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I am the commander for 2021-2022 term at Red Lion VFW Post 1446. I wanted to take a moment to introduce myself. I served on active duty for 29 years in the United States Air Force and in that time, I had 15 different assignments. I earned my right to be a member of the VFW in both the Desert Storm and Afghanistan conflicts. My husband (Daryl Webb, CMSgt USAF Ret.) and I moved to Red Lion after I retired in 2017. I am proud of this organization and all that it does for Veterans and for our local community.

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COMMANDER'S CORNER

PRIORITIES (IN ADDITION TO VFW PROGRAMS)

HOMETOWN HEROS

Work with the Borough of Red Lion and the Red Lion American Legion to institute a HomeTown Hero Banner Program.

GET TO KNOW YOUR VFW

The members of VFW 1446 have a wide breadth of military experience. Our stories encompass the history of this nation from the Vietnam conflict through to today. This project will entail obtaining Video and/or written stories of those experiences.

GOALS

Get the Word Out

Memorial Day Recognition Program Veterans Day Program 9/11 Recognition Red Lion Street Fair, and other locations in and around our community

Support the Community

Through time, talent, and monetary donations to organizations that support Veterans and Veteran Families.

Empower the Future

Support our youth by engaging with the Dallastown ROTC program. Work with the local elementary and high schools encouraging participation in Voice of Democracy and Patriots Pen scholarship programs. <u>https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-and-education</u>