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LEGION POST 77 - EVENTS CALENDAR
20 August Regular Post & Auxiliary Meeting – 7:30 p.m.
03 September Regular Post Meeting – 7:30 p.m.
17 September Regular Post & Auxiliary Meeting – 7:30 p.m.
01 October Regular Post Meeting – 7:30 p.m.
13 October Patriotic Council Meeting – 7:30 p.m. VFW Post 1038
15 October Regular Post & Auxiliary Meeting – 7:30 p.m.
05 November Regular Post Meeting – 7:30 p.m.
11 November Veterans Day Activities at Local Schools
Main Program starts at 9:00 a.m. at Chippewa Falls Middle School – Tropicana Blvd.
19 November Regular Post & Auxiliary Meeting – 7:30 p.m.

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Bob Boettcher (left) and Bob O'Connell in France

Bob O'Connell, but it worked out fine anyway since O'Connell helped liberate the nearby village of Ste-Mère-Eglise in 1944. They were treated very well by the rural French citizens during their visit.

Membership Dues Notice

If you are an annual member, and have not paid your 2010 membership dues, please pay them now. If your membership card isn't for 2010 you most likely have not paid yet. Should you have questions contact Leroy Jansky at 723-0408 or Louie Rineck at 723-9756.

Flag Day

Post 77 and Elks Lodge 1326 hosted another successful Flag Day ceremony on June 14th. This event was open to the public and over 100 persons attended to enjoy the story of our national emblem as well as the great weather. For the first time we had live music provided by a local brass quintet. After the ceremony, everyone was invited to dinner and refreshments provided by the Post and Lodge.

Scholarships

The 2008-09 school year is over and the Post and Auxiliary have once again provided two \$500.00 scholarships to graduating seniors.

This year's Chippewa Falls High School senior recipient was Max Melberg. McDonell Central Catholic High School's Nicole Larson, granddaughter of Joe and Ellie Wittrock, and daughter of Wendy Larson, also received a scholarship.

Each year these scholarships are awarded to one senior from each high school whose parents or grandparents are veterans. We wish both of them the best as they enter college.

D-Day Observance – First Hand

A number of Legion Post 77 members made a trip to England and France during the first part of June to mark the 65th anniversary of the event. Visiting dignitaries made attending the actual ceremonies impossible for Bob and Judy Boettcher and