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LEST WE FORGET

From the Commander: Let me begin by thanking everyone that came down for Our Christmas Party. It was refreshing to see so many folks out to the post enjoying themselves. Wish we could see more of that from time-to-time. Congratulations to our Auxiliary on the success of their White Elephant sale. It was a festive gathering and everyone enjoyed it and I know they raised some needed money for their local community work. Our S.A.L. is also doing great things this year with all their fund-raising. That is what being a Legion Family is all about, all facets getting involved supporting one another and enjoying it at the same time. Let's carry this on into the New Year.

We are holding our first convention meeting on Jan. 4 at 6 p.m. prior to our normal executive meeting. This is our Roger Folmar's last convention as our 16th District Commander. We need to make this a good one so come out to the meeting, get involved and let's do this up right.

For those handymen out there, we are beginning several renovation projects combining two storage rooms in the kitchen, removing the wall that separates the Lounge Area from the Dining Room in preparation for other improvements coming in future months...anyone with any framing experience, or electrical, or willing to just swing a hammer, ALL HELP is appreciated.

In closing, I hope everyone had a good Christmas and would like to wish everyone a Prosperous New Year, from my Family to Yours....

As always, your post stands ready to support you,

but do you stand ready to support your post? Together we accomplish much.

For God and Country

Don Watson

Post Commander

MEMBERSHIP/THANKS

1st Vice Commander Crozier: We currently have 613 members, or 74.85%, who are paid up for 2012. That leaves us with 206 to go to make goal. If you have not paid your dues for 2012, it will cost \$35 for renewals. Please pay your dues and remain a member in good standing. With so much going on with the federal budget and what could happen to our veterans benefits, now is not the time to not be an American Legion member. Through our numbers and solidarity, we can cause significant change in Congress and the way they do business. If you are having difficulty in paying the dues, please call us at 915-751-0850 and we will see if we can help you.

Here is my challenge to the membership: get two individuals to join the Legion and you will get a free Friday Night Dinner; get four to join and it's Dinner for Two. They must be new members, not renewals. Don't forget, as of July all Legion members can renew their 2012 membership online through www.legion.org. Members can renew using a credit card and print a temporary card. Members are instructed to mail or take their receipt to their home post to receive their new card at no additional cost

AUXILIARY NEWS

HAPPY HOLIDAYS ... I hope you all had a very Merry Christmas.....

I would like to say a Very Big Thank you to Dave Crozier for helping us with the Santa pictures this year. The pictures were a great success. I would also like to say thank you to our Santa, Joe Davis he not only helped us out with the pictures but, made a grand appearance at the Kids Christmas party. If it was not for these to Legionnaires we would not have been able to do this. To see some the pictures like us on Facebook.

The White Elephant Sale was a great time and we all walked away with some nice items, give your selves a big hand for all you donated to this yearly event.

So as you can see we had a very busy month in December, lets keep up the good work.

I have a special request from Doris Cadena, If you find your self with some free time to help out our Veterans at the VA Hospital please consider donating your time at the snack bar the second Tuesday of the month from 7 to 11 am. For more information please contact me or Doris.

Thank you all who have donated to the bake sales we have doubled our money in the last couple of months, just a reminder this money goes to local and State charities.

Happy New Year, May 2012 be a great one.

Kelly Davis, President

CLUB NEWS

Happy New Year, We Had a Great Family Holiday Social the kids had a blast thank you To A.M. Refrigeration for allowing us to use the rides we also had a visit from Santa thank You Santa and thank you to those that donated you helped make it possible. The Kitchen will be open for tacos on January 4th hope to see you there. As the New Year rolls in please remember that we are no longer having community service so please please if you can help your post out with little odd jobs
Sincerely Your Mgr. **Jessi**



All-City Dart Tournament Jan 18-21



S.A.L. Pancake Dinner Jan 28 @ 5:30 p.m.



PASO DEL NORTE POST 58 2011-2012 OFFICERS



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1st Vice Commander:	David Crozier	Charles Webster
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President:	Kelly Davis	Executive Committee:
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BOOSTER CLUB

Join our Booster Club. For \$10 your name will be listed along with the following Boosters of Post 58 for one year from date of joining. Please renew if you see an Asterik (*) by your name. Those with two astericks (**) will be dropped from the list next month.

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 In Memory of Harold Jefferies
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 In memory of Bill Kelley
 In Memory of Mike Kilgore
 In Memory of Peter Kulik
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January 2012 Calendar of Events

website: txlegionpost58.com

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
1 Happy New Year 2012 Kitchen closed	2 	3 	4 Convention Meeting 6 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting 7 p.m.	5  Kitchen open 5-8 p.m.	6  Dinner 5-8 p.m. Pork Chops - \$8.75	7 New Post e-mail address - txlegionpost58@gmail.com		
8  Breakfast Buffet 9-12 Kitchen 12:30 -3	9 	10 	11 Taco Nite every Wednesday from 5-8 \$1.25 Tacos 	12  Kitchen open 5-8 p.m.	13  Dinner 5-8 p.m. Meatloaf - \$7.75	14 Visit Post 58 on Facebook		
15 S.A.L. Breakfast  Breakfast 9-12 Kitchen 12:30 -3	16 	17 	18 General Membership meets 7 p.m. Auxiliary Meets 6:00	19  Kitchen open 5-8 p.m.	20  Dinner 5-8 p.m. Schnitzel - \$8.75	21 New Post e-mail address - txlegionpost58@gmail.com		
22  Breakfast 9-12 Kitchen 12:30 -3	23 	24 Our American Legion Family	25 Taco Nite every Wednesday from 5-8 \$1.25 Tacos 	26  Kitchen open 5-8 p.m.	27  Dinner 5-8 p.m. Red Beef Enchiladas \$7.75	28 S.A.L. Dinner 5:30-7:30		
29  Breakfast 9-12 Kitchen 12:30 -3	30 	31	Important Notes Dart Tourney Every Friday Night at 8 p.m. Convention Meeting Jan 4 @ 6 p.m. Executive Meeting Jan 4@ 7 p.m. Gen Membership meets Jan 18 @ 7 p.m. S.A.L. Breakfast Jan 8 @ 9 a.m.				ALL-City Dart Tournament Jan 18-21	

Boy Scouts Meet Monday Nights at 7 p.m.

Bingo - Every Thursday Night at 7 p.m.

Every Saturday Breakfast 8-11 & Bingo at 10:30 a.m.

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

Friday Night Dinners

Jan 6 - Pork Chops - \$8.75

Jan 13 - Meatloaf - \$7.75

Jan 20 - Schnitzel - \$8.75

Jan 27 - Red Beef Enchiladas - \$7.75

Bar Operating Hours

Sunday 12 til 9 p.m.
 Mondays & Tuesdays 5 p.m. til 9 p.m.
 Wednesdays & Thursdays 4 p.m. til 11 p.m.
 Fridays 4 p.m. til 12 midnight
 Saturday 11 a.m. til 12 midnight

**** Post Office Hours are Monday - Friday 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. ****

Post Contact Information

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