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# COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

... Your Post had a great month during February, a superb Oyster Roast was hosted by our SAL members, and the largest we have had in a long time. The fundraiser at Jason's Deli did not go as well as planned due to non-attendance, however, some folks did contribute by ordering takeout and delivery and some gave a cash donation towards the **Boys State Fund**, thanks go out to **Brian Fletcher, Dwight Cargile, Carla McDonald, Clint Mallard, Chastity Hymes, Tracie Morgado, Shannon Ross and Kate Evans**. The fundraiser at Manny's went extremely well, we had over 50 members/non-members show up.

... Kudos to all those Legionnaires and SAL members who came out to help put the **Oyster Roast** together, their fearless Commander **Paul Jaeger, Brian, JimBo, Clint, Bobby, Patrick, Ernie, Greg, Dwight, Ned, Billy, Fritz** and one of our Auxiliary members, **Becky**.

... Thanks to two of our Auxiliary members **Cole Thomas** and **Susan Campbell** for going out of their way to clean up one of our Legionnaire's apartment prior to him returning from surgery at the VA Hospital, well done young ladies.

... Thanks to a great donation from Southern Lumber and Millwork Corp your Post now has 4 brand new Oyster Roast tables, and with the help of **Brain, Ned, Billy, Clint and Fritz** they have been set up greatly for years to come.

... At the Oyster Roast I had the pleasure of meeting **Doug Warner**, President of **Liza's Lifeline**, which is a nonprofit organization dedicated to assisting domestic violence victims, their families and pets. This is a great opportunity for us to do some more community action. There are a couple of attachments to this newsletter that will let you know what they do and how they raise their funds. We have 30 tickets at the canteen for their fundraiser which are \$20.00 each for a 2-night stay at Belmont Charleston Place, the drawing will be held at their Golf Tournament Fund Raiser on Saturday, April 14, 2018. More information can be found at their website [www.lizaslifelinesc.org](http://www.lizaslifelinesc.org)

... I've heard a rumor that our SAL need only another six renewals or new members to make their 100%, let's help them out.

... It's a great feeling to see so many of you coming forward in one way or another to help your Post accomplish many things so that we can help our veterans, their families and our community.

... Let's make it another great month!!!!

For God and Country,

*John Coy*

Commander

Enter for a chance to win 2 free nights at the Belmont  
Charleston Place!



## **Liza's Lifeline Raffle**

Fundraiser for Domestic Violence  
Victims

**2 night stay at the Belmont  
Charleston Place  
Deluxe Level Accommodations**

205 Meeting Street, Charleston,  
SC

An exclusive Charleston hotel

Winner to be drawn April 14<sup>th</sup>

at the Liza's Lifeline Golf  
Tournament

Need not to be present to win

Tickets are \$20

**Liza's Lifeline 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament**

April 14, 2018

Shadowmoss Plantation Golf Club

1:30 PM Shotgun

4 Person Captain's Choice

Beverage carts on the course, dinner, drinks, and awards  
after play

[www.lizaslifelinesc.org](http://www.lizaslifelinesc.org)



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*"HONORING LIFE, PROVIDING HOPE"*

# **Liza's Lifeline 9th Annual Golf Tournament**

## **To raise awareness of domestic violence and help victims**



In memory of Liza Ellen Warner  
May 17, 1975 – October 1, 2004

**April 14, 2018**  
**Shadowmoss Plantation Golf Club**

**Help support our cause by sponsoring a hole and/or playing in our  
Tournament!**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Gold Sponsor    \$300 includes prominent golf hole signage and 4 players  
\_\_\_\_\_ Silver Sponsor    \$100 includes prominent golf hole signage  
\_\_\_\_\_ Individual Player \$65  
\_\_\_\_\_ Shadowmoss Member Individual Player \$50

*All proceeds are tax deductible.*

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact & Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ St \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

1:30 pm shotgun start beverage carts on course followed by food, drinks and prizes  
Check-in opens at 11:30am - Format: 4 Person Captain's Choice

Player	Name	Email Address	Handicap
1			
2			
3			
4			

Registration Deadline: April 6, 2018 (Sponsors)    April 11, 2018 (Players)

**Mail to Liza's Lifeline, PO Box 80546, Charleston, SC 29416**  
**(Make check payable to Liza's Lifeline) Thank you for your support!**

For questions or more information, please email us at [lizaslifeline@gmail.com](mailto:lizaslifeline@gmail.com)  
or call 843-991-9085. Visit us at [www.lizaslifelinesc.org](http://www.lizaslifelinesc.org)

*Liza's Lifeline of South Carolina, Inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization*



## FROM THE ADJUTANT

...Our renewal rate is now 91% with 27 members needed for our goal of 100%. Hopefully we will be able to reach the goal. The Auxiliary, Sons and Riders have reached 100% renewal rate for the year. I want to thank all for the support and assistance we provided veterans throughout the year. The Post has received numerous letters of appreciation from the various veteran organizations and individuals we helped in 2017.

For God and Country,

*Dave Lloyd*

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## AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

... Our Fried Chicken lunch for our guys at Patriots Harbor was a success. We had 11 people which included 2 young girls, **Faith** and **Angelica**. I would like to send a special thank you to all of the ladies that provided the food and another special thank you to **Jill Clifford's Mother**, Pat, who was here for a visit and she insisted on providing the fried chicken. If any of you ever want to make your heart feel good, you need to go with us sometime.

... I don't have anything else to report, except maybe we can get in a meeting for March, because February didn't go so well.

... It is time to think about **Girls State** and I hope we can send 2 girls. I have the essays if anyone would like to read them and help me pick the two young ladies best qualified to go.

... Our membership renewals are outstanding!! THANK YOU!!!

*Jill Comar*



# SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

... If I hadn't seen it with my own eyes, and I did see it because I was there, I wouldn't have believed it! We totally rocked the house down at the Post with our Annual Oyster Roast with Chili for them that don't eat Oysters and Karaoke event.

... The last couple of years, by 5 pm, we still had a couple of bags of oysters and still managed to do well. Well, let me tell you, by 3 in the afternoon, we were out man. The chili by **Greg** and **Bobby** was the first casualty to go, must've been good because I never saw it! What! Then it was the oysters themselves, all 24 bushels from **Carolina Seafood**, handpicked, or picked up rather by **Eddie** and **Clyde**, to bite the dust. Question: is there a five second rule if an oyster drops to the ground?

... Always, I would like to extend a hard earned Thankyou to those that made this possible. I was all of you who have come to these Oyster Roasts over the years and the other ways, you have helped support the SAL in all of its endeavors and to all of you who will be there in the future to have helped make this the best squadron of the SAL in all of SC, nay the whole USofA, if not the world. **THANK YOU!**

... Another list of Thankyous need to go out to those of us who put this feast of feasts on without a hitch, the **American Legionnaires**, the **Auxiliary**, our **Canteen staff** and of course our own SAL guys: **Paul**, **Jimbo**, (thanks also for the cooker), **Jim**, **Ernie**, **Carla**, (thanks for spelling me so I could partake), **Liz** (eh, let them drink warm beer), **Shannon**, **John**, **Brian**, **Clint** and **Ned**, (great job on the new tables there dude), **Fritz**, **Teresa** and myself. Once again, THANKS!

... And let us not forget the **Lifetime Memories Karaoke** with **Carrie** and her singing sidekick. The best singer award probably goes to that guy in the Trump hat!

... Now on a side note, the SAL donated \$500 to the **Fisher House** this last month!

... The Post Everlasting Board was updated!

... A young lady, **Melissa**, won the 50/50 and donated it back to the SAL. Thank you very much, that was awfully kind of you.

... We meet the first Thursday at 1800.

*Norman W. Meyer, Jr.*

# AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS

... All the hard work that the ALR has done raising money paid off when we received thank you notes from both the **Charleston Fisher House** and the downtown **One180 Place** after we donated to them \$500 each for their worthy causes. That's pretty much the sole reason we are who we are! The thank you notes are just a nice reminder of that.

... Our last meeting was a handful, with a lot of information passed on to us from group leader Tony, including welcoming **Miss Donna** to our tribe.

... We also learned that the ALR of SC seems to be the most active in all of the USofA. Pretty cool!

... The 179 is putting a Poker Run together for later this year and a dinner to be announced soon.

... Come join us on the third Wednesday at 1830 hours for a meeting that has wings.

*Norman W. Meyer, Jr.*



# CANTEEN NEWS

Hi All,

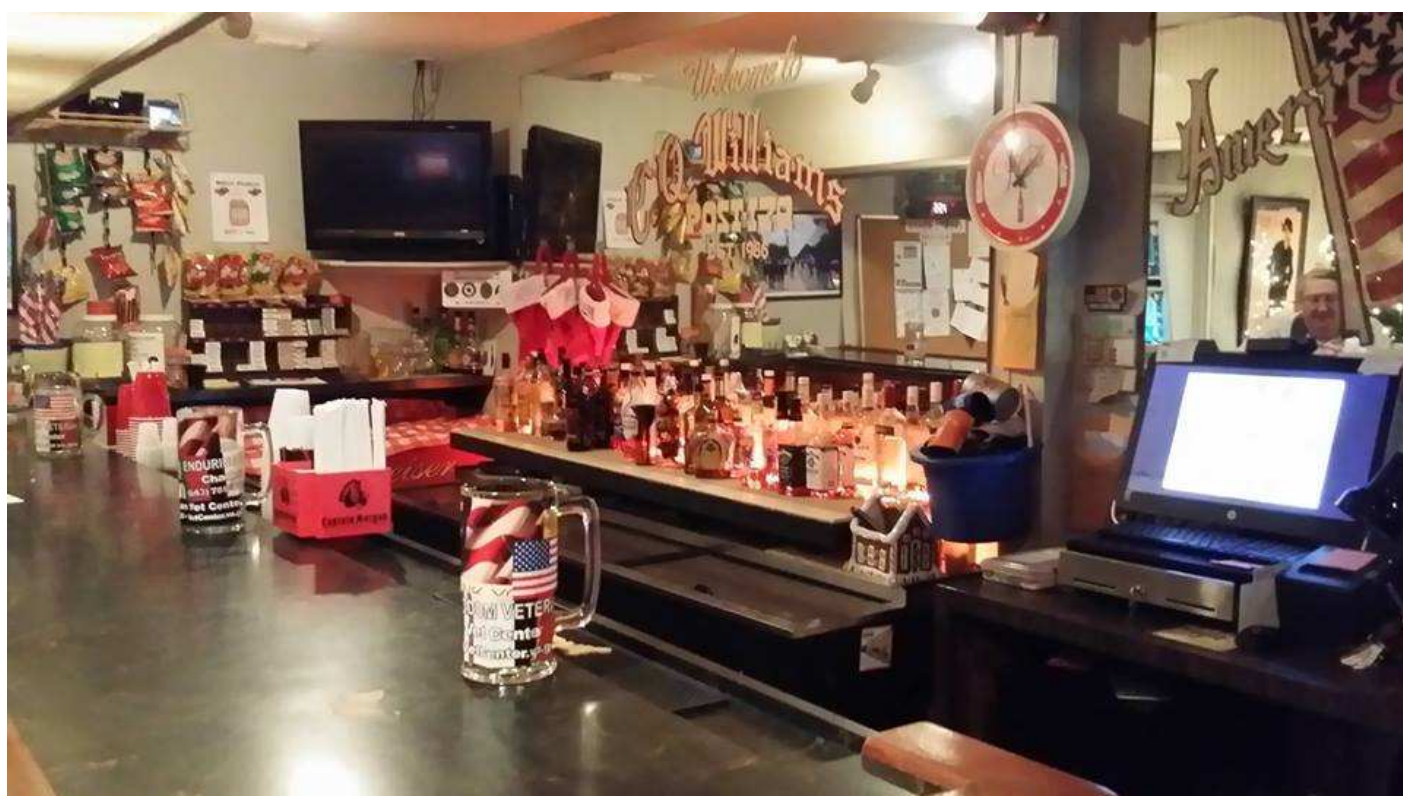
... As a very busy February comes to a close in which we all had a lot of fun with family and friends and a lot of memories were made. Our planning for future events are going to be in question due to the closing of our Post in a few months to come. When this will happen???. Who knows, play it safe and question when you want the event to happen.

... Thanks to all who volunteered for our yearly Oyster Roast that was a success. The SAL bought in \$1,777.00 and the canteen did very well also.

... In March the Post will have Corn Beef and Cabbage for Saint Patrick's Day. Once again I want to thank all who volunteer their precious time for making our Post a success in many ways.

God bless,

*Tony Fiem*





# **AMERICAN LEGION DEPARTMENT OF SOUTH CAROLINA CENTENNIAL SHIRTS**

The attached picture depicts the Department's Centennial shirts for men and women that are for sale for \$30.00. If you desire a shirt we will need your size and payment in advance and it must be submitted not later than April 15, 2018. Please submit payment and size to American Legion Post 179, PO Box 31476, Charleston, SC 29417-1476 or you may also reserve your shirt at the Post. Shirts will be picked up at the Department's Convention on June 1, 2018 and we will have them at the Post on June 4, 2018.



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>WING WEDNESDAY</b> EVERY WEDNESDAY EVENING 5 PM TO 8 PM WINGS & THINGS				6:00 PM SAL MEETING 1	2	3
4	6:00 PM HONOR GUARD DRILL 5	6	6:30 PM AUXILIARY MEETING 7	8	9	10
 11	12	13	6:00 PM CANTEEN COMMITTEE 7:00 PM E-BOARD MEETING 14	15	16	 17
18	6:00 PM HONOR GUARD DRILL 19	20	6:30 PM ALR MEETING 21	22	23	24
 25	26	27	7:00 PM GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING 28	APRIL NEWSLETTER ARTICLES ARE DUE TODAY 29	 30	31

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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