

Legion Family News

Official Newsletter of Hillsboro Post No. 6

October 2022



Post Commander

Have you been to Hillsboro Post 6 lately? Rob, Todd, Lynn, Bill, and I have been updating the Hall. Stop by, it is looking great!

Awesome Community Outreach Happenings: Hillsboro Post 6 along with Aloha Post 104 were able to aid in the replacement of stolen US flags to a local community. We received a warm thanks and report the flags were used in a recent Aloha High School football game that honored veterans.

Hillsboro High School Water Polo Team reached out, as well. We provided a U.S. flag so they may sing the National Anthem before their games. The game starts tonight, Sept. 27th JV 5:45pm, V 6:45pm at the SHARC.

Sign up to help at our booth with the upcoming standdown (see flyer).

With the #BeTheOne campaign, the Post is hosting a QRC (Question, Persuade, Refer) Training on Oct. 11th starting at 5:30pm. Please consider attending this training.

Registration is required (see flyer). www.GetTrainedToHelp.com

Upcoming General meeting speakers - Oct 4th Team Rubicon, Nov. 1st PACT ACT and Washington County DAVS.

See you Tuesday, Oct. 4th at 6pm for our general meeting!



Sheryl Loberger,
Commander



Chaplain's Corner

I am thankful for a change in the weather. Officially Fall began on the 22nd of September and I'm ready for a change! A little rain would be most welcomed by my lawn too! Of course all of life here is in constant change. It kind of makes me long for our heavenly home where there will be no change.

My best friend lost his wife to leukemia on the 3rd of September and we traveled to Wenatchee, WA last weekend for her memorial. It was a very hard time. But it was filled with blessings too because she had given her life to Christ many years ago. She is now at home where there's no more pain, sorrow, illness, or change!

I find comfort in Isaiah 41:10 where God says : "Don't be afraid, for I am with you. Don't be discouraged, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you. I will hold you up with my victorious right hand." Or in Isaiah 57:1-2 : "Good people pass away; the Godly often die before their time. But no one seems to care or wonder why. No one seems to understand that God is protecting them from the evil to come. For those who follow godly paths will rest in peace when they die." NLT
I take great comfort in knowing that the creator of the universe is looking out for us? How about you?

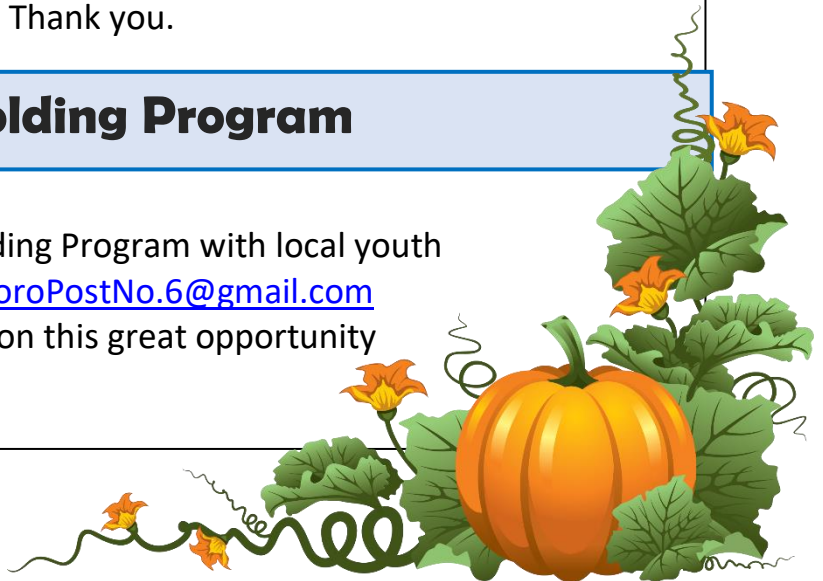
Blessings,
Lynn Hamm
Chaplain

P.S. please contact me if you become aware of anyone facing a serious illness or perhaps the passing of a member of our Post. My phone number is listed on this newsletter and if I don't answer right away, please leave a message along with your phone number. I promise I will respond. Thank you.



U.S. Flag Folding Program

We need volunteers for our US Flag Folding Program with local youth organizations. Please email me at HillsboroPostNo.6@gmail.com if you can help or for more information on this great opportunity to teach our youth about Old Glory.



From The Adjutant's Desk

Just as a reminder, our meeting night has changed to the first Tuesday of the month and e-board is the last Tuesday of the month. Both meetings will start at 6PM. Our e-board consists of our current offices plus three members at-large, which are Todd Russell and Leon Ransom Jr., we have one opening on the e-board. We need your help to fill that open spot. If you are interested, call Commander Loberger, she would love to hear from you.



Commander Loberger is trying several different events to open the post for your convenience. Keep an eye on the calendar for something of interest to you. Stop in and see the changes that have been made to make you visit more comfortable. Looks like we will be opening up once again for some dinners. I strongly encourage you to come out and meet your fellow members. As you can see, I write several articles for the newsletter. The reason for that is, although we have 240 plus members, no one seems to want to step up and help out. Out of 15 or so who come to meetings, only 5 or 6 do most of the work. Thank you to them and the others who step up to volunteer for events and special projects. Without you we could not survive.

Robert D. Liebenow,
Adjutant

Membership

We have 140 new and renewed members as of this report. Our goal is 245, so as you can see, we need another 105 members. Remember, renew by Veteran's Day Nov. 11 th and you can join us for a free dinner. Online or Paid Up For Life, is the easiest way to go. RENEW TODAY and help us help those who have served. Membership is the life blood of The American Legion, that is what keeps our doors open.

Robert D. Liebenow,
Chairman



\$100 Reward Drawing!

Pay your 2023 dues by Veteran's Day, Nov. 11 th, and you could be the **BIG WINNER**. Come to our Dec. 6 th meeting and see if you will take home the \$100.

Must be present to win.



House Committee / Saturday Market Chair

Squadron #6 is currently at 50% of our 2023 membership goal. We are here to assist the post with their programs and events. As always, we would love to have your son or grandson join us. Our Sergeant at Arms, Canon Loberger, is working on some game nights. Check the calendar to keep up with what we are doing. Pay your dues by Nov. 11 th and join us for a free dinner at the post. Legion members can also be members of the Sons of The American Legion.

Robert D. Liebenow,
Commander

Sons of The American Legion

House committee: got the chairs in both meeting areas cleaned, floors spot cleaned and vacuumed, bathrooms cleaned. Chairs in storage have yet to be cleaned and will be addressed in the future. We are still looking for a solution for our dish washing situation, any ideas welcome. I can see painting in the bathrooms as a future project.

Saturday Market: Many thanks to those helping out Bill, Lynn, Tracy, Debra, I've had a blast spreading the message with you all. The market goes until the end of October. Bob would be proud everyone this year. We get positive feedback every week.

Todd Russell
House Committee/ Saturday Market Chair



Auxiliary News

This month is the beginning of the fall months. Before you know it, it will be the winter holidays.

We are all looking forward to our activities that are coming up. Remember, we need volunteers for all the events that are in October, November, and December and then think about the New Year.

We are trying something new. We will be having a Taco Nite before the meeting on October 4, 2022. If this works, and if you like it, we may have a meal before all the meetings.

Just keep watching the newsletter for all of the events that are scheduled.

Please see Debbie for signing up for the distribution of Poppies.

Any day from October 22 through November 12 would be a good day for you to volunteer.

See you at one or more of the events scheduled.

Debra Ashe
President 2022 - 2023



Auxiliary Membership

Our membership dues renewal notices for 2023 are set to go out in mid-September. I have the membership cards now so you can pay your dues anytime. You can wait until you get the renewal

notice, pay me at the next meeting or renew online. To renew online go to alaforveterans.org. The first

membership award for 2023 goes to the Units who have made goal by November 11, 2022. We could be one of those Units.

Our membership goal for 2023 is 59 which is only one more than what we needed 2022 with. Help us make goal early. **PAY YOUR DUES NOW, PLEASE**

Linda Liebenow,
Unit Membership Chairman





October 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Saturday Market 9am -1pm Hamburger /Hot Dog 6pm Bingo
2	3	4 Taco night Dinner 5:00 pm Post and Aux meeting 6pm	5	6	7 Chaplain's Corner 3pm -4pm	8 Saturday Market 9am -1pm
9	10 Money Monday 6pm	11 QPR Training 5:30pm	12 USN Birthday Celebration 5pm	13 US Navy Birthday	14	15 Saturday Market 9am -1pm Quilt Retreat Post reserved
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 Saturday Market 9am -1pm Post reserved Wedding All Day
23	24	25 E Board 6pm	26	27	28 WaCo Stand down volunteer table	29 Saturday Market 9am -1pm Poppies TBD Hillsboro Downtown Apples 3-6pm
30	31 Halloween					

Salvation Army Veterans and Family Center

For years the Hillsboro American Legion Auxiliary has been supporting the Salvation Army Veterans and Family Center. I recently reached out to Major Rhonda Lloyd, the Executive Director, to see if their needs have changed.

In the past, the Auxiliary has sent them money to make their Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners special. We also have either bought school supplies or donated money towards them.

After emailing with Rhonda, I found that they are good for school supplies this year and they love the extra money for the holiday meals. In addition, they could use FULL sized containers of shampoo, or conditioner. They could also use cleaning supplies for the Veterans to use to keep their rooms clean.

If anyone would like to help with this, you can bring the supplies to the next meeting, and I will see that it gets to the Center.

The Center is located in Beaverton and used to be retirement housing. They have individual rooms with their own bath, very similar to a hotel room. Very small for a family but better than living in their car.

The Center also provides help to the Veteran to get back on their feet and be employed. They do have a kitchen and provide meals to the Veterans and their families.

Thank you for your help.



Linda Liebenow



Auxiliary Unit 6 invites you to Taco Tuesdays!

Tuesday, October 4, 2022,
at 5pm before the General Meeting

Your choice of 2 tacos with a side of beans or a taco salad for \$7.00!



QPR
QUESTION, PERSUADE, REFER
SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING FOR VETERANS

American Legion Hillsboro • Post 6
285 W Main St • Hillsboro, 97123
October 11, 2022 • 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Class size is limited to 30 people. Register ahead at:
www.GetTrainedToHelp.com

Light refreshments provided by American Legion Post 6.

Veteran Stand Down



October 28, 2022
10 AM – 2 PM

Veterans Stand Down Sonrise Church

6701 NE Campus Way, Hillsboro, OR 97124

The Stand Down is a one day event that provides a one-stop connection for veterans in our community to key services. This event includes breakfast and lunch, clothing and hygiene supplies as well as resources for housing, employment, medical care, pet supplies, legal assistance and much more.



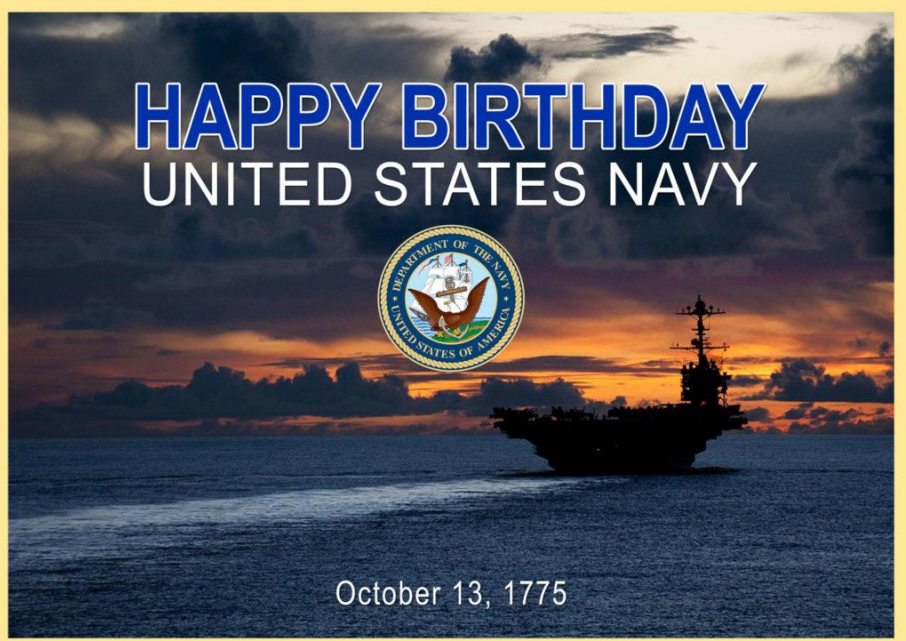
Interested in providing resources, volunteering, or donating items for this event? Contact
Sean_Files@co.washington.or.us



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Happy 75th Birthday US NAVY!

Invite your Navy friends to
join us
Wednesday,
October 12th
5pm - 7pm
in celebration
of the
U.S. Navy Birthday



Hamburger / Hot Dog and Bingo Night

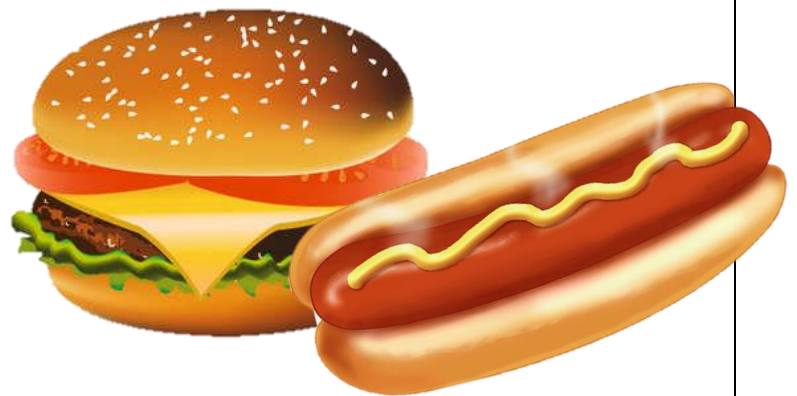
Join us Saturday, October 1st starting at 6pm

Please note changes:

Hamburger/Hot Dog - \$4.00

Chili - \$1.50

Bingo - \$.10 cents a card



**AMERICAN
LEGION**

BE THE ONE

TO **ASK** VETERANS IN YOUR LIFE HOW THEY ARE DOING.

TO **LISTEN** WHEN A VETERAN NEEDS TO TALK.

TO **REACH** OUT WHEN A VETERAN IS STRUGGLING.

Law Enforcement Career Camp Recap



Quinn Brophy and Susana Roman from Glencoe HS and Megan Corbin from Century HS are this summer's Post sponsored graduates from the Law Enforcement Careers Camp at Camp Rilea. The girls reported back their experiences at the last E board and general meeting with high praises. The American Legion LECC is a partnership program with the Oregon State Police. https://www.seasidesignal.com/seaside-scene/students-graduate-from-law-enforcement-career-camp/article_9f67c71c-0e81-11ed-940b-1330e1a7adba.html



Thank you for your Donations, Support and Time

It was a team effort with the many projects, activities, and events.

thank
you!



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