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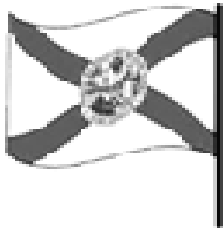
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Commander's Message

Hello American Legion Family,

I want to thank the membership for the honor of being your Commander for the 2021 - 2022 term. This is a privilege not taken lightly and I am confident that Post 318 will continue to support programs for Veterans in need, Children and Youth, Community Involvement, and our American Legion Family. Post 318 exemplifies the spirit of the American Legion through our mutual support and respect among our Auxiliary, Sons of the American Legion, and the Legion Riders organizations. As Commander, I also have Officers and Executive Board members dedicated to the American Legion and what it stands for. I look forward to working with the membership in the coming year and for the continued success of the American Legion, Post 318.

General Membership meetings are held on the second Saturday of each month. If you have any questions or suggestions about the direction of the Post, the General Membership meeting is where you will find the answers. This is your Post! Let your voices be heard!

On Sunday, July 4th, we celebrated our Country's Independence Day with our Annual Picnic, followed by patriotic entertainment by Big T. A big "Thank You" to the Auxiliary for the decorations, table set ups, and servers. A special "Tip of the Cap" to Paul Furtado, Anthony Rivera, Ron Young, and Jerry Riley for serving as Grill Masters for the picnic. Fabulous job by the entire Canteen and Kitchen Staff as well.

This month, I would like to name **Grant Southerland**, our Post Chaplain, as "Member of the Month". In Grant's first year as Chaplain, he has stepped up and performed the job as Chaplain with spiritual maturity and grace. Thank you, Grant, for the wonderful job you do.

Let's have a great year! Let's not forget why we joined. Let's continue to help those that need us and let's have fun doing it.

For God and Country,
John Hayes, Commander
Email Address : legionpst318@gmail.com

~ In Memory Of ~

June 2021 William Gass by Donna Gass	July 2023 Ed Patterson & Rick Fox by Karen Fox-Patterson	January 2026 Duane G Lang by Alice Lang	March 2027 Daryl Bowie by Lee Caldwell
August 2021 Bill Yeager by Capt. Sal Bagnara of the Viking Princess	March 2024 Moose Horan by Lee Caldwell	December 2026 Ed Black & Steve Wisor by S.A.L. Post 318	Burton T McInerney by Rose Mary McInerney
April 2022 Al Nalbandian by Shirley Nalbandian	June 2025 Donald Erb, POW-WWII by Val & Teresa Macor	Frank Howard by Post 318 Honor Guard	Arnold Thompson by Toni Thompson

~ The name of a loved one or friend can be added to the "In Memory Of" for only \$15.00 a year ~

Auxiliary Report

Hello Everyone,

We hope everyone has been able to spend time with their family and friends this summer.

As you well know, our children of Port St Lucie are getting ready for a new school year and we have a school fundraiser. This year we will be collecting monetary donations which will go to three schools so the teachers can purchase exactly what each child needs. If you would like to make a donation, please give it to Nanette Mallonee, Jeannette Roslie, Sue Morgan, or Brenda Saffioti.

On September 18th we will be having an Hawaiian Luau. Please see the ad in this newsletter.

It's time to renew your 2022 dues which are now \$40.00 payable to American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 318. Our next meeting is August 21st at 10:30am.

For God and Country,
Nannette Mallonee, Auxiliary President
443-889-4772

Second Vice Commander Report

We are offering **Daily Lunches** from 11:30am to 3 and **Sunday Breakfast** from 8:30 to 11am.

August 14th: "Commander's Recognition Dinner"

Cocktails 4pm - Dinner 5pm (See Ad)

Every Monday: "Show Me the Money" at 6.

Every Tuesday: "Taco Tuesday" from 11:30 - 3
"Happy Hour" Tacos, Wings, Beer, & Margarita
Specials - 5:30 - 8

Every Wednesday: "Karaoke" with Jimbo from 6-10

Every Thursday: "Ace of Hearts" - 7,

"Trivia" with Glen -7:30

Every Friday: Music & Dancing, 6 - 10

Every Saturday: Music & Dancing 6 - 10

Red Shirt Friday: 1st Friday of the month 11am -5pm,
BOGO (equal value)

Check the board out front for additions and changes.
Roger W Royer, 2nd Vice Commander

Service Officer Report

The Service Officer team will be in attendance at Post 318 every first and third Tuesday from 1 - 4pm and the second and fourth Tuesday from 2 - 5:30pm.
Post 318 Service Officers

Chaplain Report

If anyone needs me to visit or call someone that is sick or just needs someone to talk, let me know. I will do what I can.

God Bless America,
Grant Southerland, Chaplain 772-200-8594

Post 318 Riders Report

I hope everyone is doing well. It's nice to have things back to somewhat normal. We are looking forward to a great fall and winter with lots of rides for everyone to participate in.

For the Cause, not the Applause,
John Fiorelli

First Vice Commander Report

Now is the time to renew your membership for 2022. I ask that you please send it in early, don't wait until the end of the year. Early-Bird renewal started July 1st and goes until October 15th at which time we will draw 5 names for a free 2023 membership. Snow birds, please send in your renewal even if you are coming back before the holidays.

If you know of anyone that qualifies to be a member, please ask them to join and explain to them we are not just a Canteen, but do for our veterans and the community. There is a number of things our service officers do for homeless and needy veterans and their families. Your support also helps teens in sports and scholarships and Boys State which teaches about the political system, among other things.

I want to thank all of our members that help keep our membership growing by bringing in new people and transfers.

In the upcoming year, I am sure the new Commander John Hayes will carry on Daryl's dream of keeping us the best American Legion Post.

Remember, all of our officers are volunteers so show them the respect they deserve.

For God and Country,
Martin Motherway, First Vice Commander
772-237-2476

Hello Post 318,

Hope everyone is doing well. It's good to see things getting back to normal. It has been a long year and a half of illnesses, heartaches, and sorrows. Our hearts go out to all the Legion family who lost a loved one, they will never be forgotten.

We had our installation of officers last month and I would like to thank the new S.A.L. officers who took a position and the officers that retained their position. Thank you all for support. Congratulations to John Hayes, our new Legion Commander, and Nanette Mallonee, our new Auxiliary President, and all the officers who assumed positions. I look forward to working with everyone to have another successful year at Post 318.

Our Labor Day Picnic will be Sunday, September 5th. The Son's will also be having their annual Clam Bake with steamed and raw clams being served.

The 2022 membership cards have arrived. Dues are now \$35.00. See Jim Prosperi or pay the bartender to renew your membership.

There will be no meeting in August. Our next meeting will be Monday, September 13th.
God Bless America!

Andy Saffioti, S.A.L. Commander



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COMING EVENTS

September 5th

Labor Day Picnic, 1 - 3

S.A.L. Clambake, Noon - ?

September 18th

Auxiliary Hawaiian Luau
Buffet and Dance

6 - 10



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Auxiliary Chaplain

Hope all are still having a wonderful summer. We were lucky with Hurricane Elsa, however, some of our Northerners weren't so fortunate. I hope they didn't receive too much damage from all the wind and rain that went all the way to New England.

I'm hoping that as things return to somewhat normal I will be able to visit our members in the hospital or nursing homes. I dropped off 110 stuffed animals to the residents at Emerald Health Care. According to the staff, this effort was greatly appreciated.

It is a beautiful morning and the perfect opportunity to thank God, because no matter what we are going through, what we have been through, or what tomorrow may bring, we are alive, and He hasn't stopped blessing us. Amen!

For God and Country,
Karen Fox-Patterson, Auxiliary Chaplain –
Unit 318 772-418-1515

Post 318 Auxiliary Hawaiian Luau Buffet and Dance

Saturday, September 18th, 6 - 10

Contests, Special Guests,
Music, Dancing, &
Luau Buffet Dinner

Limited Ticket Sales Start September 1st!
Get tickets at the bar early, so you won't
be disappointed!

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November 2024

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COMMANDER'S RECOGNITION DINNER

Saturday, August 14th

Cocktails 4pm - Dinner 5pm

Prime Rib or Baked Stuffed Haddock,
Salad, Green Beans Almondine, Twice Baked Potato,
Rolls & Dessert - \$18.00

Terry Hines 6 - 10

Limited Tickets on Sale until August 7th at the Bar



American Legion Post 318

STEAK NIGHT

Saturday, August 28th, 5-8 \$18.00

18-20 oz T - Bone Steak
Baked Potato, Veggies, Salad, and
Dessert

Al Jones 6 - 10

Limited Tickets

Get Yours From the Bartender Soon!

Labor Day Picnic

Sunday, September 5th

1 - 3 \$10.00

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, & Fried Chicken
Baked Beans, Potato Salad & Cole Slaw, & Dessert

"Big T" to entertain from 2 - 6

Annual S.A.L. Clambake - Noon until Gone



American Legion 318 Calendar of Events August 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Breakfast 8:30-11am 9 - Noon \$2 Bloodies/ Screwdrivers Kitchen Open 12 - 5 Special Sports Menu Nascar	2 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Kitchen Open 5:00 - 8 Limited Menu Show Me the Money - 6	3 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Taco Tuesday Special Service Officer 1 - 4pm House Committee - 4:30 Tacos, Wings, Beer, & Margarita Special 5:30 - 8 Marine Corp League - 7	4 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 7 Dinner 4 - 7 PM Fried Chicken -\$9.00 and Open Menu Karaoke by Jimbo - 6	5 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Dinner Special 4 - 8 Open Faced Roast Beef - \$8.00 and Open Menu Ace of Hearts - 7 Trivia - 7:30	6 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Red Shirt Friday 11 - 5 Fish Fry 4 - 8 Driftwoods 6 - 10	7 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Riders Meeting - 9:30am Dinner 4 - 8 Baked Glazed Ham - \$8.00 and Open Menu Big T 6 - 10
8 Breakfast 8:30 -11am 9 - Noon \$2 Bloodies/ Screwdrivers Kitchen Open 12 - 5 Special Sports Menu Nascar	9 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Kitchen Open 5:00 - 8 Limited Menu Show Me the Money - 6 SAL Meeting - Canceled	10 Kitchen Open 11:30 -3 Taco Tuesday Special Service Officer 2-5:30pm Tacos, Wings, Beer & Margarita Special 5:30 - 8 Honor Guard - 6pm	11 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 7 Dinner 4 - 7 PM Stuffed Shells -\$9.00 and Open Menu Karaoke by Jimbo - 6	12 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Dinner Special 4 - 8 Chicken Marsala- \$8.00 and Open Menu Ace of Hearts - 7 Trivia - 7:30	13 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 MCL Auxiliary - 10:30am Fish Fry 4- 8 Permanent Affair 6 - 10	14 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Legion E-Board - 9 AM General Meeting - 10:30 AM Commander's Recognition Dinner (See Ad) Terry Hines 6 - 10
15 Breakfast 8:30-11am 9 - Noon \$2 Bloodies/ Screwdrivers Kitchen Open 12 - 5 Special Sports Menu Nascar	16 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Kitchen Open 5:00 - 8 Limited Menu Show Me the Money - 6	17 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Taco Tuesday Special Service Officer 1 - 4pm Tacos, Wings, Beer, & Margarita Special 5:30 - 8	18 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 7 Dinner 4 - 7 PM Stuffed Peppers-\$9.00 and Open Menu Karaoke - 6	19 Kitchen Open 11:30 -8 Dinner Special 4-8 Kielbasa w/Pirogies& Onions- \$8.00 and Open Menu Ace of Hearts - 7 Trivia - 7:30	20 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Fish Fry 4 - 8 Santiago 6 - 10	21 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Auxiliary E-Board - 9:30am Regular Meeting - 10:30am Dinner 4 - 8 Salisbury Steak- \$8.00 and Open Menu Random Play 6 - 10
22 Breakfast 8:30-11am 9 - Noon \$2 Bloodies/ Screwdrivers Kitchen Open 12 - 5 Special Sports Menu Nascar	23 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Kitchen Open 5:00 - 8 Limited Menu Show Me the Money - 6 10 - 13 Club - 7:30	24 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Taco Tuesday Special Service Officer 2-5:30pm Tacos, Wings, Beer & Margarita Special 5:30 - 8 Honor Guard - 6pm	25 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 7 Dinner 4 - 7 PM Liver,Bacon, & Onions - \$9.00 and Open Menu Karaoke by Jimbo - 6	26 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Dinner Special 4 - 8 Open Faced Turkey - \$8.00 and Open Menu Ace of Hearts - 7 Trivia - 7:30	27 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 Fish Fry 4 - 8 Radio Days 6 - 10	28 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8 STEAK NIGHT 5 - 8 (SEE AD) and Open Menu Al Jones 6 - 10
29 Breakfast 8:30-11am 9 - Noon \$2 Bloodies/ Screwdrivers Kitchen Open 12 - 5 Special Sports Menu Nascar	30 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Kitchen Open 5:00 - 8 Limited Menu Show Me the Money - 6	31 Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3 Taco Tuesday Special Service Officer 1 - 4pm Tacos, Wings, Beer, & Margarita Special 5:30 - 8				