



American Legion
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 Monthly Bulletin

April 2014

Post 39 Officers

Legion	Auxiliary	SAL
Commander Sharon O'Donnell	President Annie Walters	Commander Rick Leider
1 st Vice Commander Richard Pettey	Vice President Amanda Strzyzewski	Vice Commander
2 nd Vice Commander Alex Thornberry	Secretary Nancy Kowalski	Adjutant Finance Officer Randy Walters
Adjutant Ron Lacroix	Treasurer Mary Rebb	Sergeant-at-Arms Mitch Routon
Finance Officer Mike Frye	Chaplain Rose Rozell	
Chaplain Al Lamphere	Sergeant-at-Arms Rose Rozell	
Sergeant-at-Arms Gene Pacheco		

Executive Committee

Bar Manager

Post Judge Advocate

Tom Rebb
 Clint Rozell
 Tom Coca
 Bernie Frakes
 Mark Coakley

Ron Lacroix

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 16.

Executive Board will meet on Tuesday, April 8.

Nominations for Post Officers for the coming year took place during the General Membership meeting on March 19. Elections will be held during the next General Membership meeting on April 16. Nominees are:

Post Officers

- Commander – Alex Thornberry
- 1st Vice - Tom Coca
- 2nd Vice – Ron Lacroix
- Adjutant – Sharon O’Donnell
- Finance Officer – **Open**
- Chaplain – Al Lamphere
- Sergeant-at-Arms – Max Klinger

Executive Board

- Bernie Frakes
- Roger Stahlik
- Mike Reisinger
- Mike Strzyzewski



The Post 39 Useful Public Service Committee is almost a year old now and is proving to be a very successful community service program. The Post benefits as the recipient of hundreds of hours of labor for maintenance, cleaning and repairs. Soon, we plan to branch out into the community for additional projects. The committee has also been very successful in distributing food to needy families as well as raising funds for the Post as part of the program.

The UPS program receives positive feedback from the courts, as well as from clients in the program. In fact, Front Range Community Services requested us to expand the program, but without further volunteers to help manage the work projects, the program can't grow. **Jess Kinney, George Vahsholtz, and Randy Walters** handle the lion's share of running the program. Terry Salsgiver, Rick Leider, Tom Rebb and Tom Coca also lend a hand. If you can help, please contact one of the team listed above.



Auxiliary Angle

Next regular Auxiliary meeting will be on Wednesday, April 2, at 7:00pm.

Thank you very much to all the Auxiliary, SAL and Legion members that "toughed it out" and helped out during the barbecue/fundraiser during the Mardi Gras parade on March 1. The cold and snow made it especially challenging.



SAL News

Next meeting of the Sons of the American Legion is Saturday, April 5, at 11am.

SAL meets first Saturday of the month at 11am.

This monthly bulletin is posted on the Post 39 Legion website at www.manitoulegion.org. Please contact 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 to the bulletin. A hard copy version of the Bulletin is also available on-site at the Post.

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Monthly Planner

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Post closed	2  Auxiliary meeting 7pm Post closed	3  Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	4  TGIF	5  SAL meeting 11am UPS committee 10am Sat night poker 6:30pm
6  Post opens 1pm	7  Flying Aces Free Poker 6:30pm	8  E board meeting 6:30pm Post closed	9 Post closed	10  Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	11  TGIF	12 Sat night poker 6:30pm 
13  Post opens 1pm	14  Flying Aces Free Poker 6:30pm	15 Post closed	16  General Membership meeting 7:30pm Post closed	17  Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	18 Good Friday	19 Sat night poker 6:30pm 
20   Easter Sunday Post opens 1pm	21  Flying Aces Free Poker 6:30pm	22 Post closed	23 Post closed	24  Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	25  TGIF	26 Sat night poker 6:30pm 
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