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OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

"The World's Largest Veteran's Organization"

Teamwork: Coming together, sharing together, working together, succeeding together

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					1 Darts and Shuffleboard Legion Dinner HB Roger London	2 Back Hall Rented Safe House Dedication 10am HB Herb Turner
3 Club Open 10:30 AM Broncos @ Tennessee	4 Dinner Dart Night	5	6 VFW Meeting	7 Legion District 4 visit Auxiliary SAL Meeting	8 Darts and Shuffleboard Auxiliary Dinner	9
10 Cib Open 10:30AM Coal Ridge MS Meeting Broncos @ Baltimore HB Rich Crispin	11 Columbus Day Dinner Dart Night	12	13	14 HOA House Committee 7:00 PM	15 SAL Dinner Darts and Shuffleboard	16 Benefit Coal Ridge Middle School
17 Club Open Noon Broncos vs New York Jets	18 Dinner Dart Night HB Heather Schwindt	19	20 HB Brandon Waters	21	22 Legion Dinner Fish Fry Karaoke HB Cathy Simmons	23 Back Hall Rented
24 Broncos Vs Oakland Raiders SAL Tailgate	25	26	27	28 Legion E Board Meeting	29 Post Halloween Party and Potluck 6PM	30 Back Hall rented

Sam DiPaolo
Post 1985 Happenings

We really need some help creating the newsletter each month. **ANY** volunteers or words of wisdom for the newsletter please forward to Andy, JoAnn or Gary.

OCTOBER 31st HALLOWEEN
 10:30 Tailgate for Broncos VS San Francisco

Happy Hour

Monday thru Friday

5pm to 7 pm

Domestic Beer and Well Drinks
 \$2.00

Monday Night Darts

6pm to 8pm

Domestic Beer

Four or better \$1.75 each

Thursday Night

Cuervo Shots \$2.00

Bronco Games

Domestic Beer and Well Drinks
 \$2.00

We are collecting donations to buy a Wii game system for the post, so we can have bowling tournaments.



**AMERICAN LEGION
 POST 1985
 HALLOWEEN PARTY
 AND POTLUCK DINNER
 COME IN COSTUME!
 THERE WILL BE
 PRIZES!!
 FRIDAY OCTOBER 29TH
 6PM!!**

**11TH ANNUAL
 SANTA COPS
 TOYS FOR TOTS
 FUNDRAISER
 November 13, 2010
 2:00 PM
 AUCTION...FOOD
 AND FUN!!!
 ENTERTAINMENT!!!**

**DISTRICT 4 PROJECT
 HELPING HOMELESS VETERANS
 COAT AND DUFFLE BAG DRIVE
 Please bring in clean, used coats to
 Post 1985**

**By November 7, 2010
 Duffle bags \$22.00 each**

Make checks payable to American Legion Auxiliary



Legion Notes

Andy Brueggeman- Commander



Auxiliary Notes

JoAnn Kidd - President



S.A.L. Notes

Gary Ulmer -Commander



Be sure and check out the new resource on our website at www.americanlegion1985.org. We now have a link to Parents of Deployed Soldiers web store. A Facebook group for ALL family members of ALL our deployed troops.

"Post Happenings" Reminders via email!

If you are interested in receiving weekly emails of upcoming Post 1985 events, please submit your email address to

CanteenGirl1985@hotmail.com

Please put "Post Happenings" in the subject line, and your first and last name in the body of the email.

If you have any questions contact Karen Hicks at 303-828-3417

Privacy: Your provided email address will be used solely for the purpose of "Post Happenings" reminder announcements and will not be shared with anyone.

NEWSLETTER - Are you moving? Know someone who has? Do you spend the winter at a different address? Please be sure to inform us to ensure our records are accurate and we can make sure you get your newsletter! Thank you!

Please contact our Chaplain's and the Post if you know of someone who is ill or has lost a family member.

Legion Chaplain- John Boysen 303-833-2575

Aux. Chaplain- Dorothy Ulmer 303-833-3379

S.A.L. Chaplain - Herb Turner 303-833-7310

Your Service Officer is always here for you!

If you need any help please call me.
Tony Cervantes
303-800-6078

New Canteen Hours

Open Mon-Thurs
4:00pm - ?
Fri-Sun 12-?

Phone 303-833-3878

Canteen under new management

Welcome New Members!

Please make sure to take time to get to know the new members:

Henry Ford once said: Coming together is a beginning. Keeping together is progress. Working together is success.

Membership Renewal!

Renew at any time by mailing your dues in to the Post.

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Or see your membership representatives!

Legion - Barb Day
Auxiliary - Cindy Daum
S.A.L. - Steve Kidd



Chaplain's Corner

John Boysen - Chaplain

Sincere condolences to the Family of Daryl Collier. "Rest in Peace Old Buddy, Until we meet again."

Sincere Thoughts and Prayers to all comrades and loved ones in distress.

"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."
Winston Churchill

Pray for Peace

Hello POST 1985,

Well it appears Winter is just around the corner even though summer just seems to want to hang on. Winter always brings more members in to the post just to as summer keeps them outside and away. The House Committee has some great events coming this fall and winter so be looking for some new and exciting events.

I would like to Thank Al Hernandez for doing an awesome job with the Canteen these past couple months. With all the changes we had a few bumps but things are looking great in that department. When you see Al give him a big thanks for going that extra mile.

TEAMWORK is the key to our success here at Post 1985. I have seen so much adversity overcome through the summer. It is just awesome to see the Post come together as a one big family and take on anything that confronts us. Everyone keep up the GREAT work.

Thank you Post 1985 for making us the best post in District 4. (in my opinion of course)

abrueggeman@yahoo.com

Andy Brueggeman

Our Post donated funds to help the Carbon Valley Rotary purchase a Fire Safety safe house in 2008. This has become a reality and the safe house will be dedicated on Saturday October, 2 at 10:00 AM at the Firestone Home Depot located On Firestone Blvd. The public is invited to the event and The Rotary has asked that as many members as possible from The post be present. If you have any questions about this Fund raiser, please contact Donna Lane for more details. 303-633-4172

Hello Everyone

The Auxiliary will be having District 4 Visitation on October 7. Please try to attend this meeting. .Roast Beef Dinner will be at 6:30 PM.

American Legion and Auxiliary District 4 Conference, October 16 at the Longmont Post 32 10:00AM to 1:00 PM. Please try to attend. Lots of information from National and Department.

We are trying to update our calendar at the Post. Please let us know when your birthday is, so we can include your name.

Auxiliary notes: Don't forget Ladies, We have a drawing every month with all the members names in the hat. Starting this month, we will be having two other drawings for gifts, but for this drawing you have to attend the meeting to get your name in the hat.

It is membership renewal time., so try and g dues in as soon as possible.

We have a lot of things on the calendar already but we could always add more. Check out the we americanlegion1985.org

Thank you and have a great summer.

Auxiliary President
JoAnn Kidd
Phone: 303-667-8745

Email: jokidd@q.com

Also if you would like to receive this news letter other post functions via email please let us know. Contact Andy, Gary or my self please

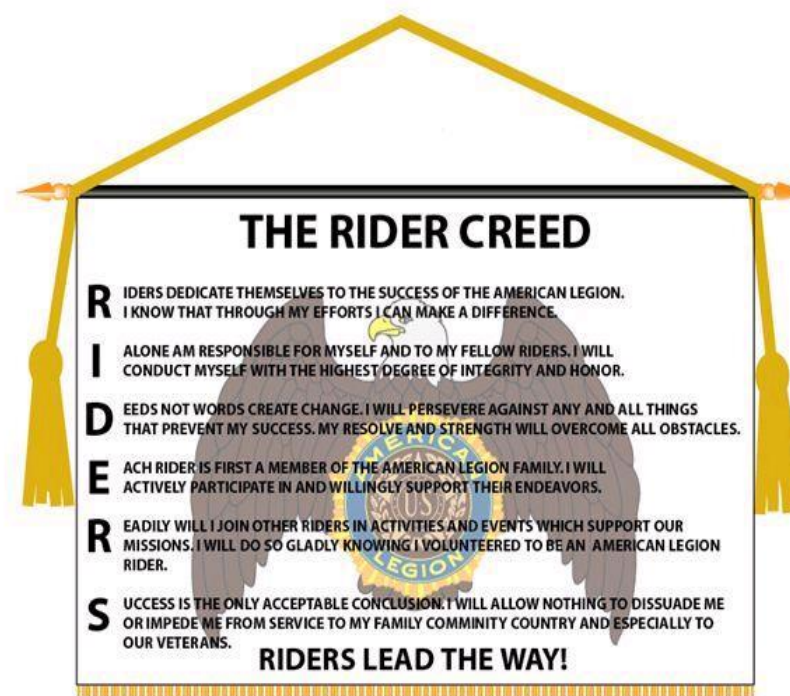
Looks like the tailgate party has started! Thanks for coming down! Let's do it again. Good Food and Fun! GO BRONCOS!!
SAL Meeting October 7 7:00 PM

Thank you, Gary Ulmer



Legion Riders Notes

Jerry Hedke - President



THE RIDER CREED

R IDERS DEDICATE THEMSELVES TO THE SUCCESS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION. I KNOW THAT THROUGH MY EFFORTS I CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE.
I ALONE AM RESPONSIBLE FOR MYSELF AND TO MY FELLOW RIDERS. I WILL CONDUCT MYSELF WITH THE HIGHEST DEGREE OF INTEGRITY AND HONOR.
D EEDS NOT WORDS CREATE CHANGE. I WILL PERSEVERE AGAINST ANY AND ALL THINGS THAT PREVENT MY SUCCESS. MY RESOLVE AND STRENGTH WILL OVERCOME ALL OBSTACLES.
E ACH RIDER IS FIRST A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION FAMILY. I WILL ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN AND WILLINGLY SUPPORT THEIR ENDEAVORS.
R EADILY WILL I JOIN OTHER RIDERS IN ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS WHICH SUPPORT OUR MISSIONS. I WILL DO SO GLADLY KNOWING I VOLUNTEERED TO BE AN AMERICAN LEGION RIDER.
S UCCES IS THE ONLY ACCEPTABLE CONCLUSION. I WILL ALLOW NOTHING TO DISSUADE ME OR IMPEDE ME FROM SERVICE TO MY FAMILY COMMUNITY COUNTRY AND ESPECIALLY TO OUR VETERANS.

RIDERS LEAD THE WAY!



Legion - Commander, Andrew J. Brueggeman ■ Sr. Vice Cmdr, Rob Chamley ■ Jr. Vice Cmdr, ■ Adjutant, Barb Day
Finance Officer, Al Hernandez ■ Chaplain, John Boysen ■ Sgt-at-Arms, Nick Martinez ■ Historian, Tim Sons ■ Service Officer, Tony Cervantes

S.A.L. - Commander, Gary Ulmer ■ Sr. Vice Cmdr, Gary Cope ■ Jr. Vice Cmdr, Jason Lewis
Adjutant, Steven R. Kidd ■ Chaplain, Steven R. Kidd ■ Historian, Jason Lewis ■ Sgt-at-Arms, Larry Dowdell & Joel Long

Riders - President, Jerry Hedke ■ V.P., Tim Cornett ■ Secretary, Elise Cornett ■ Treasurer, Crystal Hedke ■ Chaplain, Bill Thompson ■ Sgt-at-Arms, Larry Cleapor
Asst. Sgt-at-Arms, Crystal Hedke ■ Committee Man, Roger Wingerberg ■ Historian, Barb Day ■ Road Captain, Tony Abbott

Auxiliary - President, Jo Ann Kidd ■ 1st V.P., Jackie London ■ 2nd V.P., Bobbi Reh ■ Secretary, Cindy Daum
Treasurer, Donna Lane ■ Chaplain, Dorothy Ulmer ■ Sgt-at-Arms, Mary Kelly ■ Historian, Cheryl Sears