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VFW Post 9036 Auxiliary
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President: Karen Mackey
Sr. Vice President: Susan Brossard
Jr. Vice President: Ronda Thomas
Treasurer: Ranney Endicott
Secretary: Christine Hartman

EVENTS:

Mar 21 – Regular Meeting 7 pm
April 13 – DISTRICT 4 Meeting in
New Plymouth - Noon
April 18 – Regular Meeting 7 pm
May 16 - Regular Meeting 7 pm
May 25 & May 26 – Memorial Day
at Rest Stop Fundraiser
May 27 – MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES
June 1 – FAMILY FREEDOM FESTIVAL
June 16-20 – Department
Convention in Lewiston, Idaho
June 20 – Regular Meeting 7 pm
July TBD – DISTRICT 4 Meeting in
Emmett - Noon
July 18 – Special Meeting – BINGO
Boise Veterans Home
August 7-11 – PAYETTE COUNTY
FAIR
Aug 15 – Regular Meeting 7 pm
Sept 19 – Regular Meeting 7 pm
Oct TBD – District 4 Meeting –
Location TBD
Oct TBD – Family Freedom
Breakfast, New Plymouth
Nov 9 – Veterans' Day Dinner
Nov 21 – Regular Meeting 7 pm
Dec TBD – Boxes for Seniors
Dec 19 – Post Christmas Party

At the meeting February 21, we had a presentation about **Girls' State** from Anna Austin. This year there are two girls from New Plymouth attending Girls' State. Anna has maintained a 4.0 grade point and is an Honor Student while being involved in several extra-curricular activities. The Auxiliary voted to increase the prior donation of \$200 total to \$250 total for the two young women attending this year.

We are expecting **Patriotic Art** submissions from New Plymouth High School by March 4. We will judge the submissions and submit the best to the Department of Idaho. First Place at the Post level receives \$100, Second place \$75 and Third place \$50.

We discussed the **State Convention** in June in Lewiston. Debbie Mills-Smith agreed to create a Buddy Poppy art piece for the convention. We decided to prepare a gift basket to send to the Convention for the raffle. Christine Hartman offered to donate a large bottle of alcohol and some shot glasses toward the basket. We will develop a theme and come up with other items to complete the basket.

Our Annual Reports are due by April 15 (one is due April 1). We agreed that the entire group will complete the reports at our next meeting March 21 to ensure that we reflect all the activities for the prior year – several heads are better than a couple!

April 13 is the **District Meeting**. This is a pot luck at noon, held at the New Plymouth VFW Hall. Everyone needs to bring a dish and something to contribute toward a Silent Auction.

Welcome to new Members recently added: Jackie Flagg, Ronda Spurling and Patsy Croner.

NEXT MEETING MARCH 21, 7:00 P.M.