

VFW POST 10406 AND AUXILIARY

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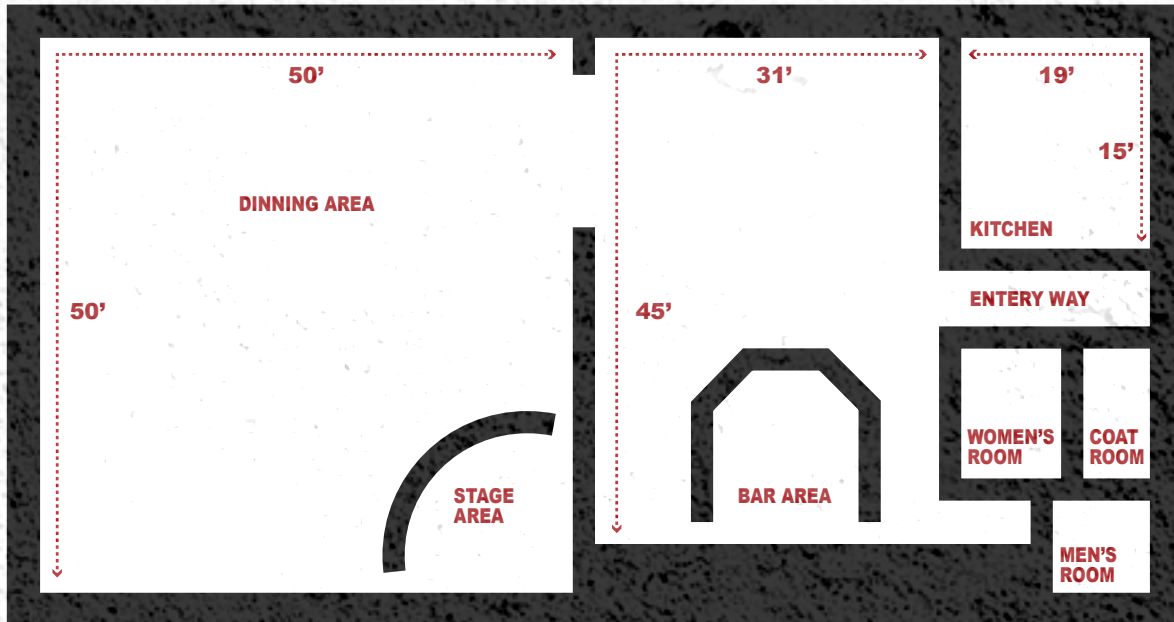
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## COMMANDERS COMMENTS: Krist Beseler - VFW Post 10406

# VFW Replaces School Flags

VFW Post 10406 donated a United States and Wisconsin State ceremonial flag set to replace the old set which was located in the Cochrane-Fountain City school auditorium. The post also donated new United States classroom flags to replace and enhance existing ones in classrooms. Additionally the VFW purchased classroom size Wisconsin State flags for those

teachers who requested to have both the United States Flag and Wisconsin State flag displayed in their classroom. The old flag sets will be retired during one of the posts regularly scheduled flag ceremonies. As a community service the VFW provides our communities with a flag drop box to dispose of old and worn flags in a proper manner. VFW Post 10406 flag drop box is located in

front of our post hall in Cochrane. The Cochrane Buffalo City VFW Post prides itself on being able to support Cochrane-Fountain City Schools with our many programs, scholarships, essay contests, donations and other assistance. The VFW looks forward to a long continued patriotic relationship with our educators, administrators, children and young adults.



Pictured are VFW Post 10406 Senior Vice Commander Steve Schiffli and Cochrane-Fountain City Schools Assistant Principal/Activities Director Luke Kjelland

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## COMMANDERS COMMENTS: Krist Beseler - VFW Post 10406

# What's New?



### New Hall Chairs

The New VFW Hall Chairs Have Arrived



### Old Stoves

We Found A Great Home For The Older Twin Stoves



### Kitchen: Stove/Oven

New Commercial 10 Burner Stove With Double Oven

We have made improvements to our buildings with new comfortable chairs, which now include the proper amount based on the room dimensions. We also found a new home for the older twin stoves which have been replace by the new commercial 10 burner stove with a double oven. The new stove has saved time and money.



### Digital Official Newsletters

#### New Online Newsletter Archives

We are currently distributing the VFW newsletter electronically for all members to download at your convience. To save costs on processing and mailing this newsletter, we are automatically adding the quarterly issues on the official VFW website, this will save on operating costs. This is another great way to issue updates and upcoming Post 10406 event notifications.

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**CLUB MANAGER:** Gary Krause - VFW Post 10406

# Post Activities 2016

APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY
April 2nd Hofer Racing Chicken Fry	May 12th VFW/AUX Meeting 7:00pm	June 9th VFW/AUX Meeting 7:00pm	July 4th VFW 4th of July Parade at Buffalo City
April 5th Belvidere Election	May 14th VFW Chicken Fry	June 14th Belvidere Town Mtg	July 12th Belvidere Town Mtg
April 9th Ducks Unlimited		June 25th VFW Golf Tournament	July 14th VFW/AUX Meeting 7:00pm
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April 16th VFW Chicken Fry			
April 19th Belvidere Town Mtg			
April 21st CCT Annual Meeting			

**All calendar events are also online on the VFW Post 10406 website**  
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## VFW AUXILIARY POST 10406

# Join Our Auxiliary

Our VFW Auxiliary Post 10406 is a small group, but we work hard to support the many veterans in the Buffalo County area who gave so much for our country.

Our Auxiliary works with the VFW Post in the many projects that they have. We help with the VFW Chicken & Brat Fry that is held monthly from March thru October. Our ladies make and serve the food that accompanies the Chicken and Brats. Our Auxiliary also helps with serving food at the annual meat raffle that is held in November of each year. We help with the food that is served to the Heroes Hunt for Vets that our VFW sponsors each year.

The VFW Auxiliary is proud to march with the VFW in the

annual parade that is held on the Fourth of July each year. We stand beside our VFW members on Memorial Day to honor the many fallen comrades. We visit the VFW comrades that are in the VFW in Tomah, Wisconsin each year to thank them for all they gave for our country.

Our Auxiliary also serves that Buffalo County Community in preparing and serving food for the funerals and also for the Buffalo County Fireman's Dinner each year. We also sponsor scholarships to students at the C-FC School each year. These students are our future and it is an honor to help them with their education.

We are proud to serve our Veterans in any way that they

need. They gave so much for us and it is an honor to serve them and make sure that the fallen are never forgotten.

Our officers for our Auxiliary are Mary Lou Stewart, President; Judy Krause, Sr. Vice President; Ruth Boettcher, Jr. Vice President; Debra Kujak, Treasurer; Judy Krause, Secretary; Diane Bossert, Chaplin.

We welcome and encourage all to join our Auxiliary. Without our ladies help, the support for our veterans cannot be done. Our monthly meetings are held at the Cochrane-Buffalo City VFW on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:00pm and we encourage all to join us.

**Coming join our next VFW Auxiliary Meeting:  
Cochrane-Buffalo City VFW on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:00pm**

## POST 10406 -- WANTS YOU!

*"Members, you are our back bone and without you our effort would certainly fail. Your VFW is here for you whenever you choose and in whatever capacity you choose, as a active member, semi active or inactive. Your greatest contribution alone is your continued membership at Post 10406"*

**Krist Beseler - Commander**



## COMMANDERS COMMENTS: Krist Beseler - VFW Post 10406

# 2016 Post Officers

I would like to welcome each of you to Post 10406, member, guest, patrons, businesses and organizations, we are here to serve you all! As a volunteer service organization we are unique in that 100% of our efforts are done through volunteer-ism, to better ourselves and our mission. While our club room and facility remain part time and run by our volunteers, our service we provide to the community is full time. As Commander I have been elected and entrusted by our members to represent our organization in a positive light while pursuing our mission goals. Members, you are our back bone and without you our effort would certainly fail. Your VFW is here for you whenever you choose and in whatever capacity you choose, as a active member, semi active or inactive. Your greatest contribution alone is your continued membership at Post 10406. I look forward to meeting and serving with you all.



**Krist Beseler**  
Post Officer



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