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## F. W. GRIGG POST 68

**"THE LITTLE POST THAT DOES"**

### ADDRESS LABEL

#### **RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP**

Thank you to those who have renewed their membership. To those who have not, please remember to renew your membership for the new year. Your membership is important to allow us to continue our work to provide programs to help our fellow veterans and work with the youth in the community

#### **MAIL CALL**

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#### **COMMANDER'S CORNER**

Greetings fellow Comrades and Patriots,

We have a busy schedule coming up for sure, and something for everyone to get involved in.

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday night October 11th at 7pm, downstairs of the Merchantville Community Center. I hope you will consider coming out and spending some quality time with your fellow veterans. We are a very active Post that is always out and about in the community.

Do you know that you may be entitled to certain benefits through the VA? The Post will host a DAV benefits event on Tuesday October the 16th from 9am to 3pm.

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Vice Commander MacMurray presenting a check to the Pennsauken High School Band for their 1st place finish in the Legion parade.



Passing the POW/MIA flag from one era to the next at the Camden County POW/MIA Evening of Remembrance

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## UNIT 68

Hello Ladies and Post members,

I wanted to thank the members who turned out for our events this month. It was quite busy. Between September and the beginning of October we were at the following events: Pennsauken's car show, Stand Down South Jersey in Cherry Hill, Chapel of the Four Chaplains service, POW/MIA Evening of Remembrance & Cherry Hill Post 372's POW/MIA service. We collected supplies for education and presented them to Merchantville Elementary school and Delair School. We also accompanied the Post to present a check to Pennsauken's band for taking 1<sup>st</sup> place in the Legion's Parade in Wildwood.

**Great job ladies!!**

For God and Country,  
Carol Weaver



The planning for our Centennial is moving along. Thank you to those who have purchased bricks for the walkway at Wellwood Park. Also thank you to those who have sent in sponsorships. If you misplaced the form you received, copies of both the sponsorship application and the Memorial Brick order form are posted on the Post website, amlegion-merchantville.com under the "FORMS" tab.

The first big event will be the **CENTENNIAL GALA** which will be on Saturday January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the Pennsauken Country Club. The cost is \$40, look for your invitation in the mail in the coming month. It will be a great day to kick off a year of events to celebrate the 100 year existence of Post 68!

February is Boy Scout month. We will be recognizing our 2 local Boy Scout troops. Both have a long connection to Post 68. They have been loyal participants in many of our activities over the years. This is one of the many ways in which we demonstrate our fulfillment to one of the four Pillars of the American Legion, Children & Youth.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- October 11th-Post Meeting 7PM Merchantville Community Center
- October 11th-Auxillary Meeting 7PM Merchantville Community Center
- October 16th-DAV Claims Clinic 9AM-3PM Merchantville Community Center
- November 8th-Proclamation Presentation-5:30-PM Pennsauken Municipal Building
- November 8th-Post Meeting 7PM Merchantville Community Center
- November 8th-Auxillary Meeting 7PM Merchantville Community Center
- November 9th-Nursing Home Visitations (time & Place TBD)
- November 9th-Poppy Distribution Roger Wilco (time TBD)
- November 10th-Poppy Distribution Roger Wilco (time TBD)
- November 11th-1PM Camden County Veterans Day Service
- November 12-8:30AM Pennsauken High School Veterans Day Service

## (COMMANDER'S CORNER CONT.)

We will discuss this further at the meeting. We need members to come out and volunteer, come out get involved. You will get back so much more than you give by helping your fellow Veterans, I guarantee it. I hope to see you on the 11th at 7 pm, until then Hand Salute and God Bless.

For God and Country,

John Brouse, Commander

ALCCC Chaplain

US Army Gulf War Veteran