

VFW Post 12146 Commanders Newsletter

Greetings Comrades,

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As this is my final Commander's Newsletter I want to thank all of you for the honor and privilege of serving as VFW Post 12146 Banchang's Commander for the past year.

Your personal commitments to the post, dedication, and tireless efforts have directly contributed to the successes we have enjoyed this year.

For the Fourth straight year, we will be honored by the Department, District, and National as an All State, and All American Post.

It is our membership and their can do attitude that enables us to set the bar within the VFW organization. I wish to thank each of you for your dedication in making this possible. Without our volunteers this could not have happened. To our new members, get involved, and let your selves be heard.

Our Community Service efforts chaired by Lou Holub have been superior. This is evident by the Post winning the award for Department of Pacific Areas in support of School #12 for the disadvantaged. Well done to all that contributed to this effort.

A well done goes out to Committee Chairs Howard Holzworth and Ed Pickens for the success of our Memorial Day observance and celebration. Your efforts are truly appreciated. A good time was had by all!

In a couple of weeks we will be turning over the leadership of the Post to our newly elected and appointed officers, led by Commander - Elect Lou Holub who I am sure will continue to achieve great things for our members and our community.

As in any organization, mentorship of our members and Junior Officers is paramount to the success of our post and its future. I encourage each of you to get involved and contribute in the future successes of the post.

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It is with heartfelt appreciation for all your efforts and support you have provided that I announce my relocation to Cambodia at the end of my term.

I have learned a lot while in Thailand and have made many friends. As I begin this new chapter, I will still be active in both Cambodia, District, and Department VFW efforts and continue my service in support of our Veterans.

Key Dates for June

This term's final membership meeting will be held 8 June @ 1300 at our Post home. I hope to see many of you there on this significant day.

I wish our new leadership team continued success in the upcoming year.

Always, Yours in comradeship, and service to Veterans.

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