

The Bugler

American Legion Hardin Post 113





Commanders Corner

From the desk of the Commander Hardin Post 113

Dear Legionnaires and Family Members,

Dear Legionnaires,

December flew by. We hope everyone had a great month and a Very Merry Christmas. Hope that you all enjoyed the get togethers at the Legion. The Legion Families and Management put a lot of work into organizing parties and events for everyone to enjoy, so please thank those who made it possible, and a big Thank you to all the volunteer's.

Please have a safe, and Happy New Year, please take time to think about all the activeduty Military that can't make it home to spend the holidays with their families. If you would like to volunteer for bingo, the Honor Guard, or any other event contact the Legion at 270-737-9949.

This post runs on Volunteers and we are only as good as those who do volunteer. Please find a little spare time to get involved, even if it is once a quarter. I think the more you become involved, the more you will find enjoyment in what you do and see us as part of the family, instead of just a building. Thank you for your trust and support.

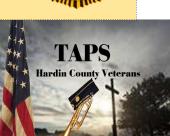
Please keep doing buddy checks with Family and Friends. The weather will be getting colder, and times may be hard on some. Holiday times can be depressing times for those who suffered loss on, or near the dates. Please reach out to anyone you know who may be in that situation.

Make sure to read the calendar and follow us on Facebook at hardingost113.com

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Commander



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American Legion Auxiliary Hardin Unit 113

A Community of Volunteers Serving Veterans, Military, and their Families
From the Desk of the President

Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a good Christmas & a happy and safe New Year. It was good to see you all at the Auxiliary Christmas party. Thank you Virginia for the delicious entrée and door prizes, Gary for the music, and to all who helped with the party. Kudos to Diane Kennedy for another great breakfast with Santa. Congratulations to our raffle winners, 1st place: Trish Richmond, 2nd Place: Robin Lovelace, and 3rd place: Mary Cunningham.

It's time to think about our school age kids to enter the ALA Americanism Essay contest and the Poppy Poster contest. Info will be given to the schools. There are three levels they can win, Unit level, Department of KY level, and National level.

Our next big dance is our Valentine's dance on Feb. 10, 2024. Majik Jack is the band. Connie Hickey is the POC.Be sure and watch Facebook and the Bugler for all events and happenings, like live entertainment on Friday nights in the lounge, Monday Night Porch Party Dinners, Trivia, Pictionary, Line Dancing lessons, Bingo, Dances, the monthly Birthday celebration and so much more! And don't forget the Queen of Hearts drawing on Saturday nights! Volunteers are *always* needed.

The time of year for elections will be here before you know it, so it's not too early to start thinking about running for an office. Your auxiliary needs you!

Remember to thank a veteran every day!

"While only one day of the year is dedicated solely to honoring our veterans, Americans must never forget the sacrifices that many of our fellow countrymen have made to defend our country and protect our freedoms"—Randy Neugebauer

Jerilynn Kabel, President



Sons of American Legion Squadron 113

Greetings American Legion Family,

Christmas has come and gone, now we are entering the new year 2024. May this year bring hope, positivity, and joy. I hope everyone enjoyed the holidays with all your friends and family. Looking back at the past year, our squadron has done some great things and let's continue that momentum into this year.

Continue to do BUDDY CHECKS! Remember you can "BE THE ONE" who can influence some positivity into someone's life who might be going through a difficult time. Please reach out to someone that you haven't seen or talked to from our legion family and conduct a BUDDY CHECK!

Please come out and support the activities that the post will be hosting.

State winter conference will be held in Bowling Green, KY at the Holiday Inn convention center January 19th-20th. I hope everyone has a great 2024!

Very Respectfully,
Brandon K. Curry

Squadron 113 Commander

You're the one, I'm the one, "BE THE ONE"



American Legion Riders From the Saddle Bags of Hardin Post 113 ALR Director



KICKSTANDS UP January 2024 ALR Newsletter

Riders and Legion family,

Happy New Year! I hope your holidays were spent in the warmth and love of family and friends. We enjoyed a wonderful Rider Christmas party with some great food and prizes. Thank you to Bobbie Folsom for planning another great get together and to those who helped set up and clean up.

Once again kicked off the new year with our annual frosty clutch ride to enjoy the first day of the year with some great friends. While this was written before that, hopefully the weather worked in our favor to be on our bikes. Whether or not we traveled by bike or car, I'm thankful to kick off the new year with terrific, giving people.

Looking forward to 2024, I hope we continue to come together to enjoy riding through our beautiful state and country, supporting our post and our Legion families, and giving back. If you have any ideas for rides, please share them. Enjoying the open road to new (or old) destinations with people you enjoy spending time with is time well spent. If you have ideas on how we can continue to make an impact within our community for soldiers, veterans, children, or our community, we would love to hear them as we plan the first half of the year.

I thank each of you for being you and what you bring to our organization. Here's to a prosperous new year!

Best wishes for 2024 and keep the shiny side up,

Erin Fulkerson

Director, ALR 113

Texas Holdem Poker Tournament

American Legion Hardin Post113 1251 Ring Rd., Elizabethtown, Ky. 42701 **POC Tom Folsom** tfolsom13@gmail.com 270-213-0591 270-737-9949

Saturday January 27th Legion Saturday February 3rd Riders Saturday Feb 24th Riders Saturday Feb 17th Legion

Open to the public

Registration starts at 5:30pm

Play starts at 6:00pm

Riders ORG LIC# 0002276

Legion ORG LIC# 000010



WHATS HAPPENING AT YOUR POST?

Line Dance Lessons Open to the Public

Mondays only starting at 6pm. Levels of dance range from beginner to intermediate.

Cost is only \$5.00

Tuesdays @ 7PM

Trivia in the Lounge, bring your brains!!!



Wednesdays @7PM

Pictionary in the lounge!



APA Tuesday Pool League 6PM

ZUMBA CLASSES WEDNESDAYS / FRIDAYS 9AM

GARYOKE IN THE LOUNGE! Starts @ 7PM see calendar for dates







Andy Cook (US Army Ret.) **Certified Honda Sales** Cell: 619-342-5910 andy@hardincountyhonda.com 5608 N DIXIE • ELIZABETHTOWN, KY 42701

Those in need of a new vehicle make sure you go see Mr. Andy Cook.

Mention this ad from the bugler and he will donate \$150.00 in your name to: The American Legion Hardin Post 113!

Legion Family Devotion JANUARY ISSUE

Hello to everyone the new year is here and hope everyone enjoyed the wonderful times of friendship over the holidays. Remember to check on the elderly and visit people if you can. If you know anyone that needs prayers let me know.

Please pray for those in need in our Legion Family:

Glen Adwell, Bob Craig, John Crow, Peter Edmunds, Lenny Hart, Jerilynn Kabel, Rick Lee, George Townsend, Glen Walters & Kim Walters.

Please contact Stephen Sheets by either cell / text 270 268-1797 or email

Friday Night Entertainment Lounge

JANUARY 7PM—9PM

5th JUSTIN COLE

MARK BARNES

19th 2 OF A KIND

12th

26th DEVAN BISHOP

SINGING A VARIETY OF MUSIC

SINGING A VARIETY OF MUSIC

SINGING A VARIETY OF MUSIC

PLAYING GUITAR

Birthday Night
Come Out &
Celebrate



Friday Jan. 19th

1 Free Drink

1 Cup Cake



Virginia,
Tanya and
Linda,
enjoying their
entertainment
on the
electronic
video
machines
located in the
members
lounge.

UPCOMING FEBUARY 2024 EVENTS

- 1ST 6:15PM AUX EXEC BD. MTG.
 7PM AL GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
- 3RD 6-11PM RIDERS TEXAS HOLDEM

7-11PM GARYOKE MEMBERS LOUNGE

- 8TH 7PM AUXILIARY GEN MEMBERSHIP MTG. / SAL GEN MEMBERSHIP MTG.
- 10TH 8-11AM AUX BREAKFAST / 10-11AM HARDIN UNIT 113 Jr. MTG.
 - 8-noon Open House
 - 7-11PM AUXILIARY VALENTINE DANCE MAJIK JACK BAND
- 11TH 4:30PM SAL CHILI COOK-OFF 5:30PM SUPER BOWL PARTY
- 16TH 6PM <u>BIRTHDAY NIGHT FOR FEBUARY</u>

7-11:30PM GARYOKE MEMBERS LOUNGE

- 17TH 6-11PM LEGION TEXAS HOLDEM
 - 7-11:30PM GARYOKE MEMBERS LOUNGE
- **18TH 1-7PM NASCAR PARTY**
- 22ND SAL BLOOD DRIVE
- 24TH 6-11PM RIDERS TEXAS HOLDEM

7-11PM GARYOKE MEMBERS LOUNGE

EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT QUEEN OF HEARTS DRAWING BETWEEN 9-9:30PM

UP COMING EVENTS FOR MARCH 2024

- 9th **8-11AM AUX BREAKFAST <u>WITH EASTER BUNNY</u>** 10-11AM UNIT 113 Jr. MEETING **7-11PM DANCE LITTLE DAVID BAND**
- 15th MEMBER BIRTHDAY NIGHT
- 23rd LEGION BIRTHDAY DANCE
- 29th NATIONAL VIETNAM WAR VETERANS DAY
- 31ST EASTER DAY

UP COMING EVENTS FOR APRIL 2024

- 6th 6:15PM AUX EXEC BD. MTG.
 - 7PM AL GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
- 8th 8-11AM AUX BREAKFAST / 10-11AM HARDIN UNIT 113 Jr. MTG.
- 14th—15th Spring Conference-Florence
- 22nd Kiwanis Gala

American Legion Hardin Post 113 P.O. Box 147 Elizabethtown, KY 42702

CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED

JANUARY 2024

January 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 NEW YEARS DAY POST CLOSED	2 1800 NAPA LN 1900 Trivia	3_9AM Zumba 1700 APA LN 1900 Pictionary	4 1800 Aux Exec Bd Mtg 1900 AL General Membership Mtg.	5 9AM Zumba 1700 Bingo 1900 Justin Cole	6 7-11PM Garyoke
7 2 PM Bingo	8 Porch Party 1800 Line Dancing	9 1800 NAPA LN 1900 Trivia	10 9AM Zumba 1700 APA LN 1900 Pictionary	11 1900 Aux Mbr Mtg 1900 SAL MBR Mtg	12 9AM Zumba 1700 Bingo 1900 Mark Barnes	13 8-11 Aux Brkfst 10-11 Unit 113 Jr Mtg 7-11 Dance Country Cross Roads
14 2 PM Bingo 1 PM vva #1051	15 MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY Porch Party 1800 Line Dancing	16 1900 ALR Exec Mtg 1800 NAPA LN 1900 Trivia	17 9AM Zumba 1700 APA LN 1900 Pictionary	18	19 9AM Zumba 1700 Bingo 1800 Jan Birthday 1900 2 of a Kind Dpmt Winter Conf	20 Blue Oval BBQ Dpmt Winter Conf- BG
21 2 PM Bingo	Porch Party 1800 Line Dancing	23_1800 Exec Bd Mtg 1800 NAPA LN 1900 Trivia	24 9AM Zumba 1700 APA LN 1900 Pictionary	25 1900 ALR General Membership Mtg.	26 9AM Zumba 1700 Bingo 1900 Devan Bishop	27 6-11pm Legion Texas Holdem 7-11pm Garyoke
28 2 PM Bingo	29 Porch Party 1800 Line Dancing	30 1800 NAPA LN 1900 Trivia	319AM Zumba 1800 APA LN 1900 Pictionary	<u>1</u> Feb	2 Feb 9AM Zumba 1700 Bingo 1900 2 of a Kind	3 6-11pm Rider Texas Holdem 7-11pm Garyoke

POST HOURS: Monday- 4 pm-11pm, Tues-Thurs. 4 pm-11pm, Fri. 4pm-12am & Sat 2 pm-12am, Sun. 1pm-7pm. Monthly Breakfast 2d Sat 8am KITCHEN HOURS: Posted to Website All schedules are subject to change.

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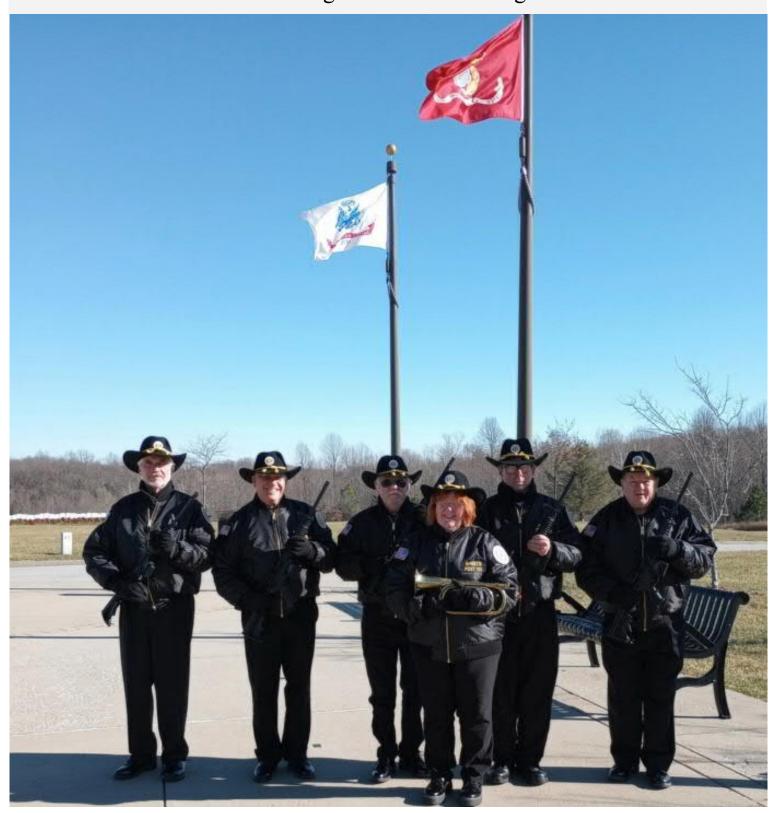
ALR crew placing flag holders & cleaning up POW area to be reconstructed closer to bldg. this spring.



November 2023 NASCAR PARTY host Tony Satterfield and Elizabeth Harbolt winner of the large TV donated by David of G2 gaming.



Consider being a volunteer with the Post 113 Honor Guard. Perform funeral honors and ceremonies honoring Veterans and their families! All members of the legion families are eligible!



L to R Roger Weiss Mark Kennedy Don Adams James Borg Homer Wine Front Row Julie Sheets

The mission of The American Legion's *Be the One* initiative is to reduce the rate of Veteran suicide. It aims to lessen the stigma associated with mental health treatment and empower everyone to take appropriate action when a veteran or servicemember may be at risk. The number of veterans who die by suicide every day is estimated at between 17 and 22. The American Legion has elevated *Be the One* to be its top priority, empowering veterans, servicemembers, their family members, and civilians to act appropriately when a veteran may be at risk. Additionally, this initiative intends to bring more awareness to the problem while providing resources to those who may be able to help save the life of a veteran.

1. What are the warning signs?

A veteran or servicemember in crisis might talk about wanting to die, express guilt or shame, or mention being a burden to others.

2. What should I say?

Ask them what's going on. Let them know they aren't alone. Ask the direct question: Are you having thoughts of suicide? Encourage them to keep sharing. Offer to connect them to someone who can help. **What should I not say?**

DO NOT tell them you know how they feel. DO NOT condemn or minimize their thoughts or feelings. DO NOT tell them to be thankful for what they have.

3. What else should I know?

In these cases, remember your mission is not to act as a mental health professional. Your mission is to connect them to professionals. It is best to listen carefully, take any comments about suicide seriously, and look for cues in their words and behavior. Reassure them that it is OK to ask for help and offer to connect them with resources. DO NOT ignore warning signs. DO NOT keep it a secret.

4. FOR IMMEDIATE HELP

Veterans Crisis Line 988 Then Press 1 Online: veteranscrisisline.net Text: 838255

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Call: 800-662-4357 Online: samhsa.gov/find-help National Alliance on Mental Illness Call: 800-950-6264

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Brandon Curry: Brandon.k.curry37@gmail.com

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American Legion Hardin Post 113Manager

I would like to start by wishing everyone a Happy New Year!

What a year it has been, we have had so many wonderful events like live music on Friday nights, Monday Night Porch Parties, Octoberfest, Car Shows, PFC Brooks Homecoming. at least one dance a month, Halloween Party, Thanksgiving Day meals, Post Christmas Party, Kids' movie night and our New Year's Eve party. I would like to thank everyone who came out and supported the events!

And I will tell you it's not going to stop there! I have already booked some great bands, we have Texas Hold'em starting in a few weeks. So, keep an eye out on the details for that. Our Queen of hearts is up to \$1800. And our gaming should have some new games today or tomorrow.

We will start the new year off with our new menu! Check it out below. Again, Thank you for your support!

Tanya

Appelizers

French Fries	2.50
Tater Tots	4.00
Onion Rings	4.50
Fried Pickels	4.50
Jalapeno Poppers	5.00
Mozzarella Sticks	5.00
Fried Ravioli	5.00
Cauliflower Dita	/ FO

Keep il Light

Wings with Fries	6.00
BBQ or Buffalo	
Texas Nachos	6.00
Topped with pulled pork, ch	eese, and Jalapenos.
BLT	5.00
Club Sandwich	5.00
Chicken Tenders	5.00
Grilled Cheese	3.00
Baked Potato	4.00
Bowl of Chili	3.00

Salads

Side Salad	3.50
Grilled Chicken Salad	6.50
Chicken Tender Salad	6.50
Chef Salad	6.50

Panini

Ham and Swiss	4.50
Kentucky Hot Brown	6.00
Cuban	6.00

Dinner

5oz Tenderloin with Steak Fries 12.00

Friday Fish

Hand Batter Fish and Chips	7.00
Grilled Fish Taco and Chips	7.00
Two Fish Tose tenned with Coloslaw	FO

Handhelds

Hamburg	ger	5.50
Cheeseb	urger	6.00
Chicken	Alfredo	6.00
Spicy Ch	icken	6.00
Grilled C	nicken	6.00
Philly Ste	ak	6.00
Pulled Po	ork	6.50

Make it a meal

Add French Fries	2.00
Add Tater Tots	3.50
Add Onion Rings	4.00
Add Side Salad	3.00
Add Mac & Cheee	3.00

Add On

Add Cheese	0.50
Add Chili	1.00
Add Bacon	1.00
Add Fried Pickels	1.00
Add Fried Egg	1.00
Add Sauteed Onions	0.50