

From the Commander

Welcome, 2024!

There are lots of happenings around the club these days. Hopefully you are all staying healthy and warm after this last cold snap.

As with everything else, it seems like prices are going up. You don't need me to tell you that, but this has impacted our newsletter mailings. This will be the last month you will receive a paper copy of our newsletter. In the future, we will continue to email the newsletters or at least a link to our website to view it. We will also have a few in the club.

Enough administrative stuff, since we all enjoyed the Bingo for birds for Thanksgiving, we have decided to have a Ham Bingo for Easter. More details to come but mark your calendars for Sunday, March 10th.

The SAL is busy planning some exciting events. Make sure you are checking the calendar and stopping by to see what the current happenings are.

Your Commander
Angie Arreguin

From the Lounge

Happy February!!!!!

News from the lounge......

I am going to start out with a big cheer to everybody who signed up for the 1st Annual Betty Hall cribbage tournament!! The turnout has been wonderful. A total of 22 people will be battling it out for the bragging rights as winner...(even though everybody's a winner in my book!) It has been really fun watching the process.

There will be a pool tournament on February 24th starting at noon.

The date for the community yard sale unfortunately had to be postponed due to weather, however, the response from people was well received. So much as a matter of fact that we are thinking of possibly making this an annual event.

Super Bowl Sunday, February 11th, to the newsletter, we'll be open at 3:00 and having a potluck..

Tuesdays are slowly catching on with dice games in the lounge. Mark your calendars and come join us. You do not have to be present to win. Birthday night will be the 23rd, we will provide a turkey. Bring your favorite side dish.

Pancake breakfast will be on the 25th. Hope to see you there. Cheers from the lounge,

Cheers Lori Gates Club Manager

Auxilary News

Wow that was some cold weather! hope everyone stayed warm. We are hearing that some members may not have received their 2024 renewal notice from department. Not sure why but — Dues are due January 1st \$50.00 The cards for 2024 are yellow. Thank you to all those who have paid. And sorry to those who did not get a notice. We appreciate all our members.

This will be the last printed bulk mailed newsletter. Moving on into the world of emails. The auxiliary has done a great job collecting as many emails for the future newsletters. And yes, a few will be mailed out thru the postal snail mail. The newsletter is available at www.orcaslegion.org. If we do not have a current email for you, it can be sent to commander@orcaslegion.org or manager@orcaslegion.org. we are working toward a current up to date list

Mark your calendars as "Pancake Breakfast" is back. It was certainly missed for the Nov and Dec months. Best breakfast in town!

Cleaning out your clothes closet, Sequel will send the auxiliary revenue from your donations. When dropping off a bag mark it with our account # 1987. Thank you. This last Bazaar the Christmas room took in \$1354.00 from Christmas decorations that people have decided to part with. There are some real treasurers. This money goes directly into our Veterans programs. We will gladly accept your decorations for the next holiday bazaar.

February will be a Veterans to go meal but no meetings

Auxiliary President Patty Resch

Sons of the America Legion Post 93

Greetings,

We have reached February and that means we are to the second year of winter indoor cornhole. This year we are moving to Saturday nights. Tournament play will start at 5 pm and you must be there and sign up by 5:15 to play the evening tournaments. Dinner will be available for purchase from the SAL throughout the evening. The first night will be held on Feb 10. Dates of tournament play will be 2/10, 2/17, 3/2, 3/9, 3/16, 3/23.

This tournament was a great success last year and we hope to continue to keep pace this year. Other news, it is time for us to think about officers for this year. We are light on officers and meeting attendance. Currently we meet on the third Monday of the month at 6pm.

If we need to adjust the day or time or broadcast our meeting via zoom or conference call to help our attendance, I am happy to adjust with technology.

Next month's update will have the results from the cribbage tournament, thank you to Dave Hall and Jason Dean for bringing another new annual event to the post.

Meeting night February 19th at 6pm Thank you for your support,

Rich Harvey 360-298-0532, <u>lt29harvey@gmail.com</u> SAL Post 93

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FEBRUARY 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Groundhog Day	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10 Chinese New Year 5PM Cornhole Tour.
11 3PM SUPER BOWL SUNDAY	12	13 Mardi Gras	14 Valentine's Day 5:30:PM Post Meeting	15	16	17 5PM Cornhole Tour.
18	19 Presidents' Day 6PM SAL Meeting	20	21	22	23 Birthday Night	24 12 Noon Pool Tournament
25 Pancake Breakfast 8am-12PM	26	27	28	29		
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