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Important Dates to Remember

- August 1 Air Force Day
- August 2 Carillon VFW Post 12059 Picnic
- August 4 U.S. Coast Guard Established (1790)
- August 5 Post 12059 Members Meeting 7 PM
- August 7 Purple Heart Medal Established (1782)
Vietnam War Began (1964)
- August 14 Japan Surrendered Ending WWII (1945)
- August 16 National Airborne Day
- August 19 National Aviation Day
- August 20 Vietnam Moving Wall Lockport American Legion Post 18 Lockport
Thru 24th Il. 60441 815-838-4515
- August 26 Women's Equality Day
Executive Board Meeting 7 PM
- August 30 VFW District 18 Meeting at New Lenos 12 PM

Words to Move You

We look forward to a world founded upon four essential human freedoms. The first is freedom of speech and expression everywhere in the world. The second is freedom of every person to worship God in his own way everywhere in the world. The third is freedom from want, everywhere in the world. The fourth is freedom from fear... everywhere in the world.

Franklin D. Roosevelt

Carillon VFW Post 12059 participated in the Honor Guard for Marine Corporal Sara Medina who was killed while on a relief mission in Nepal May 12. Her arrival at Overman-Jones Funeral Home in Plainfield on June 2 was a sad day as hundreds of people lined Rt. 30 to pay tribute to a local hero. Her wake and funeral mass was held the next day at St. Mary the Immaculate Church where the VFW, American Legion and a number of other veterans organizations paid tribute to here for her service.

Carillon VFW Post 12059 will host its' annual picnic for the members on Sunday, August 2, 2015 at the American Legion Post in Lockport on Archer Avenue outside the north end of town on RT 171. Plenty of food and drinks will be available for all who attend and a good time will be had by all. The address of the post is 15052 S. Archer Avenue, Lockport, IL 60441.

The Vietnam Moving Wall will be on display at the Lockport American Legion Post 18 from August 20th thru the 24th, 24 hours a day. If you have not experienced this moving tribute to the Vietnam War, take a ride to Lockport and get a history lesson for your time. The Address is 15052 S. Archer Avenue, Lockport , IL 60441. If you wish to be a helper for a two hour shift Call 815-370-2595 to be a volunteer.

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