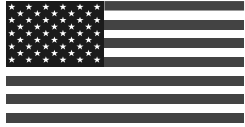




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Commander's Desk, *Jerry Lennemann*

We had election in May and the following are your new Officers. I want to thank Andy and all the other officers for all their hard work this past year.

Commander	Jerry Lennemann
S r Vice Cmdr	John Hyde
Jr Vice Cmdr	Jim Baginski
Finance Ofcr	Fred Lucas
Chaplain	John Parrish
Historian	Bret Timmons
Sgt at Arms	Bob Procknow
Adjutant	Andy Jaime
Service Officer	Sully Truesdell

Exec Cmt: Bob Arbutnot, Lum Houser
Jim Bourassa, Bob Smith, Andy Jaime
Trustees: Bud Brimhall, Bob Pierce

Sr. Vice Cmdr: *John Hyde*

Well our 2010 Elections are over and I thank you for electing me as your new Sr.Vice Commander. It will be hard to fill the big shoes Commander Jerry Lennemann left, but I will do my best and protect your trust in me and be responsive to any needs our Post may require.

Let us say a big Good Luck to our past Commander Andy Jaime and welcome the new Officers. Please give them your support so that they can perform their jobs for which they have been elected.

I will need the help of all our fantastic organizations, Auxiliary, SAL, Legion Riders and Legionnaires in order to recruit new members. Post 44 is our post and all the members should be active in getting the younger people to join.

We have a great Club with good food and some of the best entertainers in the valley. This is due to the fact the Club Manager and Staff care about the Post as well. Some of them are also members of our Post.

In the upcoming months there will be information on the new recruiting program as well as some events we would like to have over the summer months. This will be done on fliers that will be posted in the Club and on the bulletin boards.

We are combining our news letter to conserve funds and request again those that can submit your e-mail address to the office so you can start receiving the news letter on line.

**COREY AND ALL OUR VETS,
WE'LL LEAVE THE LIGHT ON**

Jr. Vice Commander – Jim Baginski

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Roman DiMeo, for a great year, as well as my fellow members for electing me to this office. I have asked the staff, to hand out a questionnaire to all of you that visit the Post.

This is your Post and I would appreciate your input, suggestions, concerns, and opinions about any issues you feel need to be addressed, continued, altered or discontinued. So, be sure to ask for one and fill it out! My goal is to assure that Post 44 will continue to welcome home the young men and women of our military with an environment that is equally appealing to ALL of our members, regardless of age. Let's bring the fun back to Post 44!

Up-Dates:

We are working to start Pull Tabs

Happy Hour Drink Specials are now -
Tuesday through Thursday - 4 - 7 PM
and Monday All Day

The Post will close on Sundays at 3 PM

Finger Food Specials posted on Board
every day except Saturday & Sunday

New Officers - Please help our new officers by volunteering wherever and whenever possible

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Name:

E-mail address

Auxiliary President - Carol Dustin

Here it is, June, and our 120 degree weather has returned. I suppose this is officially summer.

The big news is that your Auxiliary is going dark until September, so your officers can recharge their batteries and everyone, who is going out of town to visit relatives, can do so.

I am pleased to be your President once again who, with the help of all members, is looking forward to a new year.

Your new officers are:

President – Carol Dustin, and will take the VA&R and Music Chairs

VP – Open

2nd VP – Dixie Whittier, who will be working with others as a committee, so everything, is not on her responsibility. She's done a wonderful job over the years and I want to keep her.

Treasurer – Myra Schroot, who until we have a VP, will need to do Membership as well.

Chaplain – Peggy Arbuthnot

Historian – Joni Baginski

Sergeant at Arms – Marion Kirwan, who will also continue as Poppy Chairman

Executive Committee:

Avis Axtman

Sue Fay - who is also Community and Youth, and Girls State Chair. She is a very busy lady.

Joanne Smith

Secretary – Barbara Lesko

The opening for Vice President needs to be filled. This person would take over if the President was not able to fulfill her duties. She is also Membership Chair; a very important position. Please contact me personally if you would like any information regarding this office. Myra Schroot knows more about this than anyone.

In the upcoming year, we hope to have more speakers to liven things up and will also do a lot of work in committees. We are all members and we need to share the load.

We will be working along side of our Legion Post, the Sons and Legion Riders. I hope to meet with their officers this summer to plan the upcoming year.

I would like to thank Bunny Hamilton for her many years of service and will look forward to having her with us, without all the responsibilities on her shoulders. In Service to God and Country,

**Meeting Rooms Available for Rent
Great Prices and Food**

S.A.L. Commander – KC Holt

Greetings fellow Sons. It is with great excitement, I am able to introduce to all of you the new officers for our Sons of the American Legion, here at Post 44.

Commander – Kevin “KC” Holt

First Vice Commander – Ron Pierce

Second Vice Commander – Allan Sheets

Finance Officer – Mike Smith

Chaplain – Ed Wallace

Historian – Scott Harris

Sergeant at Arms – Brandy Shaw

All of the new officers would like to thank Scott Harris for a job well done.

The monthly meeting for the Sons has been changed to the fourth Monday of every month at 7:15 pm. Our first meeting will be July 26th.

If you are a Sons member and you haven't been to a Sons meeting in awhile, now is the time to attend. With new faces and new ideas, I would like to invite all of you to be a part of helping us make this Squadron, more beneficial to our community's veterans, their children and their families and to have a great time doing so. I look forward to meeting you all and I can also be contacted via our email, kcsal44@hotmail.com

**Buy a Brick
in the Memorial Wall
\$100.00**

**Great Gift for someone who doesn't
need anything.**

American Legion Riders - Joni Baginski, Secretary

The 2nd Annual ALR campout was held in Tombstone AZ this past weekend, and it was quite a success. Riders from all over Arizona were greeted with banners all around the town. AZALR president John Moffit was the recipient of a “surprise lynching” by a judge, two ladies of questionable character, and a couple of sheriffs all dressed in traditional “old west” clothing. It was fun.

Congratulations to ALR Director, Jim Baginski Post 44's new Jr. Vice Cmdr., ALR event Coordinator, Jim Bourassa E-board, Bret Timmons, Post 44's newest Historian & E-board member and K.C. Holt Post 44's new S.A.L Cmdr.

We are proud of all of you! Monday July 19th, get out of the heat & come join us for “bike night” 6-9pm with live music, raffles, 50/50, food and drink specials. We welcome ALL Legionnaires, Auxiliary and S.A.L. members to join us! Stay cool and have a safe summer! Never ride faster than your angel can fly!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR JULY-AUGUST

July	Aug			
8	12	Thursday	E-Board Meeting	7:00 PM
12	9	Monday	Reach Out With Music - 9 AM meet @ Post to Car Pool to Vets Home	
13	10	Tuesday	American Legion Riders Meeting	7:00 PM
19	16	Monday	Auxiliary 6:00 E-Board - Gen Meeting	7:00 PM
22	26	Thursday	Post General Meeting	7:00 PM
26	23	Monday	SAL Meeting	7:15 PM

Mon. Thur. & Sat. - Euchre (Fun - Fun) - 1:30 PM

Wednesdays - Bridge - 1:00 PM - Call 480-991-4524

Sundays - Trivia - (on vacation till Sept. 12)

Happy Hour

Tues. through Thurs. Discounted drinks from 4 - 7 PM. and all day on Monday.

Trivia Notice - On Summer Vacation - we will return Sunday, September 12, 3:00 PM

EUCHRE

We play Euchre here Mon. Thurs. & Sat. starting at 1:30. It is fun and a great way to meet people.

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SATURDAY BREAKFAST SERVED
10:00 AM - NOON

SOUP SERVED ALL DAY
MON-SAT

JULY 2010



LEGION POST #44
DINNER & SUNDAY BREAKFAST MENU

DINNER SERVED MON 5:00 PM
TUES, WED, THURS, SAT
5:00 - 8:30 PM

FRI FISH FRY 5:00 - 8:00 PM
SUN BRUNCH 10 AM - 1 PM

CLUB HOURS MON-SAT
10 AM - 10 PM
SUNDAY 10 AM - 3 PM

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Happy Hour Drinks 4-7 Tues-Thurs		1 PORK PICATTA LEMON CHICKEN	2 ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY BOBBY & CARLOTTA WHEELER	3 PRIME RIB LAMB SHANKS FISH DEJOUR MIKE
4 EGGS BENNY POTATO PANCAKES	5 CHILE DOGS MEAT LOAF Happy Hour Drinks All Day	6 \$9.00 SIRLOIN STEAK \$6.00 LIVER & ONIONS	7 FILET MIGNON LEMON CHICKEN MUSIC	8 CHEESE RAVIOLI CHICKEN PARMESAN	9 ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY BOBBY & CARLOTTA WHEELER	10 PRIME RIB CHICKEN PICATTA FISH DIGOUR MIDNIGHT MOOM
11 GRAND MARINER FRENCH TOAST	12 CHILE DOGS CHICKEN & DOMPLINGS Happy Hour Drinks All Day	13 \$9.00 SIRLOIN STEAK \$6.00 LIVER & ONIONS	14 FILETS CHICKEN ALFREDO MUSIC	15 CAJUN CATFISH FETTUCINI ALFREDO	16 ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY MIKE MOORIS	17 PRIME RIB CHICKEN ALFREDO FISH DIJOUR MIKE
18 EGGS BENNY SOS	19 CHILI DOGS CHICKEN & DUMPLINGS Happy Hour Drinks All Day	20 \$9.00 SIRLOIN STEAK \$6.00 LIVER & ONIONS	21 FILETS SHRIMP ALA VODKA MUSIC	22 FISH & CHIPS CHICKEN MARSALA	23 ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY MESQUITE	24 PRIME RIB BEEF KABOBS FISH DIJOUR MIKE
25 FARMERS OMELETTE SILVER DOLLAR PANCAKES	26 CHILI DOGS BEEF TIPS Happy Hour Drinks All Day	27 \$9.00 SIRLOIN STEAK \$6.00 LIVER & ONIONS	28 FILETS STUFFED PORK LOIN MUSIC	29 SPAGHETTI/MEAT SAUCE STEAK DIANE	30 ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY JOEY EBACH	31 PRIME RIB SHRIMP KABOBS FISH DIJOUR JACK ALVES

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Good Meals and Great
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MOST WED'S, FRI'S & SAT'S



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Wings, Pot. Skins,
Shrimp Cocktail,

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8 FARMERS OMELETE SOS	9 CHILI DOGS BEEF TIPS Happy Hour Drinks All Day	10 \$9.00 SIRLOIN STEAK \$6.00 LIVER & ONIONS	11 FILET SCALLOPS MUSIC	12 CHICKEN STIR FRY PASTA	13 ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY MIKE MORRIS	14 PRIME RIB BBQ RIBS MIKE
15 EGGS BENNY LOX & BAGELS	16 CHILI DOGS MEAT LOAF Happy Hour Drinks All Day	17 \$9.00 SIRLOIN STEAK \$6.00 LIVER & ONIONS	18 FILET TILAPIA MUSIC	19 STEAK DIANE LASAGNA	20 ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY JACK ALVES	21 PRIME RIB STEAK DIANE FISH DIJOUR BONNIE LOU
22 SOS GRAND MARINER FRENCH TOAST	23 CONEY DOGS STUFFED CABBAGE Happy Hour Drinks All Day	24 \$9.00 SIRLOIN STEAK \$6.00 LIVER & ONIONS	25 FILETS FRIED SHRIMP MUSIC	26 LEMON CHICKEN CHEESE RAVIOLI	27 ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY MIKE	28 PRIME RIB STUFFED PORK LOIN FISH DIJOUR BOBBY & CARLOTTA
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