



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Canteen Lounge Rental (203) 874-9982

www.vfw7788.org

Canteen Permittee: Mr. Alfred Carlson

WELCOME PAULA SEFCIK



Paula Sefcik

Your Canteen has been able to acquire the services of experienced and long time Bartender, **Paula Sefcik** to cater to our members and their guests when they come down to the Canteen.

Paula works

part time at Bakers Grill" in Milford for many years before coming to VFW 7788.

Paula works Thursday evening shift, Saturday evening shift, and Sunday day shift and fills in during the week as needed.

So the next time you are in the area stop in and say hello to Paula our newest member of your Canteen staff.



POPPY DRIVE

The month of May is fast approaching and it time to start selling the Poppy's once again. We are looking for Volunteers to help man the tables and sell some VFW

Poppy's at Shop Rite Supermarket on Cherry Street in Milford on May 16, 17, and 18, 2008. Proceeds help our Post Chaplain's Fund and VA Hsop. Coopon book fund.

NEW GAME ON THE SEALED TICKET MACHINE

The State has issued an exciting and very profitable game on the Sealed Ticket Machine. Its call "Connec-ti-cut" and pays out up to, 2, \$420 dollars Grand Prizes. Several of our members and their guests have won big on this game. It only costs one dollar, (\$1.00), and you have over a hundred winners of all denominations in each box of tickets.

CANTEEN LOUNGE RENTAL

When you plan your next party think of the Canteen Lounge. VFW Members and Auxiliary Members get a substantial discount on Lounge Rentals. Call 203-874-9982

UP COMING EVENTS IN THE CANTEEN

DAY FOR A VET

Sunday April 27, 2008 starting at 11:30 am to 3:30 pm in the upstairs hall. Our Post will be hosting Veterans from the West Haven VA Hospital to a lunch and some entertainment.

MILFORD MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Celebrating it on Sunday May 25th 2008. The Canteen will be OPEN at 12:00 pm. Free Hot Dogs and Hamburgers 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm

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STATE CONVENTION

June 13, 14, and 15 2008 Marriott Hotel Rocky Hill, CT. Come up for the day or stay the weekend. To reserve your own room, call 1-800-228-9290 (Rocky Hill Marriott) and ask for the \$92/per night VFW Convention rate. The party is on Friday night and Saturday Night by the Pool.

ARE YOU BARKING WITH THE PUPPIES OR HANGING WITH THE BIG DOGS

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A LITTLE BIT OF IRELAND IN DEVON

What a party we had on March 8. Our Post celebrated Saint Patrick's Day a little bit early this year to beat the crowd on March 17th. Over 75 people attended the party and by all accounts had a rocking good time.

Dick and Linda Tomasco cooked and prepared a fabulous dinner of Corn Beef,

Cabbage, Red Potatoes, and Carrots. It must have been good because there wasn't a piece left and the trash cans were empty. We went through approximately 125 pounds of Corn Beef.

Bartender, **Kim Laue**, got things rolling with a raffle of Irish blessings, a dram or

two of the Irish, and some nice mugs. Kim out did herself with making her special "Sheppard's Pie" which started off the nights food selection.

Bartenders **Rosemary Drapp and Paula Sefcik** did a Yeoman's job on tending the Bar and catering to all the Irish that night. Go to

www.vfw7788.org & click on Gallery on the left of the screen to see the photographs from that night. Watch for our Octoberfest party coming Saturday October 11, 2008. Get out your Lederhosen and get ready to party. **Tickets go on sale Aug. 2.** \$15.00 ea.

DRAFT BEER SPECIALS

Did you know that you can get a Pitcher of draft beer for only \$7.25 any-time at your Canteen. Just right for your crew or if you are thirsty

WHAT'S NEW AT THE CANTEEN



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Your Canteen is now in the process of installing an Internet Jukebox for your listening pleasure. The new Jukebox is able to store over 1,000

songs internally and can download from the Internet any song or artist recorded in the last sixty years. You can even build your own Playlist.

We are also installing a new video Bowling machine. You can play an individual

game of bowling or form a team and play up to eight people. The video action is fast and the bowling accuracy is very realistic with all the sound effects and video camera angles on the bowling pins. When they are installed we will let you know.

WOUNDED WARRIOR PROJECT - PIG ROAST



Mark your calendars for Saturday June 28, 2008 from 12:00 pm till? Our Post in cooperation with the Wounded Warrior Project will host a Pig

Roast to benefit the Project. Tickets will go on sale in April for \$15.00 each (\$20.00) at the door. This is for a good cause and will be a good time. See the Canteen Bartender to purchase your Pig Roast ticket. Bring your cameras and lawn chairs.



Chow Line at our last Pig Roast

SATURDAY SANDWICHES

Your Canteen is serving Roast Beef sandwiches with Macaroni Salad from 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm in the Canteen on Saturday afternoons \$3.00 per sandwich and they do orders to go.

The Roast Beef is cooked and prepared by Chef **Dick Tomasco** and served by his lovely wife **Linda**

So bring your friends and enjoy