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September 2023

Next Meeting – September 12th, at 7:30 p.m.

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Commander's Comments

Comrades,

August was a very busy month with a lot of activities and programs.

I would like to thank all the volunteers that put in their time and hard work to get it done, especially our Auxiliary members and Canteen staff.

In September we will be hosting our 9-11 breakfast for all the First Responders, they are the ones that keep our community safe 24/7. We will also have our annual POW-MIA banquet on September 15th at 6:30pm, please join us and be part of this special event honoring our POW-MIA Heroes.

And lastly, thank you for all your support that you have given me and thank you for all the wonderful people who have been around to help me and my wife to make our Post one of the best in Texas.

Have a wonderful day and stay safe and healthy.

Julio E. Martinez

Remembrance September 12th of Pfc. Martin D. Denson, 21, was a native of Abilene, Texas. He entered the Army in January and was stationed at Fort Bragg, N.C., as an infantryman. R.I.P September 12, 1968 - December 20th, 1989.

"Operation Just Cause" Panama.

VFW DAY September 29, 1899, thirteen veterans of the Spanish-American War formed the American Veterans of Foreign Service (AVFS) that has grown into today's VFW with over 1.4 million members.





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 Comrades and Auxiliary Members,

September is going to be a busy month at the Post. On the 3rd we will be honoring Victory over Japan, program starts at 2:00 pm. On the 11th we are honoring our First Responders from Dyess and Abilene with a breakfast from 7:00 am to 10:00 am. On the 15th will be the POW/MIA banquet. Social hour is at 6:30 pm.

See you around the Post.

Rebecca Jackson

Auxiliary President

Auxiliary Members,

We are off to a brisk start; it is a very busy month. Our next meeting is on September 12th. The entree is hamburgers and hotdogs.

Our Auxiliary will have Filipino Food for our Thursday night dinner on September 14th, cost \$10.00. we will need help serving and cleaning up and please bring a dessert.

The POW-MIA program is on September 15th at 6:30 pm, everyone is invited. Gold Star luncheon on September 23rd at 12:00 noon. I look forward to seeing you throughout the Post and all our programs.

Thank you so much for all you do. have a blessed day.

Anna Martinez

Service Officer/Chaplain

Dyess Pharmacy: use QR scan to get new prescription, also texted them to check online.

Pact act has new changes, go online.

Military Discounts. Circle C Steakhouse. Los Pollitos.

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

BINGO

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

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FREE breakfast 9/11 for all First Responders 7 AM - 10 AM

Thursday night dinners are at 6:00 PM 7^{th} Fish \$10.00 \sim 14 th Filipino \$10.00 \sim 21 st Ribs \$14.00 \sim 28 th Chicken Fried Steak \$10.00

Prices and menu may change

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Important Events

3rd Victory over Japan Program @ 2:00 PM

11th Patriots Breakfast @ 7:00 AM

12th Birth of Pfc. Martin D. Denson

15th POW/MIA Banquet @ 6:30 PM

29th VFW DAY



NO ONE DOES MORE FOR VETERANS



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

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER ALL SESSIONS 66 CARD MACHINES \$10 – PER SESSION Bingo Schedule:

- Friday & Saturday Nite Time Bingo Doors open at 7:30 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.

NO NIGHT BINGO SEPTEMBER 15TH

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:

SEPTEMBER 1st – 31ST SEPTEMBER 4TH BIRTHDAY SPECIAL \$10 – 66 CARD MACHINES PER SESSION.

FREE LABOR DAY DAUBERS

FREE BIRTHDAY DAUBER & PAY A PENNY FOR A 45 CARD MACHINE PER SESSION (PHOTO ID WITH BIRTHDATE

REQUIRED)

Monday – Friday
Saturday & Sunday
Friday & Saturday Nights

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
12:00 PM - 5:00 PM
8:00 PM - 11:30 PM