

Sandy VFW Post 4273 & Auxiliary

“First to Serve our Veterans”

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Buckboard Bulletin
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Post Commander's Message

Hello, I would like to remind everyone that we will be having a 40th anniversary / Meeting hall remodeling ceremony on February 13th. I would encourage everyone available to turn out to show support for our post. I would like to extend my gratitude to our hardworking volunteer staff that is putting in the time to help keep our canteen operational. Please come in and say hi and show your appreciation as well.

Please help out our officers with the newsletter by updating your email address as we are not mailing it out any longer. If you would like to receive a hard copy you can obtain one in the post or by requesting one.

I would like to thank everyone for helping and supporting me through my time as commander of this post. I am truly honored to serve all our members and our Auxiliary. I am pleased to announce our Patriots Pen/Voice of Democracy went well. We had a large turnout again this year. Along with our usual post selections, we had three entries selected by Department.

Lets hope for great things in 2016!

Kristian Golby

Auxiliary President's Message

Hi brothers and sisters,

Well another Mid-Winter has come and gone. The students did an outstanding job. It is always a pleasure to hear their speeches. Sorry to say our entrants from Sandy did not finish in the top 6 places.

Next up is our open house on February 13, 2016. This will be a potluck. Kaye Gomes and Tony Gibler are doing a great job putting this event together. I hope to see a lot of new and old faces at this ribbon cutting ceremony.

We are starting Wii bowling again. It is still on Thursday night starting at 6 pm, come one, come all. Carol and all her volunteers are doing a super job trying to keep the canteen open, we need to support and help them.

Auxiliary President,

Kit Spitzengel

Post Chaplain

... for in You do I trust; cause me to know
the way in which I should walk...

Psalms 143:8

Our prayers and thoughts are with the following members, as well as their family and friends: **Mike Kennedy, Charlie Jordan, Ace Way**, all of whom are experiencing serious health issues at this time. Our thoughts and prayers go out to our post member Cory Homsley whose wife, Alisha, passed on recently. Cory is the grandson of Voriece Blair.

O Lord my God, I cried unto thee, and thou
hast healed me

Psalms 30:2

If you know of a member who is having
health issues or a member who has passed
away please let me know:
jimmitchell03@gmail.com

Post Chaplain, Jim Mitchell

Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose
mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth
in thee.

Isaiah 55:12

Auxiliary Chaplain

Lois Leavitt collapsed from low blood pressure, while baking at the post. She was rushed to Gresham Hospital for a few days and is doing fine now. she wished to thank the men of the post for the rose bouquet they sent.

Our condolences go to Linda Hogan who lost her father. So sorry Linda, God bless.

Chaplain Judy Gascon
503-668-3748

CANTEEN Corner NOW OPEN

Tuesday - Saturday
3:00pm to 7:00pm

Welcome back! We have reopened with a staff of wonderful volunteer bartenders. Without them it would not be possible.

Taco Tuesday has been a big success. The tacos are the best in town and not your everyday taco, much thanks to Chef Mathias Engblom from The Rendezvous Grill. Thursday night we will have the return of Wii Bowling at 6:00pm. Friday night we have been serving dinner at the Post, come check it out.

Sunday, February 7th we will be open for the Superbowl at 2:30pm with tailgate food from Mathias.

So many people to thank, some I can't think enough: Kris Engblom, Dan Copher, John Lamb, Mathias Engblom, Candi Engblom, Fawnda Buck, Katie Rundell, Kit Spitsengel, Chris Stadstad, Jewell Lamb, Tony Gibler, Dora Fitzpatrick, Karli Engblom, Kaye Gomes, Ken Hershberger and Bill Miller. I'm sorry if I missed anyone's name.

And a BIG THANK YOU to all of our loyal customers. Hopefully we will be getting more as the days go by.

Carol Engblom

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY
FEBRUARY 7

Superbowl Party
Hosted by Carol Engblom

Come tailgate before the big game with food from Chef Mathias Engblom from the Rendezvous

Party starts at 2:30pm
Kickoff at 3:30 pm

SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 13

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony & Reception

The Sandy VFW Post 4273 invites the community to attend our 40th Anniversary Celebration and Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for our recently remodeled Meeting Room. Reception and potluck to follow.

4:00pm - 8:00pm

Sandy VFW Celebrates 40 years of Service

Sandy Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #4273 invites the community to join us Saturday, February 13th from 4:00 to 8:00pm for our 40th Anniversary Celebration & Ribbon Cutting Ceremony of our newly remodeled main hall. The VFW Hall is located at 38452 Proctor Blvd. In 2015 work was completed remodeling the main hall on the upper floor. The room had remnants from days long past including vintage 70's wall paneling. The only thing the hall seemed to actually have going was the beautiful solid wood floor. The general feeling of the old hall was dark, cold and somewhat foreboding. Insulation and sheetrock were installed along with new window trim and ceiling fans. What a change some elbow grease can make! The new main hall is absolutely beautiful and inviting.

Plans are now in the works to use this new space not just as a meeting hall but as a space available for private parties, and for members to lounge in day-to-day. An antique 1940's Valley 9' regulation pool table was donated and set up for use as well as a foosball table.

For more information, contact Sandy VFW Post 503-668-5211

Post Officers

Commander	Kris Golby
Sr. Vice Commander	Allen Anderson
Jr. Vice Commander	Tony Gibler
Quartermaster	John Lamb
Chaplain	Jim Mitchell
Judge Advocate	William Miller
Surgeon	Dan Copher
1 Year Trustee	Ken Hershberger
2 Year Trustee	William Miller
3 Year Trustee	Merle Stewart
Adjutant	Gary Lightcap
Service Officer	Casey Wood

Auxiliary Officers

President	Kit Spitzengel
Sr. Vice President	Sardi Bowyer
Jr. Vice President	Wanda Michaels
Treasure	Midge Watkins
Chaplain	Judy Gascon
Secretary	Jackie Key
Guard	Nancy Davis
Conductress	Dora Fitzpatrick
Trustee 1	Prentiss Edwards
Trustee 2	Jean Bettencourt
Trustee 3	Kathy Dunn
Patriotic Instructor	Lois Leavitt

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AUXILLARY
February 12th at 6:00pm
POST
February 19th at 6:00pm

DAILY EVENTS

Tuesday: \$1 Taco Tuesdays from Chef Mathias Engblom from the Rendezvous
 Wednesday: Wine Down Wednesday & Shrimp Cocktails
 Thursday: Wii Bowling Hosted by Kit
 Friday: Come check in for our dinner specials!
 Saturday: CHECK BACK SOON! But come visit!!

NEW FOOD MENU COMING SOON!!!

Open Tuesday to Saturday 3:00pm to 7:00pm or later

If you have any information you would like shared in future newsletters or want to be on our e-mailing list please email sandypost4273info@gmail.com

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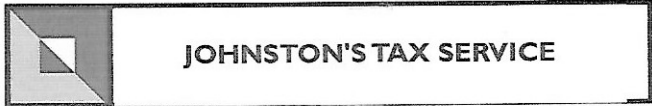


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