

# Englewood VFW Post 10178

## September 2024

### Commander's Notes

The last week of August was an eye opener for me, as I found myself performing the duties of our Adjutant/Quartermaster. Jay and his lady were enjoying themselves on a Caribbean cruise, so, I performed the most stressful non paid position in our post. Keeping inventory straight, finances straight and bills paid is more work than anyone realizes. I learned a lot in the week Jay was gone and don't look forward to him being gone too often. Thanks for all you do Jay to keep our Post alive.

September is the month that brings closure to our beautiful Florida Summers. Fall is upon us and I continue to support the activities we and our auxiliary have planned.

Currently our post could use urgent help with putting together a new display case that was started but never finished. If you have strong knees and know how to assemble cabinets please volunteer to help complete the task. Either talk to me, Jay or let the bartenders know you can help and we will put together a work party.

Our post wants to wish all US Air Force veterans and those still on active duty a Happy Birthday, September 18<sup>th</sup> is their big day. I plan to have a cake at the post and sometime during bar poker we will take a break and celebrate by cutting the cake. If you are an Air Force vet come and help celebrate your birthday.

Kenny, our custodian, plans on retiring this month. Best wishes Ken to a new adventure.

Wilton "SWANNIE" Swenson,

Commander