



OZARK EMPIRE BRANCH - 316, INC.

FLEET RESERVE ASSOCIATION

Representing Enlisted Personnel of the U.S. NAVY * U.S. MARINE CORPS * U.S. COAST GUARD 4028 S. Kentwood Ave. Springfield, MO 65804 * (417) 887- 3115 (Temporary Branch Address)

JULY 2022 NEWSLETTER

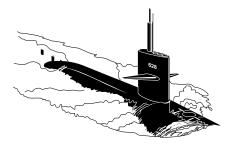
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BRANCH OFFICERS

| President: | Robert Turner | 307 Southview St., Willard, MO 65781 | (417)838-4991 |
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| Vice Pres | Bernie Daum | 1107 N. West Ave., Springfield, MO 65802 | (757)620-2113 |
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| Treasurer | Frank Parker | 847 S Jonathan Ave. Springfield, MO 65802 | (417)838-7698 |
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BRANCH BOARD OF DIRECTORS

JrPP:Tom NewsomBd. Of Dir.Teri DanielsBd. Of Dir.Jim GrierBd. Of Dir.Nolan MoodyBd. Of Dir.Bill TurpinBd. Of Dir.Virginia Swayne



NEXT MEETING:

4th Thur. JUL 28, 2022 (1800) At American Legion Post 639 2660 S Scenic Ave Springfield, MO. 3215 W. Wick St., Springfield, MO 65810
3786 W Roxbury St, Springfield, MO 65807
714 S. Stratford Dr., Springfield, MO 65809
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EVENTS JUL 2022 Jul 4 - Independence Day Jul 11 – US Marine Band Est. (1798) Jul 21 – Guam Liberation Day (1944) Jul 23 – CLC Meeting Jul 27 – Korean War Veterans Armistice Day (1953) Jul 28 - Branch Meeting Jul 30 - Waves Est. (1942) UPCOMING EVENTS Aug 1-4 - NCR Conv. Springfield, MO Aug 25 – Branch Meeting Sept 22 - Branch Meeting Oct 27 - Branch Meeting Nov 17 – Branch Meeting Dec - No Meeting Jan - 26 Branch Meeting





YOU ARE WANTED

SHIPMATES

AT BRANCH 316'S

MEETINGS

BRANCH 316'S WEB PAGE (frabr316.org)

NEXT MEETING: S/M President Robert Turner called Branch 316's meeting to order at 1800, with 16 members in attendance. The list of signatures: Charles Ewy, Rob Turner, Don Brunk, Norma Wright, Joe Hopkins, Frank Parker, Sid Smith, Harold Singer, Joe Newton, Don Weiss, Larry Hogue, Richard Feyerabend, George Reeve, Jim Grier, Nolan Moody, and Bill Turpin, attached to the minutes show who attended the meeting. We had two guests, Sea Cadet Chief Dana Bantug and Karen Kiddoo. All Shipmates repeated the "Pledge of Allegiance" to the flag and the "Preamble to the Constitution of the FRA". A motion was made by S/M Don Brunk to dispense with reading the minutes of last meeting, MAY 26, 2022 and approve as published in the JUNE 2022 Newsletter. Motion seconded by S/M George Reeve and passed.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS:

AMERICANISM/PATRIOTISM – S/M Norma Wright:

• Showed the plaques from National for Lauren Matthews' 1st Place and overall best, Essay.

HOSPITAL – S/M Don Brunk reported:

- We had one member who reported to the Staff of the Supreme Commander, S/M James Zahm on November 19, 2021.
- LEGISLATIVE S/M Robert Turner reported:

No Report

MEMBERSHIP - S/M Chuck Ewy reported:

• 0 New members, 0 Transfer-Out, 0 Transfer-In, 0 Reinstated, 1 Deletions, 1 Suspension, 0 Members past due, 104 Total active members, 0 Members Past due, 104 Members in good standing.

PUBLIC RELATIONS – S/M Nolan Moody reported:

- July 18, 2022 the Joining Community Forces will meet at VFW 3404 on July 18, 2022.
- Springfield will have the 4th of July Parade on Monday the 4th.
- June 14th the VFW 3404 will hold a Party to celebrate the 247th Birthday of the US Army

VETERANS SERVICE - S/M Robert Turner reported:

- No Report
- YOUTH S/M Joe Hopkins reported:
 - CO of the Sea Cadets stressed recruiting of cadets is the highest of priorities.

COMMUNICATIONS - S/M Secretary Chuck Ewy made available to all hands:

- National President's Ltr 3-22 Convention Call.
- FRA Officer Newsletter May 2022
- FRA Officer Newsletter June 2022
- The Sea Cadets are having a picnic at the Living Memorial Park on 23 July 2022. Ozark Empire Branch 316 will set up a table.

TREASURER'S REPORT

- S/M Frank Parker read the Treasurer Report. All bills paid. Motion by S/M George Reeve to accept the Treasurer report, seconded by S/M Don Brunk and motion passed.
- The meal came to \$70.45. \$58.45 for 5 whole Goodcents sandwiches and \$12.00 for three bags of chips. We collected \$49.00 in donations, reimbursed S/M Don Brunk \$12.00 for chips and S/M Chuck Ewy \$58.45 for the sandwiches, \$37.00 by donations and a Check for \$21.45.

UNFINISHED AND DEFERRED:

• None

NEW BUSINESS:

• Branch Officers were installed IAW Ozark Empire Branch 316's C&BLs.

• There will be a 4th of July parade in Springfield. They will Stage at 9 a.m., and the parade starts at 10 a.m.

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

• S/M Secretary solicited members to go out and get things to raffle at the convention up in the Hospitality Room. Also he solicited member to fill our Banquet Dinner requests.

Next meeting will be JUL 28, 2022 at 1800 (6 P.M.), Meal at 1700 (5 P.M.). Motion by S/M Nolan Moody to adjourn the meeting, seconded by S/M George Reeve and passed. Meeting Adjourned 1845.

NEW MEMBERS: None

MEMBERS WHO ARE PAST DUE: None

MEMBERS WHO ARE READY TO RENEW THEIR MEMBERSHIP AS OF JUN 30, 2022: Johnny Christy, and Gerald Norman.

MEMBERS WHO ARE READY TO RENEW THEIR MEMBERSHIP AS OF JULY 31, 2022: Susan Crosby, John Grosman, and George Reeve

MEMBERSHIPS THAT WILL BECOME DUE AS OF AUG 31, 2022: Edward Liebig

Shipmates we need you to renew your membership. If you need any assistance, please notify Secretary Ewy at 417-887-3115 – HM, 417-861-9926 - Cell (If no answer please leave a message) or e-mail me at cmewy@sbcglobal.net. Please contact me to get it corrected if you have sent in your dues and are still in arrears.

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS HAVE BEEN TERMINATED FOR NON-PAYMENT OF DUES:

THE FOLLOWING MEMBER HAS REPORTED TO THE STAFF OF THE SURPREME COMMANDER: James Zahm THE FOLLOWING SHIPMATE HAS QUALIFIED UNDER C&BL SEC 401 (m), 85 YEARS OF AGE AND AT LEAST 40 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS MEMBERSHIP WILL NOT HAVE TO PAY DUES ANYMORE: Dale Fanning and Henry Malachowski.

SHIPMATES IN GOOD STANDING THAT HAVE ATTAINED 50 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS MEMBERSHIP SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED TO PAY DUES: None

<u>VISITATION</u>: Shipmates, if you are sick or confined to bed please let us know so one of the following Shipmates can come and visit you. Contact: S/M Chaplain – Don Brunk (417-840-4717), S/M Secretary – Chuck Ewy (417-887-3115) or S/M President – Robert Turner (417-838-4991).

<u>JUL 2022 CONTINUOUS MEMBERS</u>: We want to congratulate the following members of Branch 316 for their continuous membership in the FRA.

| Richard Bowen | 04 Yrs. | Susan Crosby | 22 Yrs. | Charles Duff | 02 Yrs. |
|-------------------|---------|--------------|---------|---------------|---------|
| Dale Fanning | 41 Yrs. | John Grosman | 27 Yrs. | Donald Ihrig | 42 Yrs. |
| Henry Malachowski | 41 Yrs. | Nolan Moody | 15 Yrs. | Barry Ralls | 24 Yrs. |
| George Reeve | 01 Yrs. | Sidney Smith | 09 Yrs. | Wayne Snelson | 18 Yrs. |
| Virginia Swayne | 20 Yrs. | - | | - | |

WE WISH EACH SHIPMATE WHO HAS A BIRTHDAY IN JUL A HAPPY BIRTHDAY:

| Johnny Christy | 74 Yrs. | John Coonce | 57 Yrs. | Johnny Feazell | 77 Yrs. |
|----------------|---------|--------------|---------|----------------|---------|
| Jimmie Grier | 80 Yrs. | John Grosman | 67 Yrs. | Edward Jones | 80 Yrs. |
| Thomas McGuire | 88 Yrs. | Terry Morgan | 67 Yrs. | Harold Singer | 91 Yrs. |

If any of these are incorrect, please notify Branch Secretary.

Chuck Ewy, Secretary/Treasurer, Branch 316 OZARK EMPIRE FLEET RESERVE 4028 S. KENTWOOD AVE. SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI 65804-6517

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