



THE OUTPOST



Veterans of Foreign Wars
Linn Post 584 • Albany, Oregon

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June 2011

2011 – 2012

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Message from our Commander . . .

Hello Everyone,

It's that time again. We had a full month in May and it looks as if we are going to have another in June. I really liked our ceremony installing our new officers. Thank you Larry Alexander for being our Installing Officer. It was a privilege to serve with the officers last year. It takes a dedicated group to keep a Post running. Before I forget, thanks to everyone who brought food for the Installation Potluck.

I am looking forward to serving with our new officers in the coming year. Their names are added to the list on the left.

If you have not heard yet, we collected a whopping \$165 in scrap metal this last drive. I want to thank Glenn Baker, Landon Ross and Sam Dalesky for their help in loading and unloading the metal.

Please join me at 1:00 p.m. on June 4 for the Celebration of Life for a good friend of everyone at the Post. We will be honoring and remembering David Haskell with a Memorial Service and a Potluck Luncheon. We ask that you all attend if you can. Too many times we can talk to someone in the Post and the next day we find out that they have passed away. So, go up to your friends and tell them how much you enjoy knowing them because it might be the last chance you get to say so.

Remember that we have the RELAY FOR LIFE WALK FOR CANCER that will be at the West Albany High School on June 17 and 18. See Linda Rose, Sandy Gore, Donna Dawson or Linda Baker for details.

Well, I will quit for now. We look forward to a busy month of events - Casino Night, Rodeo Daze, great Friday and Saturday night dinners, wonderful Sunday morning breakfasts, Monday night sandwiches and salads or casseroles and the superb meeting night lunches!

I want to add my words of appreciation to all the employees and the volunteers working around the Club - everyone is doing a wonderful job of making sure we are all happy customers!

May the Good Lord keep his hand over you and your family. Hope to see you around the Post soon.

Respectively,

Jim Jones



VFW Post 584
Friday Dinners

Served 5:00 to 7:30 PM
Canteen Opens at 11:00 A.M.

June 03

Friday Fish Fry\$10.00

June 10

Creamy Chicken Fettuccine...\$8.00

June 17

House Special Chicken Fried Steak
.....\$9.00

June 24

Baby Back BBQ'd Ribs . \$8.00

Dinners include Soup or Salad,
Chef's Choice of Potatoes and
Vegetable, Roll, Dessert.

Also Available Friday Evenings
as Full Dinners

- Steak of the Day\$10.00
- Fish of the Day\$10.00
- Chicken Strips (2) \$8.00
- Butterfly Shrimp (6)..... \$8.00
- Chicken Salad Dinner... \$8.00
- Bowl of Soup\$3.50
- Cup of Soup\$2.50
- Side of Potatoes\$2.50
- Small Tossed Salad\$2.50
- Coffee or Tea\$1.00

VFW Meeting Night
Wednesday, June 15
5:30 p.m.

*Meatloaf with mashed
potatoes and gravy,
green beans and a
Linda Rose Dessert!*



VFW Post 584
Saturday Dinners

Served 5:00 to 8:00 PM
Canteen Opens at 11:00 A.M.

Coffee or Tea \$1.00

June 04

Grilled Chicken or Shrimp Salad
..... \$8.00

June 11

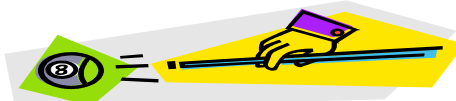
Choice Prime Rib Dinner with
Horsy Sauce, Au Jus, Salad,
Dinner Roll & Dessert\$12.00

June 18

Finger Lickin' Cowboy BBQ'd
Chicken \$8.00

June 25

Just as good as your Mama's
Meatloaf..... \$8.00



Monday Night Pool Menu
Served 5:00 to ?????

*June 6: Cheeseburger and Potato
Salad with Dessert*

*June 13: Lasagna, Salad, Bread
and Dessert*

*June 20: Baked Potato and Salad
Bar with dessert*

*June 27: Mexican Casserole with
Spanish Rice and Dessert.*

All meals \$5.00

*Come early so you can enjoy
while food supplies last!*



VFW Post 584
Sunday Breakfasts

Served 9:00 am to Noon
Canteen Opens at 8:30 AM

Bloody Mary Sunday Specials
\$3.00 each

Check out our Weekly Specials
Posted just inside the
Front Door!

2 x 2 Breakfast Special\$4.00
Includes: 2 Pancakes (Blueberry
or Plain), 2 Eggs, 2 Strips Bacon
and 2 Link Sausages

The Hungry Soldier\$4.00
(1/2 order Biscuits & Gravy with
2 Eggs, 2 Strips Bacon or 2
Links)

The Homestead\$5.00
Eggs, sausage, mushrooms,
onions, bell pepper, topped with
Monterey Jack and Cheddar
Cheese, Potatoes & Toast or
Biscuit

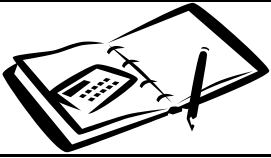
We have a wide variety of
Omelets to choose from.
See the Sunday Menu
at your table.

Potato Choices: Hash Browns or
Home Fries

Toast Choices: White, Wheat,
Sour Dough or Biscuit

Country Gravy put on Potatoes..
..... \$5.00
Side of Country Gravy..... \$1.00
Coffee or Tea..... \$1.00

Karaoke with
Gaylyn Shay
6:00 to 10:00 p.m.



From The Quartermaster

Greetings, Veterans and Auxiliary Members
of Linn Post 584;

We have had another good recruiting month; eight new members have signed up! We are now over 106% over last year's membership. If we can make it to 110% before the end of June, we should be an All-American Post. I don't know for sure, but I believe it has been over 30 years since our Post achieved that honor. We need a few more members to make it so if you know of anyone who is not a VFW member talk to them and let's get them signed up! If you need help with that contact any of our Post Officers, they will be glad to assist.

And now to introduce our newest members; Mitchel Sparks, US Navy, Desert Shield/Storm; Jerry Wilson, Air Force, Desert Shield/Desert Storm; Philip Jacques, US Army, Desert Shield/Desert Storm; and Gina Thomas, US Army, Global War on Terrorism. These members were all recruited by Jim Willis; way to go Jim, but don't stop now!

Bill Todd has also been busy recruiting; William Stanley, US Navy, Iraq, Afghanistan; and David Mayotte, US Marines, an Iraq Veteran. David is also the President of the Linn-Benton Veterans Club. Bill met them while attending classes there, he has done a great job of letting the younger veterans out there know about the benefits of being a VFW member. There are Veterans out there everywhere; only about 10% of them belong to a Veterans organization. We need to talk to them and let them know what Veterans organizations do and why we are in the lead in the fight for VA benefits, educational and medical benefits, etc.

Finally, there are two more; I take pride in introducing you to Mel Yeager! He is US Army, and a Vietnam Vet. I think most of you know him; it's good to have him in the family; and Keith Dalke, US Navy, a Desert Shield/Desert Storm veteran. I met Keith while working at the Springhill Golf Club. These are all a great bunch of veterans and will be a real asset to our Post!

We will be remembering our fallen and missing this Memorial Day in services at Willamette Memorial Park and Twin Oaks Cemetery on Riverside Dr.

Bob Gore, Quartermaster

Home: 503-394-3791 – Cell: 541-974-6936

E-mail – bobgore47@comcast.net

From our Chaplain Les Schmidt



A radio address to the American people shortly after the Allied invasion on the beaches of Normandy. The landing involved over 5,000 ships, 150,000 service members and 11,000 aircraft. Over 4,000 troops had perished with almost 10,000 casualties.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt's
Synopsis of Prayer on D-Day
June 6, 1944

In this poignant hour, I ask you to join with me in prayer....

Almighty God..... Our sons, pride of our Nation, this day have set upon a mighty endeavor.... to set free a suffering humanity.

Lead them straight and true.... give strength to their arms, stoutness to their hearts, and steadfastness to their faith.

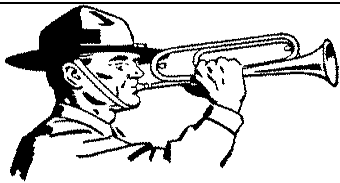
They will need Thy blessings.... They will be sore tried, by night and by day, without rest.... until the victory is won. The darkness will be rent by noise and flame. Men's souls will be shaken with the violence of war.

For these men are lately drawn from the ways of peace. They fight not for the lust of conquest. They fight to end conquest. They fight to liberate. They fight to let justice arise, and for tolerance and good will among all Thy people. They yearn but for the end of battle, for their return to the haven of home.

Some will never return. Embrace these, Father, and receive them, Thy heroic servants, into Thy kingdom.

And for us at home.... fathers, mothers, children, wives, sisters and brothers of brave men overseas.... whose thoughts and prayers are ever with them.... help us, Almighty God, to rededicate ourselves in renewed faith in Thee in this hour of great sacrifice....

Thy will be done, Almighty God..... Amen



In Memoriam

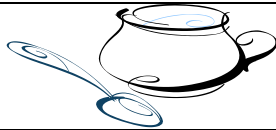
DAVID HASKELL

24 July 1947 – 12 May 2011
Member of Post 584 & Patriot Riders
Celebration of Life
June 4 - 1:00 p.m.

LARRY THOMAS

Memorial Service at 1:00 p.m.
June 2nd at Linn County Veterans Memorial.
Celebration of Life at 2:00 p.m.
American Legion Post 10

From Your
Canteen Manager



Greetings Everyone,

Well here it is, another month has come and gone.... Hopefully summer is on the way!

May Events:

The Post men served up a delicious Mother's Day Dinner. Thanks to all who helped! Thank you Bill's Flower Tree for the lovely carnations!!!

Our Oyster feed was a success again!! We had a great turn out. Thank you Butch Gordon for traveling to the coast to pick up the oysters. Thank you Randy Martinak for grilling them up for us!! If you missed it, don't worry, we will be having another one soon!

Fun was had by all who attended Casino Night!! Thank you Roy Poppleton for running the 4-5-6 table! We will be having another one on June 11th. Hope to see you there.

Keno Night was also a huge success! We had 30 entries. Everyone had a good time!! We had finger foods – Thank you Sandy Gore! – and lots of great prizes to give away – thank you Don and Cindy Phillips!

Our yard is looking very nice. Thank you Paul Joel for all of your hard work!!

Les Schmidt and Jayne Brown donated woks for the kitchen!

Mr. Hughs donated \$20. to the Post to be used as needed. Thank you!

Thank you Wanda Webber and helpers – Tom Gilbert, Scott and Tonya – for all their hard work on the walls in the canteen. It's looking really nice!!

Thank you to Jackie Poppleton for designing and mailing our Outpost every month!!!

All you cowboys and cowgirls dress up and come on Down for Rodeo Daze at the 584 Corral!!!! BBQ Dinner starts at 5:00 p.m. Followed by a live band at 7:00 p.m. Prizes for best western costumes!!

Watch for the KWVA appreciation dinner!

Remember our military men and women and their families in your daily prayers.

Brenda, McLaughlin, Canteen Manager



Message From
Auxiliary President
Linda Baker

Hi Everyone,

Guess what? It's me again, only this time my article will be short. Most importantly, I want to say thank you to the Post men who put on the Mothers Day dinner for us ladies. It was so fantastic and you all did a great job! Hope next year will be just as good.

A big thank you to all of you who brought your cars for Linda Rose, Sandy Gore, Donna Dawson and myself to wash. We had 22 cars and we made \$200.00. Thank you all! We ladies were a little bit tired that evening, so when Jennifer offered dinner to the four of us we accepted wholeheartedly.

The ladies Auxiliary installed a new member Wednesday night - Evelyn Arnold. Welcome, Evelyn, hope to see you at more meetings! A very big thank you to Cathy Lindsey, our District President, for installing the new Auxiliary officers for 2011-2012. Most of our Officers will remain in their chairs except that Sandy Gore will be our Conductress and Jackie Poppleton will be our Chaplain instead of a Protem. We had a great time and the Potluck was great - I think the men forgot it was a Potluck but, as it turned out, we had plenty of food thanks to the ladies.

To all VFW Post and Auxiliary and AmVets and Auxiliary members, I am asking for your help in collecting coffee mugs that are no longer needed at your house. Just leave them in the Auxiliary room. It is time to get them filled with goodies for the Veterans at White City. Some of us ladies will be joining them for the 4th of July. Anyone interested in going with us, just let me know.

Also, if you have any items that you don't want or need anymore and think would be good to have

in our Yard Sale on August 11 to 14, you can start to bring them out, as we will be getting that started.

At our May meeting, Dorothy Brunson won the 50/50 of \$7.00 and Cynthia Holbowitch won the Door Prize. Don't forget next month's Post and Auxiliary meeting on June 15. For dinner, we will be serving Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy and Green Beans, with a Dessert freshly made by Linda Rose.

Until next month, keep all those prayers going out for the men and women in Iraq and Afghanistan and remember, especially, the families here at home, whose husbands and wives can't be with them as they are fighting to keep us free.

See you soon. Any time you want to jump in and help us with a Car Wash, just come on out with your sleeves rolled up and ready to go. You will be more than welcome!

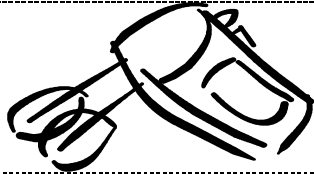
Thank You!

To all the men who helped on the Mother's Day Dinner - Thank you very much!

It was very good and you all did a great job!

Donna Dawson, Jr Vice President

*The
Kitchen
Korner*



The Kitchen had a lucrative month in May and with some new faces at our dinners. It is always nice to see new members come in and we hope to keep everyone coming back each month. We promise to keep you satisfied by keeping your taste buds happy and your tummies full! When you are happy we are happy is how it should go. 😊

So, summer is coming and with that, our annual Luau and Post Birthday celebration will be upon us soon. Yes, we will be having a WHOLE roasted pig this year along with the potluck. It's just an early mention to mark your calendars for July 16. You won't want to miss it!

On Saturday June 18 we will be having a family friendly BBQ to go along with the "Rodeo Daze" that evening. We will be serving hamburgers, hot dogs, and barbecued chicken for dinner served up with some cowboy style side dishes. This will be a fun evening and we hope to see all of you here!

We had our second Oyster Feed of the year and did very well! The kitchen gives Randy Martinak an enormous THANK YOU for single handedly grilling the oysters on the BBQ Grill for us! We appreciate and love all of our dedicated volunteers.

Thank you everyone for all of your hard work and help because without you we couldn't have a successful Post! Wishes of health and happiness to all!

~ Your Friendly Kitchen Staff ~

Cancer Aid & Research Linda Rose, Chairman

Thank you all! We made \$382.00 from the Mother's Day Basket. Our first Car Wash - with only four of us - made \$200.00. We will let you know how the Pampered Chef Sale went when we get our money.

Our next Car Wash will be on June 11, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. No cars accepted after 4:00 p.m.

Our Father's Day Basket Raffle will be drawn on Father's Day. Get your tickets soon! \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

Our Avon Fundraiser will start with Campaign 13 on June 8 and run through Campaign 19 on August 31.

Relay for Life News Linda R & Sandy G, Team Captains

Fundraising is still underway. We raised a total of \$162.00 on the can and bottle drive. We have raised over \$1,700.00 to date. Our next Bake Sale will be on Saturday, June 11.

If you wish to walk with/for us, there is a sign-up sheet and walking papers (a form required by Relay for Life) in the Canteen. We appreciate any and all donations for this good cause. The date of the Walk is Friday and Saturday, June 17 & 18.

Fundraising ideas are always appreciated. Thank you all for your support.

Report from Cub Scout Pack 359 for April & May 2011 by Joe Lovato

Hello from Pack 359!

It has been a busy month for Cub Scouts! Graduation and Rank Advancement are right around the corner and everyone is working at getting all their Rank Requirements done. The Tigers went on a hike around Waverly Pond, visited the Albany Museum, and had a tour of the Democrat Herald in the past three weeks. Busy

Tigers! The WEBELOS Den had a guest speaker who talked with them about Health and Fitness. The rest of the Dens have been just as busy.

Saturday, May 22 was the Calapooia District Fishing Derby at Waverly Pond. The sun came out and stayed! It was a great day for everyone. We all had a lot of fun. A few fish were caught and there were prizes for everyone.

Joe Lovato attended two, four-day sessions of the Wood Badge Course. The first session was on the coast – be sure to ask him if it rained. ☺ The second session was in the hills above Willamina. It was cold and believe it or not, it rained! Go figure.

P.S: The Pack is currently selling candy bars and meat sticks as a fundraiser. If anyone is interested, call Joe Lovato at 503-394-2597.

AmVets Post & Auxiliary Reports

From Post 15: Hello AmVets - Your new Post 15 officers are: Commander, Roy Poppleton, Sr Vice, Bob Gore, Adjutant/Finance Officer, Ken Samard. Let us know what you expect from your membership in Post 15. What can we do to get you guys interested in attending meetings? Without more attendance and more activity in our programs, we could be in danger of losing our Charter.

Roy Poppleton, Commander

From the AmVets Auxiliary: Donna Eshelman and Jackie Poppleton attended the Am Vets State Meeting and will give a report in June.

We will not have business meetings in July and August, but we hope to see more of you at a meeting once we get together again starting in September. Hope you all have a great summer!

Teresa Miller, Auxiliary President

Camping Club News

with Larry Engom

Our Campout for June will be on the 24th, 25th and 26th at Waterloo County Park.

You will need to make your own reservations. The Linn County Parks Department number is 541-967-3917. Address for Walk-In is 3010 Ferry SW, Albany.

Meal Planning Meeting for the above Campout is at the VFW Post on Sunday, June 19 at 1:30 p.m.

Important Notice

Once more we will print our House Rules - one each month - and we ask our Members and all other Customers to read them and to please abide by them.

House Rule #4

- Any member having a problem with another member in the bar will bring it to the attention of the bartender.
- Any Post Officer or other member having a problem with an employee will notify the Manager, NOT the employee, and will not attempt to override the authority of the on-duty bartender or otherwise interfere in the performance of their duties.
- If your problem is with the Manager, notify the House Committee.
- If you are having a problem with the House Committee, bring it to the floor at a General Post Meeting.
- Any member not following this procedure will be considered disruptive to the Good of the Order and may face suspension of bar privileges.
- Any member who does not correct their disruptive nature and becomes a continual problem faces the possibility of having their canteen privileges permanently revoked.

Military Order of the Cooties, Pup Tent 12 Housed at Post 584, Albany

Listen up cooties!

What a treat it was to represent the Grand of Oregon in the Rhododendron Festival in Florence on May 22. It was a beautiful sunny day and there was a lot of interest in what a Cootie is and what we do. So it was a great opportunity to tell people about our work for hospitalized and shut-in veterans. There must have been a thousand motorcycles, mostly Harleys of course. The downtown was packed but we had no problem finding an adequate supply of cootie milk!



*Don't just Count your Years!
Make your Years Count!*

There are a fired up bunch of Cooties at Pup Tent #9 in Florence, these guys are doing a great job over there and I want to especially thank Dennis Marsh for being such a great host. The Grimshaw Post in Florence supplied the Color Guard to lead the parade. They walked at least 2 miles and looked very sharp.

Our Pup Tent and Auxiliary here is also very active and visit Timberview Care Center, a rehabilitation facility once a month and also take part in events at White City and Roseburg VA hospital.

This is what we are all about. We are hospital workers and go out of our way to connect with veterans who are in these places and put a smile on their faces!

Any VFW Post or Auxiliary member who would like to be part of what we do is invited to be a part of our crummy fraternity!

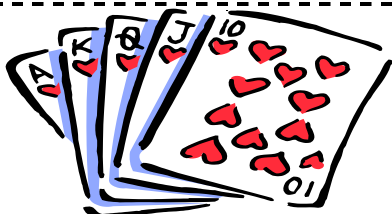
Yours in L.O.T.C.S.
Bob Gore, Hungry Cootie

The Outpost

If you would like to receive your Post newsletter via E-mail, send a message to Jackie at albanyjackie@comcast.net.

Also, if any of you are interested in receiving the ODVA Legislative Bills of Interest to Veterans, again, let Jackie know and she will forward them to you. You can then request that ODVA send them directly to you if you wish.

You can also get the Legislative news from the American Legion and the VFW. If you do not receive the VETS NEWS from ODVA - the Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs - you can send your name and address to ODVA, 700 Summer St NE, Salem, OR 97301-1285 (make sure they can read your writing) or you can read it on the internet at www.oregon.gov/odva.



CASINO NIGHT - THURSDAY, JUNE 11

Come out to the Post and join us for a great evening of fun and games.

We will start at 7:00 p.m.

June 01	Juanita DeFrees
June 01	Wanda Pratt
June 03	Richard Adamo
June 03	Gene Duncan
June 05	Linda Duncan
June 05	Allen Hornaday
June 06	Jennifer Gore
June 06	Jeanean Gore
June 06	Bee Herbert
June 07	Joseph Grant
June 09	Gene Miller
June 13	William Haight
June 15	Jack Cook
June 15	Gayle Hess
June 15	James Munger
June 17	Judy Belanger
June 17	Donna Eshleman
June 17	William Pittman
June 18	Jeffrey Lockwood
June 19	Kevin Granger
June 19	Zachary Wood
June 20	Jean Ann Bodeaux
June 21	Richard Cairns
June 21	Ricardo Dominguez
June 21	Donald Henderson
June 21	Shirley Vineyard
June 22	Billy Ray Lancaster
June 23	Alice Latta
June 24	Grant Scott
June 25	Robert Kline
June 25	Roy Smith
June 26	Clarette Kiser
June 27	Joe Cook
June 28	Melvin Chaput
June 29	Danny Kihlstroius
June 29	James Mitchell
June 29	Jeffrey Roy
June 29	Doug Willis
June 30	Mathew Cook
June 30	Michael Grimes

If your birthday is not listed here, it may be because you have not written it in the Birthday Book by the front door.

Post 584 members can get a Birthday Coupon from the Bartender!

Coming Events Please Save!
June 2011

Every Sunday evening at 6:00 p.m. – **KARAOKE** – Come on out and show us your singing talents.

Every Monday Evening @ 6:00 p.m. – **Eight-Ball or Nine-Ball Pool Tournament** - Entry Fee \$5.00. Come on down and join us! Lady Pool Players welcome! See Flyers around the Post for the **Monday Night Pool Menu**. Meals available 5:00 to 7:30 p.m. \$5.00 each.

Every Tuesday @ 5:30 p.m. – The **Cribbage** group meets for fun and fellowship.

Every 3rd & 4th Tuesday of each month – **Cub Scout Pack 359** meets at 6:30 p.m.

2nd Saturday of each month – **Casino Night!**

Every Saturday – 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Albany Farmers Market**, 4th & Ellsworth.

Wednesday, June 1 – 9:30 a.m. **Oregon Department of Veterans Affairs** will meet at American Legion Post 16, 406 SE Oak, Roseburg.

Wednesday, June 1 – 6:00 p.m. **AmVets** Post and Auxiliary meetings.

Thursday, June 2 – 12:30 p.m. – **Linn-Benton Korean War Veterans** Luncheon with meeting to follow.

June 2 to 5 - Lebanon Strawberry Festival. Grand Parade @ 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 4. Free Shortcake served from 1 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, June 5. See history and other interesting info at www.lebanonstrawberryfestival.info.

Saturday, June 4 - 1:00 p.m. **Celebration of Life for David Haskell**. Please bring a Potluck dish to share with Linda and her family and Dave's many friends from Scio and from the VFW.

Wednesday, June 4 – **Nebergall Reunion Dinner** – 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 8 – **Legion 40 & 8** Meeting – 7:00 p.m. At Post 584.

June 8 to Aug 31 - **Avon Fundraiser Sales**. For our Cancer Aid & Research Fund.

Thursday, June 9 – 6:00 p.m. **VCA Meeting**. Please join us and offer to assist where you can!

Saturday, June 11 – 1:00 p.m. **OVMA** Lunch with meeting to follow.

Saturday, June 11 – **VFW Auxiliary Car Wash** 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 11 – 11:00 a.m. **VFW Auxiliary Bake Sale** all day or as long as baked goods last.

Saturday, June 11 – 7:00 p.m. **Casino Night**. Fun for all!

Monday, June 13 – 2:00 p.m. **Officers Meeting**.

Monday, June 13 – 3:00 p.m. **VFW House Committee** Meeting.

Tuesday, June 14 – **DAV Lunch** – 11:30 a.m. with meeting to follow. No meetings in July & August.

Wednesday, June 15 – **VFW Post 584 & Auxiliary** Meetings. Come pick up or purchase your T-shirt for Relay for Life Walk.

Friday, June 17 – **VFW Scrap Metal Drive**. Proceeds go to our General Fund. All donations of scrap metal greatly appreciated!

Saturday, June 18 - **Rodeo Daze at the 584 Corral!** BBQ Dinner starts at 5:00 p.m. followed by a live band at 7:00 p.m. Prizes for the best western costumes!

Sunday, June 19 - **Father's Day**. Raffle Basket to be given away to one lucky winner!

June 23 to 25 – **VFW State Convention** at Shiloh Inn in Newport. See info in March/April issue of the VFW News.

Saturday, June 25 - **Korean War Veterans Honor Day!** Signed by Governor Kitzhaber on May 17, 2011.

Wednesday, June 22 – 6:00 p.m. **Shriner's Club** Meeting.

Coming Events . . .

Mondays at Monteith Concerts - July 11, 18, 25, Aug 1 and Aug 8.

River Rhythms - July 7, 14, 21(at Linn County Fair), July 28, August 4 & August 11.





















Linn County Fair - July 21 to July 24

Benton County Fair - August 3 to August 6

Oregon State Fair - August 26 to September 5

**BRING YOUR NEWSPAPERS
TO THE POST FOR CUB SCOUT PACK 359!**

June 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>Birthstone:</i> Pearl</p> <p><i>Flower:</i> Rose</p>	<p><i>A computer once beat me at chess, but it was no match for me at kick boxing.</i> <i>Ermo Phillips</i></p>	<p><i>Beer is proof that God loves us and wants us to be happy.</i></p>	<p>1 Jerusalem Day</p>  <p>AmVets Post & Aux 6:00 PM</p>	<p>2</p>  <p>Linn-Benton KWVA 12:30 pm</p>	<p>3 – Dinner 5:00 – 7:30</p> <p><i>I can resist anything except temptation.</i> <i>Oscar Wilde</i></p>	<p>4 – Dinner 5:00 – 7:30</p> <p>Celebration of Life for David Haskell</p>
<p>5 – Breakfast 9:00 – Noon</p> <p><i>Please, Lord, let me prove that winning the lottery won't spoil me.</i></p> <p><i>Karaoke!</i> 6 - 10 PM</p>	<p>6</p>  <p>D-Day: Allied Invasion of Europe 1944</p>  <p>6:00 PM</p>	<p>7 Pentecost</p>  <p>Cribbage 5:30 PM</p>	<p>8</p>  <p>Am Legion 40 & 8 7:00 PM @ POST 584</p>	<p>9</p>  <p>VCA 6 PM</p> <p>Treasure your Freedom - Honor our Heroes!</p>	<p>10 – Dinner 5:00 – 7:30</p> <p>Car Wash Saturday June 11 9 AM - 4 PM ALSO BAKE SALE -----></p>	<p>11 – Dinner 5:00 – 7:30</p>  <p>OVMA Meeting 1:00 PM</p> <p>Casino Night 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p>12 – Breakfast 9:00 – Noon</p> <p><i>Look to the future because that is where you'll spend the rest of your life.</i> <i>George Burns</i></p> <p><i>Karaoke!</i> 6 - 10 pm</p>	<p>13</p>  <p>Officers Mtg 2:00 p.m.</p> <p>VFW House Committee 3:00 PM</p>  <p>6:00 PM</p>	<p>14 DAV Lunch 11:30 AM</p>  <p>Flag Day U.S. Army Founded 1775</p>  <p>Cribbage 5:30 PM</p>	<p>15</p>  <p>VFW 7 PM</p> <p>T-Shirts For Relay for Life should be ready!</p>	<p>16</p> <p><i>I don't care to belong to any club that will have me as a member.</i> <i>Groucho Marx</i></p>	<p>17 – Dinner 5:00 – 7:30</p> <p>Older Americans Day Mennonite Village</p> <p><u>Scrap Metal Drive!</u></p>	<p>18 – Dinner 5:00 – 7:30</p> <p><i>Rodeo Daze!</i> <i>BBQ Dinner @ 5:00 PM</i> <i>Live Band @ 7:00 PM</i> <i>Prizes for best western costume!</i></p>
<p>19 – Breakfast 9:00 – Noon</p>  <p>Father's Day Trinity Sunday <i>Karaoke!</i> 6 - 10 pm</p>	<p>20</p> <p><i>Boys will be boys, and so will a lot of middle-aged men.</i> <i>K. Hubbard</i></p>  <p>6:00 PM</p>	<p>21 1st Day of Summer</p>  <p>Cribbage 5:30 PM Cub Scout Pack 359 6:30 pm</p>	<p>22 Pledge of Allegiance Recognized by Congress 1942 @ GI Bill Signed into Law 1944</p> <p>Shriner's 6:00 pm</p>	<p>23</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p>VFW State Convention Shiloh Inn - Newport June 23 - 25</p> </div>	<p>24 – Dinner 5:00 – 7:30</p>	<p>25 – Dinner 5:00 – 7:30</p>  <p>Korean War Began 1950</p> <p>Korean War Veterans Honor Day!</p>
<p>26 – Breakfast 9:00 – Noon</p>  <p>Cooties 1 pm</p> <p><i>Karaoke!</i> 6 - 10 pm</p>	<p>27</p> <p><i>It always takes longer and costs more to fix it later.</i></p>  <p>6:00 PM</p>	<p>28</p>  <p>Cribbage 5:30 PM</p> <p>Cub Scout Pack 359 6:30 pm</p>	<p>29</p> <p><i>Those people who think they know everything are a great annoyance to those of us who do.</i> <i>Isaac Asimov</i></p>	<p>30</p> <p>GI Bill for the 21st Century Signed into Law 2008</p>	<p><u>A Big Thanks to:</u> <i>Jayne Brown, Sandy Gore, Glenn Dryden, Les Schmidt and Roy Poppleton for helping with the April and May Newsletters!</i></p>	


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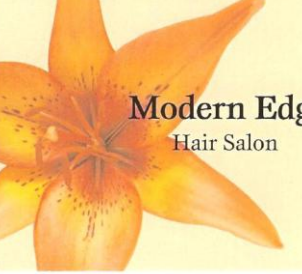


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