

# **MARCH 2024**

#### Comrades,

As we welcome the blossoming of spring, I am honored to extend my warmest greetings to each and every one of you.

Our next meeting will be on March. 13th and held at the Elks Club, 1066 Jackson Rd. in Webster. Dinner is at 1815, with our meeting beginning promptly at 1900 hrs.

If any member is interested in becoming a Post Officer our first round of nominations will be at our March 13th Post meeting. If you are interested in helping to improve our Post and continue to help our fellow veterans please consider putting your hat into the ring. We will vote in April and have installation in May.

In March, we celebrate Women's History Month, honoring the remarkable contributions of women in shaping our nation's history and defending our freedoms.

March 10 is the start of Daylight Saving Time, which begins at 0200. Don't forget to "spring forward" and set the clocks one hour ahead, or you may find yourself an hour late to everything!

On March 5, the U.S. Navy commemorates the establishment of the Seabees by remembering their heritage and extensive contributions to naval history. Over the years the Seabees have served in all major American conflicts, supported humanitarian efforts, and helped build communities and nations around the globe.

March 17<sup>th</sup> is St. Patrick's Day, we know it as an excuse to attend a parade, visit an Irish pub, drink a Guinness or maybe even dye a well-known river green. However you decide to celebrate, please do so in a responsible and safe manner.

March 29 is National Vietnam War Veterans Day. March 29, 1973 was the day the last U.S. combat troops departed Vietnam. In addition, on and around this same day Hanoi released the last of its acknowledged prisoners of war. On National Vietnam War Veterans Day, we honor all those who bravely served in the Vietnam War and who sacrificed, as did their families and caregivers.

I would also like to thank all who have supported our Post and for making it a wonderful place to meet and socialize with members, friends and guests.

Lane Corson, Commander

## **Events and Significant Dates**

March 3 – Navy Reserve Birthday

March 5 – Seabee Birthday

March 12 – K-9 Veterans Day

March 15 – American Legion Birthday

March 25 – Medal of Honor Day

March 29 - Vietnam War Veterans Day

# Chaplain's Report

Sick Call: Sean Miller is recovering from surgery and feeling better each day.

No deaths reported.

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## Post Calendar

#### **Future Meetings**

April 10, 2024

May 8, 2024

Meetings will be held at the Elk's Club, 1066

Jackson Road, Webster, NY