

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

COMMANDER'S COLUMN

May 2019

As the Commander of American Legion Post 79 in Yarnell, I would like to invite everyone to stop by the Post. Well this time of year always reminds me of a song by Jerry Keller "Here Comes Summer". The Parker pig roast was a great success, a good time was had by all.

We have a very busy May coming up with all of our special events which will be listed below.

Again I would like to thank all the volunteers. Our volunteers not only make my job easier, but it makes our post stronger. So thank you again to all of our volunteers your help is greatly appreciated. Rena's last day was April 21, I would like to personally thank her for all her hard work while she was here and we all wish her the very best in her new endeavors.

The cooperation between all of our entities is beginning to show. The Ladies Auxiliary is working on a float for the Parade. The entire Post will be helping in any way we can.

Our events start with our May 4 Tribute Patio Party for International Firefighters Day. Then comes Yarnell days, Patio Party at the Post. Then Memorial Day Monday we will hold our ceremony at the cemetery followed by a Patio Party at the Post. "These events are all Open to the Public".

as always your commander Gary Adams

Taco Tuesday has been Canceled for the time being. On Thursdays our Kitchen is Open from 5:00 till 7:00pm serving Burgers. Open to the Public. Our Friday Dinners are from 5:00 till 7:00pm followed by Karaoke till 11:00pm. Friday Dinner and Karaoke are Open to the Public.

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,

Gary Adams, 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

Facebook: "[American Legion Post 79](#)"

Commander's Quote:

"If everyone is thinking alike then no one is thinking."

Benjamin Franklin

AzAirNet: "AzAirNet" is the Internet provider for the Post. If you need the Password, ask your Bartender. 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.

SPECIAL EVENTS THIS MONTH

Saturday, 4 th May:	National Firefighters Day Patio Party Noon - 5:00pm
Saturday, 4 th May:	Silent Auction 1:00pm - 3:00pm
Saturday, 18 th May:	Legion Elections 10:00am
Saturday, 18 th May:	S.A.L. Elections 11:00am
Saturday, 18 th May: _____	Yarnell Daze - all day
Saturday, 18 th May: _____	Legion Patio Party, Noon - 2:00pm
Monday, 27 th May:	Memorial Day Ceremony - 11:00am
Monday, 27 th May:	Legion Patio Party - Noon - 3:00pm

BUSINESSES THAT SUPPORT THE AMERICAN LEGION

Yarnell Sentry Hardware, B & B Automotive, Arrowhead Bar & Grill, Gilligans

EVERYDAY {unless there is a special event}:

Well drinks are \$3.25 and most domestic beer is \$2.50. Happy Hour from 3:00 pm until 6:00 pm.

Also BAR STOOL BINGO at 1, 3, 5 and 7:00 pm. "Bar Food", i.e. Pizza, Burgers, Sandwiches. Are available when the Kitchen is Closed.

- > EVERY SUNDAY: Shuffleboard Tournament starting at 1pm.
- > EVERY MONDAY: Closed
- > EVERY TUESDAY: Free Pool
- > EVERY WEDNESDAY: Free Pool
San Felipe Rummy at 1:00 pm
Texas Hold'em at 5:00 pm
Bar Food Available
Happy Hour All Day
- > EVERY THURSDAY: Free Shuffleboard from 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Cook Special Burgers 5:00 pm - 7:00 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.
Friday night dinners from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm(see calendar for details)
Karaoke at 7:00 pm - 11:00 pm
- > EVERY SATURDAY: Texas Hold'em at 2:00 pm

Agent Orange: The Children of Veterans that have been exposed to Agent Orange are suffering from many more medical problems than the general population. The Department of Defense is beginning to recognizing this. You can get more information at: <http://www.covvha.net> and follow the links.

SICK CALL

Al Lennert
Gil Newton
JR
John Colegrove
Kevin Black
Dianne Tacket Garza
Elizabeth Piper
Kim Scott
Phil Thaer
Chuck Cahill
Chaz Shane
Steve White

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Taco Tuesday needs people
To be in the Legion Rifle Squad
To run Texas Hold 'Em
To help out with special events
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!

Shuttle Service at the Prescott VA: If you have been to the Prescott VA you know parking is limited. There is a lot of parking available, but it is a distance from the Hospital. To make these parking spots more usable the Prescott VA has instituted and expanded a Shuttle Service. Anyone can use it; Patients, Visitors and Employees. There are two Shuttle routes with regular stops. Plus, you can call 928 776-6013 (ext. 6013 from a VA courtesy phone) the Shuttle will pick you up anywhere on the VA Campus and take you to where you need to go. When you are finished with your appointment the Shuttle will take you back to your car.

MAY ANNIVERSARIES

4th Evelyn & Terry Piper
16th Sally & Jimmy Cone
21st Dane & Sally Rappolt
22nd Jack & Barbra Stanberry
24th Bev & Joe Russo
25th Tom & Nikole Scott

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.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

3rd William Farwell
7th Dick Bugola
9th Terri Palmberg
11th Sioux Mattson
14th Arlene Larson
15th Tom Cammarato, Sally Owens
18th Nancy Carter
20th Rick Levet, Judy Burt
22nd Ronda Barnstable
23rd Gary Adams, Terri Moore
24th Marvin Shaw, Stacy Pizzirusso
25th Dean James
30th Pat Wright, Leo Shanahan
31st Bev Russo, Pat Wright

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 Card carrying Member you can also attend any Legion function at any American Legion Post anywhere. Our Meals and Social Events are open to the public.

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 in thier original packaging. Brought to the Yarnell American Legion or delivered to Voluntary Services at the VA in Prescott. Building 15 (the Theater) , 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. You can leave donations at the Post.

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

Do you need your Windshield replaced? "Veteran Auto Glass" gives deep discounts to Veterans & they come to you. <http://veteranautoglass.com> Phone; (623) 322-6168 or Cell; (623) 666-2107. Check them out.

Do you shop at Lowes? If you do and have not already done so, on your next visit stop at Customer Service first. Tell them you want to set up your Veteran's Discount under your phone number. They no longer take your VA Card when you check out. Remember to tell the Cashier you have a Veteran's Discount.

O'Reilly Auto Parts and Autozone in Prescott are offering a 10% Veterans discount, show them your VA card. Golden Corral, Carl's Jr., McDonalds 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 Home Depot offers a 10% discount for Active Duty Military, Retired & Disabled Veterans. "The Streets of New York", a restaurant in the Sprouts plaza, is offering a 15% Veterans discount. Ace Hardware in Prescott Valley offers a 10 % Veterans discount. Papa Murphy's Is offering a 25% discount to Veterans. 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. Flame Propane is now Amerigas. It appears they honor this deal if you are grand fathered in. They do not offer it to new customers!

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 Gary

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday



May 2019

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

<p>Everything is Subject to Change</p>	<p>1pm San Felipe Rummy 5pm Texas Hold'em Free Pool Bar Food Available Happy Hour All Day</p>	<p>2-6pm Free Shuffle-board 5-7pm Cook Special Burgers 5-7pm Pool Tournament Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>3 S.A.L. Dinner 5-7pm Deli Sandwich, Potato Salad, Dessert \$9.00 Red Shirt Day Happy Hour 3-6 7-11pm Karaoke</p>	<p>4 National Firefighters Day 12-5pm Patio Party Open to the Public Burgers & Brats 1-3pm Silent Auction Happy Hour 1pm-Close</p>
<p>5 1pm Shuffle-board Tournament Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>7 Free Pool Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>9 2-6pm Free Shuffle-board 5-7pm Cook Special Burgers 5-7pm Pool Tournament Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>10 Auxiliary Dinner Pizza Mania \$10.00 Red Shirt Day Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>11 2pm Texas Hold'em Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>
<p>12 1pm Shuffle-board Tournament Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>14 Free Pool Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>16 2-6pm Free Shuffle-board 5-7pm Cook Special Burgers 5-7pm Pool Tournament Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>17 Legion Dinner 5-7pm Fried Chicken Mashed Potato Gravy \$10.00 Red Shirt Day Happy Hour 3-6 7-11pm Karaoke</p>	<p>18 Post Meetings Legion Elections Yarnell Daze 11-2pm Patio Party W/ Burgers and Dogs Open to the Public Happy Hour All Day</p>
<p>19 1pm Shuffle-board Tournament Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>21 Free Pool Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>23 2-6pm Free Shuffle-board 5-7pm Cook Special Burgers 5-7pm Pool Tournament Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>24 S.A.L. Dinner 5-7pm Chicken Fried Steak, Potato Salad, Dessert \$10.00 Red Shirt Day Happy Hour 3-6 7-11pm Karaoke</p>	<p>25 2pm Texas Hold'em Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>
<p>26 1pm Shuffle-board Tournament Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>28 Free Pool Bar Food Available Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>30 2-6pm Free Shuffle-board 5-7pm Cook Special Burgers 5-7pm Pool Tournament Happy Hour 3-6</p>	<p>31 S.A.L. Dinner 5-7pm Deli Sandwich, Potato Salad, Dessert \$9.00 Red Shirt Day Happy Hour 3-6 7-11pm Karaoke</p>	<p>Friday Dinners Typically Include: Salad Bar, Vegetable, Dinner Roll & Dessert</p>