



American Legion Post 318

6660 Clough Pike, Cincinnati, OH 45244

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Honoring our Hometown Heroes Fundraiser Sunday, August 25, 2019

The American Legion is the largest veterans organization in the United States, providing support and benefits for our nation's military service members and their families for 100 years since its inception. **American Legion Post 318** was chartered in 1939 when Anderson Township was known as Forestville. "The biggest little Post in Ohio" originally met in a room above a small store called the *Handy Pantry* located at Beechmont and Salem Roads. Their physical location has changed over the years, including 2 years where Post members were truly "homeless vets" while searching for a place to relocate. However, since late 2012, Post 318 has been serving our veterans and community from their current facility in the Clough Pike Historic District.

American Legion Post 318 feels strongly that maintaining an identifiable presence in Anderson Township is necessary to the success of their mission. This honorable Post has an ongoing commitment to support veterans, active duty military along with their families and also to the citizens and students of the Anderson Township Community. Services range from providing Color Guards at local events, supporting high school students through government enrichment programs, Memorial Day Commemorations for deceased veterans at nine local cemeteries, awarding student scholarships, administering an Active Duty Gift Program and support for local Veterans Assistance organizations.

Funding is critical so they can maintain the quality of these valuable programs. **Honoring our Hometown Heroes Fundraiser** will supplement their ongoing fundraising efforts that include sponsoring band/dances and Lenten fish fries. They also rely on donations and contributions to cover costs. This fundraiser, to be hosted by Latitudes Bar & Bistro will include a silent auction and feature a headliner performance from the Dan Varner Band Trio, featuring Nick Netherton & Brad Kelly. Your help is crucial with the following donations: cash, gift card/certificate, tickets, or other items from your business that can be used for the silent auction and be of value to a future customer. Your company name will be recognized as a supporter of **American Legion Post 318** and will show that you have made an investment in Anderson Township and its military families and veterans!

Gift card/certificate or ticket donations can be returned via the enclosed envelope. Donations can also be dropped off at the address below (Monday-Friday 10AM-4PM), or I can arrange for pick up at your convenience. We would appreciate receipt of all donations **by August 1st**. Thank you for your consideration and generosity as we celebrate **American Legion Post 318's** 80 years of service to Anderson Township!

Respectfully,

Kerri Wolfangel

Honoring Our Hometown Heroes Chair

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All proceeds from event will be donated to The American Legion Post 318