

News at the Post June 2010

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Post Officers:

Commander — Larry Ritchie
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Finance Officer — Jim Branyon
Sergeant at Arms — Chris Hawks
Chaplain — Carlton Hughes
Service Officer — Tom Carter
Historian — Paul Baker

Auxiliary Officers:

President — Donna Webb
Vice President — Chris McClemons
Secretary — Rochelle Ferguson
Treasurer — Virginia Mills
Chaplain — Bernice Runion
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Historian — Cynthia Ennis

Son of the American Legion:

Commander — John Corbin
1st Vice Commander — Teddy Kilby
2nd Vice Commander — Dan Montross
Finance Officer — Bob Lemmon
Sergeant at Arms — Charles Runion II
Chaplain — Bill Medina
Historian — Vacant

American Legion Riders:

President — Glen Newitt
Vice President — Barara Truitt
Secretary — Jake Wood
Treasurer — Paul Baker
Sgt. At Arms — Bill Patchett
Run Coordinator — Bill Patchett
Membership Chairman — Kenneth Aker
Chaplain — Samuel Jesselson

The Commander's Corner:

I hope all of you can join us up stairs at the Post on June the 8th for our Monthly Legion meeting and Installation at 7:30pm. This is a very important meeting to install your new 2010 - 2011 Officers.

Again I would like to take this time to thank everyone that has supported me these past years while I have been your Post Commander. I hope you will give your total support to the newly elected Officers for the upcoming year. Again thanks to all for your support during my time as Commander.

You're new Post 72 Executive Committee Officers Elect are as follows:

Commander: Paul Baker
1st Vice President: Douglas Hazelrigg
2nd Vice President: Bill Gouldthorpe
Adjutant: John H. Sinclair
Finance Officer: James M. (Jim) Branyon
Historian: Stan Adamowicz
Service Officer: Thomas (Tom) B. Carter
Chaplain: Stephen (Steve) D. McLeod
Judge Advocate: Jonathan Lienhard
Sergeant at Arms: Larry Shumaker

You're new Post 72 Corporate Officers Elect:

Michael Freeman
Thomas Glasco
Jean Gillen
George V. (Dink) Godfrey
Joseph (Joe) O. Grimsley
Gordon Howard
Don Harsh

Don't forget we have the WEB site up and running with all the information about the Post scheduled events. Visit it at www.legionpost72.org.

You can also pick up a copy of the Monthly News Letter at the Post. A special thanks to Steve McLeod our WEB Master and Barbara Truitt our Post News Letter Editor, as well as Donna, John, & Paul for their input.

For God & Country
Larry Ritchie — Commander

House Chairman News:

We hope everyone has enjoyed the scheduled events at the post 72 Social Quarters. The Staff is doing their best to make it a place you can come with your family and guest & enjoy.

Don't forget about the Benelli Nova 12 ga. Pump Shotgun at the Club for Raffle. Get your tickets at the club for only \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00, the drawing will be on June 12th at 7:00 pm.

The Bike, Car Show, & Swap Meet is scheduled for the 12th and will be a fun event. Make a note to be there!

For God and Country

Paul Baker — House Chairman

Auxiliary News:

First of all I would like to thank S.A.L. members - Bob Lemon, Clint Bolt, Bill Medina, Gerald Rife, Johnny Corbin for coming in on our Breakfast and working so our ladies could spend time with their families for Mother's Day.

Second, I would like to thank Ryan and Chris Grimsley for coming and helping me with trimming the shrubs and working in the flower beds. We did that on my day off (Monday). Thanks guys for all your help!

We are having a bake sale on the 12th of June in conjunction with the Bike & Car Show!
Please help if you can.

Our installation of officers will be on Sunday, June 6th at 2:00 pm.

The next Auxiliary meeting with our new officers will be September 12th, 2010 at 4:00 pm.

For God and Country

Donna Webb — President

Sons of the Legion News:

First I'd like to thank Bob Lemmon, Bill Medina, Clint Bolt and John and a special thanks you to Gerald Rife for the help on the Mother's Day breakfast we did for the Auxiliary.

Gerald Rife volunteered to help us because of his association with Bill Medina.

We want to express our deep thanks to Bill Medina, Teddy Kilby, Tootie and Donna for all their help with the SAL Breakfast.

Please all SAL members come to the meeting – it's very important. Your membership needs to be renewed. We will have Breakfast every third Sunday for the SAL.

Clint Bolt is scheduled to be a key-note speaker at the Warrenton Cemetery. Many of our members are participating at this event. Tom Carter is scheduled to be the Grand Marshall at the parade this year.

Remember, Flag Day is Monday June 14th – our commemoration will take place at 6 pm at the Post.

Our condolences are extended to the friends and family of Bob Crew, who recently passed away after a long illness. He will sorely be missed.

Our next meeting is the First Tuesday in June — at 7:00 pm – we ask that all members be present. Please support your post!

For God & Country

Johnny Corbin — Commander SAL

American Legion Riders News:

Thanks to all our members who have volunteered to work the ALR breakfasts. These continue to generate funds for the Social Quarters.

Volunteers are needed for the Annual Bike Show / Car show / Swap Meet. There should be lots to see and do during this June 12th event. (Rain date is June 19th)

Several food vendors have asked to join in the festivities as well as an indoor go-cart company. Plus this year we have a live band performing from noon to 4 pm! Slider has graciously donated their time & talents to help make this event a success!

The Auxiliary will be holding a Bake Sale inside and out - so there will be lots of wonderful delicacies available for purchase to eat while you look at the bikes and cars, and Swap Meet items.

The next Legion Riders breakfast will be on June 27th from 9:00 am to noon. Come on out and join us! The weather's getting nicer - so come on out and join in our pick-up ride, weather permitting (55 degrees or above & dry!)

The next Legion Riders meeting will be on Wednesday, June 2nd at 7:00 pm. It's time for election of officers, so come out and cast your vote!

For God & Country

Barbara Truitt — Vice President

Social Quarters:

Thanks to all our members that have pitched in to help out around the Social Quarters, the help is very much appreciated. We hope to see more and more members, family, & friends as the summer months come.

Don't forget our weekly Saturday scheduled events:

The 1st Saturday each month

we have our Fried Chicken Dinner night from 6 pm to 8:30 pm.

The 2nd Saturday each month

is our Pot-Luck / Meet & Greet 6 pm to 9 pm. Please bring a covered dish to share or desert and join in the fun. We will have entertainment as well that night performed by DJ Dillon from 7 pm to 10:30 pm.

The 3rd Saturday each Month

we will have Karaoke at the club from 7pm to 10:30 pm
come out and check this out!

The 4th Saturday each month

we have a Steak Night, (We will cook them on the outside grill when weather permits) we will be offering the regular New York Strip cut as well as a chose cut Rib Eye at a little higher cost.

Friday night is our Steak & Seafood night which has been going every well, so come out and see what it is all about and enjoy some good food and company.

We had to remove the Captain's Platter on Tuesdays due to some difficulties getting some of the items during this time of year.

Don't forget with this good weather in the mix, we also have a patio out back that you are more then welcome to use. Sit outdoors.

Please remember we have WiFi in the Social Quarters.

GAMES at the Post:

Darts Tournament on Thursday nights at 6:30pm.

We have a Pool Tournament on Wednesdays at 7:00pm.

We have Horse Shoes on Tuesdays at 6:00 pm.

We have not gotten much feedback on a Bowling Tournament, so we will put it off until more people want to start one up.

For God & Country
Paul Baker — Manager

Editors Note:

Do you have an interesting story of interest to other members of the post?

Do you have a favorite recipe you'd like to share?

It's YOUR Newsletter - your input is welcomed and invited!

*Articles for the July Newsletter are due by June 25, 2010.
Please email them to PolkTruitt@aol.com, (in word
format) or give them to Donna. Please mark them "Attn:
Newsletter Editor." Thank you!
Barb Truitt, Editor*

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