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Comrades,

The Holiday Season is upon us. Christmas only 8 days away, and the new year is right around the corner. We need to start looking ahead to our VFW year. There are so many Posts that have 10 members or less to make their Posts 100%. It would certainly be nice if we could get the District to 100% sooner than later.

We will be having a District meeting at Post 1778 In Wells on Jan 5th 2018

25.5 So Broadway, in Wells

The District Trustees will audit Larry's books at 10:00 AM. Followed by lunch and then we will have a **joint meeting with the Auxiliary at 12:30 to announce the winners in the District VOD and Patriot's Pen Contest.** The District and Auxiliary will go to their separate meetings at 1:00 PM.

On Jan 18th to the 20th Department will be hosting the Mid-Winter Conference at the Marriott City Center in Mpls.

Post 295 in So St Paul has sold their building. And are settling in to their Post Home.

Post 5462 in Waconia is **no longer** under suspension. They are working on getting a good handle of new rules for the club and hope to have it up and running after the first of the year. The New Commander, Dan Christenson is getting new help lined up and going over the new rules of operation

Yours in comradeship

Roy J Bressler

Commander