

## The American Legion Twin Cities Post 313, Inc. Larkspur & Corte Madera, California

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#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Member Recognition Dinner
Veterans Day
November 11
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### **ONGOING EVENTS**

Coffee & Pastries Mondays & Thursdays 9 - 10 am (Club Room)

Post 313 Breakfasts
Second Wednesday \*\*\*Please
note that our November breakfast
will be on the 19th instead of the 12th due to
our Vets Dinner on the 11th.

8:30 - 10 am (Club Room/Vets Bar)

General Membership Meetings First Monday Club Room/Vets Bar 6:15 pm - Social with pizza & beverage 7:15 pm - Business Meeting

Executive Board Meetings
Last Thursday
9:30 am - 12 noon

#### **Commander Bob Means**

I'm sure you are all getting your reservations in for our Veterans/Member Appreciation Dinner on the 11th. If you can find a better meal for this price, take me with you.

We are looking to pull the permit for the Hall restrooms before year's end and will be looking to start no later than March of next year.

As I write this I think of our long tenured secretary Marilyn. This newsletter will be her last task performed as she departs for a well deserved retirement. Farewell Marilyn. Our Post will miss you.

I'm continuing my request for members' help and input. There's a lot to be done. Thanks to Bill Howard for the nice new desk in the office and flat screen TV in the Club Room. Also, thanks to Bob Gonzalez for the coffee and pastries each Monday and Thursday.

Wishing you all the best as we move into the holiday season. Wishing us all the experience of some rain storms too!

#### 1st Vice Commander - Tom Beck

We are doing great on membership! If you haven't done so yet, please get your renewal in to us. If you have already renewed, Thank You! Oh, and I almost forgot, everyone knows a veteran who isn't a member of 313. Let's bring them in.

Much has been said about the Hall bathrooms. The Commander is working hard to get people lined up to accomplish the work. No easy task as the economy is good in Southern Marin and the tradespeople are very

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## November 2014

3		9 am	10 am	Coffee
3		6:15 pm		Social followed by 7:15 pm Business Mtg.
		7:15 pm		General Membership Mtg.
6	)	9 am	10 am	Coffee
10	)	9 am	10 am	Coffee Marine Corps Birthday
1	1	12 noon	2 pm	Auxiliary Unit Mtg (Club Room) Veterans Day
1	1			Member Recognition Dinner (See ad on page 3)
13	3	9 am	10 am	Coffee
1	7	9 am	10 am	Coffee
19	9	8:30 am	10 am	Post Breakfast (Club Room)
20	)	9 am	10 am	Coffee
24	4	9 am	10 am	Coffee
2	7	`		Thanksgiving

## December 2014

1	9 am	10 am	Coffee
1	6:15 pm		Social hour followed by 7:15 pm Business Mtg.
	7:15 pm		General Membership Mtg.
4	9 am	10 am	Coffee
8	9 am	10 am	Coffee
9	12 noon	2 pm	Auxiliary Unit Mtg. (Club Room)
10	8:30 am	10 am	Post Breakfast (Club Room)
11	9 am	10 am	Coffee
15	9 am	10 am	Coffee
18	9 am	`10 am	Coffee
22	9 am	10 am	Coffee
25			Christmas
29	9 am	10 am	Coffee

For calendar updates, see the club room bulletin board & the post website: http://americanlegion313.org

For Veteran's Services, see http:// www.co.marin.ca.us/depts/HH/main/ ag/veterans.cfm

## Post 313 Breakfast

Wednesday, November 19, 2014 \*\*\*
8:30—10 am in Club Room
\$5.00 (All you can eat!)

\*\*\* Third Wednesday this month!

Includes fruit juice, scrambled eggs with cheese, pancakes, bacon, sausage and coffee.

Reservation: signup in Club Room, call Bill Brennen (415-927-0393) or leave message at the Post (415-924-6283).

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busy. Rest assured, it will be completed as at this point we are all in.

My door is always open.

#### Finance Officer - Tom Beck

Post 313 continues to do well financially. Q3 was good for us and YTD we are at approximately \$25K profit. It would appear as though we are headed for a record profit in 2014. It is much needed as the Hall bathrooms will require a good chunk of change.

#### **Boy Scout Wreath Sale**

Are you looking for holiday greens to brighten up this holiday season? BSA Troop 43 of Larkspur and Corte Madera is selling beautiful wreaths, garlands and door swags. Bring the wonderful smells of the season into your home with a garland or wreath.

Place your order by Thanksgiving and a Boy Scout will deliver it to your home or American Legion Post 313 by early December.

The holiday greens offered are:

Wreaths: 22" or 28" for \$22 and \$28 Garland: 10' at \$19 or \$2 per foot Swag: 20" or 30" at \$15 and \$19

Orders can be emailed to mcymerys@sbcglobal.net or mailed to Peggy Cymerys, 1712 5th Ave #1, San Rafael 94901. Checks should be payable to Troop 43.

# Twin Cities American Legion Post 313

Veterans Day November 11 Member Recognition Dinner

Members and guests welcome.

Doors & Bar open @ 5:30 pm Dinner at 6:30 pm

#### Menu

Classic Caesar Salad

Choice of
\*Parmesan Crusted Chicken Scampi
or

\*Pasta Primavera (Spaghetti with Seasonal Roasted Vegetable tossed with Butter Sauce)

Warm Garlic Bread

**Old-Fashioned Tiramisu** 

\$15.00 per person Limited to first 90 reservations with check.

Table wine available for \$5.00/bottle.

Come enjoy an evening of camaraderie with Post members. Meet new friends, share some stories.

Send check with \*menu choice made payable to
Twin Cities Post 313
500 Magnolia Ave, Larkspur, CA 94939
Attn: Bob Gonzalez/Veterans Day

No reservations taken after Friday, Nov 7.

Donations for Twin Cities Post 313
Hall Remodel Project gladly accepted.

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