

ROLL CALL

Clayton E. Moneymaker American Legion Post 237



Alabama's Largest American Legion Post

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Jerry Phelps Post 237 Commander Commander's Corner

Greetings my fellow Legionnaires, Auxiliary, and Sons of the American Legion. As I mentioned last month, the American Legion election cycle is underway. Nominations for office will be held on April 17th at the next general membership meeting. I have appointed a nominating committee that consists of Ken Reisenweber, Ralph Miller and Rudy Stone. If you are interested in running for an office, please contact one of those members.

The following positions will be up for election: Commander, 1st Vice Commander, 2nd Vice Commander, 3rd Vice Commander, Chaplain, Historian, Sergeant-at-Arms, 3 Year Trustee, and Finance Officer (for 2 years to complete the term of office that was vacated by our previous Finance Officer).

April and May will be a busy month for the Post, as we have several events planned throughout the month. We will be having a fundraising event in which we will be selling pulled pork plates and turkey plates. Also the American Legion National Headquarters has designated the last Saturday in April as the American Legion Family Day. The Post will be hosting an event for the Family Day on April 29th, the 3rd Vice Commander will give details in his article.

The Post has undergone positive changes in the last couple of months. I know that there will be more to come.
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If you haven't been to the Post in a while, come on down and check us out. We have more events planned to increase foot traffic and revenue for the Post.

We are also coming to the end of the Legion year therefore if you haven't paid your dues, please reach out to Adjutant Mary McCoy before time runs out and you lose your consecutive years. Currently we stand at a 92.88% renewals. We need to strive for 100% before the end of May.

Commander Jerry Phelps

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**Two Men and a Truck
A Very Heartfelt Thank You**

Yesterday, March 29th the Post Adjutant, Mary McCoy, received a call from a disabled veteran who needed assistance. She texted me the man's number. The veteran got home after midnight and was awakened by the Sheriff's Department with a court ordered eviction notice.

I drove to the veteran's house at 3:15 PM. All of his belongings were out by the curb. I knew we needed to help somehow. I started making phone calls. I called several moving companies and they could not help.

Finally, I called Two Men and a Truck and talked to the Marketing Director, Stephanie Mills, and told her about the veteran's situation. She talked to the sales manager and the business owner (also a veteran). After a few minutes, she asked for the veteran's address. She said that a truck was leaving their business to pick up his belongings and take them to a storage facility (that I hadn't even secured yet). I reached out to Mitchel at Public Storage next door to our Post. He worked out a good deal for us and I took the money from the Commander's Discretionary Fund to cover the cost of one month's rent.

Again, I want to say thank you to the owner and the employees at Two Men and a Truck for volunteering to take on a charity job at the end of the day. . Based on their willingness to help this disabled veteran I would recommend them to anyone.

Jerry Phelps, Post Commander



**From the
Adjutant's Desk**

American Legion Family Day will be celebrated on the 4th Saturday in April each year for our Legionnaires/Auxiliary, Sons of the American Legion, and American Legion Riders to bring their families to the Post for Food, Live Music, and Entertainment. Plans are still being developed and will be published soon for April 29th. The Huntsville Concert Band will perform Patriotic and Military Service Anthems in the Ballroom. Thanks to all members who have renewed their 2023 dues and Welcome to Post 237 Transfers and New Members.

Mary McCoy, Post Adjutant

The online version of the Redstone Rocket is available here:

<https://www.theredstonerocket.com/eedition/>

**CLAYTON E. MONEYMAKER AMERICAN
LEGION POST 237**

OFFICERS

Billy Heatherly	Past Commander
Jerry Phelps	Commander
David Ladner	1st Vice Commander
Tom Paone	2nd Vice Commander
Bob Wasniewski	3rd Vice Commander
Mary McCoy	Adjutant
Homer Bean	Finance Officer
Ed Becher	Chaplain
Nick Jones	Post Service Officer
Ken Carpenter	Historian
Cody Klinner	Sergeant-At-Arms
	Judge Advocate
Robert Barnett	1 Year Trustee
John Lawyer	2 Year Trustee
Ken Reisenweber	3 Year Trustee
Earl Hokanson	Honor Guard Cdr.
John Murphy	ROTC Liaison
Steve Bowling	S.A.L. Commander
Buddy Miller	S.A.L. Adjutant
Steve Bowling	ALR Director
Sherry Schroen	Auxiliary President
Anna Marie Wasnieski	Club Manager

Executive Committee

Jerry Phelps, Billy Heatherly, David Ladner, Tom Paone, Mary McCoy, Ken Carpenter, Cody Klinner, Bob Wasniewski, John Lawyer, Robert Barnett, Ken Reisenweber, and Nick Jones.

House Committee

Bob and Anna Marie Wasniewski, Ralph Miller, Billy Heatherly, Ed Wilson, Joe Norman, John Schantz, Steve Bowling, Ken Reisenweber, Joyce Hampton, Helen French, and Howard Krueger.

Finance Committee

Homer Bean, Bud Pagakis, Jerry Phelps, Mary McCoy, Robert Barnett, John Lawyer, Ken Reisenweber, Bob Wasniewski

Building Committee

Robert Barnett, John Lawyer, Ed Becher, Sherry Schroen, Thad Paone, Rick Jerrell

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Printed copies of the current newsletter are available in the Social Quarters.

BINGO

Bingo supports many of our charitable programs. Legion Bingo, Sons of the American Legion Bingo, and Auxiliary Bingo fund our Boys and Girls State programs, American Legion Baseball, Veteran's Relief Fund, ROTC and JROTC support programs, scholarships and many other community and veteran related endeavors.

Come join us for a fun outing at Bingo at the Annex and help to keep our programs strong. The public is welcome and who knows, you might win a big jackpot!




American Legion Post 237 Bingo Annex
3806 Colonial Park Circle SW
Wednesday and Saturday
Doors open: 4PM
Starts: 6PM
Sunday
Doors open: 1PM
Starts: 3:30 PM



**There will be no Bingo on
Thursday nights until
further notice!**



NATIONAL FORMER PRISONER OF WAR RECOGNITION DAY

Contributed by Tom Hartley

In 1988, President Ronald Reagan issued a proclamation declaring April 9th as National Former POW Recognition Day. The day commemorates the capture of nearly 25,000 U.S. troops that were surrendered by their commander on Bataan in the Philippines on April 9, 1942. Though this day has special significance for the "Battling Bastards of Bataan," as they came to be known, it honors all former POWs.

Freedom has not come free. No one can attest to this better than the men and women who have served in the armed forces of this great nation. No one knows better what it is like to have that freedom suddenly snatched away than those individuals who, in the process of serving their country, have found themselves POWs. Americans have been held captive as POWs during many wars and in many places.

Revolutionary War: During this war an estimated 20,000 Americans were held as POWs and 8,500 died in captivity. Some were subsequently released as part of an exchange system between America and Great Britain. Some were kept in British jails, but for many, life as a POW was spent in the damp, musty holds of vessels.

War of 1812: Initially, American POWs were once again kept in prison ships until 1813, when they were taken to England and held in prisons, such as the infamous Dartmoor. This prison's stone walls enclosed 400 barracks and, according to POW Charles Andrews, "death itself", with hopes of an hereafter, seemed less terrible than this gloomy prison. In 1815, more than 5,000 POWs left Dartmoor. At least 252 did not return to America, casualties of the hated prison.

Civil War: During this war an estimated 194,000 Union soldiers and 214,000 Confederate soldiers became POWs, more than any other conflict in the history of our country. Approximately 30,000 Union soldiers died in Confederate prisons while the death rate was almost as bad in the North with about 26,000 Confederate soldiers dying in Union POW camps. Since both sides predicted a short war, neither prepared for large numbers of POWs. By the end of the war, camps such as Andersonville suffered from a lack of supplies and experienced an extremely high mortality rate as well as desertion by many guards. During the 14 months of its existence, Andersonville accounted for 43 percent of all Union deaths in Civil War prisons.

World War I: During U.S. involvement in World War I, approximately 4,120 Americans were held as POWs and there were 147 confirmed deaths. Rules for the fair treatment of POWs had been set in place some years earlier. Still, each POW had to face days without enough to eat or without adequate clothing.

World War II: During World War II thousands of Americans were held as POWs. →

In Europe, nearly 94,000 Americans were imprisoned. Many of them had been shot down while flying missions over Germany or had fought in the Battle of the Bulge. Conditions for POWs worsened as the war drew to a close. Malnutrition, overcrowding and lack of medical attention was common. As American and Russian forces closed in from opposite directions, many American POWs were taken from camps and forced to march for weeks as the Germans tried to avoid the Allied forces.

In the Pacific Theater, nearly 30,000 Americans were imprisoned by the Japanese. Most of these men and women were captured after the fall of the Philippines and suffered some of the highest death rates in American history at nearly 40 percent. POWs suffered brutal captivity and many were crowded into "hell ships" bound for Japan. Often times, the unmarked ships were torpedoed by submarines. Those POWs who survived imprisonment in the Philippines and the hell ships were forced to work in mines and other locations in Japan.

Korean War: Treatment of POWs during the Korean War rivaled that of prisoners in the hands of the Japanese during World War II. The American's captors did not abide by the Geneva Convention. More than 7,100 Americans were captured and imprisoned and just over 2,700 are known to have died while imprisoned. Life as a POW meant many forced marches in subfreezing weather, solitary confinement, brutal punishments and attempts at political "re-education." Here prisoners received their first systematic dose of indoctrination techniques by their captors. This was a relatively new phenomena and resulted in the Code of Conduct that now guides all American servicemen in regards to their capture. After an armistice was signed in 1953, a major prisoner exchange known as "Operation Big Switch" finally brought Americans home.

Vietnam War: During this war, 766 Americans are known to have been POWs. Of this number, 114 died during captivity. Unlike previous wars, the length of time as a POW was extensive for many, with some being imprisoned for more than seven years. Torture was common and the Geneva Convention was not followed, as the North Vietnamese claimed the Americans were political criminals, not POWs. Americans gave nicknames to many of the POW camps: Alcatraz, Hanoi Hilton, Briarpatch, the Zoo and Dogpatch. American POWs were released and returned home as part of Operation Homecoming in 1973.

Persian Gulf War: During this one month conflict, 23 Americans were captured, including two women. American POWs were eventually taken to Baghdad. The Iraqi government declared its intent to use POWs as human shields to thwart bombing missions over the city. Threat of torture and actual physical abuse were common. Beatings with pipes and hoses, bursting eardrums with fists and electrical shocks with volts from car batteries were experienced by the prisoners. Fortunately, all 23 of the POWs returned home. The men and women of this country who have been forced by circumstances to become POWs truly know the meaning of freedom. Their story is one of sacrifice and courage.

2023 Oratorical Update

The Madison County Oratorical Contest was held on Saturday, January 28, 2023 at Madison City Hall Awards for the top three winners were \$500, \$300, and \$200. There were six contestants who presented their prepared oration on the US Constitution and their assigned topic oration on the VI Amendment. First Place winner was Christine Johnson. Second Place was awarded to Thomas Flemming and third place was awarded to Townley Hayes, Also participating in the contest were Gabe Etheredge and Sadie Sandlin.

On Saturday, February 11th the Division 12 Oratorical Contest was held at Post 15 in Decatur. Contestants were Christine Johnson who finished first and received a \$500 scholarship check, Samantha Simmons who finished second and received a \$300 check, and Ashlyn Brooke Jones who finished third and received a \$200 check.

On Saturday, February 18th the District 1 Oratorical Contest was held at Madison City Hall. Christine Johnson finished first and will represent District 1 in the Department contest on March 11th in Montgomery. Ms. Johnson was awarded a \$300 check. Finishing second and awarded a \$200 check was Sophie Blevins.

Christine Johnson won the Department of Alabama Contest on March 11, 2023. Ms. Johnson will represent the State of Alabama and the Madison County American Legion Posts in the National Oratorical Competition on April 21-23 in Indianapolis, IN. We wish Ms. Johnson the best of luck in the contest!

Department of Alabama Report

Legion Family,

The Department Oratorical finals were held Saturday, the 11th of March 2023. Below are the names of the contestants and their final standing:

The winner of this year's Department Oratorical contest is, Ms. Christine Johnson. Ms. Johnson represents the 1st Division and Madison County. Ms. Johnson is a 12th grader who is homeschooled and resides in Huntsville, AL. Ms. Johnson's prepared oration was entitled "Defending The Constitution To Keep Our Freedoms". Ms. Johnson received a \$2500 scholarship Ms. Johnson will be representing the Department at this year's National Oratorical finals, April 21-23 in Indianapolis, IN at the Wyndham Indianapolis West Hotel, 2544 Executive Drive, Indianapolis, IN. .

The runner up and second place finisher is, Ms. Sarah E. Wilson. Representing the 2nd Division, 24th District, and Post 135. Ms. Wilson is an 11th grader and attends Phenix City High School, Phenix City AL.. Ms. Wilson's Oration was entitled "The Power of Voting". Ms. Wilson received a \$1500 scholarship.

Willie J. Rogers
Commissioner, Oratorical Program
Dept. of Alabama American Legion



Division 1 Oratorical
Contest

Upcoming Events:

- 1) **BBQ Fundraiser:** Joe Norman will be smoking pork butts and turkeys for a **Post BBQ Fundraiser on Sunday, April 16th**. Plates including potato salad, baked beans and a roll will be on sale for \$10.00 each and can be eaten at the Post or carried out. Please call the Social Quarters at 256-883-9911 and speak to the bartender or the club manager to reserve your plates.
- 2) **Family Day:** On **Saturday, April 29th** Post 237 will be celebrating Family Day. Please bring your families to the Post for Food, Live Music, and Entertainment. The Huntsville Concert Band will perform Patriotic and Military Service Anthems in the Ballroom.
- 3) **Auxiliary Yard Sale:** The Auxiliary is planning a Yard Sale on **Saturday, April 15th**. More information will be provided via email.
- 4) **Bar Bingo:** Come join us for Bar Bingo on Sundays from noon until 2:00PM. Free prizes and drink specials!
- 5) **JROTC/ROTC Awards:** Throughout April and May the city and county high school Junior ROTC and Alabama A&M ROTC programs will be having their awards ceremonies. Post 237 awards the Military and Scholastic Excellence Awards to cadet that are selected by their leadership in each of these programs. If you would like to present these American Legion awards at a JROTC or ROTC awards ceremony please contact Tom Paone at vicecdr2@legion237.com or by phone at 256-656-4952.



BINGO				
1	27	33	48	75
8	19	45	56	61
3	18	FREE SPACE	49	69
15	26	41	53	66
2	21	37	46	65

Bar Bingo!



Sundays Noon until 2PM

Free Fabulous Prizes!

\$4.00 Bloody Mary Bar

\$3.00 Mimosas

Bring a snack to share with the bar!

Announcing the 2023 Alabama Boys State



The American Legion Posts in Madison County are pleased to announce the 2023 Alabama Boys State convention. Boys State provides a unique opportunity for rising senior boys who are outstanding students and leaders in their schools to experience democracy at work, enhance their leadership skills, develop new friendships, and learn from Alabama political and business leaders.

The 2023 Boys State convention will be held at Troy University in Troy, Alabama starting Sunday May 30, 2023 and ending Saturday June 3, 2023.

We strongly encourage that each prospective delegate review the Alabama Boys State website at: <http://alboysstate.org>.

Each applicant in Madison County is required to submit the Boys State to the Department of Alabama by May 15, 2023. Also the applicant should submit the 2023 Madison County Boys State Information Sheet to Tom Paone by May 12, 2023 if he wishes to attend the Madison County Boys State Orientation or to ride the bus transportation to Troy.

Delegates should plan to attend the Madison County Boys State Orientation at the American Legion Post 237 Annex on Tuesday, May 16, 2022 at 6:00 PM. The Post 237 Annex is located at 3806 Colonial Park Circle SW, Huntsville, AL 35805. Yancy Mitchell, Dean of Counselors, and past Boys State delegates will discuss what to expect and how to get the most out of the Boys State experience. We will also review the logistics and rules. Because of seating restrictions we ask each family to limit attendance at the orientation to the student and his parents.

Bus transportation to and from the Boys State convention will be provided for the first 32 students who reserve a bus seat by completing and returning the 2023 Madison County Boys State Information sheet.

If you have any questions regarding this program email Tom Paone, Madison County focal point for the 2023 Alabama Boys State, at vicecdr2@legion237.com. Additional information and registration forms are posted at the 2023 Boys State web page: <https://www.legion237.com/index.php?id=211>



2023 American Legion Post 237 Baseball Team Roster

Player	School	Player	School
1 Vincent Ragucci	Hazel Green	15 Finn Steele	Columbia
2 Colby Hall	New Hope	18 Jacob Hoyt	Covenant Christian
4 Tyler Schoknecht	Sparkman	20 Chris Zollinger	Covenant Christian
7 Sam Novak	Westminster	21 Jackson Sanders	Sparkman
8 Caleb Goode	Westminster	24 Garrett Mullins	Sparkman
9 Josh Goode	Westminster	30 Cameron Crouch	Covenant Christian
11 Aiden Kohler	Lee	Blake Saltzman	Hazel Green
12 Peyton Haskins	Covenant Christian	Drew Smith	Scottsboro
13 Riley Friend	Westminster	Thomas Stewart	Scottsboro
14 Alex Filipietz	Columbia	Landon Boswell	Sparkman
		Jackson Lange	Westminster

American Legion Baseball season is under way. Coach Rick Bragg's team will practice and play home games at Lee High School. We will also be hosting the Josh Morris Invitational Tournament at Lee High School from June 30th through July 3rd. Please support our Baseball program by volunteering to work the gate or concession stand at home games and at the tournament.



40 and 8 Grand Correspondent du Alabama Steve Wademan presents Coach Rick Bragg with a \$600 check to help support the Post 237 Legion Baseball program.

**HONOR GUARD DONATIONS:
YOUR TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS FOR 2023
WILL SUPPORT YOUR POST 237 HONOR GUARD**

The Huntsville American Legion Clayton E. Moneymaker Post 237 and Post 229 Honor Guard provide military funeral services for area military veterans. From June 2021 through March, 2022, your Post Honor Guard, consisting of volunteers, has provided this service to more than ninety families. In addition, the Honor Guard performs flag ceremonies for various civic affairs, such as Memorial Day, and other requested services.

This memorable service is provided to veteran's families at no charge, and receives no funding from outside the Post membership. The annual costs (transportation, vehicle maintenance and insurance, etc.) for the Honor Guard is approximately \$5,000 per year. Please assist your Honor Guard.

Tax deductible donations can be mailed to Alabama American Legion Post 237, P.O. Box 1176, Huntsville, AL 35807 or dropped off at the Post. Please note on the check or the envelope that the donation is intended for the Honor Guard. The Post 237 Honor Guard is now classified as a 501C3 organization and its official name is The American Legion - Alabama Post 237 - Honor Guard. Donations can also be made at the new Honor Guard website at <https://hsvhonorguard.org>

Honor Guard Call to Arms

The Post 237 Honor Guard has dwindled down to about half as many members as it once had. Over the past few years, deaths, members moving away, medical issues or just plain old age has taken its toll on the Honor Guard. The Honor Guard has been able to maintain operations without denying any request for services, but at times we have had a limited number of available members. In the past two years we have provided over 200 military funerals, averaging about two per week. We are on call seven days a week. Many of our members have full time jobs and can participate only on the weekends, leaving the full-time retirees to fend for the weekdays. We combine efforts with the Post 229 Honor Guard to fulfill the funeral requests and maintain a perfect record. Our goal is to have enough members to rotate so that no one person must do all the funerals. We need your help to make this happen.

If you feel duty bound to pay your respects to veterans in their passing, join the Honor Guard. The Honor Guard will issue you a summer and winter uniform with all accessories. All you have to provide is your American legion cap and a pair of black shoes. Transportation from Post 237 to the assignment and back is provided by the Post 237 van. The rifle salute uses M1 Garand rifles of WWII vintage that have been restored.

To join the Honor Guard, contact Earl Hokanson the Honor Guard Commander at 256-527-4009.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

LUNCH

SOCIAL QUARTERS

MONDAY – FRIDAY 11 AM -1:30 PM

Specials: Wed – Philly Cheese Steak,

Thu – Taco Salad, Fri - Fish

KARAOKE

SOCIAL QUARTERS

THU 7-11 PM AND SUN 3-7 PM KARAOKE WITH HOWIE

SAT 8 PM - 12 AM KARAOKE WITH JEREMY

FRI 7 – 11 PM KARAOKE WITH JEREMY

TRIVIA

SOCIAL QUARTERS

MONDAY 7-9 PM WITH LISA AND ZACK

BINGO

POST 237 ANNEX

SUN 3:30 PM WED AND SAT 6 PM

MEMBERSHIP DINNER AND MEETING

BALLROOM

3RD MONDAY DINNER AT 6 PM (\$7.00) , MEETING AT 7 PM

POOL TOURNAMENT

SOCIAL QUARTERS

ALTERNATING THURSDAYS 7 PM

TEXAS HOLDEM FUNDRAISER

SOCIAL QUARTERS

TUESDAY 6 PM

Commander's Office Hours

Monday and Tuesday 4PM until 6PM

Second Sunday Pot Luck

Join us on the second Sunday of the month from 3 PM to 7 PM for a Pot Luck. Bring a dish to share and enjoy Karaoke with Howie!



Monday Night Trivia

Join us on Monday nights at 7PM for Trivia presented by Lisa and Zack! Have fun, exercise your brain and win Legion Bucks!



Social Quarters Hours of Operation

Monday	10:00AM – 12:00AM
Tuesday	10:00AM – 12:00AM
Wednesday	10:00AM – 12:00AM
Thursday	10:00AM – 12:00AM
Friday	10:00AM – 1:00AM
Saturday	11:00AM – 1:00AM
Sunday	12:00PM – 8:00PM

Adjutant's Office Hours

Monday	11:00AM – 5:00PM
Tuesday	11:00AM – 5:00PM
Wednesday	11:00AM – 5:00PM
Thursday	11:00AM – 5:00PM
Friday	11:00AM – 5:00PM

Call 256-683-9840 or 256-397-3659 to make an appointment.

Or email either: adjutant237@legional.org or adjutant@legion237.com



Lunch at the Legion

Monday through Friday

11:00AM to 1:30PM

Specials:

Philly Cheese Steak – Wednesday

Taco Salad – Thursday

Fish –Friday

Hamburger and Hot Dog Baskets –

Saturday 11:00AM to 3:00PM

Smoke Free Lunch!

The area in front of the bar is smoke-free from 10AM to 2PM Monday through Friday. The area in back of the bar is open for smokers. Please be courteous and observe these new restrictions.

HUMOR IN UNIFORM



TAKE IT TO THE GRAVE

Retired Army Major General William Brown had worked all of his life and had saved all of his money. He was a real miser when it came to money. He loved money more than anything---even his wife. He was such a miser that he gave his wife a meager weekly allowance to pay the bills and buy food and her clothes.

Just before he died he told his wife, "Now listen, when I die I want you to take all my money and place it in the casket with me because I want to take it to the afterlife."

So he got his wife to promise him with all her heart that when he died she would put all the money in the casket with him. Well one day he died.

He was lying there in the casket and his wife was sitting nearby dressed in black with her friend. When the funeral ceremony was finished, just before the casket was closed, the wife said, "Wait a minute, there's something I need to put in the casket." She had a box with her and placed the box in the casket. The casket was then locked and rolled away.

The wife's friend said, "I hope you weren't crazy enough to put all that money in the casket with that stingy old son of a bitch."

The wife then said, "Yes, I promised. I'm a good Christian, I can't lie. I promised him that I was going to put that money in the casket with him." The friend replied, "You mean to tell me you put every cent of his money in the casket with him?" The wife then said, "I sure did. I got all the money together, put it into my account and I wrote him a check and put it in the casket."

Contributed by Tom Hartley



Around the Post

A big Thank You goes out to Post 237 Sergeant At Arms, Cody Klinner, and his friend and fellow veteran, Craig Irwin, for their efforts in restoring light to the Post 237 backlit sign. We have had several service calls with electrical and sign companies in an attempt to fix electrical service to the sign. With great effort Craig and Cody were able to diagnose and fix the short in the electrical service and replace the damaged fluorescent fixture and bulbs with an LED light set. Thank You for your diligence and hard work!

Post 237 Service Officer

Nick Jones is the Post 237 Service Officer. If you would like to contact him his cell phone number is: 256-361-3702. Nick's email address is: nick.jones4919@gmail.com

Texas Hold'em Fundraiser



Come and play in the weekly Texas Hold'em fundraiser every Tuesday at 6 PM in the bar.

Funds raised will benefit charitable and Legion projects throughout the year.

Come on down and join in the fun!

Help! We are running out of jokes! Please give us a hand. To contribute a cartoon or funny story to Humor in Uniform email to:

newsletter@legion237.com

~ Post 237 April 2023 ~

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>Happy Easter!</i>						1 6p-8p AL237 Bingo 8p-12a Karaoke w/Jerimy
	2 3p-7p Karaoke w/Howie 3:30p-5:30p AUX176 Bingo	3 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-8p Purple Heart Mtg. 7p-9p Trivia w/ Lisa and Zack	4 11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-8p Texas Holdem 7p-8p 40/8 Meeting	5 11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-8p AUX237 Bingo	6 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-11p Karaoke w/Howie	7 Good Friday 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-11p Karaoke with Jeremy
9 Easter 3p-7p Karaoke w/Howie 3p-7p Pot Luck Dinner 3:30p-5:30p AUX176 Bingo	10 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-9p Trivia w/ Lisa and Zack	11 11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-7p House Comte. Mtg. 6p-8p Texas Holdem	12 11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-8p AUX237 Bingo 6p-7p Exec. Board Meeting	13 11a-1:30p Lunch 5:30p-6:30p VVOA Meeting 7p-11p Karaoke w/Howie 6p-7p Comm & Americanism Cmte Mtg	14 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-11p Karaoke with Jeremy	15 6p-8p AL237 Bingo 8p-12a Karaoke w/Jerimy Auxiliary Yard Sale
16 2p-3p SAL Meeting - Sons of the American Legion Meeting 3p-7p Karaoke w/Howie 3:30p-5:30p AUX176 Bingo BBQ Fundraiser	17 Tax Day (Taxes Due) 11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-8p Mbrs. Dinner and Meeting 7p-9p Trivia w/ Lisa and Zack	18 11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-8p Texas Holdem	19 11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-8p AUX237 Bingo	20 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-11p Karaoke w/Howie	21 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-11p Karaoke with Jeremy	22 6p-8p AL237 Bingo 8p-12a Karaoke w/Jerimy
23 3p-7p Karaoke w/Howie 3:30p-5:30p AUX176 Bingo	24 11a-12p County Meeting 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-9p Trivia w/ Lisa and Zack	11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-8p Texas Holdem	26 11a-1:30p Lunch 6p-8p AUX237 Bingo	27 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-8p AL 351 Mtg. 7p-11p Karaoke w/Howie	28 11a-1:30p Lunch 7p-11p Karaoke with Jeremy	29 6p-8p AL237 Bingo 8p-12a Karaoke w/Jerimy American Legion Family Day
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Details on Calendar items are available by clicking on the item at:

<http://www.legion237.com/index.php?id=100>

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