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COMMANDER'S COMMENTS

Well hopefully we are at the end of winter. The Omadome couldn't keep the snow completely away; we'll just smile and accept it. I've mentioned before about volunteering, please consider even if it's one night a month. Also please thank our ROTC members for helping mostly on taco nights for the numerous hours they put in.

There are not too many events going on, but plenty of food nights: Our regular Monday Taco nights; the fish fry's will start on March 7; the SAL Asian pork and egg rolls on March 12; Corned beef and cabbage on Monday March 17 for St. Patrick's day and Phillies/Tots on Wednesday March 19; Burgers on Wednesday March 26. Also, you can stop and have a beer while you watch Nascar.

Lastly, the SAL will sponsor a free CPR training class open to anyone. It will be March 23rd at 10 a.m. and there will be a sign up sheet so we can get a headcount. A hui hou- Eric Peterson.

SAL UPDATE NEWS

Happy March everyone! Spring is just around the corner. Daylight Savings begins on the 9th! Please mark your calendars for the following events:

- Our next SAL meeting is March 3 .
- Jambalaya will be served on Fat Tuesday, March 4 at 5:30.
- The first Fish Fry will be on Friday March 7 at 5:30
- Wednesday March 12 we be serving Asian pulled pork at 5:30.
- Monday March 17, St. Patrick's Day will feature corned beef and cabbage. (NO SAL tacos)

Our annual SAL fundraiser is underway. We are raffling a package of a variety of meats from Fareway Meats, consisting of steaks, ground beef, pork and chicken. This package has a value of over \$500! Tickets are only \$5 and can be purchased at the bar. The drawing for this will be held during the last Fish Fry on April 18. You need not be present to win!

"People will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel." — Maya Angelou

We look forward to seeing you at the Post! We ARE family!

John Polson, Commander and Randy Young, Vice Commander

ADJUTANT NEWS

Welcome to 2025! I hope it's a great year for everyone. If you haven't been to the Post in a while, we would love to see you. Don't be shy, we are just like you, and I think you will find we are pretty good company. We're always looking for people to volunteer in the kitchen, participate in the Honor Guard to honor our fallen veterans, and be in our Color Guard to represent our Post in Parades and such. There's always room to get involved if you happen to have some free time and a desire to volunteer. Fish fries are starting up soon, so be sure to come in for that.

Let's talk about memberships. Right now, we are about 180 behind where we were last year. We have a lot of great members out there that just haven't renewed yet. I'll start sending out letters and e-mails to remind those members how important those memberships are to our continuing mission. A single membership may not seem like much, but 180 memberships add up to quite a bit. We are always doing things to support our veterans and their families. The children and youth programs are also an important pillar of the American Legion. We provide a number of scholarships, Girls and Boys state sponsorships, Boys Scouts, and Legion baseball to name a few. Additionally, if your membership isn't in by April 1st, you may not get a pre-printed card. They are printed in April and May. So, if you haven't gotten your dues in, please do that as soon as you can. If you need some assistance with your membership, please reach out to me directly. We have several people willing to sponsor a membership for a deserving veteran.

If you have any questions or want to know more about the programs we support, or you want to volunteer for something, don't hesitate to come in or call me directly. I may not answer right away, but if you leave a message, I will call you back. Thank you for your continued service.

Marty Timberlake, Adjutant

AUXILIARY NEWS

Hello everyone,

Spring has been a long time coming, but it will be here soon!

Girls State applications have been judged, and the delegates are chosen to attend. We had 21 applications from exceptional students this year!

Get your Post #374 scholarship applications turned in! You need to have an Auxiliary member in good standing to apply for the Auxiliary scholarship. Make sure everything is filled out correctly and turned in on time or it will not be included. Remember the Legion fish fry on Fridays until Easter!

The St. Patrick's Day parade is March 8 and our color guard is honored to march in it.

We will sell desserts for Taco night on Monday, March. 3 at 5:30. Please let me know if you can bring a dessert.

Our next meeting is Tuesday, March 11 at 7:00 p.m. Hope to see you there!

Check the calendar for new events so we can support all our Legion family!

Karen Brink, President 402-740-1455

Auxiliary Dues

Please renew your Auxiliary dues! The cost is \$35.00 Jr Auxiliary are \$10.00 We hope you will take the time to renew your membership and remain a part of our organization. *Thank you!*

Please send your check to:

Millard Post 374

Attn: Patty Polson

PO Box 390698 - Omaha NE 68139

The Auxiliary serves tacos and enchiladas on the fourth Monday of the month.

Enchiladas - you have a choice of beef or chicken.

One enchilada is \$7.00.

One enchilada, rice & beans is \$9.00

HOUSE COMMITTEE NOTES

We continue to look for input on new projects. If you have suggestions please let us know, either at the Post, or by email: Darrel Swenson darrels3010@gmail.com Kim Peterson lilkim9955@cox.net Marty Timberlake . trbolovr71@gmail.com Shane Bretey.....renbear25@yahoo.com Darrel Swenson, Chairman

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Articles Are Due
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AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS NEWS

March is here, so dust off your gear, fire up your engine and embrace the thrill of the road ahead. Monday March 24 at 7:00 PM is our monthly meeting.

This is not the third Monday; we had to move it because of St Patrick's day on March 17. Feel free to come in on St Patrick's day to have a Corned beef meal or Irish Stew.

We are also starting to sell raffle tickets for our "Wheel Prizes" that will be given away at our Poker Run on May 17.

See one of our Riders to buy some raffle tickets. We want to sell most of the tickets before May 17. Ride safe!

Matt Schnabel, Director

COLOR GUARD

Hi Team, our season is about to begin and it's shaping up to be a busy one.

Our first Omaha Beef game is Saturday March 2; we will depart the Post at 1:45. The remaining games are: March 15 & 29, April 19, May 3 and 24; all 6:30 kickoff.

The St. Patrick's parade is March 8, (please be at the Post no later than 9:00); the Patriotic parade is May 24 (Pat Boone and Ann Margret will be a part of this); the Bennington Daze parade is June 7; Ashland parade is July 19; Greta parade is July 26; the Arrows to Aerospace parade is August 16 (registration for this opens in May); Millard Days parade is August 23.

As usual, I will send out reminder texts with departure times.

Randy Young, Post 374

Color Guard Commander

NOTICE

If you move, PLEASE let the Post know your new address. USPS doesn't forward third class mail and the Post pays for each returned newsletter.



Beef Philly Sandwich & Tots

Wednesday, March 19, 2025
5:30 to 7:00 PM



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There is one pot each for the SAL drawing (Sunday), Auxiliary drawing (Tuesday) and Legion drawing (Wednesday).

You must register to win.

Congrats

Dianne Pfeifer - Aux winner

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Card Of Thanks

On behalf of our family, I want to thank the Honor Detail for honoring my husband, L. G. "Jerry" Fouts. He was so proud to have served.
God bless all, Margaret Fouts

Thank you for honoring our relative, John Buchholz with military honors at the Omaha National Cemetery on January 31. We are grateful to have his military service remembered and want to express our gratitude for your service as well.

Steve and Wendy Buchholz

ROTC CHILI FEED

SATURDAY, MARCH 15



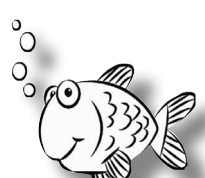
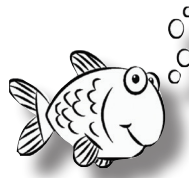
4:30 – 7:00 PM

Adult \$9.00

Under 10 \$5.00

FISH FRY

FRIDAY'S
March 7 thru
April 18
5:30 – 7:30



Menu:

DINNERS (Prices vary):

- ★ Pollock Dinner ★ Stuffed Salmon Dinner (Limited Amount)
- ★ Grilled Salmon (Limited Amount) ★ Shrimp
- ★ Steak Grilled To Order - Each Dinner Comes With Fries, Cole Slaw & Bread/Butter.



Also Serving The Best Tasting
Mac & Cheese

Get here early to get a seat!



"SAL Does Raffles Throughout The Evening"

St. Patrick's Day

Monday, March 17
1:00 PM - ???



"May luck be your friend in whatever you do
and may trouble always be a stranger to you."

- ★ Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner ★ Corned Beef Sandwich
- ★ Irish Stew

PINOCHLE

Played Every Tuesday

at 11:00 am.

For more info contact:

Sandie Stagner

402-593-6887



Members and Family Members:

When doing your estate planning please remember American Legion Post 374. Those contributions help us in our Building Fund and other noted needs within the Legion and to help Military Families.

MILLARD POST #374 - DUES 2024

Legion.....	\$55.00
SAL	\$30.00
Jr. SAL	\$10.00
Dual Legion/SAL.....	\$75.00
Auxiliary	\$35.00
Jr. Auxiliary (17 and under)	\$10.00
ALR	\$15.00

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MARCH 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Jambalaya Tuesday, March 4 - 5:30 pm. 	Asian Pulled Pork Wednesday, Mar 12 - 5:30 pm. 			1
2	3 FOOD Legion serving tacos 5:30 ----- SAL Mtg 7:00	4 Jambayala 5:30  PINOCHLE at 11:00 am.	5 FOOD Tenderloins 5:30 	6 Kitchen Closed Cribbage 7:00 	7 FOOD Fish Fry 5:30 	8
9	10 FOOD ALR serving tacos 5:30 ----- VFW Mtg 7:00	11 Auxiliary Mtg 7:00  PINOCHLE at 11:00 am.	12 FOOD Asian pulled pork 5:30 ----- Vietnam Vets Mtg 6:30	13 Kitchen Closed Cribbage 7:00 	14 FOOD Fish Fry 5:30 	15 FOOD ROTC Chili feed 4:30 – 7:00
16	17 FOOD Corn Beef & cabbage 1:00 - ???  NO TACOS	18 PINOCHLE at 11:00 am. 	19 FOOD Philly/Tots 5:30 ----- E-Board Mtg 6:30 General Mtg 7:30	20 Kitchen Closed Cribbage 7:00 	21 FOOD Fish Fry 5:30  ★ NEWS LTR ARTICLES DUE	22
23 SAL sponsoring a free CPR Class 10:00 Signup sheet at bar	24 FOOD Auxiliary serving tacos & enchiladas 5:30 ----- ALR Mtg 7:30	25 PINOCHLE at 11:00 am.  House Cmte Mtg 7:00 PM	26 FOOD Burgers 5:30 ----- BUNCO 6:30 	27 Kitchen Closed Cribbage 7:00 	28 FOOD Fish Fry 5:30 	29
30	31 FOOD Legion serving tacos 5:30 	Taco's & Enchiladas Monday, Mar 24 - 5:30 pm. 				

UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE POST

Tue ..Mar .4.....Fat Tuesday Dinner
 FriMar7 – Apr 18..... Fish Fries
 Wed ..Mar 12.....Asian Pulled Pork
 Sat ...Mar 15.....ROTC Chili Feed
 Mon...Mar 17.....Corn beef/cabbage (no tacos)
 Sun...Mar 23..... Free CPR Class

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