Legion Post 93 April 2024 Newsletter



From the Commander

Greetings,

Heading into April is a great feeling. We start getting more sunshine, the flowers start to bloom and we get out and become more active coming out of winter. I look forward to seeing you all out and about, hopefully at our Post, either helping with clean-up and improvement projects or coming in for a tasty beverage.

Our club has done a great job making sure there is bar food every night, thank you! I have to say that I don't think I have had the same thing twice yet.

We had a good turnout for our first year of Easter Bingo or Bingo for Hams.. we are still working on the name. Thank you to those who came out and supported us and we look forward to putting some additional bingo games on the calendar.

We are starting to look at officers for our next fiscal year. Post members, please come in and participate on our board or at least attend a meeting so you know what we are doing within our community.

Look forward to seeing you all!

Angie Arreguin Commander

Post events: Executive Board/General Meeting Tuesday, April 10 th 1730





Happy April!!!!

Another Cornhole season has come and gone. It has been fun to watch and to see how this event has grown, not to mention the amazing prizes donated by our local merchants.

This month's birthday night lands on Friday 26th, The theme will be appetizers. The Club will be providing meatballs. Bring your favorite appetizer or desert.

The hall is getting rented regularly. Every weekend in April has been reserved!!!

If you are looking for somewhere to teach a class or have a meeting or gathering, how about the hall??? Plan ahead to reserve this space. Feel free to call me or just come by and I will do my best to accommodate your needs.

We will be hosting a pool tournament on April 20th. If you are interested in participating, there is a sign up sheet in the lounge. Cost is \$10.00 per person.

Happy Spring to all, Cheers, Lori Gates

Auxilary News

Thanks to Velma and Dick Doty for turkey pot pies and cookies for the March Veterans to go meal. If you would like to make cookies or help in any way, give a call. We do a meal each month.

We are very close to reaching our 100% membership goal. It is not to late to pay your dues for 2024.

The Scholarship Committee is working on details for our 2024 Awards that are given to graduating seniors. Each year the Auxiliary reaches out to our members and the community for donations to our "Scholarship Fund Raiser". These fund go directly into Scholarships. We appreciate your generosity. A check can be mailed to American Legion Auxiliary, 793 Cresent Beach Drive, Eastsound, WA 98245. Thank you

Meetings for April are Wednesday the 10th, at 5:00 board meeting, & 24th at 5:00 general meeting, anyone is more than welcome to attend all meetings. Hope to see you there.

Auxiliary President Patty Resch

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Sons of the America Legion Post 93

Welcome to the lighter side of the year,

As we come out of winter, we are completing our second year of indoor cornhole tournaments, which has become our most productive fundraising venture for the year. Playing on Saturday this year has led to less participants on a weekly basis, which means we will be reevaluating the night of play before next year. We were able to utilize the first membership drive for the year and host a chili cook-off on the 16 th of March combined with the cornhole tournament. This event was well attended both by businesses and people entering chili and a great crowd to come judge and enjoy the chili and the tournament. A huge thank you to Jason Dean for getting the word out and the contestants entered. Sean, Liam, Rich and Jason for working hard through the event. A giant thank you to Katie O, Jasmin, and Kayla for jumping in and saving us when we became victims of our own success and to Laura and Spring for working the club. We also had a couple of our members donate the prize money to chili competition which helped put more money in the coffers. Winners were Brad Siep 1st, Dave Klaus 2nd, and a three way tie of Rebecca, Kala and Mindy for 3rd place. We and the Auxiliary gained new members as well that night, adding to the success. This fundraising effort over the last two months will be close to covering our annual hard costs.

We will be taking April off from any SAL sponsored events. Next meeting night is April 15th at 6pm. That meeting will have the selection of scholarship committee, please come if you would like to be on that committee.

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