

THE BULLETIN

American Legion Paso Del Norte Post 58



John Lugo – Commander

Charles Moore – Adjutant

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From the Commander:

Dear Membership,

I want to thank you for your continued support and patronage. We had a successful October month to include a great trunk or treat and haunted house, thank you to all the volunteers and support to make this possible. We continue to work on our post and want to thank all volunteers that are assisting and have assisted as our renovations continue. WE cannot lose focus on our goals with our American Legion Post let's continue working together!!

We have started our next project with repairs and updates to the front access ramp and outside area by dinning area, please be aware of workers and materials around the post. We are hoping to be done by this month and move on to our next project. Thank you for your support!

Adjustments to food menu and beverage items are based on your participation and attendance at the post, Friday nights have been slow and we invite you to come down and join is for some cold drinks and play the Queen of Hearts. Please review the monthly newsletter for special events and any calendar updates, hope to see you at the post for these special events:

- Queen of Hearts every Friday drawing
- Happy Veterans Day November 11
- Auxiliary Craft Fair on November 19 – 2- 6pm & 20 - 11am – 3pm
- Thanksgiving Dinner November 24 – 2pm to 6pm
- November 26 Karaoke – 7pm
- Closed Monday's this month and Wednesday 28, 2022

Please keep our brothers and sisters that may be in need, maybe ill or in distress in our prayers as we do not leave anyone behind or forget them. Remember it is about the WE and not the ME.

John Lugo
Commander Post 58
“For God & Country”

**You've Earned
The Right
To Belong...**
Join Us!

1st Vice Commander – Jose Pierce

Our Post continues to thrive as new members are signed up. El Paso is a Veteran friendly community and will soon be named the Veteran Capital of the United States. When you meet a new Veteran, invite them to our Post and let them see what The American Legion has to offer.

Renewing online is very easy to do and can be done at www.mylegion.org, you'll be able to download your membership card instantly. If you have any questions please stop by and I can walk you through the process. You can also come by and pay our Adjutant Charlie and receive your card in person.

Auxiliary - President Armida Thomas

Hello my Auxiliary ladies and gentleman.

In November we will be hosting a Craft Fair on 19-20 November, please help get the word out.

Thank you to all who have been actively participating in our events, as we continue to support our Veteran and surrounding communities. Your hard work helped us succeed in raising funds for ORDT and our Post.

Armida Thomas

2022-2023

Post 58 Auxiliary President

Sons of the American Legion - Commander Marc Williams

We want to give a big thanks to Chef's Brian and Dean, and all of those who assisted them in making our spaghetti dinner a Great Success.

Chaplain - Bishop Raul Ballesteros Jr.- (915) 497-4553

PRAYER REQUESTS: Marc Williams & Ana Burr, Jane Burr, Maria Sanchez, Mr. Fox, Bruce Rankhorn, George Lee, Harry Smith and wife, Dave Burger, Raul & Esmeralda Ballesteros, Sarah Ballesteros and her new twin boys, Ruben and Isela Ballesteros, Armando Ulloa, David & Cookie Watson, Renny and Letty Renslar.

Greetings Post 58 veterans and families. I am starting to get around a little better and plan to make the meetings. Thanks to all of you that have been praying for me and have given me words of encouragement.

Community Church Services at Post 58:

November 13 at 11am.

November 27 at 11am

Coffee and pastries after the service.

Ephesians 5:20 –

Giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ

Reverend Raul Ballesteros Jr.-American Legion Post 58 Chaplain

Americanism - 3rd Vice Commander- Mike Hall

Americanism/Youth Programs –

November is officially here and Veterans Day is just days away. Since 1996, every November is designated as Military Family Month so when you stop to say “Thank You” to a veteran take a few extra minutes and thank their family members for the commitment, dedication and sacrifices they have made in support of their service member.

November also means #NoShaveNovember; became well known thanks to Facebook in 2009. To date No Shave participants raised over \$12 million for cancer awareness, research and prevention. Should you want to participate or just make a donation the web site is www.no-shave.org.

There are several events during the month if anyone would like come out and support. Nov. 7 Veterans Day presentation 2:15 pm at Bliss Elementary, Nov. 12 Flag Retirement Ceremony at 8 am, Nov. 14 Flags for First Graders 1:55 pm at Barron Elementary, Nov. 24 Thanksgiving dinner 2-6 pm here at Post 58, Nov. 28 Flags for First Graders at 10:15 am Edgar Park Elementary.

Thank You to all the veterans and their families have a great November and Happy Thanksgiving.

Mike Hall-American Legion Post 58 Third Vice-Commander

American Legion Riders - Director John Palmer (Foreman)

Post 58 Legion Riders performed FULL TIME services for our veteran community.

The American Legion Post 58 can be truly proud of its' Riders' contingent for service to the community.

A participation list follows:

On September 11, American Legion Riders and Post 58 participated in the National Day of Service at FLAGS ACROSS AMERICA on Diana Drive. In attendance were Foreman, Buzz, Weasel, Candice and Chuco. Each individual donated two hours and 10 miles.

To commemorate September 11th Riders and Auxiliary members joined Commander John Lugo in delivering a delicious meal to Fire Station 16. The meal was prepared by the Post 58 Chef's.

On September 17, 18 and 19, Post 58 participated in a gun show at El Maida Shrine. The fundraising opportunity also was used as a recruiting situation. The weekend long event Featured participation by Foreman, CurbNurse, CandiGirl, Rumbles, Buzz, Diesel, Rotten, Radar, Geronimo, Turtle and Schnitzel. Total donation of hours equaled 70 hours by the Riders. Total ride time equaled 85 miles.

On September 24, a training run was conducted from the Post 58 to San Elizario and back. Individual Riders participating were Foreman, Jesse James, Weasel, Diesel, Ride By and Rotten. Total mileage submitted was 300, and total hours were 25.

On September 29, Mission 14 Honor Flight was conducted with an overnight escort provided by Diesel. The escort started at Las Cruces Veterans' Hospital with the WWII veterans going to Washington DC. and ended with a flag ceremony at El Paso International Airport. Diesel donated 110 miles and 7 hours of his time.

On Oct 8, several members participated in the ORDT at Southwest University. 58 Chefs Brian and Dean won the BBQ contest. Congratulations to our Post 58 Chefs and family. Post 58 Auxiliary members and ALR 58 members Foreman, Dirty, Flips, Radar, Gloria, Liz, Lena and her daughter all help raise funds for Wounded Warrior Project by selling raffle tickets for the ORDT fundraiser. Radar and Commander Lugo participated in the Flag ceremony to honor three fallen comrades.

On Oct 12, Hurricane supported the PGR mission to bring the body PVT Pong USMC home to Las Cruces. She donated 75 riding escort miles on her bike and assisted for 3.5 hours.

On Oct 15, ORDT held part 2 of the fundraising event in San Felipe TX. Dirty and flips supported the event by selling more raffle tickets. With 12 hours of donated time and 50 road miles conducted.

On Oct 19 Schnitzel, Lynne, Chuco, Cazz Turtle attended the Grace Gardens remembrance ceremony for Turtle's deceased wife, a Rider at Post 58. The trio donated 25 miles and 5 hours time.

If you'd every like to join us or come to a meeting feel free to stop by. Our meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month at 7PM at the Post. "For God and Country"

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American Legion Riders Chapter 58



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American Legion Post 58

November 2022 Calendar

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Bar hours 4-10 PM	Bar hours 4-10 PM	Bar hours 4-10 PM	Bar hours 4-10 PM	Bar hours 4-10 PM	Bar hours 4-10 PM	Bar hours 9AM-10PM
		1	2 Entertainment Mtg 6PM Executive Mtg 7PM 	3 Bingo 6 PM	4  Queen of hearts 7PM	5 Bingo 1030 AM
6 Bingo 6PM	7 CLOSED	8 Bingo 6 PM	9 Auxiliary Mtg 7PM 	10 Bingo 6 PM	11 Veterans Day  Queen of hearts 7PM	12 Bingo 1030 AM
13 Bingo 6PM Community Church Services 11AM	14 CLOSED	15	16 S.A.L Mtg 6PM Gen. Members Mtg 7PM  	17 Bingo 6 PM	18  Queen of hearts 7PM	19 Bingo 1030 AM 40&8 Meeting 10AM 
20 Bingo 6PM	21 CLOSED	22 Bingo 6 PM	23 CLOSED	24 Bingo 6 PM Happy Thanksgiving Legion open 2-6pm for dinner only	25  Queen of hearts 7PM	26 Bingo 1030 AM Karaoke – 7pm
27 Bingo 6PM Community Church Services 11AM	28 CLOSED	29 Gun collectors meeting 6PM	30 CLOSED			
					Kitchen Open Hours Sunday/Tuesday-Friday 4:30PM-9PM Saturdays 9AM-12PM	



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Post 58 is looking for veterans to help other veterans.
 Come visit us soon and bring your family.
 Call 751-0850 for more information.

Booster and Remembrance Club

Join our Booster Club. For \$10 your name will be listed along with the following of Post 58 for one year from date of joining. Please renew if you see an asterisk (*) by your name. Those with two asterisks (**) will be dropped from the list next month.

In memory of Virginia Weiscopf
 (1/24)

In memory of Mary Munoz (2/22)

In memory of Leo Weiscopf (1/24)

In memory of Marty Folmar (1/24)

In memory of Rita Dorney (3/22)



Mike Batkin (6/24)

Mr Enrique Munoz (7/19)

Mr. Roger Folmar (1/23)

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