



# *THE POST 112* **DISPATCH**

**ONTARIO AMERICAN LEGION**

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## *From Post 112 Commander Joe Alvarado*

Dear Legion Members:

Hope everyone is doing well and staying healthy. Foremost I wish to welcome our newest Legionnaire Members Jeff Clark, David McCall and Richard Morris. We welcome you to your new home American Legion Post #112, Ontario.

On Wednesday March 27th, one of our guests, Kenneth Kellogg, was kind enough to donate \$1,000.00 for steak night to our Veterans from Post 112 for a free meal. Another one will be held on Wednesday, May 22 for our Veterans from Post 112. It is very much appreciated and kind for Mr. Kellogg to acknowledge our post in this manner.

On April 27, 2024 from 12 Noon to 3 pm, Post 112 will be hosting an open house. Let's all welcome and recruit new members.

Please mark your calendar for Saturday May 25 as Post 112 will be placing crosses for our fallen veterans at Bellevue Memorial Park 1240 W. G St. Ontario from 8 to 10 am. Volunteers are very much appreciated. On Monday May 27th @ 8:00 a.m. Bellevue Memorial Park will conduct their annual ceremony. Crosses will need to be removed after the Formalities. Volunteers are needed. Post 112 will be hosting their annual party at the post. All are encouraged to come.

In closing I wish to send special blessings to our Mothers, wives, grandmas, sisters, daughters, and anyone who has played an important role in our lives a Happy Mother's Day. Also to the Dads, husbands, grandpas, brothers, sons a very Special Father's Day

Respectfully,  
Commander Joe Alvarado,  
American Legion Post 112





*From Legion Riders Chapter 112 Director  
Jimmy Melton*



## **Greetings to All Members of the Post 112 Family...**

During the months of March & April, members of Chapter 112 participated in seven veteran funerals and eleven events, representing our post 112 family. Recently (April 12-14, 2024) four members attended the ALRDOC 17th Annual Convention held in San Diego.

Recapping Chapter 112's fiscal year 2023-2024 (April 1, thru March 31) activities: Raised \$3940.00 for charities. Donated \$9446.00 to charities and American Legion Events. Donated 1703 volunteer hours. Logged 37,424 miles in support of ninety-one events attended representing the post 112 family.

Presently our Chapter membership has twenty-three (23) members, four (4) support team volunteers, representing Post 112 family at ALR, PGR memorials, District, Area, local community events and parades.

Save the date June 8, 2024 in mind, as Chapter 112 will host a Paint and Sip event at Post 112, 1 PM to 5 pm. Cost will be \$30.00 per participant including the cost of canvas and paint. Our very own David "Pilgrim" McCall will be instructing. David is a local accomplished artist and Instructor. Stay tuned for more information to follow and watch for postings on the Post Bulletin Board.

As always, a reminder, we meet the fourth Thursday monthly at 6:30 pm at post 112. We invite you to attend, get to know us...join the fun!

**Semper Fi,  
Respectfully,  
Jimmy Melton  
Director, ALR Chapter 112  
ALR/DOC**



*PS: Stay safe, remain alert and  
keep the rubber side down.*

Ontario Post 112 Presents  
THE AMERICAN LEGION

FAMILY

MOM



## "Mother's Day Weekend"

**Friday, May 10 ~ Special Filet Mignon Dinner w/  
Baked Potato, Vegetables, Salad, Rolls & Butter and  
Dessert. Served 5:30-7 pm. \$20 Donation  
Live Music by "The PR Project"**

**Advance Tickets ~ Make Your Reservations! (Limited Seating)**

**Saturday, May 11 – Performing Live –  
The Tony Lopez Band!**

**Sunday, May 12 – Mother's Day  
Special Breakfast Served 9 am – 12:30 pm:  
Eggs Benedict or Steak & Eggs served with a glass  
of Champagne & a Rose for Mom! \$14 Donation.  
Karaoke to Follow ~ Sing a song for Mom!**

*Join us at the Post to Celebrate our Wonderful Mothers!*

## MEMORIAL DAY at POST 112 MONDAY, MAY 27, 2024



☆ POST OPEN 10 AM - 7 PM ☆  
**GRILLED 1/4 LB HOT DOG OR BURGER,  
PLUS SIDES \$10** *Suggested Minimum Donation* **SERVED**  
*Enjoy Tasty Desserts by Auxilliary Unit 112* **11:30 - 1:30**



*Music for your enjoyment throughout the day  
Gift Baskets ~ Opportunity Drawings!*  
**HOSTED BY S.A.L. SQUADRON 112**  
*Come join in the comradeship, and share your memories  
of loved ones who served in the Armed Forces.*

## From SAL Squadron 112 Commander

Ed Lockhart



*Greetings...*

As Summer approaches I wanted to share that our Squadron is busy planning several exciting events that are certain to be fun filled.

The First is our first annual **Derby Day Casino Trip** that is occurring on **May 4th**. We will be visiting **Fantasy Springs Casino** for an action-packed day. There are only a few seats left available, so if you are interested, reach out to me for details so you don't miss out.

Next on deck is our annual **Memorial Day Commemoration** event on **May 27th**. *Come join the comradery and share your memories of loved ones who served in the armed forces.* Great food, gift baskets and opportunity drawings are also on tap for the event. Stay tuned for the menu and further details. Be sure to mark your calendar for what is certain to be a grand day!

Also, we are beginning discussions for our annual **4th of July** celebration. We are at the beginning phase of planning this event and are welcoming any and all suggestions as we want to make this event the **best 4th the Post has ever had**. Please feel free to reach out to us with your great ideas to take this event over the top!

Lastly, I wanted to thank all who have been attending our **meetings** that occur on the first Sunday of the month at 11 am. Your Officers appreciate your valued input and suggestions as we truly want to represent our Squadron to the best of our ability.

**To all we can do TOGETHER,**

**Ed Lockhart**

**Commander,**

**Ontario Squadron 112**



# Daily Food & Drink Specials at Post 112!

## SATURDAY & SUNDAY MORNING BREAKFAST

SERVED 9 am – 12 Noon

Different Breakfast Specials Each Week!

ADD BOTTOMLESS CHAMPAGNE TO YOUR BREAKFAST ENTRÉE

FOR JUST \$10 PER PERSON! (From 9:30-12 pm)

*KARAOKE ON SUNDAYS 1:30 – 5 pm*

## MUNCHY MONDAYS!

Served 1-7 pm ♦ A Different Special Each Week!

Call 909-984-3811 For This Week's Special!

## TACO TUESDAY!

Served 1 - 7 pm ♦ 2 Ground Beef Tacos,  
Beans & Rice, \$8 Suggested Minimum Donation

## WEDNESDAY DINNERS

DINNER SERVED 6 – 7:30 pm

INCLUDES SALAD BAR, BAKED POTATO & ROLL

SUGGESTED MINIMUM DONATIONS

Filet Mignon \$15 Rib Eye \$14

Top Sirloin \$12 Chicken or Pork Chop \$12

AFTER DINNER, STICK AROUND FOR

*KARAOKE, Beginning Around 7:30 pm*

## THIRSTY THURSDAYS!

Serving Popcorn, Drinks, Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Cheeseburger & Fries

## FISH & CHIPS FRIDAY!

Served 3-7 pm

Fish & Chips \$10 Suggested Minimum Donation

Cheeseburger & Fries

\$10 Suggested Minimum Donation

*Stick Around for KARAOKE 6 - Close*

## ***Visit Post 112 Online!***

*Our Website:*

[www.AmericanLegionPost112ontario.com](http://www.AmericanLegionPost112ontario.com)

*On Facebook: Log onto Facebook  
then search, Including Comma:*

**American Legion Post 112, Ontario CA**

# May 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 <i>Steak Night</i> 6:00–7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50.SAL	2 <i>Thirsty Thursday</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	3 <i>Lounge open</i> 12 Noon Fish & Chips 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	4 <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> Derby Day Casino Trip Live Music 6-9pm "Mo-Jo Didley/ Wes Edwards Band"
5 <i>Cinco De Mayo</i> Breakfast 9-Noon SAL Mtg 11am Aux Mtg 12:30 pm Karaoke 1-5pm	6 <i>Munchy Monday</i> Lounge open 12 Noon	7 <i>Taco Tuesday</i> 1-7pm SS Lounge open 12 Noon	8 <i>VE Day 1945</i> <i>Steak Night</i> 6:00–7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Legion	9 <i>Thirsty Thursday</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	10 <i>Mother's Weekend</i> Lounge open 12 noon Filet Mignon Dinner w/dessert 5:30-7 \$20 Live Music 6-9pm "The PR Project"	11 <i>Mother's Weekend</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9pm "Tony Lopex Band" Commanders Draw 6pm
12 <i>Mother's Day</i> Special Mother's Day Breakfast 9-12:30 pm w/champagne w/steak & eggs \$14 Karaoke 1-5pm	13 <i>Munchy Monday</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Post 112 General Mtg 6:00pm	14 <i>Taco Tuesday</i> 1-7pm SS Lounge open 12 Noon	15 <i>Steak Night</i> 6:00–7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Auxiliary	16 <i>Thirsty Thursday</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	17 <i>Lounge open 12</i> Noon, Fish & Chips 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close Area 5 Mtg Post 299 Chino	18 <i>Armed Forces Day</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9pm "Vengeance" Area 5 Mtg Post 299 Chino
19 <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> Karaoke 1-5pm	20 <i>Munchy Monday</i> Lounge open 12 Noon	21 <i>Taco Tuesday</i> 1-7pm SS Lounge open 12 Noon	22 <i>Steak Night</i> 6:00–7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Riders	23 <i>Thirsty Thursday</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries Riders Mtg 6:30pm	24 <i>Nat'l Poppy Day</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Fish & Chips 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	25 <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> Live Music 6-9pm "Don't Call Me Shirley" Commanders Draw
26 <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> Karaoke 1-5pm	27 <i>Memorial Day</i> Post open 10am-7pm S.A.L. Squadron 112 Hosts, 10:30–1:30 Grilled hot dog or burger + sides \$10	28 <i>Taco Tuesday</i> 1-7pm SS Lounge open 12 Noon	29 <i>Steak Night</i> 6:00–7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50.SAL	30 <i>Thirsty Thursday</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	31 <i>Lounge open</i> 12 Noon Fish & Chips 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	Commanders Draw 6pm Every Saturday

# June 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						<i>1</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6pm "The Dogs" Commanders Draw
<i>2</i> Breakfast 9-Noon SAL Mtg 11am Aux Mtg 12:30pm District 25 Meeting Post 112 Ontario	<i>3</i> Munchy Monday Lounge open 12 Noon	<i>4</i> Taco Tuesdays 1-7pm \$\$ Lounge open 12 Noon	<i>5</i> Steak Night 6:00-7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Legion	<i>6</i> D-Day 1944 Thirsty Thursday Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	<i>7</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Fish & Chips 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	<i>8</i> Breakfast 9-Noon ALR "Paint & Sip" 1pm Live Music 6pm "Thelma & Louise & The Flying T-Birds"
<i>9</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1-5pm	<i>10</i> Munchy Monday Lounge open 12 Noon Post 112 General Mtg 6:00pm	<i>11</i> Taco Tuesday 1-7pm \$\$ Lounge open 12 Noon	<i>12</i> Steak Night 6:00-7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Auxiliary	<i>13</i> Thirsty Thursday Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	<i>14</i> Flag Day Lounge open 12 Noon Fish & Chips 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	<i>15</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6pm "Rock & Rose" Commanders Draw
<i>16</i> Father's Day Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1-5pm	<i>17</i> Munchy Monday Lounge open 12 Noon	<i>18</i> Taco Tuesday 1-7pm \$\$ Lounge open 12 Noon	<i>19</i> Steak Night 6:00-7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Riders	<i>20</i> First Day of Summer Thirsty Thursday Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	<i>21</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Fish & Chips 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	<i>22</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6pm "DEA Band" Commanders Draw
<i>23</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1-5pm	<i>24</i> Munchy Monday Lounge open 12 Noon	<i>25</i> Taco Tuesday 1-7pm \$\$ Lounge open 12 Noon	<i>26</i> Steak Night 6:00-7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 SAL	<i>27</i> Thirsty Thursday Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries Riders Mtg 6:30pm	<i>28</i> Lounge open 12 Noon Fish & Chips 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	<i>29</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6pm "Cold Shot" Commanders Draw
<i>30</i> Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1-5pm						Commanders Draw 6pm Every Saturday



*From Auxiliary Unit 112 President  
Rosie Duplain*



**Auxiliary News:**

A special thanks to the Legion, Sons, and the Riders, for helping in the Backpack Campaign for the Shoes that Fit Program. We were able to send them a check for \$1,000. Fantastic.

On Saturday, May 18, our ladies will be hosting a brunch for our 2024 Girls State Delegate and her family. Along with her family, will be her school counselor, last year's delegate, and a local city official.

We look forward to Memorial Day as we host our Dessert Table for our Veterans. We'll have some wonderful sweets available.

Looking forward to a wonderful summer.

Remember, always Thank a Veteran for their Service!



**Rosie DuPlain**

**President, Auxiliary Unit 112**

# **JOIN US SATURDAY NIGHTS FOR LIVE MUSIC!** at ONTARIO AMERICAN LEGION

**Sat. May 4 "Mo-Jo Didley/Wes Edwards Band"**

**Sat. May 11 "Tony Lopez Band"**

**Sat. May 18 "Vengeance"**

**Sat. May 25 "Don't Call Me Shirley"**  
*(All-Girl Band!)*

**Sat. June 1 "The Dogs"**

**Sat. June 8 "Thelma & Louise & The Flying T-Birds"**  
*(All-Girl Band!)*

**Sat. June 15 "Rock & Rose"**

**Sat. June 22 "DEA Band"**

**Sat. June 29 "Cold Shot"**



**Bands Play 6 – 9 pm Food will be available.**



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POST 112

## **UPCOMING POST 112 EVENTS**

**Friday-Sunday May 10-12, 2024**

"Mother's Day Weekend" at Post 112! Friday Evening - Filet Mignon Dinner, Saturday - Live Band, Sunday, Mother's Day - Special Breakfast! See Flyer in this issue of The Dispatch.

**Monday, May 27, 2024**

SAL 112 Hosts Memorial Day BBQ. Burgers or Hot Dogs, plus sides, Gift Baskets, opportunity Drawings. See Flyer in this issue.

**Saturday, June 8, 2024**

ALR Chapter 112 Hosts "Paint & Sip" Event, 1-5 pm. See Riders article in this issue for details.

**Thursday, July 4, 2024**

SAL 112 Hosts annual July 4 BBQ. Stay Tuned!

**Live Bands Every Saturday Night!**

Check out our flyer elsewhere in

this issue, at the post, and our website!



**EVERY WEDNESDAY**

**Steak Night 6 - 7:30 + Karaoke 7ish - Close**

**EVERY FRIDAY 6 pm**

**Karaoke 6 - Close**

**EVERY SUNDAY 9 am**

**Breakfast 9 - Noon Karaoke 1:30 - 5 pm**

# OFFICERS 2023 - 2024

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## LEGION POST 112 - MEETS 2nd MONDAY, 6 pm

COMMANDER	Joe Alvarado
1st VICE COMMANDER	Dick Duplain
2nd VICE COMMANDER	Michelle Duncan
ADJUTANT	Jerry Hyder
FINANCE OFFICER	Jimmy Melton
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	John Wilson
CHAPLAIN	Paula Steinbach
JUDGE ADVOCATE	R.D. "Jesse" James
SERVICE OFFICER	R.D. "Jesse" James
HISTORIAN	David Montoya, Sr.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE	E "Gus" Gustafson
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE	Glenn Erickson



## S.A.L. SQUADRON 112 - MEETS 1st SUNDAY, 11 am

COMMANDER	Ed Lockhart
1st VICE COMMANDER	Clayton Bush
2nd VICE COMMANDER	Open
ADJUTANT	Chas Collucci
FINANCE OFFICER	Rich "Marty" Woods
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	Scott Race
CHAPLAIN	Rudy Jimenez
HISTORIAN	Fernando Flores



## AUXILIARY UNIT 112 - Meets 1st SUNDAY, 12:30 PM

PRESIDENT	Rosie Duplain
1st VICE PRESIDENT	Cindy Alvarado
2nd VICE PRESIDENT	Michelle Felly
TREASURER	Rita Hansen
SECRETARY	Vanessa Powers
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	Lillian Rivera
CHAPLAIN	Alice Marshall



## LEGION RIDERS CHAPTER 112 - MEETS 4th THURS., 6:30 PM

*"All Legion 112 Family Members Welcome to Attend"*

DIRECTOR	Jimmy "Da Man" Melton
VICE DIRECTOR	Dennis "Navrick" Navarre
SECRETARY	Kyle "3rd Wheel" Millager
TREASURER	Simon "El Oso" Dekker
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	Kevin "Buster" Martin
CHAPLAIN	John "Archer" Wilson
ROAD CAPTAIN	Dennis "Navrick" Navarre



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# District & Area Events | US Military Observances

**MAY | 2024**

**Fri-Sat May 17-18** Area 5 Meeting Location: Chino Post 299  
Point of Contact: Kevin Stonestreet 909-685-0906

**Saturday, May 18** Armed Forces Day

**Monday, May 27** Memorial Day

**JUNE | 2024**

**Sunday, June 2** District 25 Meeting, Location: Ontario Post 112  
Point of Contact: Joe Alvarado 562-644-5443

**Friday, June 14** US Army Founded, June 14 1775 (249 Years Old)

**Friday, June 14** Flag Day

**Sunday, June 23** Coast Guard Auxiliary Founded, June 23, 1939  
(85 Years Old)

**Thur-Sun June 27-30** 105th Department of CA Convention  
Visalia Convention Ctr., 303 E Acequia Ave. Visalia

► *Later This Year* ◀

**Fri-Thur August 23-29** 105th American Legion National Convention  
New Orleans, Louisiana

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

## May June

**2024**



Adolpho Pahua	2nd
Sandra Dragna	4th
Frank Tranchina	5th
Anthony Zummo	6th
Steve Cervantes	7th
James K. Augur	8th
Joe Hibert	8th
Rosmarie DuPlain	10th
Christina Riggle	11th
R.D.(Jesse)James	14th
David Hoth	16th
Kenneth C Rees	17th
Clark Reno	22nd
Linda Rojas	22nd
Donald Lindwedel	26th

John Alfaro	12th
Clifford Blades	16th
Michele Race	19th
Joe Ramos	26th
Pauline Cash	28th
Adolpho Pahua	2nd
Sandra Dragna	4th
Frank Tranchina	5th
Anthony Zummo	6th
Steve Cervantes	7th
James K. Augur	8th
Joe Hibert	8th
Rosmarie DuPlain	10th
Christina Riggle	11th
R.D.(Jesse)James	14th

*If your birthday is not here it's because you didn't tell us your birthday! What is your birthday?*



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*Serving the Community and Veterans  
of the Greater Ontario Area*

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Post 112 Hours  
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Monday – Friday → 12 Noon – 9 pm  
Saturday → 9 am – 9 pm  
Sunday → 9 am – 5 pm

**JULY 4th at the LEGION!**  
**Thursday, July 4, 2024**

Hosted By S.A.L. Ontario Squadron 112

SONS OF THE  
AMERICAN  
LEGION



**POST OPEN 10 am – 6 pm**  
**LUNCH SERVED 11:30 am – 1:30 pm**



Join us for a Delicious Fourth of July BBQ!  
Stay Tuned – Menu will be available soon  
Live Band! Opportunity Drawings!

Check flyers, and visit the Post 112 Website:  
[www.AmericanLegionPost112ontario.com](http://www.AmericanLegionPost112ontario.com)

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