

## 84th Haven Jamboree Update

After much discussion and review of the Covid-19 pandemic situation, it is with much sadness, the Board of Directors of the Egyptian Past Commanders' Club (EPCC) have decided to cancel the November 2020 Jamboree.

At the August 16 board meeting, several options were reviewed regarding the Jamboree and possible scenarios for having it this year. But the health and welfare of all involved was too much to jeopardize. In 2021, the Jamboree will be reviewed again and hopefully, we will be able to host the Jamboree in November of 2021.

This being said, your help with continued support with the raffle, dues, and acceptance of donations, ***to keep The Haven open, is of utmost importance.*** Included is a page of raffle tickets, which can be copied as many times as needed. **All tickets and donations may be sent to Secretary/Treasurer Bill Flanagan, 409 East Oak Street, New Baden, IL 62265, as before. Also, any and all donations can be sent to him, and will be greatly appreciated.**

Through the proceeds of the raffle and donations, the monies usually made from the steak fry and banquet will need to be replaced, as much as possible. **The Haven is run solely by donations!**

The raffle will be held at the annual meeting of the EPCC, on November 22, 2020, at The Haven. Winners will be contacted, as usual, the same day.

*The above is extracted from a letter sent by the Board of Directors, The Haven.*

The EPCC has as its main responsibility, the support and maintenance of THE HAVEN, located on beautiful Crab Orchard Lake, Route #13, Carbondale, Illinois. This is an important phase of the veteran rehabilitation work in the 5th Division. Our main sources of income are: Donations, Annual Dues, Annual Post Per Capita Assessment, Annual Jamboree Raffle, Special Projects, and Poppy Money.