



American Legion
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Monthly Bulletin
 March 2015

Post 39 Officers

Legion	Auxiliary	SAL
Commander Alex Thornberry	President Annie Walters	Commander Rick Leider
1 st Vice Commander Tom Coca	Vice President Amanda Strzyzewski	1 st Vice Commander George Vahsholtz
2 nd Vice Commander Ron LaCroix	Secretary Rose Rozell	2 nd Vice Commander Bill Kine
Adjutant Sharon O'Donnell	Treasurer Mary Rebb	Adjutant Randy Walters
Finance Officer Mark Coakley	Chaplain Nancy Kowalski	Sergeant-at-Arms Terry Salsgiver
Chaplain Al Lamphere	Sergeant-at-arms/Historian Krystal Heun	
Sergeant-at-Arms Max Klingler		

Executive Board

Tom Rebb
 Bernie Frakes
 Mike Reisinger
 Roger Stahlik
 Mike Strzyzewski

Bar Manager

Ron Lacroix

Judge Advocate

George Vahsholtz



- Saturday and Sunday – 1pm to closing
- Monday, Friday – 2pm to closing
- Thursday – 4pm to closing
- Closed on Tuesdays and Wednesdays



Post 39 News and Happenings

Commander's Corner

Greetings Fellow Legionnaires,

I would like to take a moment and thank everyone involved in putting on our Mardi Gras event this past month. From decorating the Post, to setting up, cooking, and cleaning up afterwards, it was a huge success. It is through the hard work of everyone involved that we were able to put on these types of events. There was a ton of positive feedback from the public and we were thanked by many for doing our part to enhance their experience. Thank you again to everyone who pitched in.

This month the Post is putting on a St Patrick's Day themed party for our members. It will be held on March 14th. We will be cooking corned beef and cabbage and having some green beer. I'm confident there will be some other drink specials available as well. I invite each of you to come by, enjoy the camaraderie, and take advantage of what the Post has to offer. If anyone would like to help support this event, please let it be known. We can use all the help we can get.

March is nominations month for the election of Post Officers. Bernie Frakes has volunteered to be the Chairman of the Nominations Committee again this year. Nominations can either be presented to him before the March membership meeting or they can be made from the floor at that meeting. We have a great group of people who are active in the Post now and I encourage all of them to continue to support the Post. Anyone wishing to take a more active role in the Post's administration can do so by running for any Officer slot or running to fill any of the Executive Board positions up for election this year. I've said it before and will again, the Post will only be as good as we make it.

For God and Country,

Alex Thoruberry

Commander



- Proceeds from the Mardi Gras fundraiser will go to the Citizen Soldier Connection at Fort Carson.
- American Legion District 7 officers attended the general membership meeting on Feb 18. District Commander Jay Bowen reminded members present regarding Legion Officer Nominations, at all levels, will be taking place during the month of March.
- District 7 Color Guards are available for Posts without a color guard.
- Post 39 was cited for membership renewal attainment.
- Legion Riders are close to electing officers for a Post 39 Riders Chapter



Auxiliary Angle

- Auxiliary membership meeting Wednesday, March 4 at 7pm.
- Nominations for Auxiliary Officers will take place at the March 4 meeting. Elections will take place next month. If interested in running for office, please contact Annie at 719-649-8645.



SAL News

- There is not a regularly scheduled SAL membership meeting in March.


In March 2010, Lance Corporal Ryan Alderman of the British Army visited Post 39. He deployed to Afghanistan September 2010 and carried a license plate from Post 39 with him and his unit to a forward operating base in Afghanistan. Our Post is honored to have hosted Corporal Alderman and his friends.





Monthly Planner

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Post opens 1pm	2 Monday night poker 6:30pm	3 Post closed	4  Auxiliary meeting 7pm	5 Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	6 TGIF	7 Sat night poker 6:30pm
8 Post opens 1pm Daylight savings time begins	9 Monday night poker 6:30pm	10 E-board 6:00pm Post closed	11 Post closed	12 Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	13 TGIF	14 St. Patrick's Day BBQ Sat night poker 6:30pm
15 Post opens 1pm	16 Monday night poker 6:30pm	17 Post closed St. Patrick's Day	18  General Membership Meeting 7:30pm	19 Texas hold 'em 6:30pm	20 TGIF First day of Spring	21 Sat night poker 6:30pm
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