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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

MARCH 2020

... As of this writing your Post is now at 100% membership for the 2019-2020 year. Additionally, all of our subsidiaries are also at 100% or higher. Thank you all for making us eligible to receive the Legion Family Ribbon for all of our colors.

... It was great to see the number of members from each of our units show up during the Post clean-up day. Legionnaire members Jim Pearse, Chris Ashbarry, Shirley, Kelsey, Tony Fiem, Ralph Mallard, Jim Maffett, Ruben Montiel and Robert; SAL members Paul (Squeak), Nathan Pearse, Ned Burkhardt, Keith Johnson, Bobby Linker, Brendan (Red) McCreight and our youngest (5) SAL member Liam McCreight; Auxiliary members Jane Ashbarry, Leigh Corey and of course our on-site bartender (no pay) Carla Matthews. Big kudos to Chris Eyler and his partner for taking down three trees that were useless. What a team!!!!!!

... A big thank you to Ledford Pest Control for providing us with 10 pine straw bundles in order to ad some beauty to our grounds.

... The great news for this month is that within 30-45 days reconstruction of our Post will begin, further announcements will be made the closer we get to the tear down date.

... The owner at Pub 61 located at 2366 Ashley River Road has informed us that members from our Post will be able to get happy hour prices at any time there at provided they show an up-to-date (2020) membership card to the bartender prior to ordering. 2019 or earlier cards will not be honored. I would like to thank Legionnaire Steve Waters for helping us in arranging for this.

... Congratulations to our Life Member Legionnaire James (Gunny) Gregory on being inducted into the South Carolina Motorcycle Hall of Fame, presentation was made at Suck Bang Blow, Myrtle Beach on February 22, 2020.

God bless those serving our Country, our POWs/MIAs, you and your family.

For God and Country,

John Coy

Commander

CANTEEN NEWS

... I hope everyone enjoyed the Auxiliary Valentines dinner. It was delicious.

... You gotta love the SAL annual Oyster Roast. What a blast!

... We will continue to have wing nights until further notice.

... Once we find out the date for closing, for re-model, we will have a day of drink specials. This way we can get rid of open liquor and beer, that has to go. Keep an eye out on our Facebook page for the date.

... We will be having Corn Beef and Cabbage on St. Paddy's day. Your bartender, Janet will be cooking this for the members who come in that day. She will start serving at 4:00 PM.

... Everyone stay safe and have a wonderful month of March.

Liz Johnson

Canteen Manager

AUXILIARY

... Congratulations to us for making 100% membership ... this is **AWESOME**.

... Our Italian Night was another success. Thanks to all that came in to support the Auxiliary.

... Thanks to Yvonne and Karen for cooking the Lasagna and Ziti, Johnna and Kellie for the deserts, Jill and Tracie for the salads, Sonja and Jill for the decorations and set up, Pat for collecting the dinner money, Marilyn for helping with the serving and all of those on the cleanup process. If I missed anyone, my apologies.

... Congratulations to Squeek on winning the 50/50, and thank you so much for giving it back to us ... congratulations to Jimmy Joseph on winning the California Dreaming gift card. Thank you, Lucas Johnson, for getting that for us.

... We will be sending 2 girls to Girls State. I have the essays if anyone would like to read them and help with choosing them.

... We will discuss in our next meeting where we will meet once the building is torn down ... (little tears from my eyes).

Don't forget to buy your tickets for the awesome grille that was donated to us by Camping World.

6 tickets for \$5.00 or 15 tickets for \$10.00. We will draw the winner on Saturday, February 29th.

Jill Comar

Madam President

SAL

... I know what you all are thinking, he's gonna say that the SAL Oyster Roast with Chili for them that don't eat Oysters was the best they ever had, even though it hasn't happened as of yet. Well guess what, I'm not going to use my world-famous ESP to tell you any such thing (shock...gasp). What I will tell you is that you all have not seen are new and newest tables for the shucking. A world class effort by our own Jimbo will make this the most awesome roast ever by anybody this side of wherever. Of course, the oysters come from Carolina Seafoods and of course, Bulls Bay, will be the stars of the show, but just barely.

... Now along with the aforementioned Jimbo, Paul, Ned and Norm (that'd be me) Teresa, the bartenders, the band Suga T & Dave, and Reds homemade Chili and Vicki's Stew, and anybody else who are gonna help. Yes, this will be the best ever. And don't forget the winner of the 50/50 who is...

... On a side note, the SAL is at or above 106% renewed. Is that a word? Way to go guys. Our meeting is on the first Thursday of the month at 6 PM. However, after that, we may be meeting elsewhere because word has it that we finally going to get OUR NEW POST!

... Details to follow or they may be in the newsletter elsewhere.

Norman W. Meyer, Jr.

ALR

... At our February meeting it was voted to conduct our meetings by e-messaging during the Post renovation.

... The Pub on 61 has agreed to give all Post 179 members Happy Hour pricing at all times. Just show your current membership card. Biker friendly and plenty of parking. Considering weekend breakfast get togethers followed by a group ride.

... Congrats to Steve as our new Road Captain.





... Our ALR and Wreaths Across America flags are now road worthy.

Ride safe,

Tom Lynes

Director

AMERICAN LEGION POST 179
March 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	6:00 PM HONOR GUARD PRACTICE	2 DIGIT & LUCKY CHAIR TUESDAY	6:30 PM AUXILIARY MEETING 5 - 8 PM WING WEDNESDAY	6:00 PM SAL MEETING \$1 CAN BEER \$1 HOT DOGS		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
 Spring forward <small>Don't forget to set clocks ahead one hour at 2 a.m. Sunday.</small> DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS <small>SET CLOCK AHEAD ONE HOUR</small>		2 DIGIT & LUCKY CHAIR TUESDAY	5:30 PM CANTEEN MEETING 6:00 PM E-BOARD MEETING 5-8 PM WING WEDNESDAY	\$1 CAN BEER \$1 HOT DOGS		
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	6:00 PM HONOR GUARD PRACTICE	 2 DIGIT & LUCKY CHAIR TUESDAY	5:30 PM ALR MEETING 5-8 PM WING WEDNESDAY	\$1 CAN BEER \$1 HOT DOGS		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
		2 DIGIT & LUCKY CHAIR TUESDAY	5-8 PM WING WEDNESDAY	\$1 CAN BEER \$1 HOT DOGS		
29	30	31				
 NATIONAL VIETNAM WAR VETERANS DAY		2 DIGIT & LUCKY CHAIR TUESDAY				