

by Brad Pierce, Director Post 593 American Legion Riders



Legionaries, Auxiliary, SAL, and Riders of Post 593, I thank all of you for the confidence and trust you have in me as I take hold of this new position. Thanks to Ruben and his officers for staying the course over the past two years. I don't think anyone could have imagined the success we have had in our first two years. We continue to grow in numbers, represent our home post with pride and dignity and arguable have become the best ALR group in the state. It is true we have had our disagreements and tragedies have hit home but we have always been able to recover simply because, we love what we do. I have 100% faith in the newly installed officers and their abilities as we set course in 2007. I have three goals for 2007; the first is to pull those riders who have strayed, back into the American Legion Family. We miss their presence and value their strengths. My second goal is to have consistence in our service mission. We are a service organization and our mission is to provide quality, consistent service to our veterans. My last goal is to leave behind a legacy. This is something that will remain long after the money is spent; something that will enhance the quality of life for our veterans. Before I close I want acknowledge and thank TJ Haynes, The Legacy Run Support Coordinator and his team, Dennis Ducharme and his Legacy Dinner team, and all the members of Post 593. Because of your hard work in just two months we are able to give a check for \$10,000 to the American Legion Legacy Scholarship Fund in the name of Post 593, Converse, TX.

"The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing."

Very Respectfully





OUR HALL IS THE BEST DEAL IN TOWN. So tell your friends, family members and neighbors about us. Word of mouth is the best advertisement.

The Jell-O Shots went over really well for August so we are going to continue them through September. Ask your friendly bartender for one, two or three @ \$1.00 each. The drink of the month for September is my own recipe "Wedding Cake Cocktail: for \$2.00. TRY ONE YOU MIGHT LIKE IT.

**Peggy Ann's Kitchen** will be open on General Membership Meeting night from 5 till 7pm. This month I will be serving Chicken Spaghetti, Salad and bread for \$5.00. Now you have a great reason to come to your monthly General Membership meeting ... A Home Cooked Meal!! Come down to the Legion and enjoy dinner with your Legion Family. We'd love to see you!

I look forward to seeing all of you at the Family Style Labor Day Picnic and through out the month. FOR THE GOOD OF THE LEGION IS MY MOTTO.

> P.S. Ya'll come on down to the Post nowya' hear! For God& Country

P.S: Several ladies have shown an interest in a monthly BUNCO party at the Legion. Please give me a call at the Post (658-1111) if you're interested in playing. If we get a quorum ... We'll start a great "Girl's Nite Out" tradition!

## In Memorial from the Family of Tim Wagner



The family of Tim Wagner would like to thank you individually for all your kindness toward our family. Since it is not possible, please accept this article as a token of our appreciation. The funeral, food and fellowship were exceptional. Thanks you for helping us provide a funeral and celebration that we're sure made Tim smile from heaven. You're friendship toward our father, brother, grandfather, uncle, friend and husband will never be forgotten. Thank you.

We look forward to seeing you all and celebrating Joy and Kenny's wedding with you in December.

Tim Wagner, Jr. (son), Dani Wagner, J., David and Joy Wagner and our families.

I would like to personally thank all our Legion friends and family for all that you have done for Tim and me. I will never forget your kindness and generosity

Dani Wagner

## New Paper Recycling Dumpster

Finance Officer John Orff has found another great way to make money for the Post. A local recycling company is placing a dumpster at the Legion for RECYCLING PAPER at a great price. The dumpster should be in place about Sept 1st. Please bring all of your old newspapers, etc and put them in our recycling dumpster!!



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