

American Legion Post 175 Newsletter

For Period May through July
2018

832 Manhattan Beach Road
Severna Park, Maryland 21146
<http://www.legionpost175.org>

2018 Calendar of Events included
for May, June and July



Post, SAL and Auxiliary Leadership

American Legion Post 175

Post Commander: *Ambrose Cavegn*

American Legion Auxiliary

Auxiliary President: *Collette Cavegn*

Sons of American Legion

Commander: *Don Zimmerman*

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*Dates to Remember**

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Organization Meetings

Executive Board
meets last Monday
of each month.

SAL Squadron
meets 2nd Monday
of each month.

General Membership
meets 2nd Wednesday
of each month.

Auxiliary Unit
meets the 4th Wednesday
of each month.

Other Scheduled Hall Meetings

Legion Riders
3rd Wednesday of each month
at 7PM

Lions Club
1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month
at 6:30 PM

Kennel Club
1st Wednesday of each month
at 7 PM

Villagers
2nd Tuesday of each month
at 7 PM

MSSA Fisherman Club
3rd Monday of each month
at 7:30 PM

*unless otherwise noted on the calendar

Dear American Legionnaires:

This is my last newsletter as Commander of Post 175 American Legion. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of my Executive Board, as well as all the Legionnaires, Auxiliary members, Legion Riders and members of the SAL, which stepped up and gave support over the past 3 plus years. A special thank you to the bartenders and employees of this Post for all their hard work, even during some very trying times.

My hope for Post 175 and all the members of this Post is that we continue to work together, move forward and make this Post the best it can be. Please show the incoming Commander and his staff the same support you gave to me. Remember, this Post is only as good as its members and volunteers. This is your Post home and it needs your help.

It was my honor to serve as your Post Commander.

Sincerely,

Ambrose J. Cavegn, Jr.
Commander



The theme for this year's July 4 parade is **Serving Our Country & Community**.

Volunteers are needed to help with the float. If you are interested in participating, please contact the Adjutant.

Adjutant

Greetings Legionnaires, it's been a busy few months here at the Post. We've been working hard on making improvements to make our Post better for all of us. So far we've had a great St Patty's Day Karaoke Party, an Orioles Home Opener Party, and had some awesome Chili a week ago. Summer is on the way and we have more events being planned. Our Pavilion is making big strides, and we're planning on opening it before the Summer Solstice – and that also includes the Tiki Bar. You will also be seeing improvements to the sidewalks around the building in conjunction with the Pavilion work. These improvements are both for safety and appearance.

As you're probably aware, much of the improvements you see around the Post are the work of volunteers. Every little bit helps. Please consider helping out even if it means some little housekeeping behind someone who wasn't considerate by leaving a mess in their wake. This is our house.

We are sponsoring 5 boys for Boys State this year and 3 girls for Girls State. We've also started a Corn Hole league. The Legion conventions are coming up, and if you've never been, you may want to find out when and where they're located so you can attend. We are accepting volunteers to attend the Department Legion Convention in Ocean City this July as Delegates. If you'd like to be a Delegate, please contact one of the Post Officers.

We are working on increasing our presence on the web and on Facebook. Hopefully you've seen the new Facebook page, and that page includes all of the subordinate organizations of the Post; including the Auxiliary, SAL, and the Riders. We have received some good comments and feedback from members to help tailor the site and information to make it even more helpful.

And as always, you can also find us on our website: <http://www.legionpost175.org>.

Lastly, we've been working hard in recruiting new members – Legion, Auxiliary, SAL and Riders. If you notice someone new, or someone who may look like a visitor and a little unsure when entering our Post, please step up and say hi and introduce yourself. Make them feel welcome here. You can also show them around, or at least inform them what he have to offer in our Lounge, Game room, Hall, Tiki Bar and upcoming Pavilion.

If you have any questions or comments please don't hesitate to let me know.

Sincerely,

Chris Jensen

adjutant@legionpost175.org



**Have you checked out our new Facebook page?
Let us know what you think!**

<https://www.facebook.com/almdpost175/>

Auxiliary News



Spring is here and we can finally start to enjoy the outdoors. We have had a very busy past few months. Several of the ladies were judges for the Legion Essay contest. It was amazing to see how well spoken and knowledgeable these young people were during their presentations.

We have had some delicious Friday night dinners, including home-made lasagna, spaghetti pie, and Rubeen sandwiches. This month it will be stuffed peppers. These are really good home cooked meals. Please stop by and enjoy.

We hosted the Southern Maryland District meeting and Essay Awards Luncheon in April. We had over 100 people in attendance. Thank you Auxiliary ladies who volunteered and helped to provide a great lunch. You did a wonderful job.

We helped with the Memorial luncheon for Matthew Murphy. A sad day, but some many beautiful hearts were in attendance. The donations of food were massive and the volunteers who worked and worked were amazing. Again, thank you Auxiliary ladies. You have biggest hearts I have ever seen.

We are sponsoring 3 girls for Girls State. This is an educational opportunity that gives young ladies a week of immersion in the government process. American Legion Auxiliary members guide young women to become knowledgeable stewards of freedom, democracy and patriotic citizens.

May is Poppy month. Please see Judy Davidson to donate and get your Poppy. The red poppy has become a nationally recognized symbol of sacrifice worn by Americans since World War I to honor those who served and died for our country in all wars. It reminds Americans of the sacrifices made by our veterans while protecting our freedoms. One hundred percent of the donations collected directly support the needs of veterans, military, and their families.

Our elections are in June and we are looking for anyone interested in running for office to put your name in the hat. We are a very vital, busy Unit. There's always something going on.

Collette Cavegn
Auxiliary President



The remembrance poppy is an artificial flower that has been used since 1921 to commemorate military personnel who have died in war, and represents a common or field poppy, *Papaver rhoeas*. Inspired by the World War I poem "In Flanders Fields", and promoted by Moina Michael, they were first adopted by the American Legion to commemorate American soldiers killed in that war (1914–1918).

Message from the Legion Riders



Riding season is upon us. Be on the lookout for motorcycles! The most common cause for a wreck involving a car and motorcycle is at an intersection when a vehicle driver is making a left-hand turn in front of a motorcycle. Our Riders group is currently at 44 members, with 1-2 new members joining on a monthly basis. We may soon outgrow the Tiki bar for holding our monthly meetings, but of course, we will continue to use it for as long as we can.

We will be participating in the Maryland Gold Star Legacy Run during the weekend of June 8-10. It will be a three day ride, covering a distance of approximately 700 miles around the state of Maryland to raise funds and bring awareness the American Legion Legacy Scholarship Foundation. The riders of Post 175 were able to raise \$3800 during the Warriors Day event this past year that will be donated to the scholarship fund during the Legacy run. Our donation this year is almost double what we were able to donate to the fund in 2017. Thanks to everyone that donated or contributed their time to support this year's event that benefits the children of fallen or service disabled service members.

For those of you that were around for St. Patrick's Day, you may have noticed that we brought in a new KJ (Karaoke DJ) that has quite the following in the local area and the place was packed! We intend to continue doing this for special events throughout the year in order to generate more revenue for the post. The next event will be on Cinco de Mayo or May 5th, so come out and join us.

We will be holding elections for Riders officer positions during our April meeting. Results will be posted shortly after we hold elections. We are also looking for additional Road Captains to lead us on weekend rides. Come see me if you are interested. Lastly, I would like to thank all of our Riders and support members for everything that you do to make us a great organization. I hope to continue to see us during our hosted events.

Respectfully,

Jamie Southern

Riders Director



*The **Rolling Thunder First Amendment Demonstration Run** is an annual protest and gathering that first started in 1988. Motorcycle riders from around the nation, and even around the world rally in the Pentagon parking lots and then begin riding a designated route through the Mall area of Washington, D.C. Afterward, it is an opportunity to meet old and new friends, pay respect at the memorials and participate in the Memorial Day events. The event is an actual demonstration/protest to bring awareness and accountability for POWs and MIAs left behind.*

Dog Days are here on Mondays
\$1 Hot Dogs & Natty Bohs



Taco Tuesdays (after 5pm)
Two tacos for \$3



Wednesday Steak Night



SAL Dinner 3rd Friday



Riders Dinner 4th Friday

Legion Dinner 2nd Friday

Aux Dinner 1st Friday

On Fridays with menus not listed on the calendar, call first.
Sometimes Friday dinners are thrown together late.

Thursday Appetizer Menu

Served from 4-8PM

**NACHOS with chili and cheese, POTATO SKINS, MOZZARELLA STICKS,
LOADED FRENCH FRIES, FRENCH FRY SIDE/BASKET, ONION RING BASKET
HOT DOG, JUMBO HOT DOG, CHICKEN TENDER BASKET,
FRIED SHRIMP BASKET, HAMBURGER, CHEESEBURGER,
WINGS (10) Buffalo (hot, med, mild), BBQ, Lemon Pepper, Chesapeake,
Teriyaki, Sweet & Sour, BBQ-Buffalo
GRILLED CHEESE, GRILLED OR CRISPY CHICKEN SANDWICH,
SLIDERS- 2 Burgers OR Cheeseburgers w/ Fries, SOUTHWESTERN EGG ROLLS,
CRAB BALLS, CRAB CAKES, QUESADILLAS (Cheese, Chicken, Beef, Crab)**

Bar Menu (Open until 10 PM)

Sandwiches:

Chicken/Tuna Salads, Ham, Turkey,
Corned Beef, Hot Dog, and Jumbo Hot Dog.
All sandwiches come with chips and pickle.
Soup of the Day. Pizza & soft pretzels are also available.


























HAPPY HOUR *every Monday thru Friday 4-7PM, Saturdays 4-6PM*

WEEKLY SPECIALS!!!!

LIVE Blue Grass Music EVERY Wednesday 4-6PM

















May 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM After 5pm Taco Tuesday  2 for 1 Drafts Lions Club 6 PM	2 Kennel Club 7PM  \$2 Miller Lite	3 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM & 4-8 PM  \$2 Coors Light	4 Country Breeze 7:30-11:30 PM AUX Dinner 6-8PM Stuffed Peppers	5 KJ Billy Karaoke Party 8PM 
6	7 \$1 Dogs  \$1 Natty Bohs	8 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM After 5pm Taco Tuesday  2 for 1 Drafts Villagers 7PM	9 General Meeting  \$2 Miller Lite	10 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM & 4-8 PM  \$2 Coors Light	11 Kurtain Call Karaoke 7:30-11:30 PM  Legion Dinner 6-8PM	12 DJ Alan Parker 7-11 PM
13 	14 SAL Meeting \$1 Dogs  \$1 Natty Bohs	15 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM After 5pm Taco Tuesday  2 for 1 Drafts Lions Club 6 PM	16 Legion Riders 7 PM  \$2 Miller Lite	17 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM & 4-8 PM  \$2 Coors Light	18 Destiny 7:30-11:30 PM SAL Dinner Cheese Steak, Shrimp, Chicken Tenders, Fries	19 
20	21 \$1 Dogs  \$1 Natty Bohs MSSA Fish Club 7:30PM	22 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM After 5pm Taco Tuesday  2 for 1 Drafts	23 AUX Meeting  \$2 Miller Lite	24 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM & 4-8 PM  \$2 Coors Light	25 Wild Grey Hairs 7:30-11:30 PM Riders Dinner 6-8PM	26
27 Rolling Thunder 	28 Memorial Day  \$1 Dogs  \$1 Natty Bohs	29 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM After 5pm Taco Tuesday  2 for 1 Drafts	30  \$2 Miller Lite	31 Executive Board Meeting Kitchen 11AM- 2PM & 4-8 PM  \$2 Coors Light		

June 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Blue Suede Bop 7:30-11:30 PM AUX Dinner TBA 6-8PM	2
3	4 \$1 Dogs  \$1 Natty Bohs	5 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM After 5pm Taco Tuesday  2 for 1 Drafts Lions Club 6 PM	6 Kennel Club 7PM  \$2 Miller Lite	7 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM & 4-8 PM  \$2 Coors Light	8 Whisker Fish 7:30-11:30 PM  Legion Dinner 6-8PM	9 
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July 2018



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1	2 \$1 Dogs  \$1 Natty Bohs	3 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM After 5pm Taco Tuesday  2 for 1 Drafts Lions Club 6 PM	4  Severna Park Parade  \$2 Miller Lite	5 Kitchen 11AM- 2PM & 4-8 PM  \$2 Coors Light	6 TBD 7:30-11:30 PM AUX Dinner 6-8PM	7
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