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Commander's Corner



March 2016:

Spring is in the air.

Super Bowl 50 was a great hit, the bar was full, and everyone enjoyed rooting for the teams, (Go Cowboys!!).

Valentine's Day Dinner/Dance was a great time. Thanks goes out to Eva Valles for decorating and providing the music and Macaroni Grill for donating the spaghetti. Everyone had a great time.

We are doing well with the membership drive. PLEASE REMEMBER TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP ONLINE, , <http://tinyurl.com/7qnh3lr>, or at the Post if you have not already done so. We want to go over and beat last year's membership!

We have a month off of any major activities at the post but let's start thinking about the Spring Convention in Alpine April 1-3rd. I would like to have a good representation of Post 598 attend.

I always enjoy talking with our Legion Family, so if you see me, please take a minute to stop and chat. If you have suggestions or comments on how to make our organization better, please feel free to let me or one of our Officers know. Remember, we are on track to make Post 598 the premiere post in the El Paso area AND the 16th District by treating each service member as if they were our own son or daughter, adhering to our core values of "For God and Country", and supporting our Veterans and their families in any way that we can.

Thank you and God Bless the United States and OUR Post 598 during this Holiday Season.

For God and Country
Antonio Salcido (Tony)
Commander American Legion Post 598

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From the Auxiliary President

I will be in California for the month of March to take care of my Dad, who just got out of the hospital, and if one of the ladies wish to conduct a meeting while I am gone that will be fine.

I want wish each and all a Happy St. Patrick's Day and a very Happy Easter. May the Easter Bunny bring you a lot of Easter Eggs.

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Evarista "EVA" Valles
Auxiliary President

NOTICE, NOTICE, NOTICE

I wish to take a few lines to say thank you to all the members of the Legion Family that have assisted me with my wife Nancy when we visit the Post home. This is for all the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Legion Family that have helped to care for her while we were present at the Post. A great big THANK YOU from me, Jubbie, to you.

March Fun Facts

1. March 1 is the date the Nebraskans celebrate the admission of their state to the union.
2. March 2nd is celebrated by Texas as the anniversary of its independence from Mexico.
3. March 2nd is Read Across America Day.
4. March 3rd, The "Star Spangled Banner", became the National Anthem.
5. The birthstone for March is the aquamarine.
6. March 8, International Women's Day.
7. March 17, St. Patrick's Day.
8. March 17, 1845 the rubber band was invented. Can you imagine life without them!
9. March 20, 1st day of spring.
10. March 29, 1886- Coca Cola is invented.
11. The expression "mad as a March hare" dates back to 1529. It refers to the wild behavior of male hares during the mating season in March.



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PLANNING COMMITTEE NEWS

Planning Committee News March 2016

The Planning Committee continues to stay busy with activities.

Upcoming Events:

Adult Easter Egg Hunt in March, Date and information will be posted soon.

Spring Convention: Alpine, April 1-3rd

Chili Cook-off Coming soon May 7th

Dart Tournament: Nights TBD, look for postings soon to come!

Recent Events:

Super Bowl 50 Sunday February 7th was a great success! A great big Thank you to Rudy's BBQ for donating the meat. Everyone had a great time.

Saturday, February 13th Valentine's Day Fundraiser Dinner and Dance was very special for all those that attended. Macaroni Grill donated the spaghetti and Eva did a great job on the decorations and music selection.

Thank you all for the generosity you have all given with your time and commitment. I look forward to the upcoming events still to come. Please find it in your heart to volunteer some of your time to help us give back to our community. I truly feel blessed to call Post 598 my family.

Happy Holidays!
For God and Country,

Amista Salcido, Pharm.D.
Second Vice Commander
Planning Committee Chair

SAL's Scoop...

Sorry I've been slow or not at all with my input. I'll work on it.

Just a few reminders:

Come join us for Queen of Hearts on Friday evening, the pot is up to \$200+. Please come help support our legion.

I'm still collecting aluminum cans and plastic bottle caps.

SAL meetings are on the 3rd Friday of each month. Also the General Assembly meetings need our attendance. We need your input.

Anyone willing to help with community service please call me at 820-0244 anytime. We need help with all weekends.

If you would like to contact me, please feel free to do so at any time. My cell # 915-820-0244, e-mail pohara@elp.rr.com

FOR GOD AND COUNTRY
Patrick O'Hara
SAL Commander 598

**BAR TAB # 649 for
March 2016, so check your
dues card for the last 3
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News from the ALR 598 Director

DID NOT RECEIVE ANY INPUT FROM THE RIDERS.

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Jesus "SHADOW" Velasco
DIRECTOR
ALR 598

AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS CHAPTER 598

OFFICERS

For the year 2015-2016

DIRECTOR: Jesus Velasco (Shadow)
DEPUTY DIRECTOR: Scott Hilgenberg (Shooter)
SECRETARY: Rebekah Hilgenberg (AWOL)
TREASURER: Debra Duran (Jewel)
ROAD CAPTAIN: Darvin Sachteben (Sock)
HISTORIAN: Jerry Tillison (Frosty)
CHAPLAIN: Darvin Sachtleben, Jr. (Sticks)
MEMBERSHIP: Ruben Duran (Lawman)

Meetings:

4th Saturday of the month 10:00 am
ALR 598 Fri-Fest: 4th Fri. of Month

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Post Hours:

**Monday–Thursday:
4:00 PM – 10:00 AM**

**Friday-Sunday:
3:00 PM – 12:00 AM**

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Planning a Special Occasion?

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