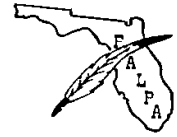


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From the Desk of the Commander

This month the nomination for Post Officers continues with elections in May this year because of the Department Convention being in June. Hope everyone gives serious thought to either running for office or nominating someone worthy of the position. It is a very important and time consuming thing to be an officer of the Post.

We have a lot going on in April to include a cleanup day planned for Saturday April 4th starting at 9:00 a.m. if you can help please come on out. Part of cleanup day will be planting the gardens next to the flag poles. Saturday the 11th of April we will be having an Easter Egg Hunt for all the children and grandchildren of the Post and after Chef Skip will be serving Philly Cheese Steaks for \$7.00. Check the calendar for the start time.

One last item I'd like to address is to say thank you to all the members be it Legionnaires, Auxiliary, SONS or guests who have donated their time, energy, and or money to help make our Post better then ever. I thank you but I also ask you to continue because we can't do it alone and we have many ideas on the horizon that will require your continued support. Remember that everything we do at the Post is to help improve it and our service to our Veterans and the Community.

For God and Country

Rob Davis
Commander



Way to go Son's!

On March 14th, our Son's Participated in the BBB Barbeque on Main Street in Crestview. We are proud to announce that they took 1st Place in the Pulled Pork Division and 5th Place for crowd favorite!

Congratulations!



*Excellent Veterans information found at
www.floridavets.org.index.asp*

First Vice Notes

A big "THANK YOU" goes out to everyone who helped with our February Steak Night. My Knights in shining armor are Bobby Suggs and Judy Chapman thank you for coming to the rescue on such short notice (head steak cook called in sick). Bobby Suggs stepped up to the plate and grilled some wonderful T-Bones. Linda Martens, always a great help, thank you for your assistance with set-up of the Hall, running the register and everything else that you did. Sharon Price, that lady can stay on top of washing dishes and I thank you. Judy Chapman thanks for everything you did which the list is too long to mention here. My mother Peggie Holleman who worked her heart out by running steaks, thank you from the bottom of my heart. Donna Hinesley, thanks for help with table set-up and wrapping potatoes. Linda Lysiak, thank you for all you did too. Diane Scheel thanks for the cornbread that you bring every month, yum, yum. And last but not least Cor Rob Davis, I thank you for everything you do every steak night. We served over 80 steaks and we received numerous good comments. March Steak Night was another success and once again I send out a big Thank you to Linda Martens, Peggie Holleman, Linda Lysiak for your dedicated support. Head Steak Cook Frank Jimison was back and he cooked some fine steaks once again, Thank You my dear.

It's a pleasure to serve my fellow veterans and their families a fine meal once a month but it doesn't stop there. Every Friday night a fine meal is provided alternating between Legionnaires the first Friday, our American Legion Riders serve on the second Friday, the Ladies of the Auxiliary host the third Friday, Sons of the American Legion the fourth Friday and months with a fifth Friday is Legion Family Night (something new we started in January, again alternating between everyone). So come join us on Friday nights for good food in a smoke-free environment in the Hall and be entertainment afterwards in our lounge area.

For God and Country
First Vice Commander, Debbie Jimison

Hub Booster Program

Thanks Boosters! A \$15.00 donation gets your name here! Email me at policewife@cox.net Our sponsors are:



Chef Skip (PPC) & Rolene Charest 7/09
Charlie & Rosi Brannan to 8/09
Billy Becknell(PC) to 11/09
Cmdr. Rob Davis to 11/09
Vincent Grund to 4/10



2nd Vice Notes

I am proud to announce the comedy show coming on May the 2nd. The two nationally touring comedians have appeared on Comedy Central, the Bob & Tom Radio Show, Satellite radio, Leno, Letterman and HBO.

Tickets are on sale so it's first come first served. Again, The Date, May 2nd, Time 8pm, Place, legion Hall.

On another note, we are getting request for Karaoke once again. As long as the membership will support this function we can continue to have entertainment such as Karaoke. We will have Karaoke on the 25th of this month so bring your friends and family out to have fun. "It's All Good" Horse shoe Tourney on May 3rd at 1 PM. Blind Draw Doubles, come out and play!

God Bless America, Rhino

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KITCHEN KAOS

April 5, 2009
1 PM – 5 PM

Spaghetti and Meatballs Dinner



Mound of Spaghetti covered with the best sauce in the Panhandle and meatballs

Served with garlic bread and salad

\$7.00

Events & Tourneys Open to Everyone!

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| April 1 st – Bike Nite 25cent wings | April 13 th – Dealer's Choice |
| April 4 th – Legion Family Clean Up | April 17 th – Aux. Dinner |
| April 5 th – Son's Breakfast
Kitchen Kaos – Spaghetti | April 20 th – Pool Touney |
| April 6 th – Dealer's Choice | April 22 nd – Ladies night |
| April 8 th – Ladies Night | April 24 th – Drunkin' Chicken |
| April 10 th – Shrimp/Crawfish | May 2 nd – Comedy Night |
| April 11 th – Philly Cheese Steak
Easter Egg Hunt | April 25 th – Free Crawfish Boil |
| | April 29 th – Geezer ride |
| | May 2 nd – Comedy Night |

Please check the calendar for time 77 more info on the events!

Tickets on sale NOW!

COMEDY NIGHT

May 2nd @ 8:00 PM in the Hall
Featuring Mike Weldon & Scott Bird



Mike Weldon

"Going to a Mike Weldon Show is like, having your own demented guide to the world where everything does not need to be taken so seriously!"



Scott Bird

"Scott's unique phraseology and twisted descriptions may just enter your own vocabulary if your not careful!"

Please purchase your tickets at the Legion in advance for \$15.00, limited seating available! Combo tickets available if you attend Steak Night on Friday the 2nd, you get dinner on the 1st & the Comedy Show tickets for the 2nd for \$25.00.

April Is Stress Awareness Month

For the 17th consecutive year, April 2009 has been designated Stress Awareness Month. During this thirty day period, health care professionals and health promotion experts across the country will join forces to increase public awareness about both the causes and cures for our modern stress epidemic.

Sponsored by The Health Resource Network (HRN), a non-profit health education organization, Stress Awareness Month is a national, cooperative effort to inform people about the dangers of stress, successful coping strategies, and harmful misconceptions about stress that are prevalent in our society.

"Even though we've learned a lot about stress in the past twenty years," says Dr. Morton C. Orman, M.D., Founder and Director of HRN, "we've got a long way to go. New information is now available that could help millions of Americans eliminate their suffering.

Dr. Orman has invited leading health care organizations across the country to develop and disseminate helpful educational materials and other information about stress during the month of April. He is also promoting public forums, discussion groups, and other informative community events.

The Health Resource Network is a non-profit health education organization established in 1982. It consists of health professionals, health promotion experts, and educators committed to developing more effective programs for improving health and preventing disease. In addition to sponsoring Stress Awareness Month, the organization also sponsors National Stress Awareness Day, held every April 16--or the day after income taxes are due!