

American Legion, Taylor-Keehner Post 79, Yarnell, Arizona

COMMANDER'S COLUMN

February 2018

Our annual dues are \$35.00

HELP WANTED - American Legion Post 79, in Yarnell, Arizona.

Is in need of a Cook and a Volunteer Bartender. Inquire at the Post or Call (928) 427-3745, ask for Al.

Thanks to everyone that attended the S.A.L. Patio Party. It was a great day and we had a lot of fun.

The Ladies Auxiliary will be hosting a Fashion Show by B-Wear Chic Fashion Boutique on Saturday the 3rd of February. Luncheon at 11:30 followed by the show, Tickets are available at the Post. Super Bowl Party! Come on up and join us, the Public is Invited. The party starts at 12:00 and goes until 9:00 PM. Kickoff for the game is at 4:25 PM and will be Playing on 5 Screens. Serving Pot Luck, bring your favorite dish to share. We will have Happy Hour all day.

If you show your membership card before the bartender asks to see it, you get 25 cents off your first drink! "RED SHIRT FRIDAY"; if you are wearing a red shirt you get 25 cents off your first drink!

For God and Country,

Al Lennert, Commander, American Legion Post 79

P.O. Box 341, 22911 Looka Way, Yarnell, Arizona 85362

Post E-mail: contact@americanlegion79.org / Post Website: <http://americanlegion79.org>

Post Telephone: 928-427-3735

Commander's Quote:

"My dream is of a place and a time where America will once again be seen as the last best hope of earth."

Abraham Lincoln

SPECIAL EVENTS THIS MONTH

Saturday, 3rd February: Ladies Auxiliary Fashion Show 11:30 - 5:00pm
Sunday, 4th February: Superbowl Party 12:00 - 9:00pm
Saturday, 10th February: Linda Fausey Celebration of Life 2:30 - 6:00pm
Saturday, 17th February: Post Meetings; 10am Legion, 11am S.A.L., 12pm Auxiliary

SPECIAL EVENTS NEXT MONTH

Saturday, 17th March: Saint Patrick's Day Dinner 3:00 - 6:00pm

Support our Vets: Not just in the Holiday Season, these things are needed year-round. The Vets at the VA in Prescott are always in need of a variety of personal items. All items should be new and brought to the Yarnell American Legion or delivered to Voluntary Services in Building 15, room 106. Monetary donations are also accepted so items can be purchased. Checks should be made payable "Northern AZ VA HCS" and sent to Voluntary Service, 500 HWY 89 North, Prescott 86303. Here is a list of some of the things needed:

Hand Soap, Laundry Detergent, Pens/Pencils, Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Combs/ Brushes, Shaving Cream, Disposable Razors, Postal Forever Stamps, Socks (Men various sizes), T-Shirts (Men and Women's, various sizes), Underwear for men and women, Collared Shirts (Men and Women's, various sizes), Dockers (Men and Women's, various sizes), Prepaid phone minute cards, Healthy packaged snacks (nuts, bars, etc.).

Contact the VA at 928-776-6013 with other items you may wish to donate as the above is just a sampling of what is needed. There is a drop box for donations in the Dining Room at the Post.

American Legion, Taylor-Keehner Post 79, Yarnell, Arizona

LADIES AUXILIARY

February 2018

Hi there Ladies. This will be short, sweet and to the point.

New member initiations will be held in our March 17th meeting. Meeting starts at noon so mark your calendars and spread the word! Year pins for active members will also be handed out at the meeting.

The Ladies Auxiliary will be hosting a special St. Patrick's Day dinner from 3-6pm on Saturday, March 17th. Dinner is open to the public. The ladies will be serving Corned Beef & Cabbage, Soda Bread and more! Dinner includes Dessert. Cost is \$10 per person. Reminder, Auxiliary elections will be held in April.

FOR GOD AND COUNTRY

KATHY HOLLE

PRESIDENT

A FEW NOTES FROM OUR SERVICE OFFICER:

New VA I.D. cards

The application for the new national Veterans Identification Card is now available online, making it easier for former members of the military to take advantage of discounts and other benefits. The card, offered by the Department of Veterans Affairs, is available at no cost to veterans with honorable military service, including those who served in the reserves. "The new Veterans Identification Card provides a safer and more convenient and efficient way for most veterans to show proof of service. To apply for the card, veterans can sign in or create an account at vets.gov then click on "Apply for Printed Veteran ID Card." The card should be delivered within 60 days.

VA home loan info: The VA is now offering Refinance options. From standard loan to VA loan or a VA loan at a lower percentage rate.

Thanks

Gary

Ladies Auxiliary Raffles: The drawing for the Kenny Wayne Pottery will be held on Superbowl Sunday. The Ladies are also raffling a Ruger SR9 9mm Automatic. The drawing will be held on Friday, the 23rd of February.

Sons of the American Legion Raffle: The S.A.L is raffling Russian Mosin-Nagant Rifle, 7.62x54r. This is a WWII sniper rifle with the scope included. Open to the Public.

American Legion Raffle: The Legion is raffling a Remington RP9 9mm Automatic. The drawing will be held on Memorial Day Monday, May 28th.

Flu Shots: Prescott VA walk-In Clinic, is Closed. See your Provider or Care Team or Mental Health, they can give you a Flu Shot at any time. You can also go to Walgreens to get a free Flu Shot. You need your valid VA Card and a Photo ID. Walgreens has a 4 question form you fill out, ask and we can give you a copy. Walgreens does send this to the VA to be included in your medical records.

AzAirNet: The Post has a new Internet Provider, "AzAirNet". If you need the Password, ask your Bartender. If you are not happy with your Internet Provider or have not been able to get Internet service, these people offer a flat rate service with no data caps, at a fair price. They do cover most of the local area and are expanding their coverage. If you are interested check them out at, "<http://www.azairnet.com/>". Support your Post. If you do subscribe to their service tell them you were referred by "American Legion Post 79". Thanks.

T-Shirts: We are selling Legion Family T-Shirts. Support your Post and buy a good looking shirt. Proceeds go toward upgrading the kitchen.

BLUE CHIPS! We no longer accept Blue Chips. Don't even try.

EVERYDAY {unless there is a special event}:

Well drinks are \$3.25 and most domestic beer is \$2.50. Happy Hour from 3 pm until 6 pm.

Also BAR STOOL BINGO at 1, 3, 5 and 7pm.

- > EVERY SUNDAY: Shuffleboard Tournament starting at 1pm.
- > EVERY MONDAY: Closed
- > EVERY TUESDAY: Free Pool
Taco Tuesday 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
- > EVERY WEDNESDAY: Free Pool
San Felipe Rummy at 1:00 pm
Texas Hold'em at 5:00 pm
Bar Food Only
- > EVERY THURSDAY: Free Shuffleboard from 2:00 - 6:00 pm
Pool Tournament 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
- > EVERY FRIDAY: "Red Shirt Day" wear a red shirt and get 25 cents off your first drink.
Our famous Friday night dinners from 5-7 pm(see calendar for details)
Karaoke at 7:00 pm or Live Music. Check your calendar for details.
- > EVERY SATURDAY: Texas Hold'em at 2:00 pm
"Every other Saturday" Hot Dogs and Chili at the Bar "while it lasts"

SICK CALL

Sarah Staley

Elaine McGinley

Ron Vertin

TAPS

Jim Edge

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

9th Dave & Trudy White
14th John & Charlotte Sheets
19th Gara & Jeremiah Wallen
25th Frank & Mague Ocampo
27th Jake & Melissa Nasits

Did we miss your birthday or anniversary this year?
Did we misspell your name? If so, please let your
bartender or one of our officers know so we can
update our list.

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

3rd Cindy Thal
7th Dean Mattila
8th Sandy Pierce
15th Jeff Ray
15th Jan Samuels
18th 'Whiskey' Steve Glidewell
26th Byron Trammel
26th Terri Olives
27th Erin O'Reilly

REMEMBER: Unless otherwise specified, the Post and its activities are only open to paid members of the Legion Family and their Bona Fide Guests. Guests are only allowed in the Post when accompanied by their sponsor/member. Guests are only allowed in three times, then they must join the Legion family to return. As a Member of the American Legion Family, you can also attend any Legion function at any American Legion Post anywhere. Meals and Social Events are open to the public.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING:

To be in the Legion Rifle Squad

To run Texas Hold 'Em

To help out with special events

To contact businesses to sell ads for the newsletter

To help with Friday night dinners & 50/50

To help with Quarterly cleaning of the post

If you can help out with any of the above, please let one of the officers or your bartender know. Thanks!

DID YOU KNOW? Deals for Veterans

Anyone needing a ride to the Prescott VA Hospital, the van from Post 12 runs Tuesday and Thursday.
Call Post 12, at: 928-684-7762

O'Reilly Auto Parts and Autozone in Prescott are offering a 10% Veterans discount, show them your VA card. Golden Corral, Carl's Jr. and Jack In The Box offer a 10% Veterans discount. The Salvation Army Thrift Store in Prescott offers a 10% Veterans discount. Lowes also offers a 10% Veterans discount. "The Streets of New York", a restaurant in the Sprouts (formerly Albertsons) plaza, is offering a 15% Veterans discount. Ace Hardware in Prescott Valley offers a 10 % Veterans discount. Always ask.

Flame Propane has been helping out the Post by charging the lowest commercial rates available. And extending that offer to all members of Post 79 Legion Family. All you have to do is bring a copy of your Legion Card to the Flame office in Congress before you order propane to get the rate.


USAA offers low cost Insurance and banking services only to Veterans and their families. Contact them at: 1-800-531-8722 or <http://usaa.com>.

Verizon Mobile Phone Company is giving 15% to 20% off on Veteran's phone bill. Stop in with DD-214 or VA card or send a copy of your DD-214. Its great, check into it.

\$1,000.00 free accidental death insurance is available to Legion Members. Pamphlets are at the Post or call 1-800-235-6943.

Veterans and Social Security Disability Assistance: Dennis L Peterson 602-277-0505.

Thanks, Al

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <h1 style="font-size: 48px; margin: 0;">February 2018</h1> <p style="margin: 0;">American Legion, Taylor-Keehner Post 79, Yarnell, Arizona</p>						
4 SUPER BOWL PARTY 12am - 9pm Kickoff at 4:25pm Open to the Public Pot Luck HAPPY HOUR 3-6	5 Closed	6 Free Pool 5-7 Taco Tuesday Happy Hour 3-6	7 1pm San Felipe Rummy 5pm Texas Hold'em Free Pool Bar Food Only Happy Hour 3-6	8 2-6pm free Shuffle-board 5-7pm Pool Tournament Bar Food only Happy Hour 3-6	9 Kitchen Closed Cook Quit Bar Food Available HAPPY HOUR 3-6 7 - 1am Karaoke	10 Linda Fausey Celebration of Life Pot Luck 2:30 - 6:00 2pm Texas Hold'em Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6
11 1pm Shuffle-board Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6	12 Closed	13 Free Pool 5-7 Taco Tuesday Happy Hour 3-6	14 1pm San Felipe Rummy 5pm Texas Hold'em Free Pool Bar Food Only Happy Hour 3-6	15 2-6pm free Shuffle-board 5-7pm Pool Tournament Bar Food only Happy Hour 3-6	16 Kitchen Closed Cook Quit Bar Food Available HAPPY HOUR 3-6 7 - 1am Karaoke	17 Post Meetings 10am Legion 11am S.A.L. 12pm Auxiliary 2pm Texas Hold'em Bar Food Available HAPPY HOUR 3-6
18 1pm Shuffle-board Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6	19 Closed	20 Free Pool 5-7 Taco Tuesday Happy Hour 3-6	21 1pm San Felipe Rummy 5pm Texas Hold'em Free Pool Bar Food Only Happy Hour 3-6	22 2-6pm free Shuffle-board 5-7pm Pool Tournament Bar Food only Happy Hour 3-6	23 Kitchen Closed Cook Quit Bar Food Available HAPPY HOUR 3-6 7 - 1am Karaoke	24 2pm Texas Hold'em Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6
25 1pm Shuffle-board Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6	26 Closed	27 Free Pool 5-7 Taco Tuesday Happy Hour 3-6	28 1pm San Felipe Rummy 5pm Texas Hold'em Free Pool Bar Food Only Happy Hour 3-6			