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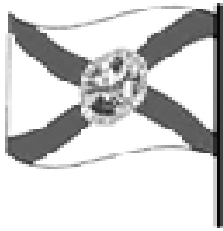
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# The Post Messenger

The American Legion Post 318  
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### Commander's Message

Hello American Legion Family,

This month we celebrate Veterans Day. A day on which we express our gratitude and admiration for Veterans. Please join the Post 318 Officers, Legionnaires, and Legion Family members as our Honor Guard performs a three-valley salute to our fallen warriors. The ceremony will take place on Veteran's Day, November 11 at 12:30 pm. Afterwards, enjoy BBQ, music and dancing with Big T. Post 318 veteran members eat free.

Even after a change of dates due to weather the S.A.L. Golf Tournament was a total success, and all the proceeds go to the Children's Christmas Party of December 13th. I want to say thank you to all the planners and volunteers for such a wonderful fun day.

This month marks the 250th Birthday of the United States Marine Corps. Thank you to all our Marine Corp Veterans, "Once a Marine, always a Marine".

This month I would like to name **Hirsch Hirschier** as Post 318 "**Member of the Month**". Hirsch is our Sergeant at Arms and oversees the security and alarm systems of the post. Hirsch also handles all shirts, jackets, and mug sales. On behalf of all the members, Thank you.

For God and Country,  
Paul Furtado, Commander

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



**First Vice Commander Report**  
Remember all who have served Nov 11, Veterans Day and keep those who are now in harms way, serving to protect and keep our nation safe.

Have a happy Thanksgiving and thank those who gave their all for you.

If you have questions about your membership call 772-281-7383 and leave your name and phone number and message. Some have called without a message, PLEASE leave one. Thank you.

For GOD and Country  
Martin Motherway, First Vice  
Phone 772-281-7386 or 516-695-4867

Fellow members 318...

Thank you to our members and guests who participated in the Halloween costume party, raffles and 50-50 on October 25. FUN Was had by ALL!

Our Bake Sale on Sunday, October 19 was also well received. KUDOS to the BAKERS!

We will be recognizing our auxiliary members who have been members for greater than 20 consecutive years. More details to follow.

Recruiting for our junior membership (Females less than 17 years) Is a priority for the future voice of our veterans. POSTERS To follow!

The meeting in November has been moved to the 3rd Saturday, November 22 at 10:30 AM. (The Legion is hosting a district meeting on November 15.)

For this month only... The Bake Sale will be November 23 from 9 am to 12 and will offer fresh baked pies and breads for the holiday!

For God and Country,  
Jeannette Roslie, Auxiliary President  
904-885-9536

Hope this finds everyone in good health and good spirits. I like to the thank from the bottom of my heart those members who participated in our post 318 blood drive on October 11th and I hope to have another drive in the near future. Also the A. L. Riders will be putting up the Angel tree around the first of November, I always look forward to that because I believe in angels (don't you?) As your post Chaplain I will be giving the Invocation at Veterans Park on 11-11 at 11am and then at our post at 12:30 pm. Remember please let me know of anyone in need of call or visit, especially in our nursing homes. For God and Country,  
Tom Kennelly, Post Chaplain (772-678-1867)

**Second Vice Commander Report**  
We are offering **Daily Lunches** from 11:30am to 3 and **Sunday Breakfast** from 8:30 to 11am  
**November 11th** "Veteran's Day BBQ" 1-3 (See Ad)  
**November 27th** "Thanksgiving Day" 1-4 (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 6  
**Every Thursday:** "Ace of Hearts" - 7, "Trivia" - 7:30  
**Every Friday:** Music & Dancing, 6 - 10  
**Every Saturday:** Music & Dancing, 6 -10  
Kenny Diehl, 2nd Vice Commander

Hello Post 318

Fall is here and it's a beautiful time to ride. A group of us rode to Post 81 in Melbourne to attend the District 12 picnic. It was a fundraiser for Boys and Girls State. Good BBQ and music for the day.

We will be setting up the Salvation Army Angel Tree sometime in November. We have one hundred tags ordered. For those not familiar with this program, the tags have gift requests from needy children in our community. Choose a tag, grab a gift bag, buy the gifts and return them to the Post in the bag. As the gifts come in I will be delivering them to the Salvation Army. Thank you.

Post 69 in Avon Park came to our Post and stole our Riders plaque. This is basically a game where we go visit the Post that stole ours and retrieve it. It fosters camaraderie and gives us a chance to go to their Post and retrieve it. We meet members from the other posts, have lunch and a cold drink and then head home. Our two hour ride was on a beautiful day and we really enjoyed it.

For the Cause, Not the Applause  
John Fiorelli



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Hello post 318,

I hope everyone is doing well. We had a great turnout at our meeting and I would like to thank everyone who attended. We discussed upcoming functions and donations to our veterans and youth programs. Our next meeting will be Monday, November 10th at 4:30 PM. We also had a great turnout at our lasagna dinner. We served 137 dinners. I would like to thank everyone who attended and I hope you all enjoyed it. A special thanks to all the volunteers who make it happen. With the proceeds from the dinners, we are able to support more veterans and youth programs so thank you all for your support. Our next lasagna dinner will be Wednesday, November 12th at 5 pm until it's all gone. We are into November and at the end of December all memberships will be due. We have our 2026 membership cards and we encourage everyone to renew as soon as possible. Dues are \$35 and can be dropped off at the post with the doorman or the bartenders and Jim will process it immediately. Please do not renew on-line as it will take you longer to receive your new membership card. God Bless America!  
Andy Saffioti. SAL Commander

Service Officers' report for November: Hours are 1pm to 4pm every Tuesday. We have assisted 12 vets to date. Please bring DD-214s if needing assistance.

A welcome big change for the Department of Veterans Affairs' Community Care program: VA will now offer year-long authorizations for Community Care – which eliminates the need for reauthorization for 30 most common types of care from mental health and cardiology to pain management. This gives patients and providers more flexibility to treat patients without the back and forth paperwork.

Need an immediate answer or help with a situation regarding VA benefits? Call, 24/7, at 1-800-MyVA411 (698-2411).  
Your Service Officers,  
Gregory "Gman" Cavin 772 337-5670 &  
Richard Pryor 772 867-6298

As Auxiliary Chaplin, I will send out cards and visit anyone in the hospital and or nursing homes. I will also get the name plates for our Wall of Remembrance. Call the Post if you know of anyone that needs any encouragement. For God and Country  
Sandy Lassalle, Auxiliary Chaplin

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March 2029  
Lee Caldwell



American Legion Post 318 Presents

# Veteran's Day BBQ



Tuesday, November 11th, 1 - 3

Post 318 Veteran Members Free,  
Everyone Else, \$12.00

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, & Fried Chicken  
Potato Salad, Pasta Salad, & Dessert

Big T 2 - 6

*Ceremony to Honor All Veterans That  
Served Our Country - 12:30*

**Bowling to Benefit Vets**  
Sunday, November 9th 1 - 4

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American Legion Post 318 Presents



**Thanksgiving Day Celebration**  
Thursday, November 27th 1 - 4 \$15.00

Menu Includes:

Turkey or Ham, Sweet or Mashed Potatoes,  
Green Bean Casserole, Salad, Rolls, & Dessert

No Ticket Required

**Save the Following Dates for December!**

**Post 318 S.A.L. Children's Christmas Party**  
Saturday, December 13th 11:00am

**Post 318 Christmas Party Buffet**  
Saturday, December 20th 5 - 7





# American Legion 318 Calendar of Events November 2025

| Sunday                                                                                                                                            | Monday                                                                                                                                            | Tuesday                                                                                                                                                                                 | Wednesday                                                                                                                                          | Thursday                                                                                                                                                     | Friday                                                                                          | Saturday                                                                                                                                                                         |
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| <b>30</b> Breakfast 8:30-11am<br>9 - Noon \$3 Bloodies/<br>Screwdrivers<br><br>Kitchen Open 12:30 - 5<br><br>Football                             |                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                 | <b>1</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8<br>Riders Meeting - 9:30 am<br><br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Baked Ravioli - \$10.00<br>and Open Menu<br><br>Big T 6 - 10                                  |
| <b>2</b> Breakfast 8:30-11am<br>9 - Noon \$3 Bloodies/<br>Screwdrivers<br><br>Kitchen Open 12:30 - 5<br><br>Football & Nascar                     | <b>3</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-3<br>Legion Membership 11-4<br>House Committee - 4<br>Kitchen Open 5 - 8<br>Limited Menu<br><br>Show Me the Money - 6 | <b>4</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3<br>Taco Tuesday Special<br><br>Service Officer 1 - 4<br>Tacos, Wings, Beer &<br>Margarita Special 5:30 - 8<br>Marine Corp League - 7                    | <b>5</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-8<br>Auxiliary Membership 11-2<br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Swedish Meatballs - \$10.00<br>and Open Menu<br>Karaoke by Jimbo - 6 | <b>6</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-8<br>Legion Membership 11 - 4<br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Chicken Picatta- \$10.00<br>and Open Menu<br>Ace of Hearts - 7<br>Trivia - 7:30 | <b>7</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8<br><br><b>Fish Fry 4 - 8</b><br><br>The Kick 6 - 10             | <b>8</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-8<br>Legion E Board - 9am<br>Reg Meeting - 10:30am<br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Country Fried Steak -<br>\$10.00 and Open Menu<br><br>The Latitudes 6 - 10     |
| <b>9</b> Breakfast 8:30-11am<br>9 - Noon \$3 Bloodies/<br>Screwdrivers<br><br>Kitchen Open 12:30 - 5<br><br>Football & Nascar                     | <b>10</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-3<br>Kitchen Open 5 - 8<br>Limited Menu<br><br>SAL Meeting - 4:30<br><br>Show Me the Money - 6                       | <b>11</b> Kitchen Closed<br><b>Veterans Day</b><br><b>BBQ 1 - 3 (See Ad)</b><br><br>Honor Guard Canceled                                                                                | <b>12</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-3<br>Auxiliary Membership 11-2<br>Dinner 5 - Until Gone<br>Lasagna - \$12.00<br>Karaoke by Jimbo - 6                  | <b>13</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8<br><br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Seafood Paella - \$12.00<br>and Open Menu<br>Ace of Hearts - 7<br>Trivia - 7:30                      | <b>14</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8<br><br><b>Fish Fry 4 - 8</b><br><br>The Kick 6 - 10            | <b>15</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-8<br><br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Smothered Chicken w/<br>Creamed Spinach- \$10.00<br>and Open Menu<br><br>Radio Days 6 - 10                                 |
| <b>16</b> Breakfast 8:30-11am<br>9 - Noon \$3 Bloodies/<br>Screwdrivers<br><br>Kitchen Open 12:30-5<br><br>Football                               | <b>17</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-3<br>Legion Membership 11-4<br><br>Kitchen Open 5 - 8 Limited<br>Menu<br><br>Show Me the Money - 6                   | <b>18</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 3<br>Taco Tuesday Special<br><br>Service Officer 1 - 4<br>Tacos, Wings, Beer &<br>Margarita Special 5:30 - 8                                             | <b>19</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-8<br>Auxiliary Membership 11-2<br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Meatloaf - \$10.00 and<br>Open Menu<br>Karaoke by Jimbo - 6         | <b>20</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-8<br>Legion Membership 11-4<br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Pork Chops -\$10.00 and<br>Open Menu<br>Ace of Hearts - 7<br>Trivia - 7:30       | <b>21</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8<br><br><b>Fish Fry 4 - 8</b><br><br>Glen Meyer, Sax Man 6 - 10 | <b>22</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8<br>Auxiliary E-Board - 9:30am<br>Regular Meeting - 10:30am<br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Chicken Cordon Bleu-<br>\$10.00 and Open Menu<br><br>Alita 6 - 10 |
| <b>23</b> Breakfast 8:30-11am<br>9 - Noon \$3 Bloodies/<br>Screwdrivers<br>Aux Pie Bake Sale 9am-<br>gone<br>Kitchen Open 12:30-5<br><br>Football | <b>24</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-3<br>Legion Membership 11-4<br>Kitchen Open 5 - 8 Limited<br>Menu<br><br>Show Me the Money - 6                       | <b>25</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 -<br>3 Taco Tuesday Special<br>Service Officer 1 - 4<br>Tacos, Wings, Beer &<br>Margarita Special 5:30 - 8<br>Honor Guard Meeting - 6<br>10-13 Club - 7:30 | <b>26</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-8<br>Auxiliary Membership 11-2<br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Liver & Onions - \$10.00<br>and Open Menu<br>Karaoke by Jimbo - 6   | <b>27</b> Kitchen Closed<br><b>Thanksgiving Day</b><br><b>Dinner 1 - 4 \$15.00</b><br><b>(See Ad)</b><br>Ace of Hearts - Canceled<br>Trivia - Canceled       | <b>28</b> Kitchen Open 11:30-8<br><br><b>Fish Fry 4 - 8</b><br><br>Terri Hines 6 - 10           | <b>29</b> Kitchen Open 11:30 - 8<br><br>Dinner 4 - 8<br>Open Faced Roast Beef -<br>\$10.00 and Open Menu<br><br>Big T 6 - 10                                                     |