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# November 2017

## **COMMANDER'S MESSAGE**

It has been another great month at your Post, we contributed a total of \$314.00 to the Legion's Emergency Relief Fund, I would like to thank those of you that participated in the 50/50 drawing and the winner gave all of the funds towards it, I would also like to thank those that contributed through our Facebook page. There is one other donation pending in Facebook that will be used to send 6 boys to the Palmetto Boys State next year and 2 youths (male or female) to the Law Enforcement Academy. Your contributions are always appreciated and used as promised.

The Post's AED (Defibrillator), has been installed and we now have 4 certified folks at the Post, myself, Madam President, Liz our Canteen Manager and Kate one of our bartenders. Auxiliary member **Cole Thomas** has volunteered to conduct a CPR/AED certification class on November 27, 2017 from 5-9 PM, the cost for the certification will be just \$7.00 per person and we will accept up to 10 to attend the class, if you would like to attend, please call the Post and/or sign up at the Post.

Marty continues to bring plenty of bagels to the post, they are all delicious, stop by and get some, and they are free.

We will be having a couple of events at the Post this month and I hope to see new faces. Fish Fry on November 4 (sponsored by our SAL); Cornhole Tournament on Veterans Day (sponsored by our Auxiliary)

We will also be having a Thanksgiving Dinner on Thanksgiving Day, please call the Post if you are planning to attend or sign-up at the Post.

General Membership Meetings will not be held during November and December; however, the Executive Committee will meet during those months.

Welcome aboard to Cynthia Laureano and Mike McDaniel, our new Legionnaires.

Should any member need to contact me please feel free to do so at 843-991-6308 or via email at <u>alpost179@gmail.com</u>, remember however that matters pertaining to the Post are best brought up at your General Membership Meeting.

For God and Country,

John Coy

Commander

## FROM THE ADJUTANT

We had 8 membership renewals this past month and the renewal rate stands at 68.5%. Our magic number to reach 100% is 93. Please renew before the New Year if possible. Hope everyone has a great holiday season.

For God and Country,

Dave Lloyd

## **CANTEEN NEWS**

Canteen doing very well, Wing Night is a great draw to the Legion. We need volunteers to keep it going, so please if you can volunteer for cooking our delicious wings. No longer having breakfast due to small turn outs.

Kids Halloween Party will be on 10/28 at 1pm to 3 pm. Adult party will be at 7. Winner of costume contest gets \$50.00. Also a lot going on in November with a Fish Fry with a band and a Cornhole Tournament. Let's support our Post and have a good turnout.

**Tony Fiem** 

## **AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY**

Be sure to bring the Kids for our combined (Post and Auxiliary) Halloween Party on October 28<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. We will have pumpkin decorating, food and of course candy...

Don't forget about our Cornhole Tournament on November 11<sup>th</sup>, starting at 2:00 pm. You will need to be signed up by 1:00 pm. There will be food for \$5.00 per person and of course our famous 50/50. You can invite your non-member friends as well.

If anyone sent their renewal to the remit address provided, it will probably come back to you as return to sender. You can mail it back out to: Karen Miller at PO Box 6, Johns Island, SC 29457 or you can bring it to the Post and give it to Karen, Jill or the Bartender on duty.

We will be looking for a military family in need of Thanksgiving dinner, so please if you know one in need, let me or any Auxiliary member know, so we may be able to provide one for them. If we get more than one recommendation, we will make a decision on where the meal will go.

I would like to thank the Post for including me in the CPR class that was included with the purchase of the AED.

Please join us for our meeting on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm (we do have fun while getting things done).

Jill Comar

## SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> of November, we will host our Fish Fry for Friends. All are welcome! There will be sides and Chili for them who don't eat fish. \$8 and a 50/50. All are welcome!

At our next meeting, we finally have the T-shirt designed, last chance for an input.

Renew your membership so you don't lose your continuity and have to be voted back in!

There was something else I was supposed to mention, but I forget what.

Norman W. Meyer, Jr.

## **AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS**

On a cool fall day, a biker was out riding his motorcycle, when he came upon another biker riding her motorcycle. He fell into line with her and they rode together. After a while they came across some other bikers enjoying the day, and they fell into line with them and they rode comfortably for a few miles. Soon there were many more bikes, all in line traveling thru the countryside, just enjoying the ride, however, one by one, a the afternoon waned, a bike or two fell out until all that was left was the one biker by himself. Soon, he too ended his ride and went home. A great time was had by all!

Norman W. Meyer, Jr.

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THE SAL WILL BE HOSTING THERE ANNUAL FISH FRY SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4<sup>th</sup>, 1 – 4 PM THERE WILL ALSO BE CHILI AND FIXINS MUSIC PROVIDED BY FULCRUM

# ALL FOR JUST \$8.00

Designs by: Curtis S.



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THE AUXILIARY WILL BE HOLDING A CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> (VETERANS DAY) STARTING AT 2:00 PM SIGN-UP STARTS AT 1:00 PM \$10.<sup>00</sup> PER PERSON SIGNING UP

The prize amount will be determined According to how many sign up. We will have Hamburgers and Hot Dogs With the Fixins for \$5.00 per person And of course our 50/50 Come join the fun and bring your friends

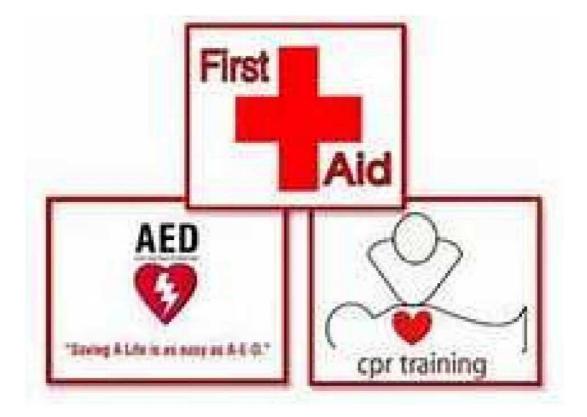


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## WE ARE HOSTING A CPR/AED TRAINING CLASS MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27<sup>th</sup> 5 - 9 pm CERTIFICATION COSTS \$7.00

SUNDAY	MONDAY		TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
WIN Every Wednesi W		6:30 PM Auxiliary Meeting	1	6:00 PM Sal Meeting 2	3	1–4 pm SAL Fish Fry			
Sleep in Sunday Don't forget to set clocks back one hour at 2 a.m. Sunday AP	6:00 PM Honor Guard Drill	6	Election Day 7	6:00 PM Canteen Committee 7:00 PM E-Board Meeting	8	9	U.S. MARINE CORP ESTABLISHED (1775) VETERANS DAY (OBSERVED) 10	VETERANS DAY 1 TILL? CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT 1:	
12		13	14	6:30 PM ALR MEETING	15	16	17	18	
19	6:00 PM Honor Guard Drill	20	21		22	THANKSGIVING 23	24	2!	
26	5 – 9 pm CPR/AED CLASS	27	28	DECEMBER NEWSLETTER ARTICLES ARE DUE TODAY	29	30			

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#### NOTES:

#### **POST/CANTEEN HOURS**

MONDAY-THURSDAY: 4 PM - 10 PM

FRIDAY: 12 NOON - 12 MIDNIGHT

SATURDAY: 12 NOON - 12 MIDNIGHT

SUNDAY: 12 NOON - 10 PM

NATIONAL HOLIDAYS: 12 NOON - 10 PM



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## THE AUXILIARY WILL BE HOSTING THEIR ANNUAL CHILDREN'S HALLOWEEN PARTY

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017 1:00 pm to 3 pm



PUMPKIN DECORATING, PRIZES, FOOD, SNACKS & COSTUME CONTEST