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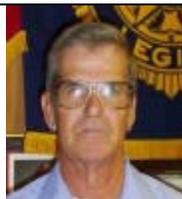
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Commander's Corner



Greetings Legion Family!
Hats off to the Legion Riders. What a wonderful time was had by all at the Legacy Dinner.

I had the great pleasure of accompanying the Legion Riders to Seguin and witnessing them presenting a \$30,000 check for the Legacy Fund to the National Commander. Once again the Riders have out done themselves and made Post 593 look good.

The 20th District golf tournament will be held on Sept. 22nd. Proceeds will provide bus transportation to Austin for all of the San Antonio Boy's State representatives. Raffle tickets for this event are available. See John Orff, Karen Paris, Dave Paris, Chris Reed, or Dennis Ducharme for tickets. (\$2 each or 3 for \$5). Flyers and signups are posted on the board at the Post.

.For God and Country
John Orff, Post Commander

Auxiliary News



September is here and school is back in session!

First of all, I want to say THANK YOU to everyone that came out and supported the Legacy Scholarship – Taste of Freedom Dinner.

What another successful event! Hats off to all that helped in any way!!

We have lots of fun things coming up this year – Kid's Christmas Party , the Senior's Dinner just to name a few! So stay tuned for more information!!

Just a friendly reminder to renew your dues NOW! The Early Bird Dinner will be held on Friday, October 11th. So please pay your dues before or on this date to be eligible for the Early Bird Dinner. Plus, we want to help Tina get to 100% before the end of the year!

I am looking forward to another GREAT year!

Until Next Month.....

Michelle Smith

Rider's Report

Links to stories about the Marble Falls fuel stop and the end of day 4 in the Legacy Run.

<https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?v=10151613466283333&set=vb.713538332&type=2&theater>
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http://www.highlandernews.com/news_article.php?category_id=2&article_id=5284

<http://www.dailytrib.com/2013/08/21/motorcycles-roar-into-marble-falls/>

<http://www.facebook.com/l.php?u=http%3A%2F%2Ffbeyfm.com%2F2013%2F08%2F20%2F2611%2F%23.UhWeR9K1HxA&h=HAQGqBuDi>

<http://www.facebook.com/l.php?u=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.youtube.com%2Fwatch%3Fv%3DwYLo7fd9Tv8&h=jAQE1n45J>

<http://www.legion.org/riders/216958/reason-keep-working-and-nice-donation>

Notes from the Adjutant:

Have you looked on the back of your renewal notice from National? There is a place on the back for your email. If you fill this out, you will get your newsletter by email. This saves postage and printing costs for the Legion. Thank you to the members who have completed this.

Thank you to the members who have renewed on-line. So far it has been 58. If you renewed on-line and did not get your paper membership card, let me know. They have been mailed. Go to www.legion.org/renew. Continue to send in renewals. We are currently at 260 members (37%). Still need DD 214's. Drop them by the post or send it with your renewal. Thanks to all who have complied. If I can assist you in anyway, contact me: kparis@stic.net.

Military Families To Get Big Squeeze

Sequestrations across the board, automatic cuts mean the Department of Defense has to trim an additional 500 billion dollars over the next ten years. Military Officers Association of America says the cuts are drastic and their effect on military families will be dramatic in many ways. Sequestration is the law of the land and unless Congress takes action, it will remain in effect for years to come.

Sebastian Rodriguez, Post Service Officer

SAL CORNER



Greetings Legion Family

S.A.L. "Renew Now". Early Bird Dinner will be held on Friday October 11th. Half price (\$4) Chicken Fried Steak dinner.

Our S.A.L. golf tournament is October 20th. If you play or know someone does, come have fun. Bring a team or sign up and we will put you on a team. Remember, you don't have to be a member to play. Sign up sheets are available on line to print or at the Post. Come out and have some fun and help us support Boy's State and child welfare.

Thank you.
Henry Creech
S.A.L. Post 593 Detachment Commander

Post Cleanup

One person has stepped up and has been coming in to help J.B. with the cleanup duties. Thanks Barb.

Another way we can all help will be to place empty beer bottles in boxes that will be placed next to the trash can.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Notary service is available to Post members and their families at no cost to them. Contact Joe Guastella at 683-6582 to make arrangements.

DON'T FORGET

Monthly breakfast (2nd Saturday of the month), Chicken fried steak dinner (2nd Friday), and Steak dinner (Last Friday). You won't get a better meal at the price...anywhere.

LET'S RECYCLE

Did you know we can make some extra money recycling common household items? Well we can, and we do. Save up your used aluminum cans, batteries, copper, brass and newspapers. Contact John Orff for more information.

ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTERS

The electronic Newsletter Mailing List continues to grow and we'd like to add you to the list. The more folks we add, the less we have to send, saving printing and postage costs. During FY 2010-2011 we spent over \$6000. Think about it. To get your name on the electronic delivery list, please send an email to alpost593newsletter@yahoo.com. Thanks for your support to save some dollars\$\$\$.

IRS Requires all American Legion Posts DD214's on File

The Internal Revenue Service now requires all American Legion Posts and other military veteran organizations to have on file a copy of each member's DD 214. Please send a copy of your DD 214 or copy of current Military ID card to your Post Adjutant. It is a mandatory requirement by the IRS. If you have already done this, please disregard this request. (Please black out SSN - KP)

Post 593 Labor Day Celebration

Come enjoy Labor Day with your friends at the American Legion!

Sunday, September 1st, food will be served at about 2:00 PM.

The Post will provide the meat (burgers, dogs, sausage, etc).

Please bring a side dish or a dessert dish.

Enjoy some great food and good company as well as shuffleboard, pool, darts, and music.



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*Fall Classic
Benefit Golf Tournament*

Northcliffe Golf Club, Cibolo, TX

Sunday, October 20th, 2013 – 8am Shotgun Start

Early Bird Special: \$55 per person or \$200 per 4 person team if paid by September 29th - \$65 after
Includes Golf, Cart, Meal Afterward, Drinks & Prizes

Name	Handicap/ Name of Course or GHIN #	Phone # (required)	Pd (rec'd by)
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BENEFITS BOYS STATE AND OTHER YOUTH PROGRAMS

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September 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Labor Day Party Bring a side dish - Post provides the meat 2 pm Jam Session	2 Dart League & Shuffleboard League	2 Dart League & Shuffleboard League ALR Exec. Mtg. 7:30pm	4 GMM Mtg. 7:30 pm Meal Served 5:30-7:00 pm	5 Grill 6 - 8 pm Dart League	6 Shuffleboard Tourney \$5 (Draw numbers at 7:15)	7
8	9 Dart League & Shuffleboard League	10 Rider Grill 6-8 pm ALR GMM. Mtg. 7:30pm	11	12 Grill 6 - 8 pm Dart League	13 CFSNA Visit 6-8pm \$8.00 Shuffleboard Tourney \$5 (Draw numbers at 7:15)	14 Breakfast 8-11 am \$6 all you can eat!! VA Visit- meet at Post K&SU 9:30am
15 Fernet Club 1 - 5 pm	16 Dart League & Shuffleboard League	17 Rider Grill 6-8 pm	18 Exec. Mtg. 7:00 pm	19 Grill 6 - 8 pm Dart League	20 Shuffleboard Tourney \$5 (draw numbers at 7:15)	21 Dart Tourney \$5 - draw for partners at 7:15
22 20 th District Golf Tournament	23 Dart League & Shuffleboard League	24 Rider Grill 6-8 pm SAL GMM - 7:30 pm	25 New Mexico OWW Reception	26 Grill 6 - 8 pm Dart League	27 Steak Night \$13 Shuffleboard Tourney \$5 (draw numbers at 7:15)	28
29	30 Dart League & Shuffleboard League					



ZUMBA
Every Tuesday
At 6 pm - \$5



ALR Bike Night
EVERY Tuesday!
Beer, Food & Friends!

**** Legion has breakfast and steak night! ****

UPCOMING EVENTS:

October 11th - Early Bird Dinner and Cut Off
 10/20 SAL Golf Tournament - See Henry Creech

We are also on Facebook - Post 593 or American Legion
 Riders Post 593 - CHECK US OUT!!!

October 26th - Kids Halloween Party