



American Legion
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Monthly Bulletin

April 2013

Post 39 Officers

Legion	Auxiliary	SAL
Commander Sharon O'Donnell	President Annie Walters	Commander Rick Leider
1 st Vice Commander Jess Kinney	Vice President Amanda Strzyzewski	Vice Commander George Vahsholtz
2 nd Vice Commander Richard Pettey	Secretary Nancy Kowalski	Adjutant Finance Officer Randy Walters
Adjutant Ron Lacroix	Treasurer Susan Roeth	Sergeant-at-Arms Mitch Routon
Finance Officer Mike Frye	Chaplain Ann Foster	
Chaplain Al Lamphere	Sergeant-at-Arms Carolyn Jannuzzi	
Sergeant-at-Arms Gene Pacheco		

Executive Committee

Tom Rebb
 Clint Rozell
 Tom Coca
 Alex Thornberry
 Bernie Frakes

Bar Manager

Ron Lacroix

Post Judge Advocate

George Vahsholtz



Hours of operation:

- Saturday and Sunday: 1pm to closing
- Monday, Thursday and Friday: 2pm to closing
- Tuesday and Wednesday: Post closed



American Legion Post 39 News and Happenings

Next General Membership meeting is Wednesday, April 17, at 7:30pm.

Next meeting of the Executive Board is Tuesday, April 9, at 6:30pm.



Nominations for Post 39 officers for the coming year were held during the General Membership meeting in March. Elections will be held at the April 17 general membership meeting. Your input and participation is welcomed and needed for the good of the Post. The nominees are:

Post Officers

- Commander – Sharon O'Donnell
- 1st Vice Commander – Richard Petty
- 2nd Vice Commander – Alex Thornberry
- Adjutant – Ron Lacroix
- Finance Officer – Mike Frye
- Chaplain – Al Lamphere
- Sergeant at arms – Gene Pacheco



Executive committee

- Tom Rebb
- Clint Rozell
- Tom Coca
- Mark Coakley
- Bernie Frakes

Candidates for Boys State and Girls State, the American Legion signature educational programs to recognize outstanding young people, are urgently needed. Please contact Chaplain Al Lamphere, or any Post officer, with the name of candidates for consideration.

American Legion National Commander, Jim Koutz, will be in Colorado Springs on Tuesday, April 16. Post 209 is hosting a luncheon with the National Commander at 12:30pm. Contact Post 209 Commander Jay Bowen at 574-1223 to RSVP if you are interested in attending. Post 209 is located at 3613 Jeannine Drive in Colorado Springs.

Our sincere condolences, sympathy and best wishes go out to the family of Legionnaire Jess Kinney. Sarah Kinney's mother recently passed away in March. Contact Jess or any Post officer for further information.

Initial planning has begun for Post 39's annual flag placement and cemetery cleanup at Manitou Springs cemetery on May 25, the Saturday before Memorial Day. Legion volunteers needed again this year to make it as successful, fun and as fulfilling as in the past. Additional info to come as we get closer to Memorial Day.

Post Spring cleanup is tentatively scheduled for late April or early May. Volunteers needed and appreciated.



Thanks to Manitou Storage for their continued support of Post 39.



Auxiliary Angle

Next Auxiliary meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 3, at 7pm.



Nominations for Auxiliary officers will be held at the April 3rd meeting. Elections and installations will take place at the May meeting.

The auxiliary is working on 2 projects – care boxes and pillows (just a new regular size pillow) for our soldiers that are deployed. The post members can drop off pillows and/or care box donations (supplies suggested: dryer sheets, body soap (men & women), toothpaste, deodorant, toothbrush, hand sanitizer, laundry soap, calling cards, candy bars, hard candy, pudding cups, music CDs, movies, pens, pencils, writing paper).






















SAL News

Next scheduled meeting of Post 39 Sons of the American Legion is Wednesday, April 10, at 7pm.

This monthly bulletin is posted on the Post 39 Legion website at www.manitoulegion.org. Please contact E Board member, Tom Coca, tecoca@msn.com, 719 633-7519, if you would like your e-mail address added to the distribution list, or, if you have any questions or suggestions for improvement. A hard copy version of the Bulletin is also available on-site at the Post.

Monthly Planner

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1  Flying Aces Free Poker 6:30pm	2 Post closed	3  Auxiliary meeting 7pm Officer nominations Post closed	4  Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	5  TGIF Post opens @ 2pm	6  Post opens 1pm Sat night poker 6:30pm
7  Post opens at 1pm	8  Flying Aces Free Poker 6:30pm	9  Executive committee meeting 6:30pm Post closed	10  SAL meeting 7pm Post closed	11  Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	12  TGIF Post opens @ 2pm	13  Post opens 1pm Sat night poker 6:30pm
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