

American Legion Auxiliary

Officers 2019-2020

President - **Donna Rieckmann** (616) 834-3179

Vice President - **Jude Ruch**

Secretary/Treasurer - **Katy Pfaff** -(231) 853-2107

Chaplain - **Carol Drayton** (231) 853-6726

Sergeant-at-Arms -

Veterans Support-**Mary Bonter**

Next Meeting

Tuesday June 9, 1:30 p.m. at the Legion Hall

Election of Officers

Dues for 2019-2020 are \$28; or \$8 for Juniors.

Poppy Days for 2020 have been canceled.

Veterans Luncheon for 2020 has been canceled.



Sons of The American Legion

Officers 2019-2020

Commander-**Brian Bonter** (616) 901-8606

Vice Commander-**Mike Ruble** (616) 846-6323

Adjutant-**Les Bonter** (231) 215-9817

Finance Officer-**Austin Bonter** (616) 853-2390

Chaplains-**Mike Pierson (231) 853-2065 and Jim Helsen**

Historian-**Andy Snoeyink** (616) 485-7997

Sergeant-at-Arms-**Tim Schutter** (231) 740-1598

Meetings-1st Thursday/month, 7 p.m.; Annual dues are \$20.

SAL-male descendants i.e. sons, grandsons, step-sons, step-grandsons, adopted sons & grandsons (not in-laws) of veterans.

Welcoming Committee-for returning veterans-contact Andy Snoeyink (616) 485-7997 or Brian Bonter (616) 901-8606.

Next Meeting

Thursday June 4, 7 p.m. at the Legion Hall-will be held if within the governor's guidelines.



2020-2021 Legion Election of Officers

The American Legion Department of Michigan made provisions for Posts to skip elections and carry over the same slate of officers. American Legion Post 297 held a mail-in election where all members were sent a ballot with a return post card.

We sent out 77 ballots and received 30 back with the same slate of officers unanimously re-elected.

News

Pistol Raffle-Sons of the Legion are raffling a Glock 9mm pistol for Memorial Day. Drawing will be Monday May 25. For more information, call Brian Bonter at (616) 901-8606.

Thank You to the Sons of the American Legion for **donating \$600** to help with the cost of the New Furnace installed on the north end of the hall. Bill White purchased a high efficiency furnace at wholesale price. He and Jim Redding installed the furnace saving the post over \$1,000. Thank You!



Memorial Day 2019-The 2020 parade was canceled due to a shut down order by the Governor of Michigan.