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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1 Free Jukebox</p> 	<p>2</p> 	<p>3</p>  <p>God Bless Zippo Lighters</p>	<p>4 Darts – 7:00 PM</p> 	<p>5 <u>American Medical Assn. Founded (1847)</u> Occupation of Germany ends (1955)</p>	<p>6</p>  <p>Fish Fry 4-7 PM Free Jukebox 6:00 PM - ?</p>	<p>7 Official end of the Vietnam War (1975)</p>
<p>8</p>  <p>HAPPY Mother's DAY</p> <p>Breakfast 8-11AM Free Jukebox</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p>  <p>Post 351 Challenge coins are coming....</p>	<p>11 Darts – 7:00 PM</p>  <p>Minnesota became the 32nd State (1858)</p>	<p>12 Auxiliary Meeting 6 PM</p>	<p>13 Fish Fry 4-7 PM Free Jukebox 6:00 PM - ?</p>	<p>14 SAL Meeting 11:00 AM James Romano from our post is on the Honor Flight to visit the WWII Memorial</p>
<p>15 Free Jukebox</p> 	<p>16</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18 Darts – 7:00 PM</p> 	<p>19</p>	<p>20 Fish Fry 4-7 PM Free Jukebox 6:00 PM - ?</p>	<p>21 Exec. Meeting 10:00 AM General Meeting 10:30 AM</p>
<p>22 Free Jukebox</p> 	<p>23 South Carolina became the 8th State (1788)</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25 Darts – 7:00 PM</p> 	<p>26</p>	<p>27 Fish Fry 4-7 PM Free Jukebox 6:00 PM - ?</p>	<p>28 5th Anniversary of George Brodsky Memorial VFW Post</p>
<p>29 Free Jukebox</p> 	<p>30</p>  <p>MEMORIAL DAY</p>	<p>31</p>  <p>Remember</p>	 <p>Post 351 Coffee Mugs on sale \$5.00</p>			<p>Post 351 has FREE Wi-Fi access!</p> 

Commander's Corner

How ya' all is?

We've got a lot accomplished lately. The slab for the new shed and old grill has been poured. There was plenty of help getting it ready as well. Thanx to John, Johnny, Thad, Steve, Randy Eck (From Post 38) and anyone else that I've forgotten. We had extra cement so we poured it in the hole by the road and fixed that.

We are getting the floors done in the entire Post. Stripped, cleaned, waxed and sealed. This will be done by the time you get this.

Our new coffee mugs are in and they are going fast at only \$5.00 ea.

Our newly designed challenge coins have been ordered and should be here in about a month. They will be \$10.00 each and they are neat.

The Post election of Officers has been completed. They are as follows: Commander-Me again, 1st vice-John Ebling, 2nd vice-Johnny Connor, 3rd vice-Thad Comings, Finance Officer-Steve Urban, Chaplain-Gordy Holley, Sgt.-Dave Montgomery, E-board: Emory Brady, Charles Hopkins, George Taylor, Don Warburton and Harold Weller (Milky). Congrats to all and we're gonna have another good year.

This will be my last year as your Commander. The economy (gas prices) is killing my retirement fund so I am taking a break for a while. I've gotten lots of help from the Officers and general membership to help keep our Post going as well as can be. "Thank You" for making my job easier. I couldn't have done it without you.

We will have a Memorial Day ceremony, short and sweet, that's our way.

We will be visiting Manatee Elementary School in Tice to speak with the children there about Flag etiquette, explain how to fold the Flag and what each fold means followed by a Flag retirement ceremony. I'm gonna need some bodies in uniform for this. It is tentatively scheduled for June 10th. More later.

Well, that's about all I can feebly remember at this point so stay healthy, wealthy and wise.

Two good tricks for fabric softener sheets...i.e. bounce or any brand.1. To keep gnats from bothering you while working outside, wear a ball cap or visor and put a sheet under the front brim and let it hang down to your eyebrows. They won't bother you.2. Cleaning love bugs off of your vehicle, hose it down first, take a sheet and scrub a little area at a time, rinse and repeat for the next area. Safe on chrome, paint and plastic.....works great.

Miracles of technology.....I just heard of this or I would have included it the first time. Thanx for your patients....Doty

Under the topic of things breaking, please add.....A pipe in the back bathroom broke, between the walls of course, and flooded the back romm and office causing significant damage. The repairs were made by Robby and Joe (Kimo sabe) . thanks to both for rectifying this problem. Thanx again.

Yours in service, Dave Doty

Auxiliary News

A HUGE THANK-YOU goes to everyone who participated in the Steak Night!!! The donations of food and the volunteers were appreciated!!!!

We are collecting supplies to go overseas to our troops. The following items are needed: sunscreen, shampoo, deodorant, foot powder, mosquito wipes, wet wipes, anti bacterial soap, toothbrushes, toothpaste, beef jerky, gummie bears, gum, flavored drink mixes, canned fruit, pop tops, cookies, chips and dip, peanuts. If you do not like shopping and would like to make a monetary donation we will be happy to do the shopping for you!

“SUPPORT OUR TROOPS BRACELTS” are on sale behind the bar for only \$2.00. Proceeds go directly to supplies for our troops. Limited supply so get them while they last!

Post 351 coffee mugs are here and are on sale for only \$5.00. Contact Cindy See or Dave Doty for more information.

Thank-you to everyone who has paid their membership dues. We are currently at approximately 78% and in hopes of reaching 100%. If you have not paid your dues now is the time to do it.

We are wishing everyone a safe and happy Memorial Day!



Cindy See – President

For God and Country

SAL News

The SAL wishes everyone a Happy Mothers Day.

Vinnie Ferrovocchio
(Acting) SAL Commander



Kitchen News

With the exception of Mothers Day and Fathers Day (May and June respectively), the kitchen has ceased Sunday breakfast for the warm season. Watch the bulletin and message boards for further developments.

Judge Judy and her bailiffs are serving the best Fish Fry on Fridays from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM, along with free jukebox...

Watch the board and Newsletter for updates.



Editors Notes

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The steak night on the first Sat. of the month has been postponed until October due to the lack of participation, as usual. We, meaning the Officers, hear alot about "We have no functions!" But when we do have a function, only a sparce group show up to help support us. This equates to losing money and we just can't keep going like that.

Things just keep breaking! Our surveillance sytem puked and, "Thanks" to Steve, a new monitor was purchased and installed and is up and running.

Also, the lounge's cash register is trying to puke and we are keeping it running on a wing and a prayer, Thanx to Doty and Mary who have to reprogram it after every power loss. (FPL, a.k.a., frequent power loss). I just had to get my name in there. Mary has ordered a new one just in case the inevitable happens.

It seems that Knuckles, our typesetter, made a couple of errors recently, prompting demands for apologies and corrections. 1) Vinnie's last name is spelled Ferrovocchio. Sorry for omitting the "h". 2) We also wished him a Happy Birthday, but we were ten years off the mark. (The sorry crew is still sorry.)

Vinnie presented a certified birth certificate to back up his claims. In our view, that makes him a better man than some we can think of..... Steve Urban



