



## **Sandy VFW Post & Aux**

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### **POST COMMANDER'S COMMENTS**

**GREETINGS to all.**

Hope this news letter finds everyone in good health. Our good friend Charles Jordan has been moved to avemeer retirement home in Sandy. I went to visit him and he is doing a lot better. Looks like winter is about over. Time to start thinking about warm sunny days. Hats off to our ladies and Jimmy for cooking a wonderful St. Patty's day dinner. At the same time we have to thank Carol and Kit for providing us with fine drinks and spirits.

Nominations are now in for all VFW officers. I won't mention any names until the voting process is complete next April 18. We are in bad need of a quartermaster. It's time to step up and help our post. Mr. Bill Miller will not run again for personal reasons. He has volunteered to train the next quartermaster. You must be able to qualify for a bond, and have strong working knowledge in book keeping and accounting.

We are in the process of taking bids on lighting and insulation. When all bids are in we will start construction. Energy Trust of Oregon will give us up to 50% back on our investment. After three years of savings on our electric bill, we should recoup the rest of our cost.

Thank you

Your Post Commander

Terry E. Boyer U.S.N. long ago! :



, All gave some,  
Some gave all,.

### **Ladies Auxiliary President's Message**

This report year is almost over. Please call me with your time and expenses before April 5th as that is when the final reports will be mailed.

I want to thank Sardi for taking charge of the St. Patrick's Day dinner. Lois worked so hard and she is really appreciated. Dora sold raffle tickets and Carol and Kit tended bar. I hope everyone had fun and a good dinner. Jimmie your help was really needed; you are a great chef, thank you so much. I know there were others who helped and I am sorry if I didn't mention your name because I was not able to attend, but thank you anyway.

On May 14th we will be going up to the Portland VA Medical Center for our annual birthday party for our hospitalized veterans. Everyone is welcome! Wanda will be organizing a carpool from the Post to the hospital, so if you are interested, please contact Wanda for arrangements. Thank you Wanda for heading up this effort for the 3rd year in a row.

At our next meeting we will be electing next year's officers. You can really serve your Auxiliary by holding an office. Personally speaking, I have learned a lot and it has been a very rewarding experience. I highly recommend it to anyone who wants to help our Auxiliary. Our next meeting will be held on Friday, April 11th at 6:00PM. See you there.

JEAN BETTENCOURT, AUXILIARY PRESIDENT  
503-663-0510

# Quartermaster's Corner

## Our post needs your help!!

We have a great need for volunteers to do important work for the post. Please contact Commander Terry Boyer

We need your help-in

Clerical/Administrative

Fund raising Meal Preparation: cooks, servers, & clean up.

Media Communication

Book keeping

Building maintenance and repairs

Bartending

Helping veterans' and families Recruiting new members

### AUXILIARY CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

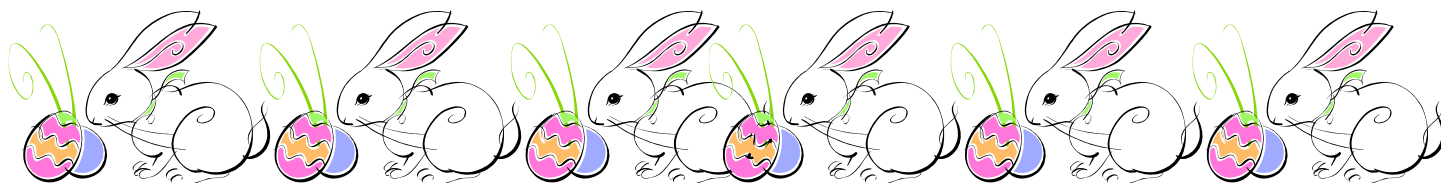
**“I expect to pass through this world but once; Any good thing therefore that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature, let me do it now. Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.”**

**Stephen Grellet**



**Judy Gascon**

**503-668-3748**



Post Officers	2013—2014	Ladies Auxiliary Officers
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Commander	Terry Boyer
Senior Vice Cmdr.	James Mitchell
Junior Vice Cmdr	Tony Gibler
Chaplain	Melissa Samels
Quartermaster	William Miller
Judge Advocate	John Lamb
Adjutant	Jeramy “Huck” Hubbard
Surgeon	
1 year Trustee	Merle Stewert
2 year Trustee	Bert Key

President	Jean Bettencourt
Sr. Vice President	Dora Fitzpatrick
Jr. Vice President	Wanda Michaels
Treasurer	Midge Watkins
Chaplain	Judy Gascon
Secretary	Kay Gomes
Guard	Sardi Bowyer
Conductress	Voriece Blair

April is here..... Spring is showing everywhere. Flowers are popping up and blossoms are making everyone's nose run.

Things are hopping here at the post. Stop in and have a cold one or something to eat. We miss you.....

Wii bowling is really fun, in fact were having another tournament on the 11th. If you missed the last one, you should really come in for this one.

Karaoke is doing good. We have some really good singers, not to mention songs too.

Hope to see you all in this month.

Jimmie : Your Bar manager

## V.F.W. SPRING GOLF TOURNAMENT

May 31st. Sign up at the v.f.w. or give me a call and I will place your name on the sheet. Teams of four! Best ball .... and lunch here after the game. Hold this date...

For details see Dan Copher

Post Chaplin

“The Lord watches over you, the lord is your shade at your right hand; the sun will not harm you by day, nor the moon by night.”

Psalm 121:7-8

If you know of a member that needs a prayer or visit,

please call Melissa at 502-668-4849

E-Mail: [gareth2002@frontier.com](mailto:gareth2002@frontier.com)

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**"Success is our Mission"**

**Join Us for Post and Auxiliary meetings!**

**House Committee Mtg -  
 04/18/2014 at 6:00pm**

**AUX - 04/11/2014 6pm**

**POST 04/18/2014 6 pm**

**Like us on Facebook!!!!**

**Happy Easter**

**Daily Canteen Menu**

Fried Chicken	\$9.00	Halibut Fish & Chips	\$6.50
Strips & Fries	\$6.50	Hamburger & Fries	\$5.50
French Fries	\$2.50	Deep Fried Hotdog	\$2.00
Cheese burger & Fries	\$7.00	With fries	\$2.50

**Calendar**

Monday CLOSED  
 Tuesday. Open 3pm Domino night/Game Night  
 Wednesday. Open 3pm Taco's and Poker Night—5pm  
 Thursday Open 3pm Wii Bowling starts at 6:00pm  
 Friday Open 3pm Dinner 5pm and karaoke  
 Saturday. Open 3pm  
 Sundays CLOSED.



**From the Editor:**

Please make sure I have your correct E-Mail address so you will receive the newsletter. Or if you do not use any online service, please let me know so I can somehow make sure you receive it.

**Thanks, Jimmie**



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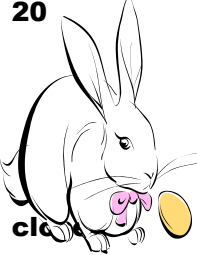
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 ENROLLED AGENT, LICENCED  
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>April</b>						
<b>closed</b>	<b>closed</b>	<b>1</b> <b>Yellow dot drinks</b>	<b>2</b> <b>tacos</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>	<b>3</b> <b>Wii bowling</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>	<b>4</b> <b>Karaoke</b>  <b>Open 3-11</b>	<b>5</b> <b>Yellow dot drinks</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>
<b>6</b>  <b>closed</b>	<b>7</b>  <b>closed</b>	<b>8</b> <b>Yellow dot drinks</b>	<b>9</b> <b>tacos</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>	<b>10</b>  <b>Wii bowling</b>	<b>11</b> <b>Aux meet- ing</b> <b>6:00pm</b> <b>Karaoke</b>	<b>12</b> <b>Yellow dot drinks</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>
<b>13</b>  <b>closed</b>	<b>14</b>  <b>closed</b>	<b>15</b> <b>House Comity Meeting</b> <b>6:00pm</b>	<b>16</b> <b>tacos</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>	<b>17</b> <b>Wii bowling tournament</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>	<b>18</b> <b>Post meet- ing</b> <b>6:00pm</b> <b>Karaoke</b>	<b>19</b> <b>Yellow dot drinks</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>
<b>20</b>  <b>closed</b>	<b>21</b>  <b>Closed</b>	<b>22</b> <b>Yellow dot drinks</b>	<b>23</b> <b>tacos</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>	<b>24</b>  <b>Wii bowling</b>  <b>Open 3-8</b>	<b>25</b> <b>Karaoke</b>  <b>Open 3-11</b>	<b>26</b> <b>Yellow dot drinks</b>  <b>open 3-8</b>
<b>27</b>  <b>closed</b>	<b>28</b>  <b>closed</b>	<b>29</b> <b>Yellow dot drinks</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>		