



THE POST 112 **DISPATCH**

ONTARIO AMERICAN LEGION



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From Post 112 Commander Joe Alvarado

Dear Legion Members:

It has been a great summer at our new location. We have had numerous events and plan to have more to make this a sizzling summer.

A special thanks of appreciation goes out to our Council Member Jim Bowman for providing us with water misters as we beautify our patio to make it more comfortable during these hot months. Also, I would like to thank Commander Ed Lockhart of SAL Squadron 112 for organizing along with the Legionnaires and Riders for installation of the misters and canopies for the patio along with the new trash cans and tables.

I would like to acknowledge a great appreciation to Rosie Duplain Auxiliary President for getting great bands & food for our Saturday events along with the help of her Auxiliary ladies for always helping out and donating their time.

♦ *A special thanks to all our bartenders for always providing our customers with excellent service.*

Lastly I would like to congratulate our very own Legionnaire Gus Gustafson for being awarded as Veteran of the Year from Freddie Rodriguez's office, Assembly member from 53rd District. Gus is always willing to help serve steaks on Wednesday and has been a Legionnaire for 37+ years. *Please congratulate Gus when you see him.*

Continue to have a sizzling hot summer, I look forward to seeing all of you at our events and Wednesday steak night.

Respectfully,
Commander Joe Alvarado,
American Legion Post 112





*From Auxiliary Unit 112 President
Rosie Duplain*



Auxiliary News:

Welcome to our newest members:

Sharon Andersen, Ana Maria Burbano, Vicki Butcher, Elvira Gil-Jund, Jill Kendrick, Ernestine Sandoval, Sandra Shaw and Rickie Squires.

Our unit continues to grow. We are servicing more Veterans and families which keeps our bar and kitchen busy. *Thanks to all who volunteer at the post, it's so appreciated.*

A special welcome to our newest bartenders, Diane and Sharon. In the kitchen we have Bridgett, Erika and Jeffrey as new employees.

Well, our Auxiliary is getting ready for the fall and to kick it off we are having our **Annual Western Night**. Get ready for some line dancing! We have a great **Baby Back Rib Dinner** planned on Saturday, Sept. 30. See our Flyer for details. Purchase tickets in advance, reservations needed, limited seating. *Get your boots ready!*

Rosie DuPlain

President, Auxiliary Unit 112

Saturday. Sept. 9. 2023

Special Engagement!

Join us for a night of Motown Classics & Blues

Featuring "The Tailor Made Band"

**MOTOWN
Classics
& Blues**

Playing 6 - 9 pm
Food will be available.



American Legion Riders
Chapter 112

2ND ANNUAL



LABOR DAY



EXTRAVAGANZA!

Monday September 4th, 2023

11am to 3pm

Corn Hole tournament \$10.00 per team.

**Menu: Pulled pork sandwiches, Hamburgers,
Hot Dogs, potato salad, baked beans and fruit
requested donation \$12.00.**

PROCEEDS SUPPORT ALR 112's LOCAL VETERAN CHARITIES.

**Music provided by DJ Tracy, 50/50 drawing,
Raffle Prizes (winners need not be present)**

American Legion Post 112

1400 S. Vineyard Avenue, Ontario, Ca. 91761.

AMERICAN LEGION ONTARIO UNIT 112

AUXILIARY  *Proudly Presents*

WESTERN NIGHT
SATURDAY SEPT. 30, 2023



I Love Country Music

DINNER SERVED 5:30 – 7 PM

**ENJOY BABY BACK RIBS OR CHICKEN, SERVED
WITH BAKED BEANS, MAC & CHEESE,
POTATO SALAD, COLE SLAW, ROLLS & BUTTER,
DESSERT INCLUDED! \$20 DONATION**

→ RESERVATIONS ARE NECESSARY • LIMITED SEATING

**LIVE COUNTRY MUSIC PROVIDED BY
"ONE-MAN BAND" TOM FISHER**



6 - 9 PM



**JOIN US FOR LINE DANCING & GREAT MUSIC!
WEAR YOUR WESTERN BOOTS, COWBOY HAT,
AND JOIN US FOR A HOOT OF A TIME!**





*From Legion Riders Chapter 112 Director
Jimmy Melton*



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

We will be hosting our second annual labor day event (Monday September 4th) from 11 am - 3 pm at Post 112, with food, music, corn hole, an Opportunity Drawing, and Opportunity Baskets. Winners need not be present. See you there!

Update on injured rider member Rachel "Red" Culver, she is progressing well and making good progress in her recovery. Yet, she has a long road ahead. We continue to wish her well, keep her in our thoughts and prayers, looking forward to her return.

During the months of July and August, Chapter 112 participated and/or attended nine American Legion and Community events. We have some Rides planned to some cooler destinations. Chapter 112 presently has 22 members representing the Post at ALR, PGR memorials, District, Area, along with local community events and parades.

Our meetings are on the fourth Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm. We invite you to stop by and attend, get to know us and join the fun!

Semper Fi,
Respectfully,
Jimmy Melton
Director, ALR Chapter 112



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

JOIN US SATURDAY NIGHTS FOR *LIVE MUSIC*!



Sat. Sept. 2 "Wes Edwards Band"

Sat. Sept. 9 "The Tailor Made Band"

Sat. Sept. 16 "P R Project"

Sat. Sept. 23 "Remember Then"

Sat. Sept. 30 **AUXILIARY WESTERN NIGHT!**
"ONE-MAN BAND TOM FISHER"



Sat. Oct. 7 "Mercy Bros."

Sat. Oct. 14 "Brick Alley"

Sat. Oct. 21 "Old's Kool Band"

Sat. Oct. 28 "Remember Then"

Sat. Nov. 4 "Phoenix Rising"



AT POST 112

Bands Play 6 – 9 pm Food will be available.

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 \$9
PER PERSON! (From 9:30-12 pm) + KARAOKE ON SUNDAYS 1:30 - 4:30

MUNCHY MONDAYS!

Served 1 – 7pm Different special each week!

Call for this Monday's special! (909) 984-3811

TACO TUESDAY!

Served 1-7 pm + 2 Ground Beef Tacos,
Beans & Rice, OR Cheeseburger & Fries

\$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,
Cheeseburgers & Fries!

FISH & CHIPS FRIDAY!

Served 3-7 pm

Fish & Chips \$9 Suggested Minimum Donation
Cheeseburger & Fries

\$8 Suggested Minimum Donation
Stick Around for KARAOKE 6 - Close

September 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					¹ Fish & Chips 3-7PM \$9 Karaoke 6PM	² Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9pm by "Wes Edwards Band" Commander's Draw every Sat 6-9pm
³ Breakfast 9-Noon SAL Mtg 11am Aux Mtg 12:30 pm Karaoke 1:30-5pm	⁴ Labor Day Riders host 2nd annual Labor Day Event 11AM-3PM \$12 Pulled Pork, Burgers Dogs, Beans & Salad DJ Music & games	⁵ Lounge open 12 Noon Taco Tuesday 3-7PM \$7	⁶ Steak Night 6:00-7:30PM Karaoke 7PM 50-50 Auxiliary	⁷ Thirsty Thursday Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	⁸ Dist 25 Meeting Post 106 Redlands 10:00 AM Fish & Chips \$9 Burgers & fries \$8 3-7PM Karaoke 6PM	⁹ Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9pm by "The Tailor Made Band" Commander's Draw every Sat @ 6pm
¹⁰ Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1:30-5pm	¹¹ Lounge open 12 Noon Munchy Monday Snacks 1-7PM Post 112 General Mtg 6:00 pm	¹² Lounge open 12 Noon Taco Tuesday 3-7PM \$7	¹³ Steak Night 6:00-7:30PM Karaoke 7PM 50-50 Riders	¹⁴ Thirsty Thursday Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries	¹⁵ Fish & Chips \$9 Burgers & fries \$8 3-7PM Karaoke 6PM	¹⁶ Autumn Begins Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9pm by "P R Project" Commander's Draw every Sat @ 6pm
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²⁴ Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1:30-5pm Area 5 Meeting Post 149, Escondido POC: Tracy "Milo" Dalton (925) 577-7460	²⁵ Lounge open 12 Noon Munchy Monday Snacks 1-7PM Post 112	²⁶ Lounge open 12 Noon Taco Tuesday 3-7PM \$7	²⁷ Steak Night 6:00-7:30PM Karaoke 7PM 50-50 Legion	²⁸ Lounge open 12 Noon Popcorn & Drinks Burgers, Dogs & Fries Riders Mtg 6:30PM	²⁹ Fish & Chips \$9 Burgers & fries \$8 3-7PM Karaoke 6PM	³⁰ Auxiliary Hosts Western Night Baby Back Rib Dinner w/All trimmings \$20 Served 5:30-7:00 PM Live country music by "One Man Band"

October 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<div>1</div> <div>Breakfast 9-Noon</div> <div>SAL Mtg 11am</div> <div>Aux Mtg 12:30 pm</div> <div>Karaoke 1:30-5pm</div>	<div>2</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div>	<div>3</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Taco Tuesday</div> <div>3-7PM \$7</div>	<div>4</div> <div>Steak Night</div> <div>6:00-7:30PM</div> <div>Karaoke 7PM</div> <div>50-50 Auxiliary</div>	<div>5</div> <div>Thirsty Thursday</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Popcorn & Drinks</div>	<div>6</div> <div>Fish & Chips</div> <div>3-7PM \$\$</div> <div>Karaoke 6PM</div>	<div>7</div> <div>Breakfast 9-Noon</div> <div>Live Music 6-9pm by</div> <div>"Mercy Bros"</div> <div>Commander's Draw</div> <div>every Sat @ 6pm</div>
<div>8</div> <div>Breakfast 9-Noon</div> <div>Karaoke 1:30-5pm</div>	<div>9</div> <div>Columbus Day</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Post 112</div> <div>General Mtg 6:00 pm</div>	<div>10</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Taco Tuesday</div> <div>3-7PM \$7</div>	<div>11</div> <div>Steak Night</div> <div>6:00-7:30PM</div> <div>Karaoke 7PM</div> <div>50-50 Riders</div>	<div>12</div> <div>Thirsty Thursday</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Popcorn & Drinks</div>	<div>13</div> <div>Fish & Chips</div> <div>3-7PM \$\$</div> <div>Karaoke 6PM</div>	<div>14</div> <div>SAL hosts</div> <div>"Son's Sausage Sizzle "</div> <div>Sausages + sides</div> <div>Details TBD</div> <div>Live Music 6-9pm by</div> <div>"Brick Alley"</div>
<div>15</div> <div>Breakfast 9-Noon</div> <div>Karaoke 1:30-5pm</div>	<div>16</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div>	<div>17</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Taco Tuesday</div> <div>3-7PM \$7</div>	<div>18</div> <div>Steak Night</div> <div>6:00-7:30PM</div> <div>Karaoke 7PM</div> <div>50-50 SAL</div>	<div>19</div> <div>Thirsty Thursday</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Popcorn & Drinks</div>	<div>20</div> <div>Fish & Chips</div> <div>3-7PM \$\$</div> <div>Karaoke 6PM</div>	<div>21</div> <div>Breakfast 9-Noon</div> <div>Live Music 6-9pm by</div> <div>"Old's Kool Band"</div> <div>Commander's Draw</div> <div>every Sat @ 6pm</div>
<div>22</div> <div>Breakfast 9-Noon</div> <div>Karaoke 1:30-5pm</div>	<div>23</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div>	<div>24</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Taco Tuesday</div> <div>3-7PM \$7</div>	<div>25</div> <div>Steak Night</div> <div>6:00-7:30PM</div> <div>Karaoke 7PM</div> <div>50-50 Legion</div>	<div>26</div> <div>Thirsty Thursday</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Popcorn & Drinks</div> <div>Riders Mtg 6:30PM</div>	<div>27</div> <div>Fish & Chips</div> <div>3-7PM \$\$</div> <div>Karaoke 6PM</div>	<div>28</div> <div>Breakfast 9-Noon</div> <div>Live Music 6-9pm by</div> <div>"Remember Then"</div> <div>Commander's Draw</div> <div>every Sat @ 6pm</div>
<div>29</div> <div>Breakfast 9-Noon</div> <div>Karaoke 1:30-5pm</div>	<div>30</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div>	<div>31</div> <div>Halloween</div> <div>Lounge open</div> <div>12 Noon</div> <div>Taco Tuesday</div> <div>3-7PM \$7</div>				

From SAL Squadron 112 Commander Ed Lockhart



Greetings...

Our Squadron has been very busy the past several months with hosting several successful events including Memorial Day, 4th of July and the "Sons of the Beach" Day. The Officers are very proud of the fact that we have had so many Sons step up and volunteer their time as well as donate many items to our endeavors. A shout out to Leonard Erhardt, Tracy Wilson, Fernando Flores, Scott Race, Matt Mills, Darren Vaughn and of course our awesome decorator Lil Bribiesca. Thank you all for making our events successful!

Also, the Sons "Construction Crew" has been busy as well. If you have been enjoying our Patio area, you might have noticed the new mister system cooling you off. Rick the "tool man" Reininger, Marty "the plumber" Woods, Gary "the inspector" Garrison and Joe "the landscaper" Quinones led this effort. However, this endeavor would not have been possible without the generous donation of the system from our own Jim Bowman! Jim constantly steps up and donates to our cause! Thank you Jim! Also, our squadron led the effort on the procurement and installation of new trash cans and shade covers on the Patio with the Legion Auxiliary, Legion Riders and Legionaries helping out as well.

Lastly, a huge shout-out to our Adjutant Chas Collucci. Chas graciously donates a great many hours of his time each and every month for the entire Post. Chas creates all the of the flyers, raffle tickets and advertisements for all Post events as well as works in tandem with Post Adjutant Jerry Hyder to publish the Post 112 Dispatch. We thank you for all you do. Chas, as it is through your efforts that our members are able to stay in the know of all Post events and news.

We are currently planning future events and have some new enhancements to the Patio coming, so keep an eye out for these exciting things in the works!

To all we can do TOGETHER,
Ed Lockhart
Commander
Ontario Squadron 112



UPCOMING POST 112 EVENTS

Monday, September 4, 2023

Riders Host 2nd Annual Labor Day Event. Pulled Pork Sandwiches, and more, plus sides! Opportunity Drawings! Look for our flyer elsewhere in this issue, at the Post, and our Website!

Saturday September 30, 2023

Auxiliary Hosts "Western Night" Ribs or Chicken Dinner, plus sides. Live entertainment, Line Dancing. \$20 Donation - Reservations Needed. See flyer elsewhere in this issue.

Saturday, October 14, 2023

"Son's Sausage Sizzle" 2 kinds of sausages, plus sides. Stay tuned for details.

Saturday, November 11, 2023

SAL Hosts 112's Annual Veteran's Day Celebration. Guest Speakers ♦ Live Music Opportunity Drawings! Stay Tuned!

November 2023 Auxiliary Hosts their Annual Thanksgiving Dinner, Date TBA. 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 7-Close

EVERY FRIDAY 6pm

Karaoke 6 - Close

EVERY SUNDAY 9 am

Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1:30-4:30 pm

OFFICERS 2023 - 2024

42023 - 2024 OFFICERS

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		Tracy Wilson
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		
<i>" All Legion 112 Family Members Welcome to Attend"</i>		
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 Calendar ★ Sept. - Oct. 2023

	SEPTEMBER
Friday Sept 8	Dist 25 Meeting Post 106 Redlands 10 am
Saturday Sept 16	Post 149 Escondido SAL meeting 09:00 AM , Training 10:00 AM–1:00 PM, 40/8 , PCC
Sunday Sept 17	Post 149 Escondido Legion Membership meeting 10 am - 1 pm
Saturday - Sunday September 23 - 24	Area 5 Meeting Post 149, Escondido POC: Tracy "Milo" Dalton (925) 577-7460
	OCTOBER
Friday October 13	United States Navy Established 1775 ◆ 248 Years Old ◆
Thursday, October 26	◆ National Day of the Deployed ◆ ◆ A day set aside to honor all of the brave men and woman who have been deployed and are sacrificing, or have sacrificed, their lives to fight for our country and acknowledges their families that they are separated from.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

September October

Merle Swonger	4th
Virginia Lucero	20th
John R. Shedlock	21st
Linda Bryant	23rd
Genoa McCabe	27th

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Rita Warren-Johnson	4th
Grace Kendall	4th
Leon W. Dabbs	14th
Reyes H. Aguilera	18th
Socorro Baca	18th

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

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