



VETERANS of FOREIGN WARS, *Post 680*

Annual Ron Houp Golf Scramble

Friday, 18 September 2009, 8:30 a.m. shotgun start at The Brook Golf Course, Versailles, KY

Dear VFW Supporter,

Please be advised that the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 680 has scheduled our annual Ron Houp Memorial Golf Scramble for Friday, September, 18, 2009. We could use your tax-deductible help in the form of monetary assistance, donations of food, golf equipment, or any other items you might wish to contribute. Tee Box sponsorship is a paltry \$100.00. We will provide a sign for, with your company's name and phone number, or you could provide us with your own sign. You may contact us at the post, (859) 254-8277, or Roger Stevens, Golf Scramble Chairman, at (859) 879-0602, or rstevens@qx.net.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 680 is a 501C19 non-profit organization. To receive and maintain this rating, we must spend at least 60% of our income to help the community and our membership. For the past several years we have met or exceeded the 60% marker by as much as 20%, depending on the needs of our members, the community, and of all veterans. Some examples of our community involvement consist of assisting any comrade (or their family) in need; provide lunches and bingo games for patients from the Leestown Rd. VA Hospital and Thomson-Hood Veterans Center in Wilmore. We have sent over 20 tons of personal items, toothpaste, powder, and other like items to our troops in Iraq and Afghanistan. We paid for all packaging and postage from proceeds derived from benefits like our upcoming golf scramble. We have been a staunch contributor to the Salvation Army, have provided food and lent monetary assistance to the Boy Scouts of America, the Voice of America, and a multitude of other worthwhile organizations.

We maintain an Honor Guard to assist in burying any of our comrades at no charge to the family of veterans who request our services. This service is provided with dignity and respect and is a great comfort to the veteran's family.

In order for us to continue to be active in our community we would greatly appreciate your support with VFW Post 680's Annual Ron Houp Memorial Golf Scramble. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Roger Stevens, VFW Post 680 Golf Scramble Chairman