

## **2011 Port Huron Memorial Day Information**

### **Memorial Day, Monday, May 30, 2011 – Line up begins at 10:00 a.m.**

The Port Huron Memorial Day Parade is sponsored by the City of Port Huron and organized by Port Huron veteran organizations: American Legion Post 8 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 796. This parade honors U.S. military personnel who sacrificed their life for this great country as well as those who faithfully served and personnel currently serving.

Entry into the parade is open to veteran and civic organizations with a veteran or patriotic theme. Parade participants cannot "throw" candy or pass-out any form of literature. Attire, costumes, and floats must be appropriate and fitting for this patriotic event.

Parade Committee Meetings are the THIRD Thursday of the month beginning January 2011:

January 20, 2011 – 7:00 p.m. – American Legion Post 8

February 17, 2011 – 7:00 p.m. – American Legion Post 8

March 17, 2011 – 7:00 p.m. – American Legion Post 8

April 21, 2011 – 7:00 p.m. – American Legion Post 8

May 5, 2011 – 7:00 p.m. – Pine Grove Park (overview - TENTATIVE)

May 12, 2011 – 7:00 p.m. – American Legion Post 8 (TENTATIVE)

May 26, 2011 – 6:00 p.m. – Pine Grove Park – (Rehearsal and parade review)

May 30, 2011 – 10:00 a.m. "Line Up" on Quay Street. Parade begins at 11:00 a.m.

Parade staging site is North of Quay Street (East of Huron) at Fort Street (in the parking lots).

If you have any questions or concerns, please address them to a member of the parade committee noted below.

#### **Parade contacts:**

Joseph Herber (810-985-6537) – Memorial Day Parade Chairman, VFW Post 798

Valerie O'Connor (810-987-1535) – Co-Chair, Parade and Transportation Coordinator

Jim Leslie (810-982-4203) – Co-Chair, Parade and Transportation Coordinator

Dave Johnson (810-385-7273) – Asst Director, American Legion Riders and Motorcycle Coordinator

Gary D. Moore (810-987-9565) – Co-Chair, Memorial Day Committee, PR (bwalr@gmasw.com)

Up-to-date Parade Information is available on this web page (the parade entrant form is available on-line at): <http://www.gmasw.com/parade.htm>

#### **Calendar Info for American Legion Riders Post #8 and Port Huron Memorial Day Parade**

Calendar info at web page: <http://www.gmasw.com/alrcal.htm>

**American Legion Post 8 – 1026 6<sup>th</sup> Street – Port Huron MI 48060**