



# Wyman S Basinger Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 35



## **POST OFFICERS**

**COMMANDER**  
Dennis Hilgert

**SENIOR VICE**  
Rik Combs

**JUNIOR VICE**  
Dave Schulte

**QUARTER MASTER**  
Carl Rogers

**CHAPLIN**  
Bob Buell

**JUDGE ADVOCATE**  
Bill Coleman

**SURGEON**  
Jerry Forck

**ADJUTANT**  
Don Steck

**TRUSTEES**  
3yr Don Hentges  
2yr Marvin Fisher  
1yr Lorenz Strobel

**HOME**  
Harold Wilhelm

**HOUSE**  
Wayne Bryant

## **AUXILIARY OFFICERS**

**PRESIDENT**  
Suzie Rackers

**SR. VICE PRESIDENT**  
Melissa Hart

**JR. VICE PRESIDENT**  
Debbie McIlwain

**TREASURER**  
Shirley Hilgert

**SECRETARY**  
Teresa Rogers

**CONDUCTRESS**  
Ellen Strobel

**GUARD**  
Shirley Hagenhoff

**CHAPLAIN**  
Teresa Rogers

**PATRIOTIC INSTR.**  
Lynn Vineyard

**TRUSTEES**  
3 Yr Lynn Vineyard  
2 yr Betty Thiedke  
1 yr Joann Wilhelm

## **AUXILIARY NEWS;**

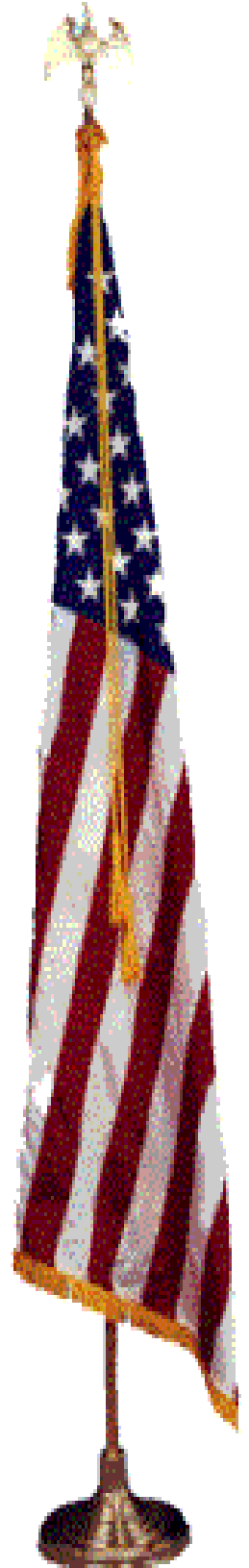
Our work for the veterans continues and I would like to say thank you to all that helped with the collection of articles both clothing and toiletries for the VA hospital that we held during the month of March. There was quite a variety from sweat pants to tooth brushes and all needed items. Thanks again.

The Kitchen continues to be our sole fund raiser for the auxiliary and as our membership changes and families grow we are always adjusting the schedules and in need of new help. If you could ever offer a Saturday to work bingo or bake a dessert for us to sell please contact me. All the workers would greatly appreciate it. You can call me at 619-1466.

Installation of officers for the upcoming year will be May 21 at the Post Home. Happy Hour 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM followed by the installation ceremony. Afterwards stay around and meet your new officers. There will be food provided during happy hour.

## **Officers**

President – Suzie Rackers  
Sr Vice – Debbie McIlwain  
Jr Vice – Debbie Steck  
Treasurer – Shirley Hilgert  
Secretary – Teresa Rogers  
Conductress – Ellen Strobel  
Guard – Shirley Hagenhoff  
Chaplain – Teresa Rogers  
Patriotic Instructor – Debbie McIlwain  
Trustees – JoAnn Wilhelm – 3 year  
Lynn Vineyard – 2 year  
Betty Thiedke – 1 year



# **Greetings from VFW Post 35 May & June 2011**

**The newly elected Officers for the Post are as follows**

<b>Commander</b>	<b>Rudy Edwards</b>
<b>Senior Vice Commander</b>	<b>Rik Combs</b>
<b>Junior Vice commander</b>	<b>Don Steck</b>
<b>Quartermaster</b>	<b>Carl Rogers</b>
<b>Advocate</b>	<b>Bill Coleman</b>
<b>Chaplain</b>	<b>Leroy Poire</b>
<b>Surgeon</b>	<b>Jerry Forck</b>
<b>3 Year Trustee</b>	<b>Dennis Hilgert</b>
<b>2 Year Trustee</b>	<b>Don Hentges</b>
<b>1 Year Trustee</b>	<b>Marvin Fisher</b>
<b>House Committee</b>	<b>Bill Duenow</b>
<b>House Committee</b>	<b>Wayne Bryant</b>
<b>House Committee</b>	<b>Harold Wilhelm</b>

For Those of you that may have some free time, the DAV could really use a couple of drivers to help veterans get to Columbia VA for appointments. If you are able to help our brothers and sisters out please contact: VA Volunteer Service Office at (573)814-6405, or E-Mail [Nathan.Witt2@va.gov](mailto:Nathan.Witt2@va.gov)

Memorial Services for Wyman Basinger will be held on Monday May 30, 2011 at 8:30 A.M. at Riverview Cemetery, 2600 W. Main St. Jefferson City.

Installation of Post Officers will be held at the Post Home Saturday evening May 21<sup>st</sup> and there will be Bar-B-Que Beef sandwiches, potato salad and baked beans served with assorted snack food provided by the Auxiliary following the installation. Happy Hour from 6-7 P.M. followed by the installation of new officers.

The Post will be closed Memorial Day weekend.

I would like to thank everyone for their hard work the past 2 years. We have accomplished a lot with a lot more to do.

**Dennis Hilgert  
Commander**