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From the Commander

On 7 October 09 I had the pleasure of escorting National Commander Clarence Hill and his aid Larry White, who were in San Antonio to take part in The Creative Arts Festival. I was asked to escort Commander Hill and his aid to BAMC. Will was scheduled to take part in SAL Squadron 592 lunch meal at the Warrior and Family Support Center (WFSC), so instead of BAMC we went to the WFSC. While the squadron was setting up the serving line, the Director Bill Yates of the WFSC gave Commander Hill, White, and myself a tour of the Center build by donations and volunteers. Commander Hill volunteered to help with the serving of the outstanding brisket meal. Another outstanding job by SAL Squadron 592.

CHALLENGE TO EACH POST OF THE 20TH DISTRICT: "Post 10 has donated \$50.00 toward the 2010 20Th District bus expense for Boys State Transportation; and has issued a challenge to the other 19 Posts within the 20Th District to match the \$50.00." A monthly posting of donations will appear in the news letter. Deadline for donations is: As the bus departs for UT.

National Commander Hill is continuing with the Post Excellence Award. Commanders let go out and get this award.

Here is the VA Hospital tour by Department Commander in San Antonio: January 8, 2010.

Membership as of 26 October 09: Commander and members of POST: 400, 336, 539, 10, 612, 667, 2, 568, 579, and 375, congratulations reaching the Department Membership Goal of 60% plus. Keep up the good work. There are 5 posts that last submitted membership in September and 1 post that submitted membership in August. This reflects the disregard of your duties as commanders and is unsatisfactory. It appears that help is needed in your post. I have offered to help, but I have yet to hear from you'll requesting assistance in performance of your duties. My phone number is still (210) 673-6681.

The programmed fund raisers for the 20th District were held during October. I would like to THANK and ACKNOWLEDGE those that helped with the fund raisers. FISH FRY: Terry and Dawn from Post 570, SAL members from the 20th District Post, Legionnaires and Auxillary for Post 828, 20th District Auxillary, 20th District Officers; Al Saunders, Ron Cherry, and Ernest Barnes. GOLF TOURNAMENT: Legionnaires and KITCHEN WITCHES of Post 667, Tom Sibly and Al Saunders. Fund Raiser Reports will be provided at the 20th District November meeting at Post 667, 18 October 09, 1900 hours

A Special Salute to all Veterans

Veterans Day November 11, 2009



Wartime Veterans or Surviving Spouses

You may be eligible for VA Tax-Free monthly benefits
for at home, assisted living or long-term care.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 End Daylight Saving Time #399 GM 3:00 pm	2 #800 GM 7:30 pm	3	4 #2 GM 7:30 pm #593 GM 7:30 pm	5	6 #592 Steak Night	7 #568 GM @ Post 2 12:00 noon Veterans Day Parade (downtown)
8 #539 GM 3:00 pm #375 GM 2:00 pm #667 Breakfast 8 am	9 #485 GM 7:00 pm	10 Marine Corps Birthday #608 GM 7:30 pm #592 GM 7:30 pm #443 Gene Ramirez Memorial 12 noon	11 Veteran's Day #612 Vet Day Ceremony 8:00 am #612 Chicken & Steak Cookout, Windcrest Civic Center 4	12	13 #828 Fish Fry, Donation \$6:00 11 am–6 pm #592 Dinner and Music	14 #667 Veteran's Day Parade 10:30 Universal City #593 Breakfast 8:00 #10 GM 8:30 am
15	16 #667 GM 7 pm	17 #336 GM @ Texian Mex. Rest. 7:00 pm #828 GM 7:00 pm	18 20th District Meeting at #667 7:30 pm #443 GM 6:30 pm	19	20 #592 SAL Chicken Fried Steak, 5:30-8:00pm	21 #593 Darts 7:30 #593 SAL Sausage Wrap #400 GM @ Drop Zone 11:30 am
22 #593 Chicken Shoot Time: TBA	23 #300 GM 7:00 pm	24	25	26 Thanksgiving Day	27	28
29	30 #579 GM 7:00 pm					