# Roll Call

## AN ALL AMERICAN POST

## VFW Post 3783





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## Commander's Corner

Greetings Post 3783 friends and family!

2020 is here! I apologize for not getting a Newsletter put out last month. Time got away from me and I did not get my submission in before my family and I went on vacation. I hope everyone had a great holiday time!

January was nice for taking a break after the hectic pace we have kept at the Post the last few months, but rest time is over! Please join us for our Super Bowl party and bring your best chili to compete in the Chili Cook-off! If you win, you walk away \$50 richer!

The following weekend is the North County Veterans Stand Down. This year we will be cooking the Saturday meal, February 8<sup>th</sup>, in-



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stead of the Sunday meal. Please contact Doug Scholl if you would like to help or just want more information for this event.

Valentine's week has our Post Auxiliary preparing their delicious candy boxes. Please be sure to get one for somebody you love, or treat yourself to some goodies.

As previously mentioned, we are asking members of the Post and the Auxiliary to join our Solar Committee. If you would like to help in the Solar endeavor for our Post, please join our team! The first meeting will be held on Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. We need assistance with researching grant paperwork, creating fundraiser ideas, and in gathering quotes for work which needs to be done prior to the install.

Thank you all for the hard work you do and I look forward to seeing you around the Post!

Alexis Henshaw, Post Commander





## House Committee

Greetings from the House Committee,

We will continue to offer a chance to save you some money! Look for posted drink specials as we rotate our liquor stock. These special prices will include concoctions/mixes to please you taste buds.

There will be several upcoming fundraisers for our Scout Troops. Please support those as you can.

Please see the Canteen Manager's article regarding egg cooks.

If you have any questions concerning these items, or any other items for the House Committee, please let me know.

Larry Burns, Senior Vice Commander

## Quartermaster

Greetings,

Happy New Year! We already have a great start to 2020, membership is currently at 95% and an additional 27 new members or renewals will push the Post over 100%. If you know someone who served honorably and meets eligibility requirements, please recommend they submit a membership application and encourage our annual members to renew their membership before they expire.

We've had good attendance over the past two Hamburger meals. These proceeds go to bolster the Post's General Fund. We use the General Fund to support our local organizations (Scouting, NJROTC, Athletic and Youth Development programs, community service organizations, etc...). We will begin conducting our 50/50 raffle drawings more frequently to help increase this fund. This, in turn, will allow us to provide further support to our local organizations. If you are interested in assisting with these 50/50 drawings, please contact our Junior Vice Commander (Gwen Stalcup), Senior Vice Commander (Larry Burns), Post Commander (Alexis Henshaw), or myself.

Additionally, we conduct monthly House Committee raffle baskets (on the back of the Canteen bar). Funds received from these baskets contribute to our Post Solar Fund. Please consider contributing to help us reach our goal as soon as possible.

We will be coordinating a Solar Committee comprised of both Post and Auxiliary members familiar with writing/ submitting grants, obtaining job site permits, and familiarity with the construction of the structure chosen to hold the solar system. If you are interested in becoming part of the Solar Committee, please contact any member of our House Committee.

DJ Henshaw, Quartermaster

## Ir. Vice Commamnder

Greetings from the Kitchen,

Starting February 2<sup>nd</sup>, The Post will start serving breakfast from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. That's breakfast starting at 8:00 a.m.!!!. Come join us for our Meat Lover's Breakfast and hang out for Superbowl LIV. We will also be having our Chili Cook-off which starts at 3:00 p.m. Look for the flyer in this Newsletter.

We are still looking for someone to take over the Prime Rib meal. This meal is the first Saturday of every month. If you'd like to volunteer to cook this meal or help with any other meal, please contact me.

*Gwen Stallcup*, Junior Vice Commander

## Vietnam Veteran Name Finder



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First click on a state. When it opens, scroll down to the city where you went to high school and look at the names. Click on a name and it will give details of the person's death, a picture, or at least their bio and medals.

This really is an amazing web site! Someone spent a lot of time and effort to create it. I hope that everyone who sees this appreciates what those who served in Vietnam sacrificed for our country.

Please pass this link on to others, as many knew wonderful people whose names are listed.



### Auxiliary Chaplain

Greetings,

One (1) sympathy card was sent out as well as one (1) thinking of you card.

Three (3) coins were handed out to former military members and one to an active member at the Rib Dinner.

More information will be forthcoming regarding our deceased comrade, Doris Ward.

Be kind to one another,

Cheris Anthony, Auxiliary Chaplain

## From the Clubhouse

If you would like to volunteer to either cook or assist in cooking a meal, please let me know. We are still in dire need of egg cooks for breakfast on Sunday mornings.

The reefer, freezer, and dry storage pantry need to stay clean and organized. Ensure all items used are placed back where you found them in order to maintain these storage areas. This will assist when placing orders. (Not ordering new items when there is already a stock of said items. This increases our cost as well as doubles up on the stocked items)

Recycle bins are for use as follows: small bin is for glass and large bin is for cardboard. Please do not mix them up.

Please continue to notify me of the items you need for your planned meals. Orders are placed on Wednesdays for a weekend delivery.

Volunteers, if there are any items left from your meal which need to be placed in the freezer, please write the date and how many of the items you are bagging on a card and place the card inside the bag you are using. Then place the bag in the walk-in, reach-in, or freezer.

Free dinners, drawn in November, to be used during the month of December:

Ron Underwood Violet Roman

#### Katie Budzenski, Clubhouse Manager

## From the Editor

Articles for the March Newsletter will be due by noon on Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please ensure your submissions are emailed to pao@vfw3783.org or blug8r@gmail.com.

Check out our Post website at <u>Post 3783</u> (http://www.vfw3783.org/di/vfw/v2/default.asp) or our Facebook page. Check out our <u>Post FB Page</u> too. (https://www.facebook.com/VFW-Post-3783-Ramona-CA-205428942824592/)

Advertisers, the date below your business card is the expiration date for your paid year. Please see D.J. Henshaw or myself if you are interested in continuing to sponsor our Newsletter. The timeline for sponsorship is typically July 1<sup>st</sup> through June 30<sup>th</sup> of the year you are paying. However, if your sponsorship begins off-cycle, your ad will be placed with the expiration date as one year from your sponsorship payment. Please welcome Kimberly Rivas, our new sponsor from Bella Mia Salon.

Quotes for this month are from those born in February:

"At the end of the day, I let myself have a glass of wine." ~ Jane Seymour

"Everybody deserves a fresh start every once in a while." ~ **Bugsy Siegel** 

"Government's first duty is to protect the people, not run their lives." ~ Ronald Reagan

"My standard comment is, 'If you don't want your kids to be like Bart Simpson, don't act like Homer Simpson." **~ Matt** Groening

"As a man, I've been representative of the values I hold dear. And the values I hold dear are carryovers from the lives of my parents." ~ *Sidney Poitier* 

"Experience teaches us that it is much easier to prevent an enemy from posting themselves than it is to dislodge them after they have got possession." ~ George Washington

"We the people are the rightful masters of both Congress and the courts, not to overthrow the Constitution but to overthrow the men who pervert the Constitution." ~ *Abraham Lincoln* 

Thank for your continued support of this Newsletter. Please let me know if you have any ideas on how to improve it.

Larry Burns, Newsletter Editor









## VFW Post 3783 Super-bowl



February 2, 2020 Starting at 3:00 p.m.





\$50.00 prize for the best chili!







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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Please RSVP for Saturday night dinners @ (760) 789-7888 (Either 6:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m.) Sunday breakfast is from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.						1 Prime Rib Si 16.00
2 Meat Lover's Breakfast	3 <b>Chili Dog</b>	4 Every Tuesday is TACO TUESDAY 12 till gone \$3.00	5 Soup of the day	6 Rigatoni Sigatoni	7 Fish & Chips \$10.00	8 Porkers \$12.00
9 Steak & Eggs Eggs \$12.00	10 Chili Dog	11 Every Tuesday Is TACO TUESDAY 12 till gone \$3.00 Aux Meeting 7:00 p.m.	12 Soup of the day	13 Pulled Pork	14 Burgers & Fries \$7.00	15 STEAK STEAK \$16.00
16 Chicken Fried Steak	17 <b>Chili Dog</b>	18 Every Tuesday is TACO TUESDAY 12 till gone \$8.00	19 Soup of the day \$3.00 House Meeting 6:00 p.m. Post Meeting 7:00 p.m.	20 <b>Rigatoni</b> () () () () () () () () () () () () ()	21 Burgers & Fries \$7.00	22 RIBS (\$12.00
23 Pancakes	24 Chili Dog	25 Every Tuesday is TACO TUESDAY 12 till gone \$8.00	26 Soup of the day E8.00	27 Pulled Pork	28 Burgers & Fries \$7.00	29 Meatloaf or Liver & Onions \$12.00





## **Calling all Candy Makers and Helpers**

It is that time of year for our Valentine's Day Candy fund raiser. If you can help us out, or need more information, please drop BeeBee an email. We need some handmade candy and help with arranging the sale boxes. Target date for candy and setup for sale is February 7<sup>th</sup> 2020 9:00 at the VFW, Ramona.

BeeBee Wilson: sunflowerbeebee2@gmail.com

or call (760) 445-5322







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## Sunflower Candy Shop Open for Business



Sale begins

Friday, February 7th 2020

(until all is gone!)

## Valentine Day Event 2020

Wonderful Homemade Candies for you and your sweetie!!!



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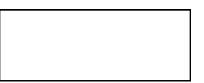
Chartered November 17, 1957

Ramona's PFC Archie G McArthur, of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion, 337<sup>th</sup> Infantry, "K" Company, was killed in action near the German "Gothic Line" (near Florence, Italy) on September 19, 1944, and is the namesake of our VFW Post



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