



**For God and Country**

# American Legion

## Post 598

### Monthly Newsletter

### The Can Do Post



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#### Commander's Corner



May 2016:

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS  
MAY 17 AND IF ANYONE  
WISH TO RUN OR TAKE AN  
OFFICE PLEASE LET ME  
KNOW AND MUST HAVE A  
CURRENT DUES CARD TO  
RUN OR HOLD AN OFFICE**

Thank you and God Bless the United States and OUR Post 598.

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

### **BAR TAB**

### **#124**

**NOTICE OF ELECTION.  
ELECTION FOR AMERICAN  
LEGION AND S.A.L  
MEMBERS WILL BE HELD  
MAY 17, 2016 IF YOU WISH  
TO RUN OFFICE CONTACT  
COMMANDER TONY  
(LEGION) OR PAT (SAL)**

#### *From the Auxiliary President*

**This is to let you know that  
May 17 will be election of  
Officers and if nobody takes an  
office then the Auxiliary will  
not exist or in plain English the  
American Legion will not have  
an Auxiliary as it takes Officers  
to run the Auxiliary.**

### **DUES MUST BE CURRENT**

FOR GOD AND COUNTRY

Evarista "EVA" Valles  
Auxiliary President

#### **May Fun Facts**

1. May 1, 1931, President Herbert Hoover officially dedicated New York City's Empire State Building.
2. May 1<sup>st</sup> is May Day
3. Mother's Day - celebrated on the second Sunday of May.
4. Armed Forces Day - celebrated the third Saturday of May.
5. Memorial Day - celebrated on the last Monday in May.
6. May 14, 1804, Lewis and Clark, the great explorers began their trip up the Missouri River.
7. May 20, 1862, Abraham Lincoln signed the Homestead Act.
8. May 20, 1932, the first solo flight by a woman across the Atlantic Ocean was made by Amelia Earhart.



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#### PLANNING COMMITTEE NEWS

### NOTHING RECEIVED FROM PLANNING COMMITTEE

For God and Country,

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

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#### SAL's Scoop...

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS MAY  
17, 2016. IF YOU WISH TO RUN  
FOR AN OFFICE FOR THE  
SONS OF THE LEGION, PLEASE  
LET COMMANDER PAT  
O'HARA KNOW.**

**MUST HAVE A CURRENT DUES  
CARD.**

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](mailto:pohara@elp.rr.com)

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Patrick O'Hara  
SAL Commander 598

**Save the Earth.....  
It's the only planet with  
chocolate !!**



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## American Legion Riders Trail Dust

I hope everyone is doing well.

A new rider joined the organization, Elias Casillas, AKA Nuny and his wife.

A few of use went to Douglas Arizona to participate in their annual Eagles on Wheels along with some riders from Chapter 58. Shorty, from Chapter 58, received the coveted Walk of The Cock patch and is proudly sporting it on his vest. A good time had by all, as usual...good memories.

An important event coming up with the post is the Convention, in which we all need to get together and work as a team to ensure its success.

And speaking of success, I've noticed the participation and donations from the past coalition motorcycle runs for this year, so far, have been slim. We, the ALR Chapter 598, need to solicit donations from as many businesses as possible and need to get the word out, especially, to the independents. That's a vital key to success of the run.

This month is also the post elections and in conjunction will be elections for the Riders as well. Hope to see everyone participate.

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Jesus "SHADOW" Velasco  
DIRECTOR  
ALR 598

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**Post Hours:**

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

**Friday–Sunday:  
3:00 PM – 12:00 AM**

**2 Butt Rule  
(915) 852-4823**

## Planning a Special Occasion?

**American Legion Hall, Post 598**

Available for Weddings, Birthdays,  
Quinceaneras, Meetings, etc.

**Capacity 160 Persons**

Kitchen Facilities Available

**Call 852-4823**

For Details, Prices & Available Dates

**We Offer Membership Discounts**

### 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 Sachtoben (Sock)  
**HISTORIAN:** Jerry Tillison (Frosty)  
**CHAPLAIN:** Darvin Sachtleben, Jr. (Sticks)  
**MEMBERSHIP:** Ruben Duran (Lawman)

#### Meetings:

**4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month 10:00 am**  
**ALR 598 Fri-Fest: 4th Fri. of Month**