

VFW



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE U.S.
AN ORGANIZATION OF VETERANS
WHO HAVE FOUGHT
AMERICA'S FOREIGN WARS
ON LAND AND SEA
AND IN THE AIR

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Important Dates to Remember

- September 2 **V-J Day: Japan Signed Formal Surrender (1945)**
- September 3 **Labor Day**
- September 5 **Post Meeting 7PM**
- September 7 **Post Anniversary Party**
- September 9 **Grandparents Day**
- September 10 **U.S. Sea Cadet Corps Incorporated (1962)**
- September 11 **Patriot Day**
- September 14 **“Star Spangled Banner” Written by Francis Scott Key (1814)**
- September 16 **Post Poppy Day**
- September 17 **U.S. Constitution Approved (1787)**
Ladies Auxiliary VFW Organized (1914)
Citizenship (Constitution) Day
Rosh Hashanah
- September 18 **U.S. Air Force Established (1947)**
- September 21 **POW/Mia Recognition Day**
- September 22 **Autumn Begins**
- September 23 **Post Poppy Day (Wal-Mart Rt. 59 & 127th Street)**
- September 26 **Yom Kippur**
- September 29 **VFW Day**
VFW Established (1899)
- September 30 **Gold Star Mother’s Day**

Word to Move You

**Few will have the greatness to bend history itself:
but each of us can work to change a small portion
of events, and in the total of all those acts will
be written the history of this generation.**

Carillon VFW Post 12259 held its **6th Annual Picnic** on August 5 at Dellwood Park in Lockport in the VFW Pavilion. A host of members and friends had a beautiful day to visit and enjoy each others company. We had good food and soft drinks, and a raffle where every almost every family won some prize. The weather was beautiful and everyone had a good time.

On September 16 Carillon VFW Post 12059 will hold its second Poppy Day at the Wal-Mart on RT 59 and 127th Street in Plainfield. Come out and support your Post and get a Poppy. The money we raise all goes to helping Veterans in need. We sure could use your support.

This past month **Carillon VFW Post 12059** made its monthly trip to **Manteno Veterans Home in Manteno** with another truck load of clothing, books, video tapes and sundry items for the residents. **They really appreciate the generosity of the Carillon Community.**

On September 7 Carillon VFW Post will hold its 6 Anniversary Party at the Links Grill. The evening will consist of a cash bar, dinner, an ice cream bar, a special video presentation created by **Bobbie Borbas** and a raffle of special prizes. Party starts at 5 PM.

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