

SUFFOLK COUNTY AMERICAN LEGION

BOYS STATE REPORT

March 3rd, 2023

We are getting close on the program this year. Applications will not be accepted by Department after April 13th, 2023.

I need all paperwork and monies by April 21st, 2023.

As has been stated, program runs from June 25th thru June 30th, 2023. Cost is \$600 per delegate.

We will be holding an informational meeting for delegates and parents at Babylon Post 94 on April 26th, starting at 1900 hours. It is recommended that you have your delegate there with any questions they may have.

If I can be of assistance please do not hesitate to call me.

Jim Beecher

SCAL Boys State Chair

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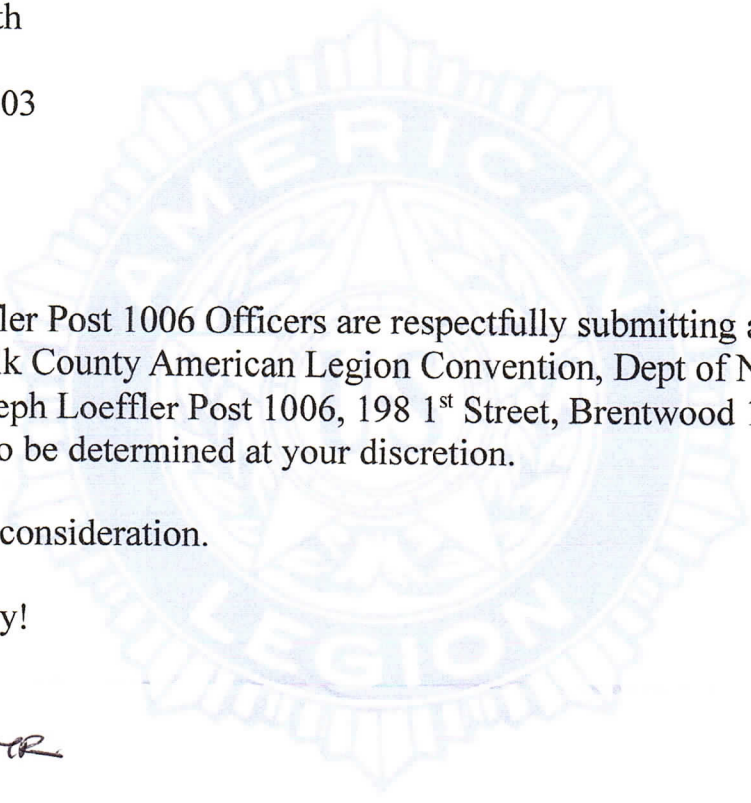
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Greetings,

The Joseph Loeffler Post 1006 Officers are respectfully submitting a bid to host the 2023 Suffolk County American Legion Convention, Dept of NY. To be located at Joseph Loeffler Post 1006, 198 1st Street, Brentwood 11717, on June 10th 2023 at a time to be determined at your discretion.

Thank you for your consideration.

For God and Country!


Sharon Hoover
Sharon Hoover
Commander
Post 1006



March 3rd, 2023,

American Legion Riders Suffolk County Report

Suffolk county riders participated in the following through February.

2/2 -- Wellness check on Vietnam Veteran Bob Morebach who has been going through some difficult medical conditions.

2/5 -- Funeral escort for Leonard Finz USARMY veteran

2/8/2023 Riders attended NOA services at Calverton National

2/10 -- Funeral escort for Robert Romano U.S. Navy / Legionnaire from West Babylon

2/11 -- Bring Thomas Imerti home from Northport V.A. hospital.

2/19 -- Spent some time with 1 of our past Riders who had moved out of state Richard Bailey.

2/20 -- Funeral escort for David Fitton U.S. Army Veteran

2/21—Funeral for John Dekas Hampton Bays.

David M. Isaacs
Suffolk County Chairman
American Legion Riders

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Jim,

Here is my report for this Friday's County Meeting. bl

Mike

Report - National Commanders Dinner

To all those members of Suffolk County American Legion and those in the Suffolk County American Legion Family, I say Happy Birthday to the American Legion. I am sorry that I cannot be with you tonight to deliver this report in person but as you know I am attending American Legion Activities in Albany NY preparing for the Department Oratorical Contest.

As all of you are aware, this year's dinner will be held on Friday April 14 at Antum's Catering Hall in Queens. We are especially privileged that this year's dinner will honor one of our own from New York, National Commander Jim Troiola.

Right now, Suffolk County American Legion has stepped up to purchase 130 tickets to this dinner. This is the largest block of tickets by any county for this great event. I thank Suffolk County American Legion and the Suffolk County American Legion Family for their support for this event. If you have not yet contacted me, it is not too late to purchase tickets for this dinner. The price is \$70.00 per ticket. Please remember that proper attire is Business Attire (and that means dress jacket and tie for me)! Tickets are still available, contact me now as we have just over a month to go for this event.

Thank You,

Michael Pankowski

Chairperson - National Commander Dinner Ticket Sales

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PAST COMMANDRS DINNER

March 3, 2023

Legionnaires, Roby gave a year of his time to our county organization. We take this time to say thank you, and maybe give him a few jabs in the ribs.

Roby's Dinner will be on May 20th, 2023, right here at the Joseph Loeffler Post 1006 starting at 1600 hours. The cost is \$30 per person. Checks are made out to Suffolk County American Legion and they come to me. I need your information by May 13th so I can pass it on to the caterer.

Jim Beecher

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POW-MIA Report

For February of 2023

The remains of Five of our fallen comrades have been recovered, identified and returned to their loved ones.

WORLD WAR 2

The following were lost December 7th 1941 on the USS Oklahoma:

Navy Seaman 1st Class Donald A. Stott, 19,

Philippines

U.S. Army Air Forces Cpl. Charles W. Eeds, 23, POW

Europe:

Germany

Army Air Forces 2nd Lt. Porter M. Pile, 24,

Ploiesti, Romania

U.S. Army Air Forces 2nd Lt. Pharis E. Weekley, 21,

KOREAN War:

U.S. Army Master Sgt. Merritt L. Wynn, 31,

Currently from WWII, there are 72,248 still unaccounted for. 7,508 still missing from the Korean. 1,581 American servicemen and civilians still unaccounted for from the Vietnam War, 5 missing from the Gulf War and 126 from the Cold War.

**To all those who gave their lives and lay in unmarked repose; may your souls rest
with God in eternal peace.**

Vietnam 50th Recognition

I will be hosting a Vietnam Veterans day observance at the Babylon Post 94 at 1100 hours on March 29th.

This date is 50 years to the day that the last United States fighting forces left the Republic of South Vietnam.

Would like to see as many as can attend. All I ask is that you let me know if you will be attending.

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