



Sandy VFW Post & Aux

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“First to serve our Veterans”

The Buckboard Bulletin

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July, 2015

POST COMMANDER'S COMMENTS

Greetings:

Good weather is upon us. Lots of us have gardens in and to the good weather they are doing extremely well.

Our state meeting in North Bend went rather well. We had several good meetings concerning VFW business. New officers were elected and new meeting dates established.

July is a very stressful month for a lot of post members due to July 4 weekend, Sandy Mt.

Days parade, and our Chicken barbecue in the park. This year our post will be selling barbecued chicken on parade night. Come to the post to get the first BBQ chicken of the year. Every year several people work real hard on these events . You are all to be commended for a very fine job you are doing for our post and community! I'm not going into times and dates as that would be a repeat of last news letter. So once again, thank you all.

Have a good time, beat the heat, and most of all, be safe

Thank you!

**Terry E. Boyer
Post Commander**

Ladies Auxiliary President's Message

Convention has come and gone.

It was a real eye opener for me, as I have never attended the Convention before. Very informative and I got to meet a lot of great people. Our first School of Instruction is on August 1, 2015 at Molalla Grange at 9AM. There will be training for treasurers, secretaries and recruiting. Other S.O.C. will be August 8, 2015 at Sutherlin Community Center at 9AM and August 15, 2015 at 9AM at Pendleton VFW Hall.

The sign up sheet is in the Canteen to help with the Chicken BBQ. We can always use a lot of help with this fundraiser. We will be setting up the booth on Friday at about 11AM in the park.

It is the time of year to renew your membership or if a life member to pay your \$3.00 to the Sunshine fund. If we can be the first Auxiliary in the State to reach 100% plus 1 new member, we would get \$100.00. I would really like to see us reach our goal early this year.

Hope to see you all at the Canteen,

Thank You again Ladies,

Kit Spitzengel,

Auxiliary President

Aux. 4273.

AUXILIARY CHAPLAINS

A Soldier's Prayer

I asked god for strength, that I might achieve,
 I was made weak, that I might learn humbly to obey...
 I asked God for health, that I might do greater things,
 I was given infirmity, that I might do better things...
 I asked for riches, that I might be happy,
 I was given poverty, that I might be wise...
 I asked for power that I might have the praise of men,
 I was given weakness, that I might feel the need of god
 I asked for all things, that I might enjoy life,
 I was given life, That I might enjoy all things...
 I got nothing I asked for-
 But everything I hoped for.

Almost despite myself, my unspoken prayers
 were answered .I am among all men most richly blessed

Amen

JUDY GASCON AUXILIARY CHAPLAIN

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CANTEEN CORNER

 * Welcome to July. *
 * Hope the heat is not ef- *
 * fecting you much. *
 * Its sure is nice and cool *
 * here inside the post. *
 * Mountain days are fast ap- *
 * proaching. *
 * The 9th is the Parade, *
 * and the 10th, 11th, & *
 * 12th we are selling our *
 * BBQ chicken at the festi- *
 * val. Be sure to stop by and *
 * say hi, And get your tasty *
 * Chicken. *
 * If you can help at the *
 * booth, There are sign up *
 * sheets at the post. *
 * We are also having our *
 * BBQ chicken at the post *
 * Parade day . *
 * Last month was a little *
 * quiet here. With everyone *
 * vacationing and of course *
 * the heat, I had a lot of *
 * lonely days. *
 * Tacos are still on Wednes- *
 * day night. Fawnda works *
 * hard to give you the best *
 * tacos in Sandy. *
 * We have daily specials and *
 * dinner every Friday night. *
 * Be sure to stop in for a *
 * cold beverage and a bite to *
 * eat. *
 * Jimmie *

Post Chaplin

Happy 4th of July. I hope everyone has a safe and wonderful holiday.

“On this Independence Day I am reminded of all those who have sacrificed for my freedom, following the example of your Son, Jesus Christ. Let me not take my freedom, both physical and spiritual, for granted. May I always remember that my freedom was purchased with a very high price. My freedoms cost others their very lives. And Lord today, bless those who have served and continue to give their lives for my freedom. With favor and bounty meet their needs and watch over their families.” Amen

(unknown)

Our thoughts are with Eugene Halverson, a life member, as he struggles with illness. We pray to God to provide Eugene with strength and health.

Thank you.

Melissa @ (503) 668-4849



Post Officers

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| Commander: | Terry Boyer |
| Senior Vice Cmdr. | Kristian Golby |
| Junior Vice Cmdr. | Greg Hoover |
| Chaplain: | Melissa Samuels |
| Quartermaster: | Kriss Engblum |
| Judge Advocate: | John Lamb |
| Adjutant : | |
| Surgeon: | |
| 1 year Trustee: | Ken Hershberger |
| 2 year Trustee: | Bert Key |
| 3 year trustee: | William Miller |

Ladies Auxiliary Officers

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| President | Kathleen Spitzengel |
| Sr. Vice President | Sardi Bowyer |
| Jr. Vice President | Wanda Michaels |
| Treasurer | Midge Watkins |
| Chaplain | Judith Gascon |
| Secretary | Jackie Key |
| Guard | Nancy Davis |
| Conductress | Judy Arguer |
| Trustee #1 | Prentiss Edwards |
| Trustee #2 | Jean Bettencourt |
| Trustee #3 | Kathy Dunn |
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**Join Us for Post and
Auxiliary meetings!
House Committee
meets -
7/14/2015 at 6:00pm
AUX - 7/10/2015 6pm
POST 7/17/2015 6 pm
Like us on
Facebook!!!!**

DAILY EVENTS

Every Tuesday: 3:00pm

Every Wed: Poker Night

Every Thursday: WII Bowling

Every Friday: Dinner & Karaoke Every Saturday: Open at 3:00pm

ASK YOUR BARTENDER FOR DETAILS



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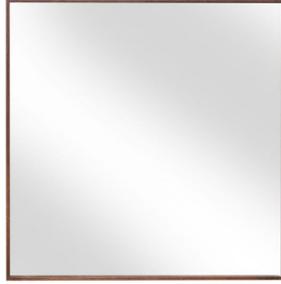
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*When you get what you want in your struggle for self
And the world makes you king for a day,
Just go to a mirror and look at yourself
And see what that face has to say*

*For it isn't your father or mother or wife
Whose judgment upon you must pass,
The person whose verdict counts most in your life
Is the one staring back from the glass.*

*Some people might think you're a straight-shooting
chum*

*And call you a great gal or guy,
But the face in the glass says you're only a bum
If you can't look it straight in the eye.*

*That's the one you must please, never mind all the rest,
That's the one with you clear to the end,
And you know you have passed your most dangerous test
If the face in the glass is your friend.*

*You may fool the whole world down the pathway of
years*

*And get pats on the back as you pass,
But your final reward will be heartache and tears
If you've cheated the face in the glass.*



The post will be closed on the 4th of July