



FOR GOD AND COUNTRY

American Legion
Post 1985

August-2017

What's Happening at Post #1985

- Aug 4 Ladies Auxiliary Fish Fry @ 6pm
 - Aug 7 Ladies Auxiliary Dinner @6pm
 - Aug 11 Legion Steak Night @ 6pm
-Steak , baked or sweet potato, green beans, salad, and roll \$12.00
-Karaoke 7 pm-11pm
 - Aug 14 Pork Tenderloin Sandwich and Fries \$7.00
 - Aug 18 Legion Riders Dinner @ 6pm
-Smothered Burritos , spanish rice, and dessert \$10.00
 - Aug 21 Legion Riders Dinner @6pm
-Cheese Burgers, chips and dessert \$5.00
 - Aug 25 SAL Dinner @6pm
 - Aug 26 Ladies Auxiliary Car Show 11am-3pm
 - Aug 28 SAL Dinner @6pm
- Bingo EVERY Wednesday @6:30-8:30pm
(Public WELCOME)
Food available starting @ 5:30



Land of the Free because of the Brave!!

We need your helping hand. Please volunteer at the Post for Legion activities or at other community events. Everyone is welcome and we need your help!!

THE AMERICAN LEGION POST 1985 IS A DESIGNATED FLAG DROP SITE for worn, used, tattered, frayed or other flags that require a proper retirement.

- **General Information**
- **Post Hours:** Open Daily , Monday - Sunday 12 noon to ?
CLOSED Thanksgiving and Christmas Day
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On the Web: <http://AmericanLeion1985.org>
- **Post Commander—Dave Stout-720-879-8775**
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- **Service Officer—Bill Deivert—303-833-3464**
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- **PR & Communications- Donna Lane 303-833-4172**
- **SAL Commander Joel Long-720-341-1697**
- **Legion Rider President Terrie Mapes 303-521-6957**
- **Friendly Lounge Staff**
Krystal (Manager), Michelle, Kathy, Carolyn, and Vanity. Stop in and say hi anytime.
- **Hall rental available by reservation—Plan your next event with us!! Call 303-833-3878**
- **All General meetings**



The time has come for you to pay annual dues.

Sam DiPaolo commemorative coins are available for \$10.00. Please see canteen staff for purchase.

REMEMBER OUR VETERANS! BECAUSE OF THEM, WE ENJOY A RICHER AND FULLER LIFE THROUGH THEIR SACRIFICE.

The City of Dacono has applications for veterans in the Carbon Valley to have their name engraved at the CV Veterans Memorial located at Hiway 52 and Colorado Boulevard in Dacono. Visit City Hall and get the application or visit the City of Dacono Website



NOTES FROM OUR COMMANDER

Renewals! The 2018 renewals are being sent out now. Many of you have already renewed. Thank you. Let's get those renewals in and shoot for 100% before Jan 1. August 1st. We will be changing the door key cards. Show us your 2018 card to get a new key.

In 2016 we set a new record for post membership. We now have 181 members. Thank you for your support. Let's keep the post growing.

Post picnic is set for Sept 16th. We will give you info on the location once it is firmed up.

Don't forget BINGO every Wednesday Night. 6:30. Come join the fun.



AUXILIARY NEWS AND NOTES

Hello from the ladies Whew!!!! This past month has been really busy but exciting at the same time. July 4, we hosted our annual community breakfast to kick start the Firestone 4th celebration. More than 275 meals were served from 7–9:30 and our ladies really “stepped up to the plate”. Everything moved along smoothly and folks seemed to be very happy. A new member even set up for the shaved ice and talk about a busy lady!! Thank you, Sherri. Welcome aboard!! Thanks to all of you that made this event a big success. The “TEAM” really brought it on. Follow up on Saturday with the Tenorio memorial benefit poker run for scholarships (Weld County) and again the following weekend, another benefit poker run for the Legion Riders when we once again provided breakfast for the “troops “ The benefit for Mark Martinez and Joey Irwin was held on the 22nd and another very busy day.

August, the Auxiliary Scholarship committee will host their 12th annual car show on August 26th from 10 AM to 3 PM. DJ music throughout, food will be served, the beer garden will be open, (Legion Riders' Margueritas! Yum!!), Raffles, prizes, trophies all round out the day. Participants fee is \$15 per entry and a non-perishable item for our Carbon Valley Help Center. Sign up if you can volunteer for the many activities that day.

Remember our mission– We are about service, not self!! Whenever and where ever we can help, we are on board. Our veterans and families can be very much in need. We only need to seek them out and offer a “hand up”.

Renewals are now due for 2018. The membership is now \$30. Please renew ASAP. We are hoping to be at 75% by midyear. Our meetings are the first Thursday of every month. There is a door prize drawing for all attendees and we also serve pizza. Please join us and see what we plan for the upcoming months.



SAL NEWS AND NOTES

We are still accepting Flags for our Biannual Retirement Ceremony in September. We are accepting ideas for a fundraiser to send a Guardian along with our veterans to Washington D.C on the Honor Flight in May. We will start doing our dinners in September so keep coming down, we appreciate all you do.



LEGION RIDERS NEWS AND NOTES

On behalf of the Legion Riders we would like to thank everyone who helped and participated in the Ride for Parking Lot poker run. The turn out was better then we could have expected.

Coming Events: Please contact President, Terrie Mapes for more information on the Riders' events and fund raisers. 303-521-6957.

Hello,

My name is Vanity Quinonez, I am a member of Lady's Auxiliary. As many of you know Donna has stepped down from the newsletter so I will be taking over. If you would like to keep receiving our newsletter in the mail we will gladly keep sending them out but if you would rather have it emailed to you please send me an email with your name and email address and we will start sending them out that way. Also if you have something you would like added in to the next newsletter please submit it to me or Dave no later then the 10th of the month .

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VETERANS HELPING VETERANS

August 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>Food items will be provided for the Bingo nights 5:30 pm</i>		1 Poker @ noon	2 Bingo—6:30 PM	3 Regular Meeting 7pm	4 Ladies Aux Dinner 6pm	5
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