

# The One Forty Niner

FOR GOD AND COUNTRY, WE HELP AMERICA WORK – SERVICE TO COMMUNITY, STATE, AND NATION

Monthly Newsletter of The American Legion, J.B. Clark Post 149, Escondido, California

## COMMANDER – MIKE FRANK



I would like to thank all the people who accepted nominations for the various Post Officer positions and for their willingness to take on the additional responsibilities of leadership. I also wish to express my gratitude to all of our appointed and elected Officers for stepping up to help guide and manage this Post and all its American Legion programs. Without volunteers, we would not exist.

Art Lubben has been appointed to the position of Post Historian. If you happen to take any pictures of any events, ceremonies, or Post members and would like them entered into our annual Post photo album, please forward them to Art. Jim Botts did an excellent job the previous two years as our Historian and you are welcome to come into our Clubroom and view the annual photo albums on display.

Congratulations go out to our new ALR Riders President, Brian Turpin. No doubt he will to an amazing job leading our Riders. Speaking of Brian, his much better half, Karen, continues her exceptional support of our Post by maintaining and updating our webpage and Facebook accounts. These are very critical means of information distribution. Please take the time to thank her when you see her next.



Commander Mike Frank installing ALR Chapter 149 Officers



Past Commander Daleen Moore installing our Post Officers.

I want to recognize and thank Jim Botts for taking over the House Committee from Manny Gonzalez last month. Manny did an amazing job for the Post and, no doubt, Him will do the same. Thanks also go out to Misael Alvarado for Volunteering to Chair the Club 149 Crew. Many great events to come including our biweekly Trivia Night hosted by our very own Trini



## SPECIAL EVENTS

See calendar page and flyers for more information.

JULY 4  
INDEPENDENCE DAY  
CELEBRATION

JULY 19  
Dealer's Choice Poker  
Fundraiser

JULY 20  
We Clean Escondido

JULY 27  
Hawaiian LUAU  
(see flyer)



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Tang. This is a great event held two Wednesdays a month. Please check the calendar and join us if you can.

Please take the time to thank our 1st Vice Commander, Mick Sobczak for leading our efforts in bringing our Post membership to 100% this month. Our Adjutant, Jeff Dodds has also been quite busy in this department especially since he is the one who has to process all the new membership applications and requests for transfer.

Our Post Rental Agent, Daleen Moore is doing an outstanding job meeting with all the prospective renters and then filling out all the rental contracts and required forms. This is a daunting job but very necessary for the financial well-being of our Post. Whenever a post member encounters anyone expressing an interest in hosting an event at our Post please refer them to Daleen, our current Rental Agent. You are all welcome and encouraged to take folks on a tour of the facility and show potential rentals the various rooms and outdoor areas available, however, please do not discuss any of the details such as costs, fees, deposits, member discounts, restrictions, availability dates, etc. as only the Rental Agent is authorized discuss these things. Also, please be aware that we will not rent our facility to any organization that does not subscribe to the same principles and values as the American Legion.

Please remember that our Post survives on the funds generated by our Clubroom, Post rentals, Post Officer meals, Post events, and donations. By attending any of the events sponsored by our Post as well as anytime you visit our Clubroom, you are helping to keep our doors open. Thank you all for supporting our Post.

Lastly, a big Thank You goes out to Barb Richter again for the fabulous job publishing our monthly newsletter.



Commander Mike Frank installing the Auxiliary Officers



"The ALR 149 proudly presented a \$2,000 check to Tracie Winn with non-profit organization Support the Enlisted Project (STEP) at their monthly meeting in May. STEP assists young military families that are in financial crisis, facing eviction, etc. ([www.stepsocal.org](http://www.stepsocal.org))"

## POST 149 ADJUTANT - JEFF DODDS



Adjutant Newsletter for  
June 2019

At the June General Meeting we had the installation of the 2019-2020 Post Officers. I am

please to report that I have been appointed to remain your ever-loyal Post Adjutant.

By the time this newsletter reaches you it will be or close to being July 1<sup>st</sup>. And as we all know we can pay our 2020 membership dues starting July 1<sup>st</sup>. So, lets get that early bird stamp and impress your friends.

My office hours are still 0900 to 1200 Monday through Thursday. Friday by appointment. Please stop by to say hello and join me for a cup of coffee.

### Actions of Post 149 E-Board

6/11/2019

To allow the next nine renewals to pay \$33.50 in lieu of \$50.00 for their 2019 dues, so the Post can achieve 100 membership.





**COME GET LEID**

**@ CLUB 149**

# LUAAU

*July 27, 2019*

DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

FOOD SERVE 5- 6 PM

\$13 FOR HAWAIIAN THEME DINNER



**DANCE THE NIGHT  
AWAY WITH LIVE DJ**

**DRINK SPECIALS  
ALL NIGHT LONG**



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## CHAPLAIN – CHUCK FAUPEL



No sickbay or deaths to report.

Summer—a season of cookouts, baseball, beaches and vacations. There's so much to like about it. Even more so if we make it a season of prayer. It's more than possible...easy, even, with some of these prayer prompts:

### 1) When plants and flowers blossom

One of my favorite early summer prayers is actually a listening prayer, as I imagine God inviting me into the delights of the season in the words of Song of Songs 2:

See! The winter is past;  
the rains are over and gone.  
Flowers appear on the earth;  
the season of singing has come,  
the cooing of doves  
is heard in our land.  
The fig tree forms its early fruit;  
the blossoming vines spread their fragrance.  
Arise, come, my darling;  
my beautiful one, come with me.  
(Song of Songs 2:11-13, NIV)

### 2) Holidays and vacations

It can be hard to downshift from work to rest and relaxation, but holidays and vacations are an opportunity to pray, "Lord, remind me that your word says, 'In repentance and rest is your salvation, in quietness and trust is your strength.'" (Isaiah 30:15, NIV)

### 3) Around the campfire

Is anything as mesmerizing and calming as gazing into a fire? It can also move us to pray. Perhaps a prayer like the following can be recalled as you watch fuel being added to a fire:

"God, remind me to consider how the wild flowers grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of them. If that is how You clothe the grass of the field, which is here today, and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, how much more will You clothe and care for me." (Based on Luke 12:27-28, NIV)

### 4) Cookouts and reunions

Among the blessings of summer are grilling out and gathering with friends and family. On such an occasion, this prayer, drawn from Psalm 65:11-13 (NIV), can turn our hearts to God:

"You crown the year with your bounty,  
and your carts overflow with abundance.  
The grasslands of the wilderness overflow;  
the hills are clothed with gladness.  
The meadows are covered with flocks  
and the valleys are mantled with grain;  
they shout for joy and sing."

## CLUBROOM MANAGER – STEF HOLDEN



Club 149 is proud to host Game Night every first Wednesday of the month. Come on out and join us from 6 to 8pm! Trivia Night is held every third Wednesday of the month. Get your team together and wow your friends with all your knowledge! **July 27<sup>th</sup> Club**

**149** will be having ourselves an old fashion luau. Put on your best beach attire and prepare for one amazing time! While you are in the club do not pass up the opportunity to purchase your Booze Basket raffle tickets. Drawings will be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July and you need not be present to win the exquisite baskets our own Shannon White put together for the raffle. Cheryl continues to host "Pub Grub" every Sunday night. Pop into the club and have a bite while supporting our pool team as they take on other teams from bars all over North County. Karaoke Doug is doing his thing in the Club Room every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month. Do not be afraid to channel your inner Rock Star! See you all at Escondido's best kept secret...**Club 149!**

## SERVICE OFFICER – HAROLD OLSON



Comrades, I have relocated the Helmets For Heroes helmets the new locations are Villa Madiera Mobilehome Park clubhouse, LA fitness, West Valley Market, Dave's Computer Repair, Escondido Auto Tech, Charlie's Restaurant. If you want the address of

any of these sponsors feel free to contact me. Everyone should already have but my contact information is: [harold.olson1@att.net](mailto:harold.olson1@att.net), phone is 442-237-1233.



**POST MEMBERS FREE BIRTHDAY MONTH BREAKFAST**

At the Post Officers Breakfast in your birthday month - 3rd Sunday of the month - All you can eat buffet

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><b>JUNE 30</b></p> <p>40 et 8 Breakfast 12 Noon— 40 et 8 Mtg. (Hall) *Open Pool Table in Clubroom * 4 PM Pub Grub by Cheryl (Clubroom)</p>	<p><b>1</b></p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>4-6 PM TEAMSTERS RENTAL (Hall) 7 PM VFW Meeting (Hall)</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>	<p><b>4</b></p> 	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>6 PM Dinner by Boy Scouts Pulled Pork 7-10 PM KARAOKE (Clubroom) NO COVER CHARGE</p>	<p><b>6</b></p>
<p><b>7</b></p> <p>8-11 AM Auxiliary Breakfast Eggs to Order \$8.00 3-8 PM Polish Club (Hall) *Open Pool Table (Clubroom)* 4 PM Pub Grub by Cheryl (Clubroom)</p>	<p><b>8</b></p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>1-5 PM Baker Electric (Hall) 5 PM Post Finance Mtg. (Hall) 6-9 PM Post E-Board Mtg. (Conf. Rm.) 6 PM DAV Mtg. (Hall)</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>7 PM Boy Scouts (Hall)</p>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p>6 PM Bunko (Hall) Open Pool Table</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>OPEN JUKEBOX</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>10 AM 173rd Airborne (Conference Rm.) 9 AM-Noon Blue Star Moms (Hall) 4 PM-10 PM Private Rental (Patio)</p>
<p><b>14</b></p> <p>8-11 AM Sons Breakfast All You Can Eat Buffet \$10 *Open Pool Table (Clubroom)* 4 PM Pub Grub by Cheryl (Clubroom)</p>	<p><b>15</b></p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>6 PM Post General Mtg. (Hall) 6 PM Auxiliary Mtg. (Conference Rm.)</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>5 PM SAL Mtg. (Conf. Rm.) 5-9 PM (Hall) Escondido Sunrise Rotary 6:30 PM VFW Auxiliary (Conference Rm.) 6:30 PM Wing Night by SONS 7-9 PM TRIVIA NIGHT (Clubroom)</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p>6 PM Bunko (Hall)</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>6 PM AUX. DINNER 'Thanksgiving' in July 7 PM Dealer's Choice Poker Fundraiser 7-10 PM KARAOKE (Clubroom) NO COVER CHARGE</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>8 AM We Clean Escondido</p>
<p><b>21</b></p> <p>8-11 AM Post Officers Breakfast All You Can Eat Buffet \$10 *Open Pool Table (Clubroom)* 4 PM Pub Grub by Cheryl (Clubroom)</p>	<p><b>22</b></p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>1-5 PM Baker Electric (Hall)</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>5:30 PM Riders BBQ (Patio) 6:30 PM Riders Mtg. 7 PM Boy Scouts (Hall)</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>6 PM Bunko (Hall) Open Pool Table</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p>OPEN JUKEBOX</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>5PM CLUB 149 LUAU DINNER \$13 with live DJ (Patio)</p> 
<p><b>28</b></p> <p>40 et 8 Breakfast 12 Noon— 40 et 8 Mtg. (Hall) *Open Pool Table (Clubroom)* 4 PM Pub Grub by Cheryl (Clubroom)</p>	<p><b>29</b></p>	<p><b>30</b></p>	<p><b>31</b></p>	<p><b>AUGUST 1</b></p>	<p><b>AUGUST 2</b></p>	<p><b>AUGUST 3</b></p>

**AMERICAN LEGION FUNDRAISER Hosted by: THE GOLDEN EGG OMELET HOUSE**

When you go to The Golden Egg Omelet House and enjoy a meal, the American Legion Post 149 can earn 10% of all food and beverages purchased. Mention that you are there to support the American Legion Post 149 and have them write it on the bill.

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