

# American Legion Post 26

702 West 35<sup>th</sup> Street

Davenport, IA 52806

563-322-4971

Post Web Site: [www.Iowalegion26.org](http://www.Iowalegion26.org)

Post email: [Post26Admin@iowalegion26.org](mailto:Post26Admin@iowalegion26.org)

Post meeting(s) are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month at 6 p.m.

**Membership Application - \$35.00 per year**

YES! I'LL HELP MY FELLOW VETERANS BY BECOMING A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION. I CERTIFY BY COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION THAT I SERVED AT LEAST ONE DAY OF ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY DURING THE DATES MARKED BELOW AND WAS HONORABLY DISCHARGED OR AM STILL SERVING HONORABLY.

<b>NAME:</b>		
<b>ADDRESS:</b>		
<b>CITY:</b>	<b>STATE:</b>	<b>ZIP:</b>
<b>HOME PHONE NUMBER:</b>	<b>Cell Number:</b>	
<b>EMAIL ADDRESS:</b>		
<b>DATE OF BIRTH:</b>		
<b>MEMBERSHIP ID # (FORMER MEMBERS):</b>		
<b>NAME OF RECRUITER:</b>		
<b>SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:</b>		
<b>DATE OF APPLICATION:</b>		

<b>Military Duty Dates/War ERA</b>	<b>Branch of Service</b>
AUG 2, 1990 – OPEN (Cessation of hostilities as determined by U.S. Gov't) (Persian Gulf)	US AIR FORCE
DEC 20, 1989 – JAN 31, 1990 (Panama)	US ARMY
AUG 24, 1982 – JUL 31, 1984 (Grenada/Lebanon)	US COAST GUARD
FEB 28, 1961 – MAY 7, 1975 (Vietnam)	US MARINES
JUN 25, 1950 – JAN 31, 1955 (Korea)	US MERCHANT MARINE (12/41-12/46)
DEC 7, 1941- DEC 31, 1946 (WWII)	US NAVY
APR 6, 1917 – NOV 11, 1918 (WWI)	

**Listed below are just a few ways your membership enables The American Legion to:**

- Protect and further the rights you've earned by serving in America's Armed Forces – and ensure continued recognition of the contribution you and your fellow veterans have made
- Provides that you and your family get expert help in obtaining the full veterans' benefits you're entitled to when you need them
- Strengthen patriotic values in our nation and appreciation for our armed forces, in opposition to those who would undermine them
- Support Legion-sponsored Programs that benefit veterans, their families and our community
- Provide you with Special Savings, Discounts and Buying Plans on a wide range of valuable brand products and services

**Please complete backside**

Personal Services

- Website, Newsletter, Data Entry \_\_\_\_\_
- Bartenders \_\_\_\_\_
- Hall Rental Assitance \_\_\_\_\_
- Library Upkeep \_\_\_\_\_
- Office/Administrative Skills \_\_\_\_\_

Building & Grounds

- Pruning & Hedge Trimming (2hrs/ week) \_\_\_\_\_
- Maintenance / Trades \_\_\_\_\_
- General Yard Work \_\_\_\_\_
- Post Cleaning \_\_\_\_\_



Boards And Committees

- Americanism Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Annual Jim Peavey Golf Tournament \_\_\_\_\_
- Audit Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Building Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Community Relations Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Flag Disposal Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Finance Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Website, Newsletter, and Data Entry Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Honor Guard Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Membership Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Sons Of the American Legion Committee \_\_\_\_\_
- Welcoming Committee \_\_\_\_\_

**5th Grade Essay Contest** - Coordinate and judge the local 5th grade flag essay contest. Distribute entry forms to schools, judge entries, and distribute awards to winners at Post schools, select our Post representatives and arrange transportation to and from Camp Dodge.

**Oratorical** - Coordinate our local Oratorical contest and ensure winner is entered in the County and District contests.

**Scholarships** - Our Post presents 6 "Harvey W. Klindt" scholarships to graduating seniors. Committee distributes entry forms, selects winners, and Presents scholarships.

**BINGO** - Wednesday evenings from 6:00pm until about 10:00pm. Could use a few more Callers, verifiers, food sales, and cashiers.

**Honor Guard** - Member to assist with Military rights for deceased Vetarans, either on the Flag Detail or Rifle Squad, also participates in parades, special ceremonies. ( Must be available Daytime, Post furnishes uniform)

**Pancake Breakfast** - Assist with Post breakfast fundraiser. Monthly or every other month?

**Fish / Steak Fry** - Assist with Post dinner fundraiser, monthly, or every other month?

**Karaoke Nights** - Help set-up and stage a periodic Karaoke night.

**Grass Cutting** - As needed during summer months. Post has the mowers!!

**K.P. Duty** - Help with some of the necessary clean- up after rental groups, Post Activities, empty trash, straighten chairs & tables, staock

**Greeters** - Assist Sgt. At arms with welcomming members and guests at monthly Post meetings. Ensure new members are seated with friends or other Post members.