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"Still Serving America"

August 1, 2014

UPCOMING EVENTS

Baseball Night
Wednesday August 27 6:30 pm
 See details on back page

Veterans Free BBQ
Labor Day, Monday, Sept 1
 See details on page 3

ONGOING EVENTS

Coffee & Pastries
 Mondays & Thursdays
 9 - 10 am (Club Room)

Post 313 Breakfasts
 Second Wednesday
 8:30 - 10 am (Club Room/Vets Bar)

General Membership Meetings
 First Monday Club Room/Vets Bar
 6:15 pm - Social with pizza & beverage
 7:15 pm - Business Meeting

Executive Board Meetings
 Last Thursday
 9:30 am - 12 noon

Commander Bob Means

The July Fourth Pancake Breakfast was once again a success. Scouts did an impressive job and now have additional funding for their worthwhile programs. Your Post 313 Gin Fizz/Mimosa Booth was most active and we have additional funds for Veterans' programs and operational expenses. Thanks to First Vice Tom Beck for chairing this event and to all the members who helped out.

We replaced the deteriorating bar stairs and plan on having all in place to solicit bids for the Hall restroom project by month's end.

I hope to see you at some of our upcoming events and, as always, I wish to acknowledge and thank our Officers and Volunteers for making 313 the success it is.

Finance Officer - Tom Beck

The second quarter was strong for Post 313. Hall rentals continued to be healthy. For the quarter end, we still are showing a profit of almost three times last year at the mid year point. This takes into account the fact that we wrote a pretty large check to the architect working on the upcoming hall bathroom project. All in all, we continue to see profits that have not been realized for a very long time, if ever.

1st Vice Commander - Tom Beck

Well, in previous newsletters I have been talking about the Pancake Breakfast, Boys State and Membership. All three are now in the rear view mirror. As you may know, June 30 is our membership fiscal year end. Our goal was 184 members. By our count, we arrived at exactly 184. We are still awaiting final word from state office. And now, membership for 2015 has begun. The

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August 2014

4	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Vets Bar)
4	6:15 pm		Social in Vets Bar followed by General Membership Mtg, 7:15
7	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Vets Bar)
11	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
13	8:30 am	10 am	Post Breakfast (Club Room)
14	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
18	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
21	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
25	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
28	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
28	9:30 am	12 noon	Executive Committee Meeting (Vets Bar)

September 2014

1			Labor Day - Veterans Free BBQ (See ad on pg 3)
4	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
8	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
9	12 noon	2 pm	Auxiliary Unit Mtg (Club Room)
10	8:30 am	10 am	Post Breakfast (Club Room)
11	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
15	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
18	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
22	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
25	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)
25	9:30 am	12 noon	Executive Committee Meeting (Club Room)
29	9 am	10 am	Coffee (Club Room)

For calendar updates, see the club room bulletin board & the post website: http://americanlegion313.org	For Veteran's Services, see http://www.co.marin.ca.us/depts/HH/main/ag/veterans.cfm
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Post 313 Breakfast

Wednesday, August 13, 2014
8:30—10 am in Club Room
\$5.00 (All you can eat!)

Includes fruit juice, scrambled eggs with cheese, pancakes, bacon, sausage and coffee.

Reservation: signup in Club Room , call Bill Brennen (415-927-0393) or leave message at the Post (415-924-6283).

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fun just never ends. We have had a flood of renewals come in since June 30. Thank you so much to everyone who sent their renewals in so expeditiously.

Our Post continues to grow. Please don't assume this just happens due to some demographic situation. The demographic situation we face is exactly the opposite. The number of living veterans drops by about 1% every year. It takes a little bit of focus and great members who find other veterans and bring them in. As I have said for several newsletters now, every member knows a vet who isn't a member of Post 313. Let's make them members!!!!!!

My door is always open.

Auxiliary News - President Elena Bartley

I hope everyone got a chance to see Pauline, at 105 years of age, as Grand Marshal in the 4th of July parade this year!

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VETERANS



**American Legion Post 313
Invites All Vets
and Their Guests to a Free BBQ**

Labor Day
Monday September 1, 2014
11 AM to 3 PM



**American Legion Hall
500 Magnolia Ave.
Larkspur
924-6283**

Free Burgers, Hot Dogs,
Potato Salad, Snacks,
Soft Drinks and Coffee

No Host Bar; Vets First Drink Free



BASEBALL NIGHT

VETERANS' BAR
WEDNESDAY AUG 27 6:30 PM



SF GIANTS VS. COLORADO ROCKIES

BILL'S FAMOUS HOT DOGS

COMMANDER'S FAMOUS CHILI

ICE COLD BEER AND WINE

BIG SCREEN TV

ALL THIS FOR ONLY \$5