

FEBRUARY 2025

VOYLE B. MARTIN AMERICAN LEGION POST 93

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From The Commander

Greetings,

As we embrace the winter season, we want to remind everyone to stay safe and be prepared for colder temperatures. Please take extra care when traveling and dress warmly to stay protected from the elements.

Additionally, if you have borrowed any items from the kitchen, we kindly ask that you return them as soon as possible. Ensuring that all supplies are available for everyone helps us keep things running smoothly for all members.

We will have an All Units meeting on Wednesday, February 26th at 5:30 PM to discuss what 2025 looks like for our post. This is a great opportunity to talk about any ideas you have for fundraising or things around the club that you want to bring attention to.

Thank you for your cooperation and for being part of our community.

Stay warm and safe!

Angie Arreguin
Commander
commander@orcaslegion.org





Auxiliary

Greetings from the Auxiliary!

January has been very quiet for the Auxiliary. February's Veterans meals will be made February 11th. Reach out to Patty if you would like to help.

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, February 15th at 5:30pm. Please let me know if you'd like a reminder the Monday before.

Longtime Auxiliary Member Gloria Johnson passed away last month. We send our condolences to her family and friends. On February 17th there will be a service at the Episcopal Church, there will be a gathering following the service at the Club about noon.

The National Auxiliary is offering a \$2,000 scholarship for adults who would like to return to school. This is open to anyone who has been a member of the Legion, Auxiliary, or Sons since 2023 and is has paid their dues in 2025. You can find the application here if you are interested in applying: <https://legion-aux.formstack.com/forms/2025nontraditionalstudentscholarship>

They are also offering a \$5000 scholarship for children of warriors. Direct descendants of Veterans in their senior year of high school are eligible to apply. You can find the application here: https://legion-aux.formstack.com/forms/2025childrenofwarriors_nationalpresidentsscholarship

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SAL

February has come and with it our first fundraiser pushes for the year to benefit our SAL unit. The cribbage tournament has been progressing from the 24 competitors. Thank you to Dave Hall for keeping the brackets straight.

Fridays in February (except the 14th) and March we will be hosting indoor cornhole tournaments in the hall. These nights will have a bracket and prizes for the top two teams. The games are available to members and guests, we welcome guests, but they are required to be invited by a member and must leave if the member does. The evening games and dinner start around 5:30. Dates are Feb 7,21,28 Mar 7,14,21,28.

Also on those nights we will have dinners for sale at \$15/dinner. The SAL greatly appreciates your participation on these events. The funds help keep our scholarships going.

Next meeting is February 18th at 6 pm.

You may have seen some projects happening at the hall. We are in the process of replacing a door, fixing some rot and adding a handicap ramp to the north entrance. The other improvements in process are new handrails on all the entrances. The Post is in charge of the projects but a SAL thank you to Mark, Kieth, Rich for their contribution of labor, equipment and expertise.

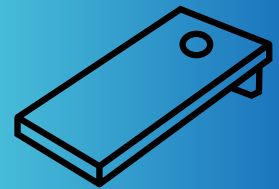
Volunteer work always helps keep the projects in budget.

If you have not received your 2025 membership card, I have yet to see dues. Please renew your membership at the club or mail it to us. If you renew your membership online it is very hard to track and the system does not inform us you have paid. If you have renewed online and can show me a receipt I will get you a card.

Thank you,
Rich Harvey 360-298-0532



WELCOME BACK!



CORNHOLE STARTS FEBRUARY 7TH @ 5:30 PM

FROM THE BAR

Welcome to February!!!!

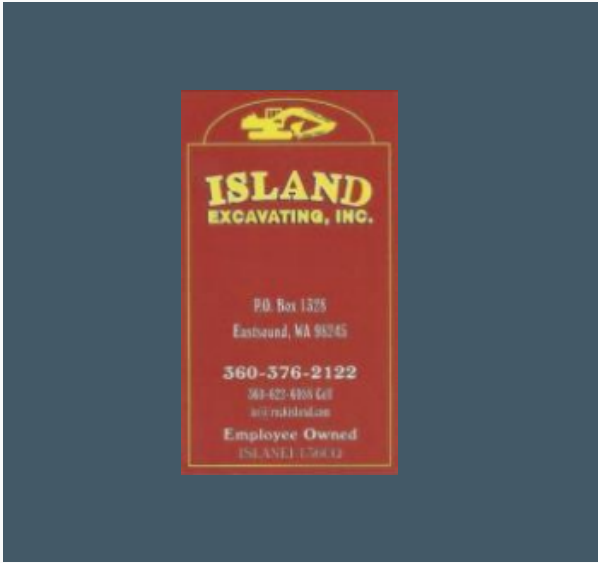
January came and went... Amazing.

A few things to remind you about.....

Poker in the lounge now happens twice a month starting this month. Dates for Feb. are 11 & 25th. Poker starts at 5:30 sharp. Dont be late!!!

We will be hosting a Superbowl Potluck on Sunday Feb.09. Please join us for the game. Lounge will open at 3:00, kick off is 3:30. Bring your favorite dish to share.

The cribbage tournament has been especially fun to watch this year. A big tip of the hat to David Hall for all of his time and effort he puts forward for this to run smoothly.





Stay warm,
Cheers!

Lori Gates
Manager :)

February

2025

BRIGHAM COUNTY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6 Braut Night	7 Cornhole	8
9 Superbowl potluck Lounge opens @ 3:00 pm	10	11 Poker @ 5:30 pm Veteran meals	12 Post Exec/ Membership Mtg @ 5:30 pm AUX Meeting @ 5:30 pm	13 Braut Night	14  Valentines Day	15
16	17 	18 SAL Meeting @ 6:00 pm	19	20 Braut Night	21 Cornhole	22
23 Pancake Breakfast 8-12	24	25 Poker @ 5:30 pm	26 All Units Meeting @5:30 pm	27 Braut Night	28 Cornhole	