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Commander's Corner



Happy June! This month brings so much that keeps all of us busy. The kids are out of school, families spending time together, vacations, fishing, going to the beach..... let's all try to remember you can take advantage of the numerous activities

we have going on in our community and surrounding areas. If you haven't seen our upgrades at the City Park or the Converse North Park, you don't know what you are missing!! We are working with the City, the Police Department and the Fire Department on a lot of events and programs. We can't make this possible without the support of our membership and the community itself. Please reach out to see how you can assist, it is up to us to set the standards and build the morals and foundation of our youth! Post 593 has a lot going on too, don't forget to look at our calendar and see what is coming up!!!!

I would like to thank all of you that helped me over the last couple of years, it has been a fun and fulfilling ride! There are some things still in the works that need to be finished, but for the most part I am thrilled that we have the scouting program coming back to Converse, that we participated in Oratorical, we are working with

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Auxiliary News



Welcome June!

Each month of the year brings with it..
Its own Brightness,
Its own Beauty,
Take time to enjoy the little things
That make life simply grand.
May the warmth of the sun bring a new energy,
A new strength to you...
May Peace, Love, Hope and Happiness
Find you all June long

As summer begins my term as Auxiliary President of unit 593 comes to an end! I have been humbled, surprised, and filled with pride this last year. I had some personal goals going into this, some I hit, some are still in progress and some never started. The Unit 593 is wonderful combinations of personalities, beliefs, strengths and beauty. I am blessed to know each of you. As you welcome the new elected board next month, take to heart that those women you have elected are there because they care about the unit and they care about you. Please continue the work within the community. We have made great strides to put the Converse American Legion Post 593 in the community as an organization that cares. Elections will be at our June meeting, Wednesday June 5. Installation will be June 29. Pray for each other. Be kind to each other. Build each other up. Those are things strong women do.

Paula Johnson
ALA President Unit 593

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our city departments on so many levels and that our membership team has worked so hard on getting our membership over 100% To all of my exec board members - Thank you so much for what you have done these last couple years, I know I asked a lot, but you all always came through with flying colors. I will remain on as a District officer for one more year, but this will be my last at the post, division and department level- at least for a couple years. I want to congratulate those that are coming into office, and wish you the best and send prayers for a successful year.

I hope that you all come out and enjoy the installation ceremony and party on June 29th. This is a GREAT opportunity to thank those that have served and to wish those coming in the best of luck.

Remember if you have any questions or issues you can contact us through email, phone or facebook; all of that information is at www.post593.org

Once again, thank you for your support!

For God and Country,
Veterans serving Veterans,
Chrissy

**Installation of Officers for
2019-2020 Legion Year is
on June 29th. Come on out
and support your incoming
and returning officers.
6:00pm Social, 7:00pm
ceremony.**

**Summer is here! School's out!
Please watch for children on
your daily commute, and be
extra vigilant of your children.
And, as always, Texas sum-
mers can be a little brutal. Re-
member to keep you and yours
hydrated!**

SAL Corner



This is my last SAL newsletter article to you. The elections are over, and I am confident that the legacy created by my predecessors will continue well into the future. Congratulations to incoming SAL Commander Rick Moe and the other SAL members from your squadron that have assumed a new office or will continue in their current one. Please give them your full support and offer any help they may need. Member participation is what makes Squadron 593 so successful. However, the same 12 guys can't be left to take care of everything. We still need you.

In the past twelve months our squadron has enjoyed growth, financial stability, fellowship, happiness, and mission success. Our squadron has also felt the terrible heartache of loss. SAL Squadron 593 is devastated by the passing of Tim Vinson. He was a member of the SAL for many years and held various positions. He contributed greatly. Tim was our chaplain. He opened and closed every meeting with a sincere heartfelt prayer that included a kind word and loving thought for everyone needing a blessing. He leaves a void within the SAL that will be hard to fill. His friends and family have shared so many wonderful memories of and with him on Facebook. We should all aspire to live our lives as he did so that when we leave the bonds of this earth we are remembered as fondly and lovingly as he. Goodbye Tim, you will be missed. Rest in peace our brother. Let us not forget Rick White, Dan McGinnis, nor any of the SAL members that have gone home to claim their reward for all they've done for their fellow man here on Earth. Let us pray for their families and pray for those still with us who have health and other issues.

I cannot adequately express to you what an incredible privilege and honor it has been to serve as Commander of Squadron 593. I worked with an awesome team of dedicated, hard-working men of integrity and honesty. They made it work. Thank you to Henry, Joe, David, Bill, Tim, Ken, Dennis, Marcelo, Rick, and Danny! I couldn't have done it without you.

Until next time!

For God and Country,
George Alva
Squadron 593 Commander



Riders Report

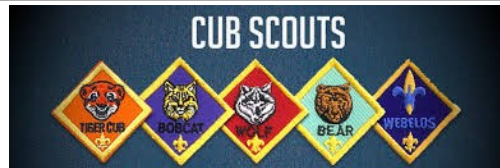
Riders, we are coming to a close of 2017/2018. The books are closed and with the exception of the Service Officer and Members at Large all positions have been filled. Voting will commence on 11 Jun during our General Membership meeting and Installation will be held on 29 Jun for the 2018/2019 year. While I haven't accomplished everything I had planned, I feel we are moving forward. June 8 will be the next SCTX Meet and Greet in Helotes. I hope to have a good showing for this final event of the 2017/2018 year.

Before closing I want to thank everyone for their efforts and support this past year. I appreciate each and everyone of you.

God Bless

Brad Pierce

Director, ALR 593



We have a new need! Have an interest in shaping our community? As our Post starts the process of Chartering the Scouts in Converse, it works a little easier if we have 2 people available to assist in this process.

As I have been informed, the Post Commander will be what is known on the Scouting side as the Executive Officer, and to make things easier, there is a need that we have someone step up and assist in this endeavor to serve as the backup person to fill the second position known as the Chartered Organization Representative.

Scouting is a great youth movement dedicated to the character development, citizenship training, and personal fitness of American youth. This charter allows those organizations to operate the Scouting program and provides them needed literature, training, support materials, and direct professional service.

Each chartered organization appoints a volunteer, other than the unit leader or assistant unit leader, as its chartered organization representative to represent it as a member of the district committee and as a voting member of the local council. The primary responsibilities of the chartered organization representative are to help units be successful and to provide coordination between the chartered organization and the BSA.

Every chartered organization representative is encouraged to become an active, participating member of one of the district's committees. For more information, contact Bill Nupp, Unit Commissioner for the Converse Scouting Units, at phone: (727) 201-7512 or email: wildman@nuppnet.net. This is a great addition to our Post.

Bill Nupp

American Legion Post 593

June 2019

Phone: 210-658-1111



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2	3 Renaissance Club 7:00PM Shuffleboard League 7:00PM	4 Pound Class 6:15PM	5 Post General Membership Mtg 7:30PM	6 Dart League 7:00PM Pool League 8:00PM	7	7 Texas Hold-Em 3:00PM
9	10 Renaissance Club 7:00PM Shuffleboard League 7:00PM	11 Pound Class 6:15PM ALR Exec Mtg 7:00 ALR Gen Mbr Mtg 7:30 pm	12	13 Dart League 7:00PM Pool League 8:00PM Tri-City Flyers Grill open 6:00PM	14	15 Shuffleboard Tournament 3:30PM Grill 4:30PM Dart Tournament 7:00PM
16	17 Renaissance Club 7:00PM Shuffleboard League 7:00PM	18 Pound Class 6:15PM SAL General Membership Mtg 7:00PM	19	20 Dart League 7:00PM Pool League 8:00PM	21	22
23	24 Renaissance Club 7:00PM Shuffleboard League 7:00PM	25 Pound Class 6:15PM	26	27 Dart League 7:00PM Pool League 8:00PM	28	29 Installation of Officers Social 6:00pm Ceremony 7pm
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Looking Ahead
(events subject
to change)

NEW:
Texas Hold 'Em
First Saturday
Each month 3:00PM

Post Everlasting
Service July 3rd

SAL Sponsored
Casino Night Aug 24

SAL Golf
Tournament
Oct 27



Breakfast

Eggs cooked to order, Omelets, Pancakes, French
Toast, Bacon, Sausage, Hash Browns, Toast, Fresh
Fruit, Pastries, Coffee, Juice

All you can eat for the bargain price of

\$6.00 per plate

Date: June 8, 2019

Time: 8:00-11:00 AM



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**Sorry,
no To-Go orders**



Jam Session

Monthly JAMS of the San Antonio Steel Guitar Association are held the second Sunday of the month from 2 PM to 5 PM at American Legion Post 593. The musical jams are free and open to the public. Food and drink are available for sale, and a donation can be passed to help benefit the Warrior and Family Support Center at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

June 9, 2019
2:00-5:00PM

Grill open 1- 3:30PM

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Chicken Fried Steak Dinner

Time: 6:00-7:30 PM

Date: June 14, 2019



Hand breaded
Chicken Fried
Steak, Mashed
Potatoes, Gravy,
choice of
Vegetable, Dinner
roll.

Karaoke and
music to follow for
your singing and
dancing pleasure.
All for the bargain
price of \$8.00 per
plate.

We will be hosting VA Patients from Audie Murphy VA Hospital. Please be sure to stop in the hall to visit with them.

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**Eat in or
take out**

Salt & Pepper DINER

ALR 593 Bike Night and Grill



June 14, 2019

1800hrs ~ Until

Chicken Fried Steak Dinner with the VA at 1800hrs



Reconnecting with ALR 593
Spread the Word - Bring a Friend!

A casual get together. An opportunity for fellowship and food.
We will also discuss the weekend ride.

Monthly Tournament Night Shuffleboard and Darts

Saturday, June 15, 2019



Shuffleboard Tournament sign-ups are at 3:30PM, matches begin at 4:00PM.

\$5 buy-in, 1st and 2nd place payouts immediately and earn monthly points towards the quarterly prize payout.

Dart Tournament signups are at 7:00PM, matches begin at 7:30PM.

\$5 buy-in, 1st and 2nd place payout nightly.



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Grill opens at 4:30PM



Steak Night



Date: June 28, 2019

Time: 6:00-8:00PM

Information: 210-658-1111

**Eat in or
take out**

13 oz Ribeye, cooked to order, Baked Potato, choice of Vegetable, Salad, and Dinner rolls.

Karaoke and Music to follow for your singing and dancing pleasure.

All for the incredibly low price of \$13.00 per plate.

Come on out for a great meal, music, and fellowship.

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Sons of The American Legion Squadron 593 Annual Golf Tournament

Olympia Hills Golf and Event Center,
Universal City, TX

Sunday, October 27th, 2019
8 am Shotgun Start (7:30 am Show Time)

Followed by Meals and Refreshments at the Post

Door Prizes, Great Food & Fun!!

**Ask about sponsoring a
hole!**

Proceeds go towards Boy's State,
Child Welfare and Veterans' Programs

**Sign Up Sheet on Reverse Side
Open to the Public!**

(You do not have to be a Legion member to play.)

\$65 per person or
1 payment of \$260 per 4 person team.
Contact David Paris at: (210) 325-3874
or Joe Falco at: (210) 722-4316

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See you at class

ON TUESDAY 6:15

TUNE IN.
TURN IT UP.
ROCK OUT!

JOIN THE
POUND POSSE!

30 MINS POUND/
20 MINS ZUMBA

TUESDAYS
AMERICAN LEGION
POST 593, CONVERSE
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
\$5 WALK IN