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March 2021 Newsletter

2021 dues are due **now.** You can **renew your membership online** using a credit card: <u>Legion</u> – <u>American Legion Auxiliary</u> by mail or in person.

Headlines

Blind Draw Darts back again

We are restarting our **Wednesday Nigh**t Dart Tournaments this week at 7:00 pm. All health and safety protocols and regulations will be observed in the post.

Second Saturday Pancakes with the Commanders and President: 8 am to 11 am Free for all current members (but you buy your own drinks and sides).

Post Commander and Adjutants notes

NOTICE: We will be voting on the new Constitution and By-Laws at our March 18 2021 General Membership meeting at 1900hrs.

FROM THE COMMANDER

Does anybody remember "Murphy's Law". You know "whatever can go wrong – will". We were working our way through this pandemic then BOOM... a PolarVortex (snow storm),-- and then we had a water pipe burst and flood the kitchen and dining area. It just seems like it is one thing after another. But the Spirit of The American Legion and our Vets is still strong. There are some who believe that our Veterans are an "ENTITLED" group BUT these are the ones that do not know what real sacrifice means. If they spend time away from family or comfort, it is for the money, not for the good of the nation.

Our time of military service may be past, but always remember; you stood one day and raised your right hand and swore an oath. That oath did not have an expiration date. We all had different experiences in the military, but we all share a common bond. We don't give up and we don't leave a brother or sister behind. That is the heart and soul of The American Legion. One day we may have to close the door, but we will go down still fighting.

Commander David Fenn

Unit President and Secretaries notes

Hello from the Auxiliary President;

We had high hopes this year, but as luck would have it, here came Covid and then an Ice Storm. Hope all came thru well and safe. We are looking forward to getting things up and running again. I would love to hear from all the auxiliary members, no matter what the issues of the past. Let's open those lines of communication and work past all the problems. I am at the restaurant every Saturday..... COME LETS TALK.. Our meeting is the first Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm

Hope to see you there, President Roxan Faison

SAL Squadron and ALR Chapter notes

Due to pandemic and its impact on the post operating schedule we have temporarily rescheduled our meetings to the first Saturday of each month until further notice Sons of the American Legion Squadron 516 meeting 11:00 am Legion Riders Chapter 516 meeting at noon Weather permitting their will be a ride following the meeting

Post Historian and Hubmaster notes

Please <u>update your preferences</u> on the way you want your name in the newsletter and verify the Legion Family organization(s) you belong to.

Post 516 internet newsletter sign up form for new members or current members and friends not on the mailing list http://www.post516.org/NewMem.html

Links:

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Legion Diner news See our webpage for details.

Our restaurant is open Tuesday to Saturday from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm.

<u>Public Relations, Local and National Events</u> (<u>latest updates</u>)

March is the Month of the Military Caregiver

Mar 2 (Tuesday) – Auxiliary Meeting at 7:00 pm

Mar 3 (Wednesday) - Navy Reserve Birthday

Mar 4 (Thursday) – Post 516 Executive Board meeting at 7PM

Mar 5 (Friday) - Seabee Birthday

Mar 6 (Saturday) - SAL Squadron 516 meeting 11:00 am

Legion Riders Chapter 516 meeting at noon

Mar 13 (Saturday) – Pancakes - K 9 Veterans Day

Mar 14 (Sunday) - Daylight Saving Time begins

Mar 18 (Thursday) - Post 516 General Membership meeting at 7PM

Mar 17 (Wednesday) - St. Patrick's Day

Mar 20 (Saturday) – U.S. Submarine Veterans Cowtown Base meeting at noon

Mar 29 (Monday) - Vietnam Veterans Day

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| | | 7 pm 7 pm Auxiliary Unit 516 | 7 pm Darts | 7 pm 7 pm Executive Board | r ann to z pin | 12 noon Legion Riders |
| | 8 Post Closed | 9 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm | | 11 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm | | 13 / Diner 7 am to 2 pm pancakes |
| 14 Daylight Saving Time Begins Post Closed | 15 Post Closed | | 7 am to 2 pm | 18 7 am to 2 pm 7 pm Post Membership meeting | Diner open | 20 / Diner 7 am to 2 pm 12 noon Submarine Veterans Cowtown Base |
| | 22 Post Closed | | Diner open | 25 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm | Diner open | 27 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm |
| 28 Palm Sunday Post Closed | 29 Post Closed | | 7 am to 2 pm 7 pm Darts | for the latest ι | eck our <u>on lin</u> updates, links a | |
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