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Department of Ohio Programs, VFW Of Ohio Charities Programs, Our Auxiliary, The Cooties And Its
Auxiliary, Dayton National Cemetery And This Newsletter.

Important Dates in March

14th—District 3 Meeting—3283

**14th—MOC/MOCA Grand C of A—
Madison, OH**

17th—St Patrick's Day

19th—Benefit Dinner

Commander's Commentary

Comrades,

March is Here—Hopefully it comes in like a Lion and Leaves like a Lamb....

Well, here we are—one year since all the “trouble” began with the COVID pandemic. Hopefully we have all survived as best as possible. I know we have had a number of comrades and family members who have either contracted or at least been tested as positive. Please let us know if there is anything the Post can do to help you as we continue to move forward.

Major thought for March. This month we will have nominations for Post officers for the ensuing year. We need to make sure to be able to fill those essential positions as well as chairmen and appointed positions so that the post can continue to operate and function as it should. Please be in attendance at the meetings for the next two months as nominations are on 15 March and elections will be on 19 April. WE really need the support of our members to keep the Post vibrant and a place for our veterans and auxiliary members to come and relax, have a meal, and enjoy the company of their comrades.

As far as it goes, we have been doing pretty well in moving forward with the initiatives in the Post. As of the end of January we have access to our Charities funds to support worthwhile activities and needs in the community.

All of the activities were attended well and the outpouring of support of the members was inspirational. We had more than enough food for the Super Bowl bash and there were 9 pots of chili for the Daytona 500 afternoon. And of course, Gary McGrew won the chili cook-off again. —congratulations!!! Our breakfast on the 21st was a huge hit again...but we will have to forego

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HELLO MY FELLOW VFW AUXILIARY MEMBERS

As I am writing this newsletter, I hope to find everyone doing well.

At this time I would like to congratulate Jerry, for taking the leadership of our Post and trying to get us on the right track again, by doing different activities at the Post. Thanks to those members who have stepped up and helped him out. Hopefully, the virus is slowing down a little bit, the members following the rules, and it will get better as time goes on with our members able to come out and enjoy the activities.

Just a reminder in April, we will be having our elections for the new year. If you are interested in filling an officer chair or a chairmanship, please let myself or another officer know.

Dinners in March:

11th—Sue Patrick's homemade lasagna—\$8—PLEASE sign up

25th—Chicken Enchiladas, Mexican rice, chips & salsa—\$8

For those that are celebrating a birthday or anniversary, congratulations to you!
To those that have lost a loved one—my deepest sympathies.

God Bless our Veterans and God Bless America!

Connie McCreary
Auxiliary President

Listen Up MOC/MOCA,

We had our first big snow. I hope that everyone weathered through it ok. I heard that many lost power and I hope that you all are back up and running.



Come on in for PIZZA on the 4th and 18th!

Our Grand of Ohio Testimonial and Council of Administration on 13-14 March will be held at VFW 8548 located at 7604 Lake Rd. Madison Ohio 44057, phone: (440) 428-3050.

Agenda:

Saturday, 13th Testimonial Dinner for Commander LeRoy "Hutch" Hutchinson
Steak Dinner, \$15.00, send check to Steve Cycyk, 622 North Broadway,
Geneva OH 44041, Open Bar compliments of PT 68

Sunday, 14th 10:00am – Grand C of A Scratch

Hotel: Holiday Inn Express & Suites, 181 Water Tower Dr, Madison OH 44057 (440) 307-4449, \$99/night, Code Cooties, Reserve NLT 28 Feb




Support your Military Order of the Cootie and its Auxiliary!

We hope to see you at the 22nd Scratch. Let's keep our Pup Tent Alive!!!

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February 2021

SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT

	1	2 \$1 Beer	3	4 MOC/ MOCA Pizza	5 Salisbury Steak \$8	6
7	8 6 pm—House Cte 7 pm—VFWA Meeting	9	10	11 Sue's Lasagna	12 SUB Nite	13
14 District 3 Meeting Luncheon	15 6 pm—Open Forum 7 pm—Post Meeting	16	17 St. Patrick's Day 	18 MOC/ MOCA Pizza	19 Benefit for Dinner Stuffed Chicken \$9	20
21	22 MOC/MOCA Scratch & Meeting 7PM	23	24	25 Chicken Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Chips & Salsa Dirty Juan's	26 Fish Fry \$12	27
28	29	30	31	GO NUTZ on 2nd & 4th Thursday		

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next month. We have the District 3 meeting here on the 2nd Sunday AND the American Legion breakfast is on the 3rd—I would prefer not to try and compete against our fellow Veteran organizations. A BIG thanks to all the folks who helped out on the breakfast—Tom D. and Gary B, Gary and Vicki McGrew, Doug Wirt, Millie Lutz, and Judy MacKellar as well as Carla on the bar serving those great Bloody Mary's and Mimosas. We will bring breakfast back again in April.

On 17 March we will have some St Patty's Day specials as well as a roaster of Corned beef and Cabbage...come on out and celebrate the Green!

Last but certainly not least—on 19 March we will be having a benefit for Lea Kummerfeldt's son. He has contracted a very rare disorder which has caused a significant drain on his and the family's finances. PJ Morris has organized the events and we will have a great dinner from Gary and Vicki along with raffles, bar poker, Karaoke, etc. Please come out and support our comrade!

Yours in Comradeship,

Jerry

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Let me assure you – we are practicing social distancing and wearing masks at VFW Post 3283. Our Supreme Cootie/Auxiliary Convention 2021 is tentatively scheduled for August 2021 in Maryland. Mark your calendar ... it is right around the corner ... it is just down the street!!

Be Safe, Think Smart, and help Bring Peace to Everyone in our wonderful country and around the world.

“Keep ‘em Smilin’ in Beds of White”

In L.O.T.C.S.

Sandi Richards & Brenda Peters
Seam Squirrel President

The key Cootie dates for March 2021 are:

4 Mar – Pizza Night @ 5:30pm
18 Mar – Pizza Night @ 5:30pm
13-14 Mar – Grand of Ohio Testimonial & C of A
22 Mar – MOC Scratch/MOCA Meeting @ 7:00pm



Don't Forget—

***Poker every Friday in the back hall—
7:30 PM til close***

Raffles

Come out and help us help one
of our own

Benefit to help Lea Kummerfeldt's son Josh

Bar Poker

Stuffed Chicken Breast
Dinner

\$9

VFW 3283

19 March 2021

5:30 pm - Until

Karaoke