

November 2019



November Events

- Nov 2 Hamburger, Hot Dog, Bingo Night 6:00 PM
Nov 5 E-board 6:00 PM
Nov 7 Steak or Salmon 6:00 PM
Nov 12 Pot luck 6:15PM; Post meetings 7:30 PM
Nov 14 Taco feed 6:00 PM
Nov 16 Early Bird Dinner 6:00 PM
Nov 21 Steak or Salmon 6:00 PM

DEC Meetings

- Fall 2019-October 5&6 Lebanon
Winter 2020-January 10-12 Eugene
Spring 2020-April 3-5 La Pine

District 1 Meetings

Sept 7- JH Wellington #42 @Moose Lodge in
Warren

Dec 7- Hillsboro Post #6

- March 7- Clatsop #12 -Astoria
May 2- Aloha #104 -Aloha

Hillsboro Post 6

285 W. Main Street
Hillsboro, Oregon 97123
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Commander - Tim Pierce

Vice Commander—Sheryl Loberger
Auxiliary President— Teresa Hammond
SAL Commander— Rob Liebenow
Adjutant— Dave Bogner
Chaplain—Lynn Hamm
Newsletter Publisher—Mike Marusa

Commanders Message

November is the month we celebrate Thanksgiving. I do hope you have something to be thankful for. Maybe it's your wife, or children. Maybe it's your job. Maybe it's the way the Lord above blesses you with everything you have.

I'm thankful for everything above and every member that helps keep The American Legion Post 6 running day to day. It's a small group but we get the job done with many hours put in. I would like to be thankful for more members that would come in and participate making the workload light for everyone. Many hands makes for light work for everyone. If you would like to help please come and join us. Call the Post and let us know.



The Early Bird Dinner will be held on November 16, if your dues have been paid by November 11 (Veterans Day) come and enjoy a free Turkey Dinner with all the fixin's. Guests are \$10 each.

We would love to see you at Hamburg/Hotdog night on November 2.

November 12, Potluck at 6:15 PM, Monthly Meeting at 7:30 PM

Steak or Salmon November 7

Taco Feed November 14

Early Bird Dinner November 16

Steak or Salmon November 21

Steak and Salmon Dinner \$10 per person; Taco Feed \$8 per person - 2 Tacos to start with and 2nd's and 3rd's to fill you up. Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Sour Creme, Black Olives, Cilantro, Refried beans, Cholula, Tapatio for fixin's on the table, fix them your way.

Have a Happy Thanksgiving on November 28

Hope to see YOU soon at the Post

Tim Pierce - Commander

THEY FOUGHT TOGETHER AS
BROTHERS-IN-ARMS. THEY DIED
TOGETHER AND NOW THEY
SLEEP SIDE BY SIDE. TO THEM
WE HAVE A SOLEMN OBLIGATION.

ADMIRAL CHESTER W. NIMITZ

Celebrate Your AMERICAN LEGION!

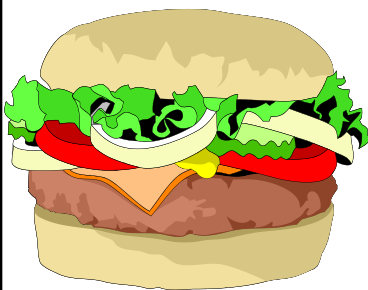
We have produced an AMERICAN LEGION shirt commemorating the 100-year anniversary of the AMERICAN LEGION and the motto for our mission to be helpful and protect. These shirts represent the pride of the Legion for its members serving our country for 100 years. We show the AMERICAN LEGION strength and community involvement by wearing the Legion colors and emblems for any public occasion

Our Post t-shirts are available now. Make arrangements for delivery and payment with Doug Lund @ (503) 357-0357 7AM to 7PM. Leave a return message if Doug is not available when you call. Shirts are \$15 for members and \$20 for family and friends in most sizes.

Bob Gnos Past Commander 2016-2019



Hamburger/Hot Dog/Bingo

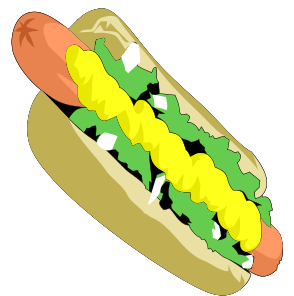


Saturday Night,

Nov 2, 2019

Food and drink served 6:00 -6:30PM

10 cent BINGO starts @ 6:30



*** Please remember, no outside drinks are allowed! ***

Preamble to American Legion Constitution

- For God and Country, we associate ourselves together for the following purposes:
- To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America;
- To maintain law and order;
- To foster and perpetuate a one hundred percent Americanism;
- To preserve the memories and incidents of our associations in all wars;
- To inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation;
- To combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses;
- To make right the master of might;
- To promote peace and good will on earth;
- To safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy;
- To consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness.

Chaplains Corner

Good afternoon everyone. As I write this it is pouring rain outside and has been for a couple of days. So my guess is that summer is now officially over.

Next comes the chill of winter! The time when things slow down and we stick a little closer to home. We spend more time indoors next to a warm fireplace or heater. We usually try to keep ourselves busy reading or working on some indoor project. That is, if we can find the energy. I find it is often easier for me to just sit down and take a nap!

Something I read a while back seems appropriate to quote right now. It's by Max Lucado from his book 'The Great House of God'. Max writes "God wants to be your dwelling place. He's not interested in being weekend getaway or a vacation cabin or even a summer retreat. He wants you to be under His roof. Now and always. He wants to be your mailing address, your point of reference. He wants to be your home.

We often think of God as a deity to discuss, not a place to dwell. We think of Him as a mysterious miracle worker, not a house to live in. A creator to call on not a home to reside in.

But our heavenly Father wants to be much more than all that. He wants to be the One in Whom "we live and move and have our very being". Acts 17:28

May He grant us all the wisdom and desire to seek Him and draw closer to Him.

Blessings, *Lynn Hamm-Chaplain*
(503) 681-7600

P.S. Please contact me if you become aware of any serious illness or the passing of a member of our Post. My phone number is listed above and if I don't answer right away, please leave a message along with your phone number.

I promise I will respond. Thank you



LEGION ACT

In July the President signed into law the Legion Act. The Act opens the eligibility dates for membership into The American Legion. All honorably discharged veterans as of December 7, 1941 are eligible to join the nation's largest veterans' organization, The American Legion. If you have a friend who is now eligible sign them up. Other conflicts have been added to the new membership application. If you have an old application, just write in other conflicts. So, let's go out and bring in those new members. No more excuses.

Rob Liebenow

EARLY BIRD DINNER

Please join us for our early bird dinner on Nov. 16th at 6pm. Pay your dues by Nov. 11th and receive a free turkey dinner. Guests are welcome for \$10 each. We will also be initiating everyone who has not been initiated, that includes Post and Sons of The American Legion members. RSVP to Linda at 503-826-5877 by Nov. 12th.



MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Pay your dues, pay your dues, pay our dues today, oh what a relief it will be when you know your dues are paid today. Out of your \$45 dues the following takes place. National gets \$18.50, Dept. gets \$13.50 and the Post keeps \$13.00. With our \$13, we support Cub Scouts, Legion Baseball, Boys State, high school oratorical, school awards and law enforcement career camp. For those of you who never come to a meeting, which is about 95% of you, your dues do matter in the running of the post and our programs. The American Legion is about 1.8 million veterans that is down from over 3.3 million in the early 1990s. We are here to help our veterans and the children of our community. This organization was built on one member at a time and over time we have become the largest veteran's organization in the nation. Let's keep it that way. As of this writing, we are at 64% of our 2020 goal. Please go online or pick up that pen and write that check, we need you support.

Rob Liebenow Membership Chair



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REAL WASHINGTON NOT DC

MOTORCYCLES ... TRUCKS ... MILITARY VEHICLES ... CARS

RIDE CENTRALIA WASHINGTON

VETERANS DAY 2019

10 AM – 1 PM

AMERICAN LEGION CENTRALIA POST 17

100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

CENTRALIA TRAGEDY 1919

Auxiliary President

The Auxiliary has several paperwork housekeeping tasks to complete at this time. We still have committees to fill and other vital projects to finish..

Please remember to send in your renewals if you have not done so already. If you are a member but have not come to a scheduled event, please consider it. I would love to meet you and introduce you to our group. We have fun and also are planning to accomplish much. We could use some more helping hands. It is an honorable task. Give some of your time for the Veteran you love or have lost.



Teresa Hammond-Auxiliary President

Phone (503) 929-3075

Please leave a message and I will call you back



LEGION COINS

In celebration of the Legions 100th birthday, the US Mint produced three coins. They are a half dollar, a silver dollar and a 5-dollar gold piece. They are available until December 31st and then the mint will stop sales and melt down the remaining pieces. Check them out on Legion.org and get yours before it is too late.

Robert Liebenow



Money Monday-Investing

Everyone is welcome to come and see the wonderful world of Computerized Investing. With the End of the Year right around the corner (not the End of the World), it is important to see how your Stocks and Mutual Funds are doing.

We continue to use MetaStock and Schwab/Morningstar computer software to make our own decisions regarding investing. I invite everyone who has seen the commercials to come and see for yourself what YOU can do.

Doug Lund



Meeting

Drawing

Paul Bedad won the T-shirt drawing by simply attending the September Post Mtg., Come see what's up with your Post and maybe you will be the next winner!



FLAGS AVAILABLE

The Post has mass quantities of US Flags, from small waving flags for kids to full sized flags used for Veteran burials.. And sizes in between, including kits and hanging equipment.

We receive 1-2 pallets each month from Goodwill. We do not sell these flags; We will accept donations if you care to help us out.

Drop in and replace your faded flag and we will retire your old one!

Directions To Freedom Ride



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**Take I-5 North to Exit 82
Go East away from the Outlet Stores
Follow Harrison St (changes to Main St)
Follow Main St to George
Washington Park to "The
Sentinel"**



THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

Squadron #6 is still alive and growing, thanks to 4 new members. The Sons are here to help promote The American Legion and their programs. If you have a son or grandson, please think about signing them up. You, as a member of the Legion, can also become a member, if your father or grandfather is a veteran. If they are still alive, they need to be a member of the Legion or if they are deceased, you can still join under their eligibility. So, think about becoming a dual member, several of us at the post are. Right now, membership is only \$15 a year. Any question, please give me a call at 503-826-5877.

Rob Liebenow- Commander of Sons

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Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

					1	2 Hamburgert/ Hot Dog/ Bingo 6 PM
3	4	5 E-board 6PM	6	7 Steak & Salmon 6PM	8	9
10	11 Money Mon- day 6 PM	12 Potluck 6:15 Meetings 7:30	13	14 Taco dinner 6:00 PM	15	16 Early Bird Dinner 6:00
17	18 Newsletter articles due	19	20	21 Steak & Salmon 6PM	22	23
24	25	26	27 Newsletter fold and mail	28 Thanksgiving	29	30

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