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Post 313 of Larkspur exists to serve Veterans, current troops, and the public in the cause of patriotism and remembrance of the sacrifices by veterans and the deployed, protecting our freedom and liberty around the world.

In the spirit of Memorial Day, Post 313 held a Post Everlasting at the general meeting on May 1. We remembered a number of our comrades who left us in the recent past, remembering them As Veterans, fellow Post members, and friends. Thanks to Bill Brennen, Bob Gonzales and CJ Carillo for assisting in the Post Everlasting Ceremony for:

MEMBERS REMEMBERED IN POST EVERLASTING

Robert Alander, Jeannie Bacon, Charles Campbell, Jack Dennis, Jimmie Dukes, John Farley, Bill Hardshaw, Art Olson, James Reilly, Gerard Sample, Mark Shafer, Joe Stone, Hugo Valadez, Tom Wean



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~ June 2017 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 9a Coffee (Club Room)	2	3
4	5 9a Coffee (Club Room) 6:15p General Membership Social (Clubroom) 7:15p General Membership Meeting (Clubroom)	6	7	8 9a Coffee (Club Room)	9	10
11	12 9a Coffee (Club Room)	13 12p Auxiliary Unit Meeting (Club Room)	14 Flag Day 8:30a Post 313 Breakfast (Club Room)	15 9a Coffee (Club Room)	16	17
18 Father's Day	19 9a Coffee (Club Room)	20	21 Summer Solstice	22 9a Coffee (Club Room)	23	24
25	26 9a Coffee (Club Room)	27	28	29 9a Coffee (Club Room) 9:30a Executive Board Meeting (Club Room)	30	
~ July 2017 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Canada Day
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30 Int'l. Friendship Day	31 9a Coffee (Club Room)					

The Post was also well represented at the Fisher House benefit dinner on May 20, with Past Commander Bob Means and Bill Brennen and other members at nearby tables. Thanks to them and to member Jackie Tribolet for supporting Fisher House which provides housing and comfort to the families of troops and veterans hospitalized at military hospitals in 72 different facilities. Enclosed is a picture of Pauline and Bill Brennen at their table for the Fisher House Benefit. Outstanding job by Jackie to organize such a wonderful event.

Upcoming is Memorial Day, a day to think about the solemn sacrifice of those who have given all for this country. There will be

Memorial Day events at various locations in Marin and the Bay area, and the Memorial Day bar-b-que at Post 179, the Log Cabin, in San Anselmo. Let us re-dedicate ourselves to keeping alive the memories of those who lost their lives in the service of the USA, and their families.

As a reminder, to all Veterans, when the National Anthem is played, those who have put on the uniform and served this country are entitled to render a hand salute during the Anthem. This reminds those around them that Veterans have defended that flag and all it stands for, for more than two centuries. There have been at least two occasions when I saluted during the Anthem and people came up afterwards and said, Thank you for your service. So people know what such a salute means. And a salute by Veterans is far more significant than a protest by someone who has never served.

So, Thanks for all of those who are helping Post 313 continue to serve Veterans, our men and women in the Armed Forces, and those recovering from being in harms way.

Auxiliary President Elena Bartley

Welcome ladies to our summer months! Now that the weather is so nice and everyone is getting out more, it would be great to see some more of you at the post. Our next Auxiliary meeting before the summer break is June 13th. Come and enjoy some snacks with us from 12 to 1pm and stay for the meeting from 1-2pm. We'd love to see you there!!

American Legion GI Bill forum, exhibit set for National WWII Museum

The original cover and signature page of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, along with the typed and hand-edited speech given by President Franklin D. Roosevelt after signing it, will be showcased at the National World War II Museum in New Orleans beginning June 20 as part of an American Legion centennial salute to the GI Bill.

The bill, drafted and pushed to passage by The American Legion in 1943 and 1944, transformed the United States, building the middle class and democratizing higher education. The exhibit, titled "The Greatest Legislation," features illustrated panels and touchscreen videos that tell the dramatic story of how The American Legion drafted the measure and overcame numerous challenges to get it to the president's desk June 22, 1944.

Post 313 Breakfast
Wednesday, June 14, 2017

8:30 am in Club Room

\$5.00 (All you can eat!)

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

Reservation: Signup in Club Room or Call Bill Brennen (415-927-0393)

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65th ANNUAL IDEPENDENCE DAY PANCAKE BREAKFAST

7:45 am Flag Raising, with Boys Scouts and Girl Scouts

8 - 11 am Breakfast

Pancakes, Sausages, Fruit, Coffee, OJ & Milk

\$10 Adults/\$5 Kids

Famous 1928 Legion Recipe Gin Fizzes \$5

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