	American Legion Post #176 And American Legion Auxiliary Unit #176 <u>DECEMBER 2022</u> 602 Pico Street San Fernando, CA 91340 (818) 336-6776 (Club House				
Post Commander: Jay Jakar			Sergeant At Arms: Nick Frontuto		
1 st Vice Commander: Manuel Gonzalez			Asst. Sergeant At Arms:		
2 nd Vicw Commander: Adan Robles			Chaplain: Tony Olea		
Adjutant: Darlene Santos			Directors: Jimmy Romero, Bennie Najar,		
Asst. Adjutant:			Gary Kiser		
Finance Officer: Rudy Cordero			Club House Manager: Erica Anderson		
Judge Advocate: Ed Moore			Hall Manager: Noreen Healey		
Past Commander: Joe Martinez			(818) 720-6343		

Commander's Message

LEGIONAIRES ! As we close out the year 2022, let us look forward to making 2023 a continued and greater success. The accomplishments of this past year bear witness to what we can accomplish working together. But, we need to do more! We need more of our members back participating in the Post. I am sure you have heard the expression; "Each one teach one". Now we need for "EACH ONE TO REACH ONE". We all know members who have been "missing in action" here at the Post. Give them a call. Invite them back to the Post to see what has been accomplished. I have heard; "I though the Pandemic closed that Post down". Not hardly! We still meet every 1st. and 3rd. Tuesday at 19:00. And, regardless of the number of members present, we hold the Membership Drawing at every meeting. Come enjoy your new Clubhouse. All of your favorite Sports on the Big Screens. And, we now have LOTTO and Hot Spot! Wishing each of you a great Christmas and a prosperous New Year. EACH ONE REACH ONE.

Post #176 Commander – Jay Jakar

1st Vice Commander's Message

Hello Legion Member: I hope you are in good health. I hope you had a good Veterans Day! Don't forget you can pay on line at American Legion.org. Please let know you paid, and I'll send you your card if you paid and get a notice in the mail saying you are past due, don't send it again. Let me know. From now on I will be leaving an envelope at the bar if you want to leave your membership dues there just put your name and dues in the envelope. I will go by and get them during the week. Also on your renew notice you get in the mail, they all say member since 2022. Your membership card shows the year you have been a member in the legion. Let's sign up some new members too. We are having our last meeting of the year on Dec 6th. Come on by. We will have some food and the Bar will be open. On Sat. Dec. 10th is the Army Navy game. We will have some food and there is a 50 50 raffle too! Hope to see you there. Have a good and safe holiday. Take care.

Post #176 1st Vice Commander – Manuel Gonzalez

2nd Vice Commander's Message

My Fellow Legionnaires: Hope all is well with every one of you and you're staying safe. Looking forward to the month of December and let's try to accomplish great things before the year end. Let's keep supporting Patriot Bingo and the Raider Nation games. <u>We also have 50/50 tickets available for the Army vs. Navy game on December 10, 2022.</u> Hope you all had a great Thanksgiving and may you have a wonderful Christmas. <u>The Fire Department is having a Toy Drive at the Post on Sunday, December 4th from 8:00AM-8:00PM. Please donate an unwrapped toy valued at \$15.00.</u>

Post #176 2nd Vice Commander – Adan Robles

Patriot Bingo

The Bingo Committee is happy to announce that our "Patriot Bingo Coffee Mug" fundraiser was a success. The amount of \$500.00 was raised through our fundraiser. We will present the proceeds from the fundraiser, to the post, at the next post meeting. A special thank you goes out to Bea Mc Garry for selling fifty of the mugs during our fundraiser. <u>December 21st and 28th Patriot Bingo will be closed</u>. <u>We will return on January 4th, 2023</u>. The Bingo Committee would like to wish all of the members of Post 176, and the Auxiliary, and their families, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Bingo Manager – Bob Woodford

President – American Legion Riders Message

Your Post 176 Legion Riders wish all of you a great Holiday Season! Look twice for Bicycles and Motorcycles. Keep the greasy side down.

Director - Post 176 – American Legion Riders – Jay Jakar

Auxiliary President's Message

Hello Auxiliary Members: The Auxiliary Ladies will be making a trip to the Ronald McDonald House on Monday, December 12th, 2022, from approximately 9:30am to 1:30pm, to drop off aluminum tabs, toys and a donation. <u>Please call me if you're interested in joining us.</u> We will carpool from the Post but you may have to provide your own transportation. It just depends on how many plan to go. Those who care to drive ahead, the address is posted below. Also a trip was made to the Sepulveda Veterans Hospital on November 14th, to deliver detergent, fabric softener, and liquid bath soap.

Our last Unit meeting for the year will be on Monday, December 12th, 2022 at 6:30 pm. It's getting cold so please dress warmly.

I want to thank all of the Auxiliary Ladies for a job well done this year and for all your hard work for our Unit and the kind contributions you have made. Wishing all of you and our Legionnaires a Very, Very, Merry Christmas. God Bless our Veterans and our Community.

Hila Estrada-Unit 176 Cell number 818 515 3857. Please leave a message.

Ronald McDonald House 763 Pasadena Pasadena, California

Unit 176 Auxiliary President - Hila Estrada

Auxiliary 1st Vice President's Message

Hello Auxiliary Members: On behalf of the Auxiliary Officers, we would like to wish you, your family and friends a very Merry Christmas. We had a productive year and have many more functions planned for the coming year. <u>We have a Christmas Boutique on Saturday, December 17th at the Post from 10AM</u> to 4PM. Come and do your Christmas shopping and support our Veterans.

Monday, December 12th at 6:30pm is our last meeting of the year. Come and join us.

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: <u>SF176VETS@gmail.com</u>

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



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Noreen Healey (818) 720-6343



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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				8PM-11PM –	6PM-12AM	5PM-12AM
				Karaoke	Hall Rented	Hall Rented
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Opens 8AM		6pm – Board Mtg.	5PM – Patriot	6-9pm Pound	8PM -11PM	Opens 11AM
Raiders Game		7pm – Genl Mtg.	Bingo	Meeting	Karaoke	Army/Navy
8AM-8PM – Toy Drive						Game
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
2PM-10PM	6:30pm- ALA		5pm – Patriot	6-9pm	8PM-11PM	10AM-4PM
Hall Rented	Meeting		Bingo	MCL Meeting	Karaoke	Auxiliary Boutique
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Opens 10AM		6pm-Board Mtg.	5:30PM 8:30PM		Christmas Party	8:15PM
Raiders Game		7pm-Genl Meeting	Hall Rented		Evening	Raiders Game
			<u>NO BINGO</u>		(Time TBD)	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
					5PM-10PM	6PM-12AM
<u>CHRISTMAS</u>			<u>NO BINGO</u>		Hall Rented	Hall Rented
DAY						
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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT 176 PRESENTS HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE DECEMBER 17

10AM TO 4PM

Proceeds benefit our Veterans Holiday Shopping with Local Crafters Food & Baked Goods Opportunity Drawing Support Small Businesses

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American Legion Post 176 VETERANS DAY 11/11/22



The Post Legionnaires and Aux the Veterans Day Parade and cele

