



THE POST SCRIPT



October 2023

Next Meeting – October 10th, at 7:30 p.m.

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Commander's Comments

Comrades,

The month of September was great that we accomplished all our programs.

Thank you for all the volunteers that dedicate their time and talent, they're the ones to be successful in everything we do.

Let's congratulate our newly elected Jr. Vice Commander, Mackie Crossan. He is dedicated to our Post and to serve our veterans.

Our first responders' breakfast was great, and we received a big response from our community. A big thanks to our kitchen staff for preparing a wonderful dinner for our POW/MIA Ceremony. It was an honor to have Mayor Weldon Hurt to read the mayors proclamation for the first time and the 7th medical group commander Col. Christopher Kelly and the Dyess AFB honor guard. Thank you all for being part of our ceremony. And, to Col. James Avery for doing a great job as a master of ceremony and to our District 8 commander Cedrick Shells as a guest speaker and of course to our auxiliary members for always supporting us. Always remember that we still waiting for our POW/MIA to come home to their families.

Thank you and God Bless!

Julio E. Martinez

Senior Vice-Commander

Fellow Comrades.

Many of you are Life Members of this Post.

Let us continue to share our stories and experiences to the community and our active-duty members. Your experiences with the VFW are the greatest recruiting tools available.

Nine new members now call this post home.

Let's extended a warm handshake to each and everyone.

Always remember that no one does more for Veterans than you.

See you around the post.

Rebecca Jackson



We have 40 full hook-up RV sites (water, electricity, and sewer) and 5 temporary spots for rent (no sewer).
Laundry Center, Showers and Restroom.
NO RESERVATIONS

Canteen Corner

OPEN FOR LUNCH

Monday-Friday
11:00 AM -2:00 PM
Saturday & Sunday
11:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Monday

Meatloaf
\$3. Midori Sours

Tuesday

Hamburger Steak
\$3. Tequila Sunrise

Wednesday

Chicken Fried Steak
\$4. Humpday Tea

Thursday

Chicken Spaghetti
\$2. Well Highballs

Friday

Hand Battered Fish
\$2. Fireball Shots

Lunch specials \$10 + tax includes sides and may change due to availability.

Kitchen Open Friday Nights at 7:00 PM - Closing

Junior Vice Commander

Hello fellow Comrades and Auxiliary members,

This is a great honor to be writing this newsletter as a Junior Vice Commander.

I want to say thank you to all those that voted in the meeting for all candidates. I very much appreciate to be elected to my next chain of command position, thanks for your vote.

Now for business, October is a busy month so please join us.

Oct. 8th, 2:00 pm, Operation Enduring Freedom Afghanistan with Trevor Smith, as guest speaker.

Oct. 10th, Members meeting 7:30 pm with Life member prior.

Oct. 13th, celebration of 248th year of US Navy birthday.

Oct. 14th, District Meeting in Wichita Falls, TX, (make reservations)

Oct. 15th, Recognition of Women in Military Service Day 2:00 pm.

Oct 22nd, 2:00 pm, Beirut Bombing (Oct. 23rd, 1983)

Oct 27th, Trunk or Treat, parking lot, 5-7pm

Oct 28th, VFW Halloween Party, costumes party, band.

Mackie Crossan

"With the day comes new strength and new thoughts."

Auxiliary

Auxiliary members,

First, I just want to thank each one of you for always supporting me and encouraging me to do my best. Our next meeting is on October 10th. The entree is Chicken and Dumplings. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Our Auxiliary will have Beef Stroganoff, Baked Potato, Green Beans and Salad for \$10.00 a plate for our Thursday night dinner on October 12th. District 8 meeting on October 14th at Wichita Falls. Trunk or Treat on October 27th at 5:00 pm. Again, thank you.

Anna Martinez

"Life is too short; enjoy your days, laugh at every chance, cry only if you must, and never let others bring you down."

Service Officer/Chaplain

October is cancer awareness month.

Possible Military shutdown 10/1/23.

Check with the VA about getting your Flu shot.

Military Discounts: Hernandez Bakery and Blue Agave.

Please let us know about members in the hospital or who have passed on.

Leave a lot of happy tracks as you go down life's road.

Charlie Bowen

KITCHEN HOURS

Monday – Friday 11:00 AM -2:00 PM
 Saturday & Sunday 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM
 Friday Night Dinner 7:00 PM till Closing



Monday – Friday 10:00 AM 3:00 PM
 Saturday & Sunday 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM
 Friday & Saturday 8:00 PM – 11:30 PM

BINGO

Full Menu	Meatloaf	Hamburger Steak	Chicken Fried Steak	Chicken Spaghetti	Catfish	Full Menu
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 MG Unit 7 @ 1 PM Pinochle 2 PM Shuffleboard 2:30 PM	2 Cooties Meeting 7 PM Pool Tournament 7 PM	3 Dominos 4 PM Cornhole 6:30 PM	4 Pinochle 11 AM	5 Dominos 4 PM Fish Dinner 6 PM House Committee Meeting 7 PM Cornhole 7:30 PM	6 Karaoke 7 PM	7 Breast Cancer Fundraiser \$10 DJ Tess 7 PM
8 OEF Program 2 PM Pinochle 2 PM Shuffleboard 2:30 PM	9 Pool Tournament 7 PM	10 Dominos 4 PM Life Member Meet 6:00 PM VFW & Auxiliary Meetings 7:30 PM	11 Pinochle 11 AM	12 Dominos 4 PM Aux Dinner 6 PM Cornhole 6:30 PM	13 U.S. Navy Birthday USPRO Install Officers DJ Tess	14 District 8 Wichita Falls \$5 DJ Mirelez 8PM
15 WIM Program 2 PM Pinochle 2 PM Shuffleboard 2:30 PM	16 Pool Tournament 7 PM	17 Dominos 4 PM Cornhole 6:30 PM	18 Pinochle 11 AM	19 Dominos 4 PM MG Unit 7 Dinner 6 PM Cornhole 6:30 PM	20 Karaoke 7 PM	21 \$5 DJ Skidd 8PM
22 Beirut Program 2 PM Pinochle 2 PM Shuffleboard 2:30 PM	23 Pool Tournament 7 PM	24 Dominos 4 PM Cornhole 6:30 PM	25 Pinochle 11 AM	26 Dominos 4 PM Cootie Dinner 6 PM Cornhole 6:30 PM	27 Trunk or Treat 5pm Karaoke 7 PM	28 Halloween Party \$10 Outlaw Band
29 Pinochle 2 PM Shuffleboard 2:30 PM	30 Pool Tournament 7 PM	31 Dominos 4 PM Cornhole 6:30 PM	Thursday night dinners are at 6:00 PM 5 th Fish \$10.00 ~ 12 th Beef Stroganoff \$10.00 ~ 19 th Ribs \$14.00 26 th Chicken Fried Steak \$10.00 Sides are included. *Prices and menu may change*			



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Important Events

9th Start of OEF Afghanistan 2001 @ 2 PM

14th District 8 meets in Wichita Falls

15th Recognition of Women in the Military @ 2 PM

22nd Beirut Bombing @ 2 PM

27th Trunk or Treat @ 5 PM – 7 PM

28th Halloween Party



The VFW Post 6873 Bingo is on Facebook. Please "Like" our page to find out Specials and Door Prize announcements.

MONTH OF OCTOBER ALL SESSIONS 66 CARD MACHINES \$10- PER SESSION

Bingo Schedule:

- **Friday & Saturday Nite Time Bingo - Doors open at 8 PM, the first game starts at 10 PM. \$10 - 66 card machines.**
- **Paper packs are \$4.00, Specials are \$2.00, and Double Actions are \$1.00.**

Reminder:

Kitchen will be open on Friday Nights (No outside food or drinks on Friday Nights Sessions).

Please, bring your own food and drink on Saturday nights. No children under 10 years old allowed in the bingo hall. Children 10 thru 18 must be with their parents or guardians and must be playing bingo. Parents will be responsible for their children's behavior. No unattended children allowed in the parking lot and/or sitting in cars.

Specials:

October 1st - 31st \$10 - 66 CARD MACHINES PER SESSION.

BIRTHDAY SPECIAL: FREE BIRTHDAY DAUBER & PAY A PENNY FOR A 45 CARD MACHINE PER SESSION {PHOTO ID WITH BIRTHDATE REQUIRED}

OCTOBER 31st FREE HALLOWEEN DAUBER WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

Monday – Friday	10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Saturday & Sunday	12:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Friday & Saturday Nights	8:00 PM - 11:30 PM

Prices and game schedules are subject to change