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## Commander's Call

Nick Mills

Legion Family: Where is the year going?? The holiday season is upon us and as we prepare to celebrate this joyous time lets truly be thankful for our Legion Family and all the bounties that it brings each of us.

The month of October was exciting and found the Legion Family involved in numerous activities. We hosted the 20th District Leadership Conference with Past National Commander Brieden in attendance. Post 593 was well represented.

The Night in Old Converse Parade had an entry from the Post and numerous meals were served from the kitchen. I wish to pass along a special THANK YOU to all of the Legion Family that assisted us in hosting the Legion Riders from NV, AZ, and NM participating in Operation Wounded Warrior. Our contribution (time and resources) to this worthwhile cause was noted by all in attendance and truly appreciated. Thanks to all that made the Early Bird Dinner and the Steak/Comedy (Continued on page 2)

# Auxiliary News

Hilda Bray



Can you believe it? The holiday season is here already! This will definitely be a busy time at the Post. November kicks off with the Annual Veterans Day Parade in Universal City on the 4th. The Auxiliary will distribute Poppies along the parade route. Any donations we receive will go to support our Veterans programs. Ceremonies will be held at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery on Veterans Day, the 11th at 9:30 a.m. Try to make it because it is a very moving ceremony. Robbi Ruppert, Auxiliary Department President has selected her home Post 593 for her homecoming. It will be on the 18th of November. Tickets can be purchased in advance and cut off date is November 8. Contact Sue Mills for information and tickets. I hope all our Legion Family will make this a special event for Robbi. Our annual Post Family Thanksgiving Dinner is on the 23rd. Side dishes and desserts are requested. The Post welcomed the Arizona Riders the weekend of the 6th. The Auxiliary served (Continued on page 2)