

Legion Post 93 Aug 2024 Newsletter



From the Commander

Greetings,

July has come and gone so quickly! We had a good turnout for the Pig Roast but we are thinking a change in the date may drive better sales due to so much happening in town. I want to thank all of the volunteers who spent time putting everything together as well as Rich and Robbie for smoking all of the meat. As well, as all of our patrons who came out to support us!

It takes volunteers to make our fundraisers and events happen. Again, I urge for you to speak up if you are willing to contribute your time to making our events successful. You can contact me at anytime at commander@orcaslegion.org to be included in a volunteer list.

We are looking to secure bids for a few projects that the Post is looking to complete. A list of current items we are looking at are: Installing ADA compliant handrails on entry/exit points, complete work on the exhaust hood to bring up to code, fix the roof in the kitchen and get the convection ovens up and running, inspection and possible fixing of the gutters. If you are interested in submitting a bid on one of these projects, please contact me at commander@orcaslegion.org as soon as possible. We would like to extend the opportunity to our members before we look for outside bids.

This last month we lost a fellow Post member, Henry McNeil. Henry was a Post member for 33 years and he will be greatly missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his family and friends.

Your Commander,
Angie Arreguin

From the Lounge

HAPPY AUGUST!!!!

I can't believe it's August already!!

Hope you're all enjoying the summer weather. It sure has been beautiful. Swing by on your way home and enjoy an ice cold beverage in the Outpost. Play a game of cornhole or horseshoes.

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Poker will be held on Tuesday 13th at 5 o'clock in the hall.
You can sign up in the lounge.
First, second, and third place winners will receive a portion of the pot.

We have decided to postpone the pool tournament until further notice.
We will try it again in a few months. If you're interested in participating, let me know. There is a sign up in the lounge.

Birthday night lands on Friday 23rd. The theme for this month will be "Camping". Bring your favorite side dish or desert.

Cheers from the lounge,
Lori Gates

Auxiliary News

Greetings!

Happy August!

Thank you to everyone who came to the Pig Roast to support the club. We could not have made it happen without Jasmin, Kala, Jo Ann, Connie, Lori and April! Thank you to Patty and Jan for making and donating desserts and Velma for the donuts!

Our August Meeting will be Wednesday the 21st at 5:30pm. We'd love to see more members there. Let me know if you would like a morning of reminder. You've likely gotten an email from Nationals about 2025 dues. We'll also be sending out personal reminders soon. You can pay online via Nationals, historically we've seen that take a bit longer to get the information that you've paid. You can also pay with cash or check at the meeting on the 21st or by mailing it to us or dropping it off at the club. You can also pay with a credit card at club.

The Friday Harbor Ladies Auxiliary has reached out to see if we want to collaborate with us on fundraisers and supporting our county community. To that end they've asked if we would run one of the days of the Ladies Auxiliary Hamburger Shack at the County Fair. The Fair runs from August 15th to 18th, if anyone is interested in helping out on Friday or Saturday let me know. They're happy to give us rides so we don't have to try to get vehicles on the ferry.

Katie O'Rourke
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From the Sons

August Newsletter

Summer is in full swing, which is the slower time for our squadron. At the last meeting it was decided not to meet in August as we don't have a large amount of business. Our next meeting will be the 3rd meeting of September 16th at 6 pm. We have been discussing adding a phone or zoom component to our meetings, if this would help you attend meetings and advance our squadron, please let me know. Our building committee has started meeting and working on advancing the projects that we collected money for this spring. Check the other sections of the newsletter to see what else is happening.

Reminder that the new fiscal year for the American Legion started in July. You may be starting to receive renewal notices. Please renew at the post or send the renewal to 793 Crescent Beach Drive. It is very difficult for us to track renewals done online. They also don't give us notice that you have renewed, Dues are still \$45 for 2025. Your 24 cards will work until December 31, 2024

Have a safe and enjoyable summer,

Rich Harvey
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