



THE PURPLE MOUNTAIN MONTHLY

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Commander's Corner

Patriots, Ladies and Auxiliary,

We are still in Covid lockdown, but we are still helping Veterans and their families.

Due to scheduling conflicts we will have a ZOOM meeting again on 19 Sept, 2020 at 1030 am. Instructions are in the calendar below.

The Chapter has sponsored a Golf Hole and Golf Team, the hole was very good, the team not so much. Everyone had a great time.

Please Stay Safe.

If you need to contact me call my cell 719-761-4688, the Chapter 719-391-7794 or email commander@moph423.org

Yours in Patriotism,
Glen Cooper
Commander

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Chapter 423

Elected Officers

Commander:
Glen Cooper

Senior Vice Commander:
Pete Kulzer

Junior Vice Commander:
Skip Ripley

Finance Officer:
Larry Hathaway

Sergeant-at-Arms:
Ed Armstrong

Trustee: Steve Zerger

Trustee: Dave "Doc"
Andrews

Appointed Officers

Adjutant: Nikki Gibson

Chaplain: Melvin Postlewait

General Info

If you would like to order Medals or Military records, go to archives.gov and go to veteran's tab.

Bingo is still going on Wednesday's.

Anyone needing assistance or help, please contact the Chapter.

If you would like to add anything to the news letter send it to the chapter.

PLEASE NOTE our Web Address has changed from .com to <http://moph423.org>. The .com address no longer works.

MOPH Mission: foster an environment of goodwill and camaraderie among Combat Wounded Veterans, promote Patriotism, support necessary legislative initiatives, and most importantly, provide service to all veterans and their families.

Dear Auxiliary Members,

Can you believe another Summer has nearly passed? As we enter into another Fall season with continuing uncertainty about when normal returns, our Unit is making the best of it.

Karen Lindquist is continuing to work with a local seamstress on the possibilities of finding material for new vests that can be made to order. We are patiently hopeful that something will be found before too much longer.

Paula Cooper and I attended the MOPHA National Convention that was held virtually on Zoom Webinar, August 14, 15, and 16. I feel that the convention was a huge success, all things considered. Even though the National Convention is an opportunity to visit with fellow Auxiliary members from around the country, this convention gave units and departments connection that is so needed each year.



Our new National President, Amanda Flener, is a wonderful lady who is well suited to lead and serve from the top. I look

forward to the year ahead with her at the helm. National continues to support Units efforts to serve our Purple Heart Patriots. The Helping Our Veterans (HOV) program continues to provide funds to assist Units in their efforts to help provide for the well-being of our Veterans.

Speaking of wonderful ladies, it is my pleasure to highlight one of our newest members and our Unit Secretary, Joanna Tardiff. Her husband, Lenny, is a Chapter member who served in the Marine Corps and they reside in Monument, Colorado with their three children. Joanna is talented at crochet and knowledgeable in the uses of essential oils and offers the Unit many strengths and talents. We are so grateful to have Joanna in our Unit!



Our last meeting was held in person on August 8th at the Chapter building. The Patriots continue to meet in combination of Zoom and in person. BINGO is also still going every Wednesday and they need help, so if you are interested, contact the Chapter to get details. Our next meeting is scheduled for September 12, 10:30 am. We can meet in person and via Zoom, so let me know how you wish to attend. We cannot yet have lunch, but we will have some coffee and each other.

As always, I hope this newsletter finds you well. If you need us, we are here for you, so please reach out!

Yours in Patriotism, Patty Andrews, Unit 423 President

Chapter 423 A Officers

President – Patty Andrews

Sr. Vice President – Karen Lindquist

Treasurer – Paula Cooper

Parliamentarian – Tomiko Moneymaker

Sgt.-at-Arms – Maryann Schroeder

Trustee yr. 1 - Gwen Cooper

Trustee yr. 2 - Maryann Schroeder

Trustee yr. 3 - Carol Kautz

Appointed:

Secretary – Joanna Tardiff

Chaplain – Ursula Price

Patriotic Instructor – Carol Kautz

Marshall – Ursula Price



Mark Your Calendars

19 September 20 — Business Meeting

- Time: 1030
- Location: ZOOM

Join ZOOM Meeting

Enter in website:

<https://craighospital.zoom.us/j/3921077524>

Call for Audio only

888-475-4499 meeting ID 392 107 7524

Contact Us

We welcome your feedback, contributions, and—most importantly—your fellowship.

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