

Legion Family News

Official Newsletter of Hillsboro Post No. 6

December 2022



Post Commander

So many events, community outreach, activities and programs Hillsboro Post was a part of this year. Thank you to all making the difference in our community of veterans, family and friends!

\$100 drawing at our December Post meeting for those who have renewed your membership by Nov. 11th (must be present to win)!

Check out the rest of the newsletter for more opportunities!
Looking forward to an even bigger and brighter New Year!



Sheryl Loberger,
Commander

Dec. 6th at the Post - Department Service Officer

Ed Van Dyke who is the American Legion Service Officer for the Department of Oregon, will be at our Dec. 6th meeting. Ed was the Deputy Director of the Oregon Department of Veteran Affairs, until he retired and came to work for us. Ed is one of the best at his job and will be discussing the PACT ACT and how it effects all of us. He will also open up the floor for questions afterwards. Please come out and help us pack the room for Ed.



Chaplain's Corner

Merry Christmas and Seasons greetings to you all. My prayer is that you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving celebration with family and friends. Certainly we all have much to be thankful for. As we begin the Holiday Season I want to share the words to a song that always puts me in the Spirit of the season. It's by Amy Grant and goes like this:

"Come and gather around at the table
In the spirit of family and friends
And we'll all join hands and remember this moment
'Til the season comes 'round again

Let's all try to smile for the picture
And we'll hold it as long as we can
May it carry us through
Should we ever get lonely
'Til the season comes 'round again

One night Holy and bright
shining with love in our hearts
by a warm fire lets lift our hands high
and be thankful we're here 'til this time next year

May the new year be blessed with good tidings
'Til the next time I see you again
If we must say goodbye
Let the spirit go with you
And we'll love and we'll laugh
In the time that we've had
'Til the season comes 'round again"

May your Holiday celebrations be filled with Joy, laughter and a reminder of how blessed we truly are.

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 503-640-1999 and if I don't answer right away, please leave a message along with your phone number. I promise I will respond. Thank you.



Bob Gnos Memorial Holiday Ham Dinner

Hillsboro Post 6 presents

Bob Gnos Memorial

Holiday Ham Dinner



FREE to Veterans*

(\$5 for family members)

**Games, gifts and
Holiday Cheer!**

Special guest appearance from Santa

Date: Saturday, December 10, 2022

Time: 6pm

**Location: Hillsboro Post 6, The American Legion,
285 West Main St., Hillsboro, OR 97123**

***First 50 veterans, Please RSVP to Linda
or Rob at 503-826-5877 by Dec. 7th**

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From The Adjutant's Desk

Just wishing everyone a great and safe holiday season. How ever you celebrate the season, enjoy. Look forward to your continued membership with The American Legion and Hillsboro Post #6. Hope to meet you at one of our events in 2023.

Robert D. Liebenow,
Adjutant Post #6



Membership

Membership has pick up a little. We now have 170 members renewed. Remember, your 2022 membership card expires at midnight December 31 st . Renew now to keep your membership active.

Robert D. Liebenow,
Chairman



2023 Membership Pin Award

American Legion National Commander Vincent J. "Jim" Troiola will award his national commander "Be The One" membership excellence pin to any Legionnaire who obtains three new members into The American Legion.

A new member is any eligible person joining for the 2023 membership year who was not a member of The American Legion during the 2022 membership year. Transfers do not count as new members.



Auxiliary News

Happy December.

Now that November is over, we can think of December. November had many activities to enjoy. Those included our Veterans Day event, Early Bird dinner, and of course Thanksgiving Day.

Let's think about December. Our calendar includes our Hot Dog/Hamburger Night with Bingo and our Bob Gnos Memorial Ham Dinner with a White Elephant game and of course Christmas and Hanukkah. I hope that this season brings you whatever you would wish for.

I would also like to send a fantastic HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Blanch Anderson. She is celebrating her 100th birthday this month. Think of all that she has gone through and what she has seen in her lifetime. She is the first centenarian I have ever known and personally it has been a pleasure to know her. I must say that without the American Legion Auxiliary I probably would have never got to know her.

I would like to thank the members that took the time during the horrible weather to sit at the Ace Hardware for our donation table for Veterans Day.

Let's get ourselves to our activities if you can. I am sorry that I have to work on most of the nights that our events are held. I do work most nights and weekends, but I should be at all of our meetings because I have Tuesdays off because that is our meeting night.

Let us all think positive thoughts for the New Year of 2023.

Debra Ashe
President 2022 - 2023



Hamburger/Hot Dog and BINGO Night!

Saturday, December 3rd starting at 6pm

Hamburger/Hot Dog - \$4.00

Chili - \$1.50

Bingo - \$.10 cents a card



DECEMBER 2022

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1 Steak or Salmon Dinner 5pm	2 Chaplain's Corner 3pm -4pm	3 Post clean-up 1pm – 4pm Hamburger /Hot Dog 6pm Bingo
4	5	6 Post and Aux meeting 6pm	7 RSVP Due for Ham Dinner Pearl Harbor Remembrance	8 Steak or Salmon Dinner 5pm	9	10 Bob's Memorial Holiday Ham Dinner 6pm
11 Blanche's 100 th Birthday Celebration 1pm -4pm	12 Money Monday 6pm	13 US National Guard Birthday	14	15 Steak or Salmon Dinner 5pm	16	17 District 1 meeting National Wreaths Across America Day
18 Post Reserved Women Marine meeting Hanukkah	19	20 US Space Force Birthday	21	22 Steak or Salmon Dinner 5pm	23	24
25	26	27 RSVP due New Year's Eve Party E Board 6pm	28	29 Steak or Salmon Dinner 5pm	30	31 Rock Around the Clock New Year's Eve Party 1pm – 4pm rsvp



JANUARY 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 Post and Aux meeting 6pm	4	5 Oratorical TBA	6 Chaplain's Corner 3pm -4pm	7 Hamburger /Hot Dog 6pm Bingo
8	9 Money Monday 6pm	10	11	12	13	14 Wild Willie Western Night @Post 180 Milwaukie \$15 Brisket SAL fundraiser POC Rob
15	16	17	18 Open House Coffee Chat 10am-12pm	19	20	21 Airsoft Team Challenge TBD
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31 E Board 6pm				

HAPPY 100th BIRTHDAY Blanche!!



Blanche is turning 100!

You're invited to celebrate with her between 1pm and 4 pm,
Sunday, December 11, 2022 at Hillsboro Post 6,
The American Legion, 285 West Main St. Hillsboro, OR 97123
No gifts, but cards are appreciated.



Airsoft Veterans Team Challenge - Is looking for

Are you an Airsoft Pro or just want to put your skills to the test? Do we have fun for you! In January, date (TBD) Hillsboro Post 6 will host a FREE friendly team challenge (10 veterans) in the arena at Oregon Airsoft. Interested? Email HillsboroPostNo.6@gmail.com to claim your spot.

Happy Birthday US Space Force



Rock Around The Clock New Year's Eve Party

Rock Around
the CLOCK

New Year's Eve Party

Join Hillsboro Post 6 celebrating New Year's Eve on Greenwich Mean Time with fun and games! Show off your favorite poodle skirt, leather jacket or blue suede shoes in classic 1950's attire. Feel free to bring a snack to share.

Time: 1pm – 4pm on Dec. 31, 2022

RSVP HillsboroPostNo.6@gmail.com

House Committee

House Committee

Thanks to a generous donation we have acquired 10 large shelving units so come one come all and help put them up or help tidy up the property Saturday 12/3 1-4 pm

Saturday Market: looking for input for next year, ideas, feedback. Thanks to all those who helped this year I enjoyed you all.

Todd, Russell,
House Committee Chair

For the Good of the Legion

Lynn at the annual
Cornell Estates Veterans
Day Ceremony
accompanied by Rob on
the bugle.



For the Good of the Legion



Our Veterans Day Ceremony and Open House at the Post with Doug leading an excellent history presentation.



Our 91 years young Marine, Tim, at the Birthday Bash.



Marine veterans at the US 247th Marine Corps Birthday celebration.

The American Legion Hillsboro Post No. 6

CRAB FEED



Late January or Early February 2023

Our favorite fundraiser will be back!

TICKETS

Tickets will be on sale soon and announced early January!

Call Rob 503-826-5877

to pre-order.

Hillsboro Post No. 6
285 W Main St,
Hillsboro, OR 97123

TAKE-OUT / DINE IN

Due to the cost of crab, we will be offering two prices for the meal.

Cost will be \$30 for a whole crab and \$20 for half crab dinner.

\$15 Shrimp Louie

Thank you for your Donations, Support and Time

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

And the following companies:

EROAD

Gimre's Shoe Store



The American Legion

Hillsboro Post No. 6

285 W. Main Street

Hillsboro, Oregon 97123



Hillsboro Post No. 6

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Vice Commander	Mike Marusa
Adjutant	Rob Liebenow
Finance Officer	Doug Lund
Chaplain	Lynn Hamm
Sergeant-at-Arms	Andrew Eason

Auxiliary Unit #6

President	Debbie Ashe
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Secretary	Joanne Ostlund
Treasurer	Linda Liebenow
Sgt-at-Arms	Carole Hockenbarger
Chaplain	Debra Jacobson

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Commander	Roger Liebenow
Adjutant	Rob Liebenow
Sergeant-at-Arms	Canon Loberger

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