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July 2024 Newsletter





Commander Ava Barden



COMMANDER'S CORNER

Hello everyone! Hope you are all doing well and enjoying summer. It will be over before we know it.

At our June Meeting your new and returning officers were installed. Al Nadeau has volunteered to be our Service Officer. He has contacted the VA and is gathering some useful information. Please let him know if you need assistance. Mike McCort has volunteered his help in the upcoming year. If you are interested in doing something for your Legion, please let me know.

We will be celebrating July 4th with the Legion providing Hamburgers and Hot Dogs. Please join us for a brief ceremony at 1 pm followed by a potluck. As usual, sides or desserts are requested.

Please come in and join us for our ongoing activities. Robyn serves a Hot Dog and Beer for \$5.00 on Wednesdays and we have dinners on both Wednesday and Friday nights. Please check the calendar for other events.

Keep our service members and first providers in your prayers. Our next meeting will be September 10, 2024, but let us know if you need something before then!

Ava Barden, Commander

POST 11-11 HOURS

MONDAY 3pm to 9pm TUES WED THUR Noon -9pm FRI & SAT Noon to 10pm SUNDAY* Noon to 9pm

*Open earlier if breakfast served. Check website event posts or calendar for dates. Newsletter only available online .

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<u>AUXILIARY UNIT 11-11</u>

The Auxiliary is on summer break, so we will not have meetings in July and August. The next meeting will be on Thursday, September 5th at 6:00 pm.

I would like to thank our volunteers for doing a great job with breakfast on Father's day. It was delicious!

I hope everyone is having a good summer! See you in September.

Officers for the Auxiliary for 2024-25: President - Janet Lee Vice President - Lisa Dorn Secretary - Deb Stafford Treasurer - Shirley Leiker Chaplain - Rhue-Ann Davidson Historian - Courtney Lareau Sgt. of Arms - Jean Deets

Janet Lee, President

SAL SQUADRON 11-11

Next SAL meeting will be July 11 2024 at 6:00 pm. We currently have your 2024 membership cards available. If you haven't renewed yet please do so. We have 7 meetings left for this year. Our meetings are on the second Thursday of every month. Show your support for our vets our post our members and for the SAL. We would appreciate if you can attend one of those meetings per year.

SAL golf tournament is August the 17th at Lake Arbor Golf Course at 8:00 am. The cost is \$100 per player. Get your teams ready. We will have prizes & raffle with lunch to follow at American Legion Post 11-11. There will be sign-up sheets behind the bar and hole sponsor.

Thank you for your support. *Huey Geller, SAL Commander*

SAL CHAPLAIN

On this Independence Day I am reminded of all those who sacrificed for my freedom, following the example of your Son, Jesus Christ. Lord today, bless those who have served and continue to give their lives for my freedom. Help me live my life in a way that glorifies you my Lord. Amen.

Michael McInerney, SAL Chaplain

<u>Newsletter only available online</u> <u>starting May 1, 2024.</u>

1. Access a copy online at the Legion Post 11 -11 website <u>http://legionpost11-11.org</u>

—At the top click on "Monthly Newsletters" to open or download the latest newsletter. You can view online and/or print yourself a copy.

2. Do you have an email address?

—If yes, you can receive an email notification at the end of each month with a copy of the newsletter right to your inbox.

-Send an email to LegionPost11-

<u>11@comcast.net</u>. Include your first and last name, phone number and if you are a Legion, Auxiliary or SAL member. You will then be added to the email group and begin to receive notifications.

3. You can pick up a paper printed copy at the Legion. Copies will be available the last week of each month at the front sign-in desk.

Business Committee

http://www.legionpost11-11.org

JANET'S CORNER

I hope everyone is enjoying our summer and hopefully staying cool! Come into the Legion for a cocktail or soda where it is nice and cool!

Join us for our annual 4th of July celebration! This year it is on a Thursday — we will be open at noon. Potluck starts at 1pm after our Commander prayer. Hamburgers & hot dogs will be provided by the Legion. Please bring a side dish or dessert.

We will be serving dinner on both Wednesday and Friday nights as usual. The Boy Scouts are doing breakfast on Sunday, July 28th starting at 8:00 am. Karaoke will be on Friday, July 12th, and Friday, July 26th. Bingo will be on Saturday, July 13th, and Saturday, July 27th at 6:00 pm.

On Saturday, July 20th we are having the 1st Annual Danny Maurer Memorial Cribbage Tournament starting at 1:00 pm in the back room. There is a sign-up sheet at the bar. It is \$20.00 to enter. You can also go

to <u>Dannyslightfoundation@gmail.com</u> for more information. Everyone is welcome even if you don't play cribbage. Come for the fun!

Check the calendar on the web site for more upcoming events. And remember to tip your bartenders, cooks and wait staff. They are all volunteers and don't get paid.

God bless our Veterans, active military, and First Responders. Thank you for supporting our Post!

Janet Lee, Club Manager

Auxiliary Food Drive is back!

Please bring your nonperishable food items and drop them in the tote. Thank you!

Fourth of July Celebration



Thursday, July 4th

<u>Open @ Noon</u> Potluck 1pm after <u>Ceremony</u>

Hamburger & Hot Dogs provided. Bring a side dish or dessert to share.

This day in American history marks the day the Declaration of Independence was adopted (July 4, 1776) and the United States officially became its own nation making this our 248th birthday.

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Legion Member News:

<u>2025</u> <u>New Membership Fee \$55</u> <u>Effective 07.01.2024</u>

Post Service Officer:

Hello to all my Brothers and Sisters in the American Legion Post 11-11.

My name is Al Nadeau I'm your New Post Service Officer and I am looking forward to working with all the Veteran's and their families.

As I am new to this position, I am trying to get as much information and VA Contacts for all our Vets and their families.

Please feel free to contact me at any time and if I do not have the information you need I will do everything I can to get it for you.

My home phone is 303-945-4633

E-mail: NADEAUA771@GMAIL.COM

Thank you,

Al Nadeau, Service Officer



33 FOOTBALL POOL

Sign up begins July 1st.

The entry fee is \$113 which is due at sign-up.

The first 32 entries have priority for initial pool.

A second pool will be added if there are another 32 entries.

The team drawing is on Saturday, August 24.

Game #1 is Thursday, September 5.

Deb Stafford

IT'S THE SUMMER OF THE CHAIR!!

We will be starting a fundraiser to purchase new barstools for all of the tables and the bar. Please keep an eye out for more details!!

Amie Yeager

<u>Robyn O'Bryan,</u>

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https://www.myhealth.va.gov/mhvportal-web/home

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Use your King Soopers loyalty cards to earn funds for the Auxiliary.

Here's how it works:

Enroll your King Soopers Loyalty Cards online at the secure website www.kingsoopers.com

1. Log into your King Soopers account.*

2. Under "My Account" select King Soopers Community Rewards

3. Search for "American Legion Post 11-11" & select.

*If you do not have a King Soopers

>Create an Account & follow the above steps

Each time an enrolled member of our group shops at King Soopers using their King Soopers Loyalty Card, the Ladies Auxiliary will earn rewards.

Invite your friends to enroll!

In addition, once a household member enrolls their card, all linked King Soopers Loyalty Cards within that household will begin earning funds for our organization.

Thank you for your support!

American Legion Auxiliary Post 11-11

KNITTERS AND KNOTTERS

<u>by Jan</u>

Join this group on Sundays from 2 to 4. During the summer we will be meeting on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month only starting June to include July and August.

We knitted for our last shipment 46 Veteran's caps and 8 PICC line covers for chemo patients. These were shipped on May 15, 2024, in time for Memorial Day. These items go to Veterans in VA hospitals, cancer centers and rehab centers.

Scope: Veterans who are undergoing chemotherapy need our help. Pease join our group for creating Veterans caps, limb huggers, PICC line covers and crutch covers. Whether you are a beginner, intermediate or advance knitter or knotter (crochet) or even want to learn, all are welcome.

KOL (Knots of Love) https://<u>www.knotsoflove.org/events/eterans-cap-drive</u> Contact Jan Murray at 303-808-7301 or email <u>msjan777@comcast.net for more infor-</u>mation.

Prayer Requests

Do you need prayer? Whether it's health, finances, job or family we all have seasons that are challenging. If you find yourself needing prayer in these challenging times or in seasons of happy times, I would love to pray for you. My name is Shirley and I am a proud Auxiliary member of Post 11-11. My email is <u>sydsclub@yahoo.com</u>. Drop me a line and I will put you and yours on my prayer list. God Bless you. July 2024 Newsletter



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July 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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7	8 YOGA 6PM- BACK HALL	9	10 LUNCH: HOT DOG & BEER \$5 DINNER:	11	12 NY STEAK OR	13 BINGO 6PM
	POKER 6PM FRONT BAR		TACOS	MEETING 6PM	COD KARAOKE 7PM	
14 KNITTERS 2-4	15 YOGA 6PM- BACK HALL POKER 6PM FRONT BAR	16	17 LUNCH: HOT DOG & BEER \$5 DINNER: WINGS	18	19 SMOTHERED BURRITOS	20 CRIBBAGE TOURNA- MENT 1PM BACK HALL \$20 FEE
21	22 YOGA 6PM- BACK HALL POKER 6PM FRONT BAR	23	24 LUNCH: HOT DOG & BEER \$5 DINNER: SMOKED BRISKET POTA- TOES GRAVY & CORN	25	26 RIBEYE STEAK OR SHRIMP KARAOKE 7PM	27 BINGO 6PM
28 BREAKFAST BOYSCOUTS 8AM TO NOON <i>KNITTERS 2-4</i>	29 YOGA 6PM- BACK HALL POKER 6PM FRONT BAR	30	31 LUNCH: HOT DOG & BEER \$5 DINNER: CALL OR CHECK WEBSITE FOR MENU			offuly

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