



McPherson American Legion

Harry B Dorst Post 24

July 2024 Newsletter



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Commander's Corner

Dan Hervey Post Commander

Veterans Banner - Thanks to the Parks Department and especially Lauren Przymus who started this project for the recognition of our Veterans from Memorial Day to Veterans Day. If you are interested in getting one for next year let us know.

Wine Tasting Event - Saturday July 13th at 6pm. Tickets go on sale now for this event \$30. You won't want to miss the food prepared by Angela Patton and the wine selection from Culver's Liquor. Limited to 30 so get your name on the list early.

Dorothy Lauderdale- Our long time bar manager for over 40 years passed away and we want to have an event Saturday Night July 27th. Michelle and Sammy King, her long time friends will be playing music. Watch for more details and get on your calendar.

Donated Pickup For Sale - American Legion Post #24 has a silver 2011 Ford F-150 Super Cab, V-6 pickup for sale. It is in good condition with mileage of 161,800 miles and priced at \$11,900. Text the Post Commander at 620-242-8744 if interested. Currently parked on north parking lot.

Honor Flights - Kansas Honor Flight is seeking Vietnam Era Veterans to sign up for flights for 2025. They have money and participants are dwindling which could spell the coming end to the program in the near future. All applications must be submitted online at KansasHonorFlight.org

Membership - Veteran members should be receiving their 2025 membership renewal letter in the mail this month. Please renew as quickly as possible to save National the expense of sending you reminders.

Volunteers - We can never thank our volunteers enough for what they do. By the same token we can find a place for you if you are interested in helping with Honor Guard, Bingo, maintenance, Family Night (even baking a dessert each month).

King Midas—King Midas will be playing at the legion on 8/17/24. Stay tuned to social media for more details.

Remember our active duty military and all our veterans as we safely celebrate our country's independence on July 4th.

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editor Molly Burke

Sons of American Legion
Mike Price, SAL Commander

Next Meeting July 15 at 7pm

Please ensure you are paid up on your dues. Also, look to see if you know anyone who would like to get involved. We need to increase involvement with our members. We will be having live music on 8/8. SAL members will get a free drink. Stay tuned for more details.

Auxiliary Notes
Tresa Rauh, President

No July Meeting

We will not be having a meeting for July. Have a safe and happy 4th of July!

Legion Rider Rumbles
Ken Gawanda, Director

Next Meeting July 28 at 1pm

Summer is here! The heat and humidity is upon us. Please stay hydrated on those longer rides. Hoping everyone has a safe and fun 4th of July. If you or anyone you know might be interested in becoming a legion rider, please reach out to any of our current riders. We'll all be glad to assist you!



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July 2024 Calendar



	1	2 Veteran Social Night 5pm	3 Corn Hole 6-9pm	4 Lounge Closed	5 Friday Food 5:30pm Hotdogs & Brats	6 Maintenance 9am VFW Breakfast 8-10
7 Early Bird 2:00 Regular Games 2:45	8 Corn Hole 6-9pm	9 Adult Trivia 6:30pm	10 Line Dancing 6:30-8:30pm Queen of Hearts	11 Happy Hour 4-7	12 Friday Food 5:30pm Salisbury Steak	13 Wine Tasting 6pm
14 Early Bird 2:00 Regular Games 2:45	15 Post Meeting 6pm SAL Front Office 7pm	16 Veteran Story Night Presentation 7pm	17 Corn Hole 6-9pm	18 Happy Hour 4-7 Family Night 5:00 Gymnastics	19 Friday Food 5:30pm Italian	20 VFW Breakfast 8-10 Karaoke 8pm
21 Early Bird 2:00 Regular Games 2:45	22 Corn Hole 6-9pm	23 Adult Trivia 6:30pm	24 Line Dancing 6:30-8:30pm Queen of Hearts	25 Happy Hour 4-7	26 Friday Food 5:30pm Chicken	27 Dorothy Lauderdale Celebration Anne Clark Birthday Party
28 Early Bird 2:00 Regular Games 2:45 ALR Meeting 1pm	29	30	31 Corn Hole 6-9pm			

Our new employee Shelly Lackey will be preparing two home cooked meals this month. One being Salisbury Steak and the other Lasagna with a vegetable, salad and dessert. We need to start filing the legion on Friday night meals. Let us know if you plan to attend so we can provide enough food!

Karaoke will be held on July 20th

Adult Trivia will be on July 9 & 23rd

Banquet Hall available for Wedding Receptions, Parties, and Special Occasions. Call 241-0343 to reserve. All Bingo Sessions and Family Night events are open to the Public. Other events are for Members and Guests unless otherwise specified.

2024 membership dues can now be paid.

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