



American Legion Post #176
 And
 American Legion Auxiliary
 Unit #176
FEBRUARY 2022
 602 Pico Street
 San Fernando, CA 91340
 (818) 336-6776 (Club House)



<i>Post Commander: Joseph Martinez</i>	<i>Sergeant At Arms:</i>
<i>1st Vice Commander: Manuel Gonzalez</i>	<i>Asst. Sergeant At Arms: Emiliano Magdaleno</i>
<i>2nd Vice Commander: Jimmy Romero</i>	<i>Chaplain: Tony Olea</i>
<i>Adjutant: Gary Kiser</i> <i>Asst. Adjutant:</i> <i>Finance Officer: Robert Woodford</i> <i>Judge Advocate: Ed Moore</i> <i>Past Commander: "Monie" Magdaleno</i>	<i>Directors: Nick Frontuto, Robert Noriega,</i> <i>Jay Jakar</i> <i>Club House Manager: Erica Anerson</i> <i>Hall Manager: Noreen Healey (818) 720-6343</i>

Commander's Message

The 1st month of 2022 is gone! It's situation normal at the legion, slow. However we expected this and have prepared for it.

February is here and so is the return of Celebration Friday's! We kick off February with Brothers and Other February 11th for Celebration Friday's! Reserve your table now by contacting Hall Manager, Noreen Healey at 818 720-6343. Thank you!

Stay safe and I will see you at the Post.

Have a great month. I will see you at the Post.

Post #176 Commander – Joseph Martinez

1st Vice Commander's Message

Hello Legion Members: I hope you are in good health. Don't forget you can pay on line at American Legion.org. Please let know if you paid, and I'll send you your card. if you paid and receive a notice in the mail saying you are past due, don't send it again. Please let me know. The city of San Fernando is taking applications for a Veterans Day poster that will display on Maclay Street. You must be a resident of San Fernando. Please let me know if you're interested. We are having regular meetings again please come by. Take care and stay healthy!

Post #176 1st Vice Commander – Manuel Gonzalez

2nd Vice Commander's Message

Hello fellow Legion Members: I hope everyone had a nice month of January. As we enter a new month along with this still lingering pandemic, let's still try and support Post functions in a safe manner. Check calendar for upcoming events at our Post. Things will get better with time. The Celebration Fridays are back starting on Friday, February 11th. Whatever you're celebrating, do it at the POST. Please call Noreen Healey, Hall Manager, at (818) 720-6343 if you have any questions and to reserve your table.

We will make our Post a successful one. Stay healthy and safe my friends. That's all for now. Hope to see you at our next General meeting.

Post#176 2nd Vice Commander – Jimmy Romero

Patriot Bingo

Patriot Bingo continues to operate in compliance with the current protocols mandated by the county and local officials. We have informed everyone who visits our facility that they must comply with those protocols, if they wish to participate in our bingo program. Understandably, attendance has dropped a bit. However, most of our regular players have consistently attended, and a few new players have come in each week. To all of our members and their families, we hope you all are staying healthy and safe. The bingo committee.

Bingo Manager – Bob Woodford

President – American Legion Riders Message

So far the farthest distance ALR 176 rider for 2022 is Monie. He rode his bike to the 1st Legion meeting of the year.....Go Monie!!

Right now we are waiting for the heat to come back on.....no fun riding in the cold. I think maybe a "Spring" BBQ sounds good for April or May We'll keep you informed. In the mean time stop by the Post and check out the changes that have been made. An amazing job from where it was a year ago. Again, thank you to all who provided the materials, time and talent and support to make it happen. Until next month, look twice for bicycles and motorcycles and keep the greasy side down!!

President Post 176 – American Legion Riders – Jay Jakar

Auxiliary President's Report

Ladies: Please note the change for our February meeting will be held Monday, February 21st, 2022, instead of February 14th which is Valentine's Day for all those sweethearts out there. Meeting will still

be at 6:30 pm.

Our first delivery of the year to the veterans at the Sepulveda VA Hospital was made recently. We donated laundry detergent and new socks. Our donation was well received and we will make another donation in a few months. We will have a list of additional items we will be collecting and more information to follow in our newsletter.

Hope everyone is doing well and is being safe. Please remember we are still looking for new members who are interested in joining our Auxiliary. Please invite them to attend our meetings.

Looking forward to seeing all of you on February 21st, at 6:30 pm.

Unit 176 Auxiliary President, Hila Estrada

Auxiliary 1st Vice President's Message

Hello Auxiliary Family: Our next meeting has been rescheduled to February 21st at 6:30pm. Please come and join us. We have a lot to discuss and would like your suggestions and support. Please bring a friend who may be interested in joining our group. We can only make a difference if we have your support. Let's make this year a productive one.

Health and Happiness.

Unit #176 Auxiliary 1st Vice President, Antonette Valdez

Hall Manager's Report

We continue to take Hall reservations for events. Please call me at 818 720-6343 or text me at the same number with any questions. Thank you!

Post 176 Hall Manager – Noreen Healey

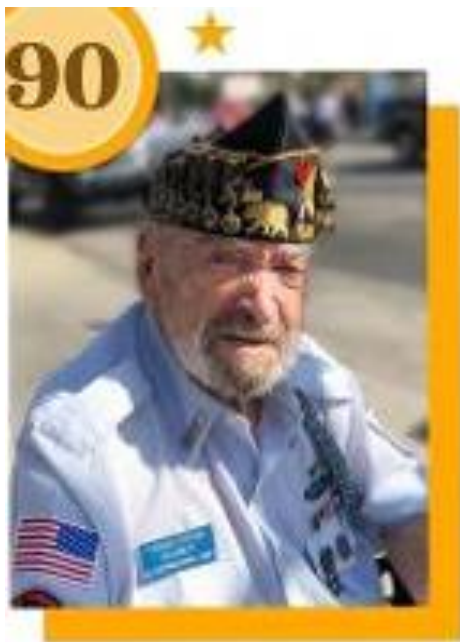
ROLL CALL REMINDER:

To help the Post cutdown on mailing costs for our newsletter, please consider receiving your Newsletter by e-mail. Please send your email address to: SF176VETS@gmail.com

Thank you: Any questions, please call or text me at (818)535-4970 (Margaret Rios)



ALA Unit 176 donated detergent and socks to the Sepulevda Veterans Hospital recently. Hila Estrada, Unit President, met with Mona H., VA Representative to make the donation. This is an ongoing project for Unit 176. Thank you ladies for all your effort and continued support.



Tommy Traba turns 90!

Long-time Legionnaire Tommy Traba recently celebrated his 90th birthday with family and friends. A drive-by birthday celebration was held in his honor to recognize and celebrate this milestone.

Mr. Traba is a lone-time Legionnaire where he served as Sargent at arms for many years and he was also a member of the Burial Squad. If you look around the Post, all the military plaques that are displayed were donated and painted by Mr. Traba.

We wish you a Happy Birthday. We congratulate and thank you for your many years of support and dedication to our Post. We thank you for your service.

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		<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>
		<i>6pm -Board Meeting 7pm- Genl. Meeting</i>	<i>5pm -Patriot Bingo</i>			
<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i>
			<i>5pm – Patriot Bingo</i>	<i>6:30PM - MCL MEETING</i>	<i>7:00PM Celebration Friday</i>	
<i>13</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i>
<i>Super Bowl Sunday</i>		<i>6pm -Board Meeting 7pm-Genl. Meeting</i>	<i>5pm – Patriot Bingo</i>		<u><i>HALL RENTED</i></u>	<i>HALL RENTED</i>
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