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COMMANDERS CORNER

April 2025 Newsletter



Greetings everyone!

April and Spring are here. I, for one, am ready for some warm weather!

We had a great St. Patrick's Day Celebration and Auxiliary Fundraiser. The food was fabulous, thanks to Janet and her crew. Also thanks to the ladies who came in on Thursday to prep the veggies. Barb and her crew did a fantastic job on the basket raffle.

Thanks to everyone who donated prizes, gilt cards and cash and also to the ticket purchasers.

With spring comes the officer elections for both the Legion and the Auxiliary. The Auxiliary votes in April while the Legion votes in May. Be sure to attend your meeting. Your voice matters. The SAL has had their election already and is on break now.

Please be sure to check your calendars for upcoming events and meals. The Boy Scouts' last dinner was Philly Cheese Steak Sandwiches which were fantastic. They use their tips for their camping trips so please be sure to support them!

I don't think we have any special events scheduled for April but May will bring the Kentucky Derby Party and Memorial Day. Also the Westminster Tribute Garden has a Ceremony for Armed Forces Day on Saturday, May 17th. This a very nice Ceremony which honors both living and deceased Veterans. If you have ideas for new and fun activities, please bring them to our Club Manager, Janet. We will see if we can get some new things going.

The next Legion Meeting will be on Tuesday, April 8th at 6:00 pm. Our Boys State Candidate will be attending.

Please keep our service members and first responders in your thoughts and prayers!

Ava Barden Commander, Post 11-11

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.

CLOSED EASTER SUNDAY - 4/20

VOLUNTEER! VOLUNTEER!

Help Wanted: Kitchen

Looking for volunteers for our

Wednesday & Friday night dinners.

Please consider volunteering to

cook or help in the kitchen.

Contact Robyn @ 303.378.4244

VETERAN SUPPORT INFORMATION

https://www.va.gov/health/



https://www.myhealth.va.g ov/mhv-portal-web/home



24/7, confidential crisis support

for Veterans and their loved ones

You don't have to be enrolled in VA benefits or health care to connect.

https://www.veteranscrisisli ne.net

Not feeling well? PLEASE STAY HOME

Covid, flu and colds are still around, and many are getting sick this time of year.

If you are sick with Covid or any other illness, <u>please stay home and</u> <u>fully recover</u>.

Please be considerate of all our Post members, friends and family.

Let's all stay healthy!

Prayer Requests

Whether it's health, finances, job or

Do you need prayer?



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.	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.
*If you do not have a King Soopers account: >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 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.	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.
Thank you for your support! American Legion Auxiliary Post 11-11	

Auxiliary Unit 11-11

Hello everyone! I hope everyone had a good St. Patrick's Day. The Auxiliary's penny auction was a huge success, and we made a little money for our charities. I want to thank everyone for all your hard work. And thank you to all of you for your donations. The Red Cross Blood Drive was good. A big thank you to Barbara Erbacher for helping at the blood drive.

We are taking donations for the Women's Period Packs for women who cannot afford them. They will be sent to the Community Table at King of Glory church in Arvada on April 5th who are making the packs. There is a green tub at the entrance to the Post to put your donations in. There is a list of items to donate in a flyer in this newsletter. If you have any questions, please see me. They are taking money donations also.

Our next meeting will be on Thursday, April 3rd at 6:00 pm. Department President Elect, Shelly McLatchie will be visiting our unit. Please come to the meeting to welcome her to our unit. Also, we will have election of officers for the 2025-2026 year. NOTE: Please make sure you have your 2025 membership card with you for the meeting. You cannot vote if you don't have your card with you. Happy Easter to everyone.

Janet Lee Auxiliary President

Janet's Corner

Hello everyone! Spring is finally here. Happy Easter everyone. The Post will be closed on Easter Sunday, April 20th.

LifeLine Screenings will be back to our Post on Wednesday, April 30th. See the flyer included in this newsletter. If anyone is interested in doing these screenings, I have a couple of certificates for members for a reduced cost.

Dinner and Karaoke will be on Friday, April 11th and Friday, April 25th. Bingo will be on Saturday, April 12th and Saturday, April 26th starting at 6:00 pm. Check your calendar in this newsletter for the menus for both Wednesdays and Fridays.

I would like to thank everyone for all the hard work done for our St. Patrick's Day celebration on Saturday, March 15th. The Post was packed and everyone seemed to have a good time! I hope everyone enjoyed the corned beef dinner.

Come in to the Post for a cocktail or soda and have a good time. We would love to see you at the Post. Don't forget to tip your bartenders, cooks and wait staff. They are all volunteers and do not get paid for their hard work. Say a prayer for all of our Veterans, active Military and 1st Responders.

Have a good month!



SAL Chaplain

April 9th 1942, Bataan Death March Begins

Yea though I walked 106 miles through the valley and in the shadow of death. I feared the evil of the Japanese soldier. They had the guns and bayonets to use against me. All I had was the and faith that God would comfort me. I new the Lord was my shepherd. They forbid me to lay down in green pastures for six days and seven nights. I was marched by running water but was forbidden to drink. The japs prepared their table before me but I was forbidden food. They make me march without mercy. But only God could restoreth my soul. He leadeth me step by step along the way in the face of my enemies. He promised to anoint my head with love and understanding and even though my cup was empty, I new it would be filled in His name's sake. I new that God and mercy would follow me. My life would be spared in his name, I knew that even the path was long and hard, it was the path of righteousness for his namesake.

Colonel Glen D Frazier.

Michael McInerney, SAL Chaplain.

SAL Squadron - SAL is on break



You're invited to a Life Line Screening event!

Where: American Legion 11-11 9959 Wadsworth Blvd. Broomfield, CO 80021 When: Wednesday April 30, 2025

Life Line Screening is the nation's leader in Stroke and Cardiovascular Disease Risk Screenings.

Trusted by over 10 million customers.

Screenings are simple and painless. Get peace of mind or early detection.

Who should attend: Anyone over the age of 40

Special Member Pricing for \$159

- Carotid Artery Disease Screening
- Atrial Fibrillation Screening
- Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening
- Peripheral Artery Disease Screening
- Plus a FREE Hypertension Screening .

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Call 888-814-0466 and use promo code HSCA001

Visit @LLSA.SOCIAL/HSCA



Text the word "circle" to 216-279-1607

These tests cannot detect all risk factors for all conditions, such as and including the presence of coronary artery disease. Those with abnormal results should discuss possible next steps with their family healthcare provider and ensure they understand the risk and benefits of any additional testing or procedures.

Laureate Beta lota chapter of Beta Sigma Phi International is assembling Period Packs for distribution by The Community Table.

VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS NEEDED

When: Saturday, April 5, 10 AM-12PM Where: King of Glory Church, 10001 West 58th Ave. Arvada, CO

It is hard to imagine there are girls who can't attend school during their period because they can't get the necessary products.

Colorado State Legislature passed a law in 2024 to provide these items free in the schools. That law does not begin until 2026. There are also vulnerable women who need these supplies and can't get them.

Text your name to 303 915 5256 if you can help or if you have questions. Tell if you can bring products or donate for us to buy them and if you can help April 5.

BETA SIGMA PHI INTERNATIONAL is a nonacademic, women's sorority founded in 1931 when

SUPPLIES NEEDED

- Ziplock bag, 1 gallon, to hold 1 week supply
- · Hand sanitizer, 2 oz bottle
- Bathroom trash bags (4 gallon size)
- Wet Ones, travel pack
- Tampons, Regular, unscented
- Tampons, Super, unscented
- Sanitary Napkins, Unscented, Long Super, Ultrathin
- Bath Soap, 3 oz bar or hotel. No lvory or Jergens
- Flushable wipes, unscented, 42 count
- Laundry Detergent Travel Size, 0.25-0.45 oz, or ½ sheet
- Ziplock, sandwich size- if using half laundry sheets

Walter W. Ross saw that women needed cultural, service, and social outlets. There are 27 chapters in the Denver Metro Area and 95 chapters in Colorado.

Interested in membership? Email revivebsp@gmail.com or go to www.betasigmaphi.org to enter your contact information and a chapter member will contact you.

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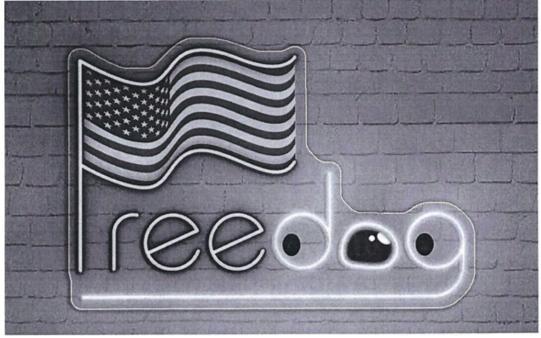
Weekly Lunch Special (Except Monday) Hot Dog & Beer \$5

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Italian Sausage Sandwiches	3 The second sec	4 Chicken Fried Chicken OR Cod <u>Entertainment!!</u>	5
6 KNITTERS 2-4	7 POKER 5:30 PM YOGA 6PM	8 Legion Meeting	9 Fettucini Alfredo	10	11 Roast Beef dinner with mashed potatoes OR Cod KARAOKE 7 PM	12 BINGO 6pm
13 KNITTERS 2-4	14 POKER 5:30PM YOGA 6PM	15	16 Meatloaf	17	18 Smothered Bean or Beef Burritos or Bean Tostadas with Salsa and Rice	18
20 EASTER SUNDAY *CLOSED*	POKER 5:30PM YOGA 6PM	22	23 Hamburgers	24	25 Steak or Shrimp KARAOKE 7 PM	26 BINGO 6pm
27 Boy Scout breakfast 8am to noon \$8 KNITTERS 2—4	28 POKER 5:30PM YOGA 6PM	29	30 Taco Bar			

Live Music with Freedog

Country / Rock

April 4th 7 till 10



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