



William M. Randolph, Post 593

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**The American Legion  
Of The United States of America**

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Saturday: 12pm — 1 am  
Sunday 12pm — 10:30

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Finance: Vacant  
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Judge Advocate: Jack Leanhart  
Historian: Vacant  
Service Officer: Mike Potter  
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*Commander's Corner*

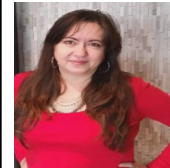


Congratulations Post 593 for all the hard work and support to the Community, State and Nation for the past 50 years. Our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration went well and a special thanks go out to Dennis DuCharme and Chrissy Reed for their help behind the scenes. During the past month, we prayed a lot for several Post members who have been in and out of the hospital with ailments. We try to stay updated on health issues of our Legion family so if you know of anyone from 593<sup>rd</sup> that needs the power of prayer, please contact one of our Division Chaplains and provide an update. We will track and keep them in our thoughts and prayers. I also want to let you know that we hired a new Post Manager that will begin on 3 September. Please stop by to welcome her after the 3<sup>rd</sup> of September.

Significant upcoming events in September include our Labor Day Picnic at the Post. This will begin at 2:00 pm on 1 September and please bring a side dish if you so desire.

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*Auxiliary News*



Oh my, September already. I pray all are staying cooled off and safe. Watch out for all those kiddos and that school traffic that has started back up! I am already enjoying our kick-off of what I know will be a great year while working with such a great group of ladies that I am honored to call family.

It is also that time of year to start renewing your memberships and recruiting new members for 2020. I am so excited that we now have links to renew online on our Post593.org website on its main page, as well as on the Auxiliary website page. How convenient!! Membership dues are \$28.00 again this year and Juniors are free until 18 years of age. Our Chicken Fried Steak Early Bird Dinner this year will be October 11<sup>th</sup> and is free for those that have renewed early. We have also been challenged this year by our Department President, Ms. Brenda Towers, to be at 65% of our goal by her 65<sup>th</sup> birthday on September 28<sup>th</sup>. I know we can do this!!!

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The Post will provide the meat and condiments. I am looking forward to seeing you all there. On 5 SEP, we will kick off the NFL season by having a Paul Crafton Tailgate Party beginning at 6 pm. Paul was a die-hard fan that left us too early. This Thursday Night game is Green Bay Packers vs. Chicago Bears. Bring your own meat, we will have the grills set up for a great time. Finally, please take the time to renew your membership online if you have not done so already. We are aggressively striving to attain 100% by 1 January 2020. We would love our Post to add additional members to our family. Have a great September and God Bless.

God Bless our Veterans, members, and families.  
Paul "Gomer" Goymerac  
Commander

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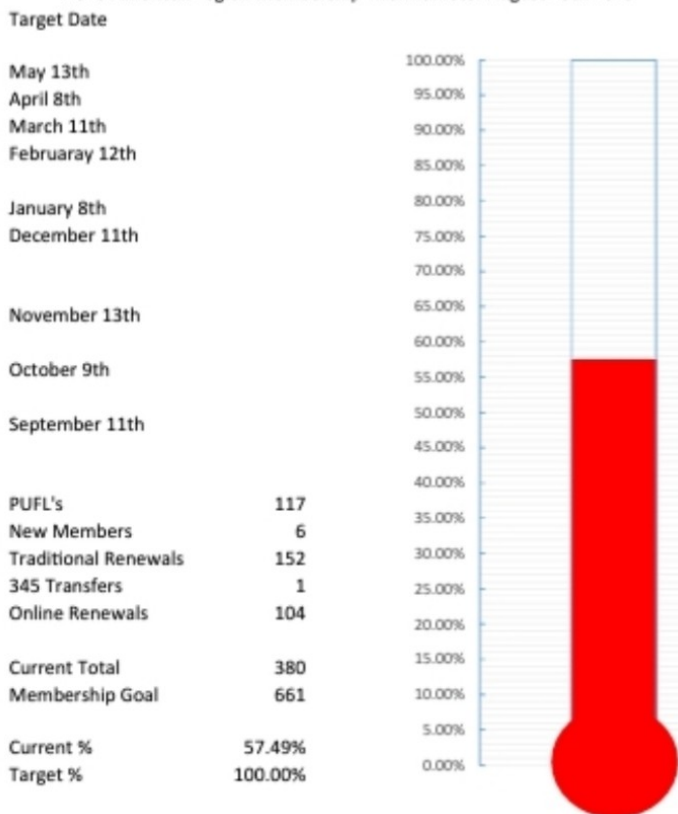
If you have any questions about membership, please reach out to Ms. Robin Alva and she'll be happy to assist.

We have a lot of fun activities coming up so please check out our monthly newsletter calendar. Also, if you would like to help with any of these fun activities just let me know. We always have a blast while making these events a huge success.

As always, your support and commitment is truly appreciated!! Hope to see you at our next meeting on September 4<sup>th</sup>.

Until next month, respectfully yours,  
Sandy Vinson  
ALA President Unit 593

2020 American Legion Membership Thermometer August 25th 2019



### SALute



Summer is almost over, and that means fall golf season is near. Our SAL Golf Tournament is right around the corner. Please see the flyer in the Newsletter for more information. Sure hope you join us!

The Sons have been busy. We replaced a worn out mop sink in the kitchen, and soon we'll be upgrading lighting for the Chicken Fried Steak cookers area and replacing some outdoor electric cords used for that event.

Speaking of Chicken Fried Steak, September we will be hosting the Converse Fire/EMS folks, October we'll be serving the Early Bird dinner, and in November we'll host the Converse Police. And of course, we will be entertaining the VA patients as well. Please come out for a great meal and fellowship.

One quick note about membership—September is the last month of cut rate dues and Early Bird meal qualification. Please renew today!

Our Casino night in August was a great success. Thank you all for your support..

We received a briefing from Scout director Bill Nupp at our August meeting. He gave us some insight into the way forward for the new scout troops and also let us know of some of their immediate needs. We voted to furnish them with the three new troop flags proudly displaying Troop 593 and we look forward to assisting them in the future as this new program grows.

For God and Country,

Rick Moe  
Squadron 593 Commander





## Riders Report

As all of you know Converse, TX is the home of William Randolph American Legion Post 593. This is the city, community and neighborhoods most of you call home. You take pride in your home, mow the lawn, trim trees, paint and pressure wash because you take pride in your achievement and it's what's expected. In the last six Post 593 has been involved with the Mayor's Office, the Converse Fire Chief, local church organizations and motorcycle groups to support community projects around the city. One of these projects was instrumental in the City of Converse being recognized nationally as a Fire Wise City. Other projects directly affected veterans less fortunate than us with Code Compliance issues. There are several projects in the works to support less fortunate veterans in our community. These projects are Legion projects and we do them because this is our community we take pride in. I'm asking for any support you can provide in these upcoming projects.

God Bless

Brad Pierce

Director, ALR 593



## Scouting Report



## The Way Forward

From twilight hikes, to festive launch parties and campouts, thousands of Scouts, parents, and volunteers will celebrate nationwide as the Boy Scouts of America welcomes for the first time both young women and young men ages 11-17 into its most iconic program for character and leadership development.

By welcoming boys and girls into these iconic Scouting programs, the Boy Scouts of America is responding to the requests of families who, for years, have sought these opportunities for every member of their family

For more than 100 years, the pinnacle of the Scouting experience for some has been achieving the highest rank of Eagle Scout. Starting today, young women can begin the journey toward that goal, and the BSA will ensure that all new Scouts BSA members have a fair opportunity to earn the prestigious Eagle Scout rank. The BSA will celebrate our inaugural class of female Eagle Scouts in 2020.

For more information, contact Bill Nupp, Unit Commissioner for the Converse Scouting Units, at phone: [\(727\) 201-7512](tel:7272017512) or email:

[wildman@nupnet.net](mailto:wildman@nupnet.net).



Bill (Wildman) Nupp  
Unit Commissioner  
Converse Area, River District

# American Legion Post 593

September 2019

Phone: 210-658-1111



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1  Labor Day Picnic 2PM	2 Labor Day Renaissance Club 7:00PM	3 Pound Class 6:15PM	4 Post General Membership Meeting 7:30PM	5 NFL Kickoff Tailgate Party 5:30PM	6	7 Texas Hold-Em 3:00PM
8 NFL Sunday Noon	9 Scouts 7PM Pound Class 6:15PM	10 ALR Exec Mtg 7:00 ALR Gen Mbr Mtg 7:30 pm	11	12	13 Chicken Fried Steak Dinner 6-7:30PM \$8.00 Karaoke 7:30PM ALR Bike Night	14 Breakfast 8-11 am \$6.00
15 Steel Guitar Family Fest Turner Bowling Club Kirby NFL Sunday Noon	16 Scouts 7PM Pound Class 6:15PM	17 SAL General Membership Mtg 7:00PM	18	19 Dart League 8:00PM	20	21 Shuffleboard Tournament 3:30PM Grill 4:30PM Dart Tournament 7:00PM
22 NFL Sunday Noon	23 Scouts 7PM Pound Class 6:15PM	24	25	26 Dart League 8:00PM	27 Steak Night 6-8:00PM \$13.00 Karaoke 8PM	28 Night 7:00PM
29 NFL Sunday Noon	30 Scouts 7PM Pound Class 6:15PM					

Looking Ahead  
(events subject  
to change)

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

SAL Golf  
Tournament  
Oct 27

Stake Night and  
Halloween Party  
Oct 25

Book your  
Christmas Parties  
now!

**Date: September 1, 2019**

**Time: 2:00PM**



## Labor Day Picnic

**Information: 210-658-1111**

*William M Randolph  
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326 Legion Dr W  
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*The Legion will provide the grilled food and buns, condiments, etc. Please bring your favorite side dish, finger foods, or sweets and baked goods.*

*Shuffleboard Tournament starts at 3:00PM*

*Come on out for fun and fellowship!*





SEPTEMBER 5, 2019

## Paul Crafton Memorial Tailgate Party

5:30PM

Join us under the Pavilion for the opening game of the NFL's 100th Season. The grills will be hot so bring your favorite tailgate party meats to cook. The legion will provide buns, condiments, etc.

Hope to see you all there!

# Chicken Fried Steak Dinner



We will be hosting the Converse Fire and EMS folks this month

**Time: 6:00-7:30 PM**

**Date: September 13, 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



September 13, 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.



# 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: September 14, 2019**

**Time: 8:00-11:00 AM**

**Post Clean-Up  
beginning at 8AM.**



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Information: 210-658-1111

**Sorry,  
no To-Go orders**

# Monthly Tournament Night Shuffleboard and Darts

**Saturday, September , 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:** September 27, 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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***POUND***  
ROCKOUT. WORKOUT.

**Tune In! Turn it up! Rock Out!**

**Join the Pound Posse!**

**45 minutes of invigorating Pound workout**

**Weekly sessions are held each month on the  
1st Tuesday, and then the 1st Monday of  
following weeks**

**6:15PM—Open to the Public**

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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!!

\$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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**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.)*



## Sons of The American Legion

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# Annual Golf Tournament *Fall Classic*



Olympia Hills Golf and Event Center,  
Universal City, TX

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

\$65 per person or 1 payment of \$260 per 4 person team.

Includes Golf, Cart, Meal Afterward, Drinks & Door Prizes

Contact David Paris at: (210) 325-3874 or Joe Falco at: (210) 722-4316

Name	Handicap/ Name of Course or GHIN #	Phone # (required)	Pd (rec'd by)
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**Open to the Public!**

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