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## PARKVILLE POST No. 183

63 Years of Service to the Veterans and Community

### THE PATTEN PARADE

54 Continuous Years of Publication



MAY - JUNE

# 2008

World's Third  
LARGEST Post

Post Home of Jack Milburn, Past Dept. Cmdr. and Alt. National Exec. Comm.

Post Home of Mike Mooney, Department 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice Commander

Post Home of Cass Wheeler, Department Auxiliary President

### POST COMMANDER

Fred ROCK

Well, here we are moving into that beautiful time of the year. The cold weather is behind us and Spring and Summer are moving in quickly. With that comes some other changes around the Post. Please welcome aboard Bill Fray, the new Home Committee Chairman, and George Grossnickle as his assistant. They have already jumped into the process of bringing some new events into the Post. Many thanks go out to Bob Mongan for his many years in this position.

Some upcoming events to look forward to: flea markets, Sunday morning breakfasts, and Thursday night dinner specials. Look for the dates and times in this issue of the Patten Parade. Some of these new events will need more help than others, but regardless, volunteers are still needed to make them a success.. The work is not hard. Please contact Bill or George and make a commitment to help.

Monday May 26<sup>th</sup> is Memorial Day. Please come out and join us for the ceremonies at Moreland Memorial Cemetery, starting at 9:00 am. Then we will move to the circle on Taylor Ave. We always have a great showing at this event.

June will bring our yearly carnival. Even if you can't come out and assist, please pass the word to all of your family, friends, and neighbors.

July brings the State Convention in Ocean City and I hope you all can make it. If you have never attended one, you just don't know what you are missing.

**COME ON IN, HAVE FUN AND SUPPORT YOUR POST. "SEE YOU THERE"**

### VETERANS REHAB

Thomas SHUSTER, Chmn.

I am in the process of preparing our Perry Point Cookout in June. Updates will be announced at the Post meetings. We will not be hiring a bus to transport the volunteers to the Cookout, instead we will be car-pooling. The cost of the bus last year was over \$300 and we only had 12 volunteers on the bus. We will pay the tolls for all of the drivers. Unless there is a change, the Cookout will be Tuesday, June 24<sup>th</sup>.

Our Future visits will be:

May 8 <sup>th</sup>	Loch Raven VA
May 19 <sup>th</sup>	MD Rehab
June 12 <sup>th</sup>	Loch Raven VA

We leave the Post for the Loch Raven VA Hospital at 6 pm and the MD Rehab at 7 pm. We are visiting the MD Rehab one week early due to the Memorial Day Holiday and it will be our last visit to MD Rehab until September.

### PAY DOWN THE DEBT

Status of our Fund Raiser as of April 15, 2008.



We've had 18% of our Post Family respond to date.

Several groups within the Post have contributed monies to the *Pay Down the Debt Fund*: Home Committee, Auxiliary,

Patriots, Honorary Life Members Club, Friday Dart Club, Sandblasters Golf Club, Eagles Golf Club, Key Review, and Past Commander's Club.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

## SUPER 1000 RAFFLE

### Bill BEVANS, Chairman

For the February, 2008 Super 1000 Raffle drawings at the Post, the winning number was 520 and there were eight (8) satellite winners for a total of \$1,300. The Paid-In-Full number was 761 and paid \$500.

For the March, 2008 Super 1000 Raffle drawings at the Post, the winning number was 045 and there were eight (8) satellite winners for a total of \$1,300. The Paid-In-Full number was 859 and paid \$500. All winning tickets were paid up-to-date or in-full and we hope to continue awarding prizes during the coming months for each eligible number. So keep the payments on your ticket(s) current and purchase a new ticket for \$90. There are still plenty of good tickets left.

Tuesday nights are now done at the Post, so please see a committee member at all regular Post meetings, one hour before and after meetings. Of course, you may always mail your payments to the Post or leave your payments any time with the bartenders (they have special envelopes). Always remember to put your ticket number(s) on your check. Thanks and good luck!

Buy a ticket for a friend or relative.

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## MEMBERSHIP

### Jack KAUFMAN, Chmn.

By the time you receive this copy of the Patter Parade, April will be coming to a close bringing about the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter of Legion Year 2007/2008.

Our membership total now stands at 3,054 members. Compared to the same time last year, we have 177 members less in our Legion membership book. On the positive side, the Post was presented with the Silver Crab Award at the Membership Rally in March. This Award goes to the Post with the largest number of 297 members (the holding Post) transferring.

Also on the positive side, we are at 91% of our Goal and continue to make efforts to recruit and retain those members who have not renewed their membership in our great Post for whatever reasons. In addition, a strong Legion with over 3,000 members enables us to make an impact on our Local, State and Federal representatives who know Legion members and their families vote. All the more reason that we sustain our enrollment at the current or even increased level so that Veteran's Benefits are not in jeopardy of being reduced.

## BALLADIERS

### New Members

Joseph F. Damizia  
Kenneth Detling  
Charles A. Drake, III  
William Fleishell  
Anthony Haley  
Joseph P. Justice  
Charles Lank  
Barbara Muldowney  
Pat Norton

### Transferred Members

Marvin W. Abbott  
Edgar Hindle  
Frank W. Kuhn  
John Martin  
Robert Pluchak  
Elwood Smelter

Welcome to Post 183. We are looking forward to your visits and participation in Post Activities.

### John F. RYAN, Historian

Day by day, The Balladiers chorus members are getting older and older and are fighting the odds of the elderly. With that said, it is my sad duty to report that on 2/26/08, Howard Rusk died suddenly. He was a very strong "lead" voice and you never knew when he might break out in song. The Balladiers offer sincere condolence to his family and friends. At the request of Howard's family, The Balladiers sang two of his favorite hymns at his viewing.

The Balladiers opened the National Security and Foreign Relations meeting on March 26<sup>th</sup> with The National Anthem and later in the program added some patriotic melodies. Again, Director Gene Balcerak did an outstanding job leading us; and who likewise directed the Post Everlasting program.

Good to have Charles Kreafler back after an injury and sorry to know that we will be losing a baritone voice as Charley Trageser and his wife relocate to Bel Air, MD.

Belated Happy 95<sup>th</sup> Birthday to Past Commander Thomas Keyes. Congratulations to our SAL Detachment as they celebrate their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

## S.A.L. NEWS

### Bob SPENCER, Commander

Hello Fellow SAL Members, I hope this finds you and your families well. If you do have any illness or need prayers of any kind, please contact our Chaplain, Glen Michaels.

What a year it has been for the SAL, it is hard to believe that elections are May 6<sup>th</sup>. Like all elections, it is important for you to vote so be sure to attend our meeting that night and to cast your vote for next Year's Officers.

Our Fall Fundraiser on October 18<sup>th</sup> will be a Bull and Oyster Roast with lots of food, music by Cumberland Road, prizes, auctions and wheels. Tickets are \$30 per person or \$250 for a table of 10 prepaid. This is our largest fundraiser of the year and we need your support. For more information and tickets, contact Fran Cullen. More details will be in the July/August Patter Parade.

Speaking of the Patter Parade, if you would like to receive it via email, contact Jerry Coleman at [www.alpost183md@comcast.net](mailto:www.alpost183md@comcast.net). You will receive it on a more timely basis and it will save the Post money.

As a reminder, anyone who has done any volunteering; i.e., church, scouts, veterans, seniors, etc., should report their hours to me at [rjstravel@aol.com](mailto:rjstravel@aol.com) by May 15<sup>th</sup>, so we can include them in our Consolidated Reports.

We are just shy of our Membership goal for the year so I am once again imploring all members to encourage any qualified sons to apply. Also, if you are aware of any member of the Post who qualifies as a member of the Sons encourage him to become a dual member.

Also, on Father's Day June 15<sup>th</sup>, we will be at the BRECC. We are in need of volunteers which can include any Youth who are in need of Community Service hours. July 16<sup>th</sup> is the Conquerors Banquet at the Post and volunteers are needed for that also, and again Youth are invited.

As always, may God Bless our Post, our troops, America and you.

#### Dates to Remember:

May 6 <sup>th</sup>	SAL Meeting and Elections
May 27 <sup>th</sup>	SAL Executive Board Meeting
June 3 <sup>rd</sup>	SAL Meeting
June 24 <sup>th</sup>	SAL Executive Board Meeting

## SERVICE OFFICER

For Service Officer functions please

contact Commander Fred Rock (410)335-2803

#### SICK LIST

Jim Ready	At Home
Frank Donato	At Home
George Stoll	G. B. M. C.
Richard Anderson	At Home

#### POST EVERLASTING

Salvatore Armetta	Leonard Bengel
Harry F. Bleakley, Jr.	Roy E. Braly
Harold L. Brown	William R Butler
Charles R. Chambers	Thomas S. Clark, Jr.
David C. Clemens	James F. Depew
Charles J. Farina	Alphonse J. Guarino, Jr.
S. Joseph Hammer	Clarence H. Hinke
Robert O. Hoffman	George E. Lake
Calvin L LeDoyen	Charlotte E. Maenner
Arthur F Meeks, Jr.	Albert G. Moran
John Munzert	Edgar P. Price
Robert Remeikis	Howard L. Rusk
Donald Sauter	Paul J. Toskes
William Vincent	Herschel P. Wilder
Lester K. Zick	

#### MAY THEIR SOULS REST IN PEACE

*Families of deceased Parkville American Legion Post 183 members desiring funeral home visits from the visitation team should have the Director of the funeral establishment contact the Commander at the telephone number listed above. Family members may, if they wish, also contact the Commander. If calls are not returned within a four hour time frame, please call the Post on (410)665-9339.*

*Note: At least a twenty four hour notification should be given to the visitation team so they may make calls to our team members. Any Questions: contact the Commander.*

*Note: If a visitation is not being requested for a deceased Legionnaire, a member of the family should still contact the Post to notify us of the death of a Legion Member. Please give the following information: Last Name, First Name, M. I. and any Suffix( Sr., Jr., etc.) and the Address. This will allow us to process the paperwork in a timely manner.*

*As a courtesy to the families of our recently deceased members, we are sending them at least one issue of The Patter Parade after our member goes to Post Everlasting.*

*The Internal Revenue Service has recognized that The American Legion is exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(19) of the Code. Contributions made to The American Legion and its Posts are deductible by donors in arriving at their taxable net income as provided by the Internal Revenue Code. The Post will acknowledge every gift made with gratitude regardless of size or merit.*

Thanks, Fred Rock, Commander

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## AUXILIARY NEWS

### Oneda DONATO, President

Well, our Membership Chairman Carole Manzo did it again! By her determination and with the help of our members, our Unit won the "Golden Crab Award". This award is presented to the Unit who signs up the most new members that year, and this is the second year in a row that we were presented this recognition.

Betty Sobus and Marie Fray had the Americanism Essay winners, along with their families, friends, and teachers; attend our Unit meeting in March. Each student held everyone's attention as they read their essays. In April, Carole Manzo presented her Children and Youth program. She invited the Parkville Middle School - Silver Squires to sing for us. Everyone was at complete attention as the Squires' beautiful voices sang out. These meetings reminded all of us how proud we should be of our youth.

If you missed the banquet that was held in April for our National President Jan Pulvermacher-Ryan, you missed a wonderful affair that our Department President Cass Wheeler hosted. We were so proud to have the opportunity to greet our National President and proud that she choose to visit our Post Home.

The raffle for the painted plate that was donated by our member Ann Christensen was won by Marie Fray. We again thank Ann for all she has done for our Unit by her donations. Please note that our meeting on May 8<sup>th</sup> will start at DIFFERENT TIMES. We will start promptly at 7:30 pm so we can conduct our Business Meeting and Nominations for Officers. At 8:00 pm we will present the Poppy, Memorial, and Gold Star Programs. This will be an OPEN MEETING. Please try to attend as we honor our deceased Veterans and Unit members. We will also honor our Gold Star members who lost loved ones that served our Country.

It is time once again for our Memorial Day Ceremony. We will meet at the Moreland Park Cemetery on Monday, May 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 AM. Come join the Unit, Post and SAL members as we honor all who served and sacrificed for our freedom.

We still need members to make our Unit once again a "Gold Unit". So please, please, ask your friends or relatives to come in or send in their Unit dues.

**IMPORTANT:** Our June Meeting has been changed because of the Post Carnival. We will meet the First Thursday - June 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm. This is an important meeting consisting of nominations and elections for Unit Officers to serve during the years 2008 - 2009.

#### DATES TO REMEMBER:

May 1 <sup>st</sup>	NCD Dundalk #38 - 7:30 pm
May 5 <sup>th</sup>	BRECC-leave Post 6:30 pm
May 8 <sup>th</sup>	Unit Meeting-7:30 pm See Note Above
May 10 <sup>th</sup>	DEC Meeting - Parkville -10:30 am
May 26 <sup>th</sup>	Moreland Cemetery 8:30 am
May 27 <sup>th</sup>	Bingo-doors Open 10:00 am
June 2 <sup>nd</sup>	BRECC- Leave Post 6:30 pm
June 4 <sup>th</sup>	NCD Meeting - Wednesday - Overlea - Perry Hall 7:30 pm
June 5 <sup>th</sup>	Unit Meeting - First Thursday in June - Election of Officers - 7:30 pm
June 9 <sup>th</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup>	Post Carnival starts at 6:00 pm
June 24 <sup>th</sup>	Bingo - Doors Open 10:00 am

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#### BINGO - KATHY MOONEY

Come and enjoy the fun! Sit and relax, play BINGO, and have a nice lunch. Doors open at 10:00 am and \$5.00 covers your lunch and one card. Bingo will be held on May 27<sup>th</sup> and June 24<sup>th</sup>. We do have Gift Certificates that you can purchase.

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#### PATER PARADE - JANE POLLIZZI

Important Notice to Auxiliary Members who pay for the mailing of The Patter Parade. Payment for next year is due by July 1<sup>st</sup>. It's not too soon to send it now. Please send \$2.00 by check made payable to Parkville Auxiliary Unit #183, put The Patter Parade in the memo field. Send to Jane Pollizzi, 2218 Ellen Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21234. Payment can also be made at the Unit Meetings. Also, if you need to know if you are paid ahead, call me. Don't forget if you have an e-Mail address, you can receive The Patter Parade free, no waiting for the mail to come. Just send me your e-Mail address (no money) and we'll add you to the list.

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#### GOLD STAR - LOIS KAUFMAN

A Gold Star member is any Auxiliary member who is a wife, mother, daughter or sister who had a husband, father, or sibling who perished during a wartime period as declared by Congress. If you are one of these ladies (or know of one), then you/they may be eligible to be a member of our Unit's Gold Star Program. Our Auxiliary will pay your membership dues and honor you for the most ultimate sacrifice you have given.

### POST ACTIVITIES

Bill FRAY, Chmn.  
George GROSSNICKLE, Asst.

#### NOTICE

The Lounge will be CLOSED @  
7:00pm on SUNDAY Nights  
Exceptions - Karaoke  
- Special Events  
  
7:00pm on MONDAY Nights  
Exceptions - Special Events

#### CHICKEN NIGHT

Wednesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>  
\$7.00/adult - \$4.00/child

Tickets for Chicken Night  
go on sale 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm  
Service 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

No Chicken Nights  
from June thru August

### Come into the Lounge

- for Dinner (Thurs. thru Sat.)  
Lite Fare Menu
- for Lunch (Tues. thru Sat.)  
Soup & Specials (Sun. and Mon.)  
will be posted in the Lobby.  
Sorry, no carry-outs.

#### SPRING RAFFLE

Watch the mail closely at the end of April.  
We will be sending your 2008 Spring Raffle  
Tickets. The Drawings will be held on the  
last night of the Carnival, June 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### Breakfast in the Post Lounge

Sunday  May 25<sup>th</sup>  
Sunday June 29<sup>th</sup>

It's KARAOKE time in the Lounge  
with Linda Bishop

6:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Come & have a great time!  
Lite fare and beverages  
will be available.

May 11<sup>th</sup> thru June 29<sup>th</sup>  
Every Sunday \* 9:00 am - 12 noon  
\$7.00 per person  
Special Buffet

### End of Month Dances

New Times 7.00 pm - 11:00 pm

Saturday, May 31<sup>st</sup>  
Music by "Norm & Carlos"  
Open Bar \* Platter  
\$15.00 per person

Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup>  
Music by  
"Robin n' The Rhythimix"  
Open Bar \* Platter  
\$15.00 per person

For tickets:  
Contact Leo King

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#### STEAMED SHRIMP

Wednesday, May 7, 2008  
at 5:00 pm until Sold Out

1 lb. Steamed Shrimp - \$9.00

Shrimp Salad Sandwich  
w/Coleslaw - \$7.00

Shrimp Soup - \$3.00

Tickets go on sale at 4:30 pm and  
go off sale at 6:00 pm.

Sponsored by the Patriots

### Coming Affairs for JULY & AUGUST

#### End of Month Dances

July 26<sup>th</sup> - Hawaiian "LUAU"  
\*\*\*\*\*  
August 30<sup>th</sup> - Regular Dance

For tickets:  
Contact Leo King

### Spaghetti Dinner

May 8, 2008  
June 5, 2008

Starts at 5:00 pm  
Tickets at the door 4:30pm - 6pm  
\$6.00 adult and \$3.00 children

Salad, Italian Bread  
Spaghetti, & Meat Sauce

(All you can eat  
Spaghetti & Meat Sauce only)

Cash Bar, Coffee, Tea, and  
Desserts extra

### FLEA MARKET

Vendors Wanted for a  
Flea Market  
to be held on our Parking Lot  
at 2301 Putty Hill Avenue  
Between Old Harford Rd. and  
Perring Parkway

May 24<sup>th</sup> \*\*\* Rain Date May 25<sup>th</sup>  
June 28<sup>th</sup> \*\*\* Rain Date June 29<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am until 3:00 pm  
\$10.00 a space  
(approx. 50 + spaces available)

Bring your own tables and  
chairs

For spaces contact:  
Dick Kohls  
John Funk

Honorary Post Life Members  
will present the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Chicken Pluckers Feast

Sunday, August 10, 2008

# ABSENTEE BALLOTS

**George GROSSNICKLE,**  
**Chmn**

Post members who will not be available and wish to vote by absentee ballot in the June 7<sup>th</sup> Election of Officers, must submit a written request for such ballot to:

Parkville American Legion Post 183  
George Grossnickle, Chairman  
2301 Putty Hill Avenue  
Parkville, MD 21234-3943

Be sure to include:

- (1) reason for the request
- (2) Current A. L. Card No.
- (3) Complete name, address, & Telephone no.
- (4) signature

Absentee ballots will be available on May 15<sup>th</sup>.

# FYI

Thanks to all of the members of Parkville Post 183, Auxiliary Unit 183, SAL Squadron 183 and the Dart League for your very generous donations to sponsor me in the Polar Bear plunge ! The water was cold but it all went for a good cause.

The Maryland Special Olympics is a special program and they appreciate all that you do. Because of your generosity I was able to contribute \$1,050 to the program in the name of the American Legion Family.

**THANK YOU**  
Mike Mooney

# Candidate for Commander John (Jack) P. Kaufman, Sr.

Legion Members, I am enlisting your support as I submit my candidacy for the office of Commander of Parkville American Legion Post 183. I have been continuously active in the Post since joining in 1988. I have served as Service Officer, Chaplain, Assistant Finance Officer, Finance Officer, Historian, and Assistant Adjutant. I am your current 1st Vice Commander and Membership Chairman. In addition, I am a member of the Post Visitation Team and have assisted in numerous Post Home functions. I have attended classes at Legion College that relates to three of the above offices that I held. I am an active volunteer.

When elected, my first undertaking will be to make a comprehensive review of the Post and it's operations to see what is working and what needs improvement.

We have an immediate need to save energy. I will appoint a committee dedicated to finding ways to save on the cost of the utility bills that are a major expense to the Post. In actuality, our Post Home is a Business and should be run as a Business. My primary objective will be to revitalize our Post. I believe, with our veteran membership, the Post can achieve this objective. Referrals of new ideas and changes will be readily received by me when I am elected as your Commander.

Outside the Post, I am a retired Manager of Verizon Communications, married to Auxiliary Unit member Lois. We have 4 children and 5 granddaughters. I would appreciate your vote on Election day.

Thank You.

# NOMINATING COMMITTEE AI DERRENBERGER, Chmn.

The Nominating Committee will be accepting candidates for the June 7<sup>th</sup> Post elections for the Offices of Commander, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commanders, Historian, Finance Officer, Chaplain, Service Officer, Sergeant at Arms, and three Post Executive Committee Members as well as Delegates to the Department Convention. Nominating slips will available in the Post Lounge at the following dates and times:

Sat.,	May, 3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 pm - 4 pm	Thurs.,	May 8 <sup>th</sup>	7 pm - 9 pm
Mon.,	May 5 <sup>th</sup>	7 pm - 9 pm	Fri.,	May 9 <sup>th</sup>	“ ”
Tues.,	May 6 <sup>th</sup>	“ ”	Mon.,	May 12 <sup>th</sup>	“ ”
Wed.,	May 7 <sup>th</sup>	“ ”			

Nominations will close at the meeting of May 14<sup>th</sup>.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MAY

Thursday	05/01	7:30 pm	Exec. Comm. Meeting
Fri. & Sat.	05/02 - 03		Lounge Band - Mario Monaldi
Sun. & Mon.	05/04-05		Lounge Closed at 7:00 pm except where noted
Tuesday	05/06	6:00 pm	Membership Every Tuesday
Tuesday	05/06	7:30 pm	SAL Meeting & Elections
Wednesday	05/07	7:30 pm	Balladiers meet on 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed.
Wednesday	05/07	4:30 pm	Shrimp Night
Thursday	05/08	5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Spaghetti Night
Thursday	05/08	6:00 pm	Loch Raven VA
Thursday	05/08	7:30 pm	Unit Meeting
Fri. & Sat.	05/09 - 10	7:00 pm	Lounge Band - Pop n' Robin
Sunday	05/11		Mother's Day - Post Open
Sunday	05/11	9:00 am	Breakfast at the Post - Rest of May
Tuesday	05/13	7:30 pm	Sandblasters Golf Club
Wednesday	05/14	7:30 pm	Post Meeting
Thursday	05/15	7:30 pm	Eagles Golf Club
Fri. & Sat.	05/16 - 17	7:00 pm	Lounge Band - Mixed Company
Saturday	05/17		Armed Forces Day - Post Open
Monday	05/19	7:00 pm	MD Rehab
Wednesday	05/21	5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Chicken Night
Fri & Sat.	05/23 - 24	7:00 pm	Lounge Band - Straight Ahead
Saturday	05/24	9 am - 3 pm	Flea Market on Post Lot
Sunday	05/25	6:00 pm	Karaoke with Linda Bishop
Monday	05/26		Memorial Day - Post Closed
Tuesday	05/27	10:00 am	AUX Lunch & BINGO
Tuesday	05/27	7:30 pm	SAL Executive Meeting
Wednesday	05/28	7:30 pm	Post Meeting
Fri & Sat.	05/30 - 31	7:00 pm	Lounge Band - J. J. & Friends
Saturday	05/31	7:00 pm	EOM Dance - Norm & Carlos

JUNE

Sunday	06/01	9:00 am	Breakfast at the Post - Rest of June
Sun. & Mon.	05/04-05		Lounge Closed at 7:00 pm except where noted
Tuesday	06/03	6:00 pm	Membership Every Tuesday
Tuesday	06/03	7:30 pm	SAL Meeting
Wednesday	06/04	7:30 pm	Balladiers meet on 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed.
Thursday	06/05	5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Spaghetti Night
Thursday	06/05	7:30 pm	Exec. Comm. Meeting
Thursday	06/05	7:30 pm	Unit Meeting
Fri. & Sat.	06/06 - 07	7:00 pm	Lounge Band - Memory Lane
Saturday	06/07	11 am - 5 pm	Post Elections
Tuesday	06/09 - 14	6 pm - ???	Post Carnival
Wednesday	06/11		Post Meeting Canceled
Thursday	06/12	6:00 pm	Loch Raven VA Hospital
Thursday	06/12		Unit Meeting is moved to 6/05
Fri & Sat.	06/13 - 14		No Lounge Band during Carnival
Sunday	06/15		Father's Day - Post Open
Thursday	06/19	7:30 pm	Eagles Golf Club
Fri & Sat.	06/20 -21	7:00 pm	Lounge Band - Mario Monaldi
Saturday	06/21		U. S. Army Birthday
Saturday	06/21		Summer Begins
Sunday	06/22	9:00 am	Post Caucus
Tuesday	06/24	10:00 am	AUX Lunch & BINGO
Tuesday	06/24	5:00 pm	Cookout at Perry Point VA Hospital
Tuesday	06/24	7:30 pm	SAL Executive Meeting
Wednesday	06/25	7:30 pm	Post Meeting
Fri. & Sat.	06/27 - 28	7:00 pm	Lounge Band - Mixed Company
Saturday	06/28	9 am - 3 pm	Flea Market on Post Lot
Saturday	06/28	8:00 pm	EOM Dance - Robin n' Rhythimix
Sunday	06/29	6:00 pm	Karaoke with Linda Bishop



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**POST  
ELECTIONS**

**June 7, 2008**  
**11:00 am to 5:00 pm**

**Come out!**

Vote for the Candidate of your choice for the Offices of Commander, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commanders, Historian, Finance Officer, Chaplain, Service Officer, Sergeant at Arms, and three Post Executive Committee Members.



**POST CARNIVAL**

**June 9, 2008 to June 14, 2008**  
**Starting at 6 pm**

Rides, games, food  
Good time to be had by all

**Family Nights**  
**Monday thru Friday**  
**(\$2.00 off coupons are available)**