

FROM THE SONS

Greetings to all

September 25, 2009

We are at 8% membership as of September 16th. Our next Target is 25% by October 14th. We were a little behind the first target of September 14th but we can catch up. Now is the time to get those renewals before heating season starts. If you need cards or data forms, contact the Adjutant at P. O. Box 155, Woolwich 04579 or e-mail him at kdensmore@roadrunner.com and he'll help you out.

We had a fun and informative Fall Conference. It would be nice to see more squadrons attend. I want to thank Squadron Commander Rick Cyr and Squadron 80 for everything. The hospitality in Millinocket is still second to none! The "Mushrooms of the North" as they call themselves had all in order and ready to go. Squadron 80 is a very active organization still very busy with adopt-a-soldier. If you go to Post 80, you can see the "wall of honor" showing the many soldiers currently deployed that are receiving Packages and e-mail from Squadron 80. Gentlemen, I salute you.

NEC Joe Cooper and I will go to fall NEC on October 9th. Our next DEC meeting will be November 15th at Post 47 in Houlton. Let's have a good turn out so the north knows we care.

Tardiff-Belabnger Post 39, Madison will host a Sock Hop on Friday, October 23rd from 8:00 pm to Midnight. There'll be a 50/50 drawing and prizes for the best dressed (remember, it's a sock hop). Tickets are \$5.00 per person or \$8.00 per couple. FMI contact Chairman, Joe Cooper at 342-3098 or Brian Danforth at 314-0222.

If your Squadron has an event and would like it in the SMILE, contact me by Wednesday at unclebru2@aol.com.

Yours in Service.

Bruce Pierce, Detachment Commander.