



# THE AMERICAN LEGION

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 Thanks- From Post 351 Thank You John Ebling...	 Post 351 Coffee Mugs on sale \$5.00	Challenge coins are here!!! \$10.00 	Lan Mac Pest Control is proud to sponsor Post 351 Newsletter... 	1 	2  5:00PM – 7:30PM	3 Joe Sye Memorial 10:00 AM Hell of it Party .. 1- 5 PM Calusa Harbor Veterans 1-3 PM
4 Free Jukebox 	5 	6 	7 Darts – 7:00 PM 	8 Auxiliary Meeting 6 PM	9  5:00PM – 7:30 PM	10 SAL Meeting 11:00 AM
11 Free Jukebox 	12 The Good, The Bad, Then there is Johnny!	13 	14 Darts – 7:00 PM 	15  Welcome Home	16  5:00PM – 7:30PM	17 Exec. Meeting 10:00 am Gen. Mtg. 10:30
18 Free Jukebox 	19 	20 The First Day Of Spring 	21  Darts – 7:00 PM	22  Happy Spring!	23  5:00PM – 7:30PM	24  Good Conduct Johnny -No , Hell NO...
25 Free Jukebox 	26  free WiFi	27  Thank you Is Not A Tip!	28 Darts – 7:00 PM 	29 This space is left blank on purpose...	30  5:00PM – 7:30PM	31 

## Commander's Corner

Howdy all 10 of you,

There has been a lot of activity this month around the Post. First, we have adopted WWII veterans from Calusa Harbor assisted living facility. They were here last month, about 10 of them came in. We swapped stories, fed them and paid for their drinks. They will be here on the 3rd in March....and every month from now on hopefully. Cindy See was their waitress. Good job Cindy.

We now have a new P.A. system which will be installed next week. Thanx to Bill Hauser for making this happen. Now, whether you like it or not, everyone will be able to hear.

We also had new soffits and fascia installed along the back of the Post. Thanks to Johnny for making this happen. We still need to do the rest of the Post, which will happen soon.

The Home Depot crew was here last week fixing the screened room with new screen, gutters, replaced all bent or damaged material, painted the floor and put in beautiful landscaping with a new high top table with 4 weather proof chairs. As for the inside, in the meeting room, they replaced all the lights, ceiling fans, painted the room and hallway and installed new carpeting on the podium area. They accomplished all this in two days on their dime. Very professional workmanship. It would 've taken us 6 months to get that done. Thanx to John, Johnny and Thad for all their help in prepping for this to happen and then helping to put the puzzle back together. It was a lot of work, but the place looks great!!!

Due to the timing of the conventions this year, we had to have a double round of nominations at our last meeting. The next meeting will be the third and final round. We still have a couple of slots still open...hopefully, a place for you.

We also had the seals replaced on "Big Bertha" the chill chest in the kitchen, Thanx to Tony Burton for the job well done.

On a sad note, Joe Sye, AKA Joe the plumber has passed. His service will be Sat. Mar. 3rd at 10:00 AM.

Also on the 3rd, we are having a "Last Chance" party starting at 1:00 PM starring Bobby Hubcat with burgers, dogs and lots of other goodies for donations only. It is called the last chance because of the poor attendance in the past. Lots of people complain that we hardly ever have entertainment. The reason for that is obvious. We lose our butts when we do because very few actually show up for them and it is co\$tly for us. So, this is your last chance or there will be no more. It is simply unsustainable for us to continually lose \$\$\$ on such events.

THOUGHT OF THE MONTH: Don't try to keep up with the Jones, instead, drag them down to your level, it's cheaper!!!

I'll leave you with that....all for now.

Yours in service,

Dave Doty

## Auxiliary News

Mark your calendars for Saturday March 3<sup>rd</sup>! We are having a “Just for the Hell of it party. Hamburgers and hot dogs and all the fixins! Time is from 1pm to 5pm. Entertainment by Bobby Hubcat. Covered dishes appreciated Donations for the food would be **deeply appreciated!** Please bring a friend and come have a great time. If this is a success we can do it again!!!!

If you have not already done so please pay your dues ASAP! We will not be having a price increase in dues this year but the portion we pay Department is going up. In order to keep our dues at a reasonable cost it takes everyone coming together. We have 16 programs that we need to support . Dues and fundraisers are the only way we can meet our obligations. So please support the post whenever you can.

Special thanks goes to Kenton Gregg for making our poster for the veterans of Calusa Harbour, John Ebling and George Nelson for their generous monetary donation, to everyone who helped Home Depot for remodeling our back room, screened porch and the beautiful landscaping.

The kitchen is now open for Friday night fish dinners!  
Please come and enjoy dinner and support the post!

Happy St. Patty's Day!

For God and Country  
Cindy See

**President**

## SAL News

**If you have not renewed your membership, Please do. We are into 2012.**

**We regret the loss of Joe Sye, One of our SAL members, We will all miss him.**

**Vinnie Ferrovocchio SAL Commander**

## Kitchen News

**Watch the bulletin and message boards for further developments.**

**The kitchen will be serving Friday night fish dinners from 5:00 PM to 7:30 PM.**

**Please come and enjoy dinner and support the post!**

**Watch the board and Newsletter for updates.**

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