



THE POST 112 **DISPATCH**

ONTARIO AMERICAN LEGION



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From Post 112 Commander Joe Alvarado

Dear Legion Members:



Welcome our new Legionnaire Officers for the year 2026/2027:

1st Vice - **Michelle Duncan** U.S. Navy; 2nd Vice - **Darnell Norman**, USMC; Finance Officer - **Dick Duplain**, U.S. Army; Chaplain - **Paula Steinbach**, U.S. Navy; Historian - **Nancy Ackerson**, U.S. Army; Sgt-At-Arms - **John Wilson**, U.S. Army; Judge Advocate - **Jesse James**, USMC; Adjutant - **Roger Chase**, U.S. Navy; Member At Large - **Jimmy Melton**, USMC; Member At Large - **Gilbert Diaz**, USMC; Service Officer - **Roger Katona**, U.S. Navy.

I would like to thank all the Legionnaires who voted me in as your Commander for the 4th term.

Thanks to all for your continued support of Ontario American Legion Post #112.

Please check our website at www.americanlegionpost112ontario.com for upcoming events.

A special shout out to all the fathers and grandfathers, brothers, sons and to all who have passed.

We hope all our Fathers had a wonderful Father's Day here at the Post!

Respectfully,
Commander Joe Alvarado,
American Legion Post 112
U.S. Army

 **AMERICAN
LEGION**

From SAL Squadron 112 Commander **Ed Lockhart**

SONS OF THE
 AMERICAN
LEGION



Greetings!

I am pleased to announce that our elections have been completed, and our newly installed officers are as follows:

Commander - **Ed Lockhart**; 1st Vice - **Fernando Flores**; 2nd Vice - **Scott Race**; Finance Officer - **Marty Woods**; Adjutant - **Chas Collucci**; Chaplain - **John Gill**; Sgt at Arms- **Scott Race**; Historian- **Fernando Flores**.

I also want to share that I have set **new personal goals** for this term and will do my best to lead with **integrity, thoughtful judgment, and an open mind**. As a board, it is important that we **listen first, support one another, and collaborate effectively to build trust**. As a volunteer organization, fostering **a respectful, supportive, and positive atmosphere is key to our success**.

Also, our Officers would like to acknowledge outgoing **Legion Riders Director Jimmy "Da Man" Melton** for his unwavering support of our Squadron. Jimmy is responsible for recruiting many members of our Squadron and has always fostered the spirit volunteerism. **Thank you Jimmy!**

Our Squadron officers are excited to work **TOGETHER** with all the Post 112 families this year to continue to grow and support our Post and to **never lose focus that we are here to support our Veterans!**



To all we can do ***Together,***

Ed Lockhart

Commander, Ontario Squadron 112





*From Auxiliary Unit 112 President
Cindy Alvarado*



Dear Auxiliary Members:

I wish to thank everyone who voted me to serve for a 3rd term as your Auxiliary President. I am looking forward to another fabulous year. **Congratulations to our new Officers for 2026/2027: Yolanda Lopez**, 1st Vice; **Nancy Kutay**, 2nd Vice; **Rita Hansen**, Treasurer; **Mary Lou Lizarraga**, Secretary; **Martha Underhill**, Parliamentarian; **Margie Gill**, Chaplain; **Emmy Rodriguez**, Sgt. At Arms; **Bobette Hagerdorn**, Historian.

We welcome our **new Auxiliary members** who have joined our Unit #112: **Deborah A. Barnes**, **Gina M. Franklin**, **Laura Mejia**, **Teresa K. Sparks**, **Angelica Vázquez**, **Gina Ranette Villagrana**, **Susan K. Volz**, **Lacie M. Ward**. We along with the new Officers *look forward to all of you volunteering for our Veterans*. Thank You ladies!

It is with great sadness that we share the loss of two of our active Auxiliary family members, Genoa McCabe and Alice Marshall. *Please keep their families in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

Please visit our website at www.americanlegionpost112ontario.com for upcoming events.

Stay cool this summer and be sure to drink plenty of water. Once again, thank you everyone for your ongoing support of American Legion Post #112 Ontario.

God Bless all of you and God Bless our Veterans.

Respectfully,
Cindy Alvarado
Auxiliary President



**HAPPY 250TH
BIRTHDAY**

1776-2026

America!





From Legion Riders Chapter 112 Director
Jimmy Melton



Greetings to all members of the Post 112 Family: WOW! Six months into the year, my how time flies when you are having fun.

We just held our Dinner Comedy Show. A big shout-out to everyone who attended; you all had a great time. Good Food (The LA Taco Man), Great Comedy Show. Raffle prizes, Silent Auction items. **Want to thank all for your participation, making our event a success, and I look forward to future events.** Watch for flyers. **Coming Soon: 5th Annual Labor Day event (Monday, September 7th).** AGAIN, I (we) **THANK YOU!** *You are what makes our events so special.*

During the months of May-June, **Chapter 112 attended and participated in twenty-five Community and American Legion events**, including the Dedication of the **Goldstar Memorial at Central Park in Rancho Cucamonga.** If you have not seen the Memorial, it is well worth the time and effort. *I think you will be impressed.*

Other Riders news/rumors: We held our elections, and there are some changes to our Officers for 26-27; they are as follows:

Director: **David "Corrie Camino" Smith**; Vice Director: **Mike "Hawkeye" Winter**; Secretary: **Kyle "3rd Wheel" Millager**; Treasurer: **Simon "El Oso" Dekker**; Sgt at Arms: **Scott "Zilla" Race**; Jr Past Director: **Jimmy "daMan" Melton**. Appointed Officers for 26-27: Chaplain: **John "Archer" Wilson**; Judge Advocate: **Dennis "Navrick" Navarre**; Road Captain: **Scott Schaeffer** (Road name to be determined)

Welcome to our **newest member, Lonn Vandriessche.** Additionally, we are processing **one new applicant and six transfer applicants**, all of whom have ALR experience. *(All in attendance at the Dinner Comedy Show)*

Chapter 112 has 29 members, soon to be 35, representing Post 112 at American Legion, Area, District, ALR, and Community events.

All are welcome to attend our meetings, held the fourth Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm at Post 112. If you have any suggestions or ideas on how we may better serve our Post and Community, please we like to hear from you.

Semper Fi,
Respectfully,

Jimmy Melton
Director, ALR Chapter 112
ALR/DOC

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



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POST 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 \$12 PER PERSON! (From 9 am -12 pm)**

KARAOKE ON SUNDAYS 1:30 – 5 pm



HOT DOG MONDAYS!

Starting at 2 pm Enjoy our Post 112 Hot Dogs
with a variety of toppings!

HAMBURGER TUESDAYS!

Starting at 2 pm ♦ Build Your Own Burger!
Ground Beef Tacos also available!



WEDNESDAY DINNERS

DINNER SERVED 6 – 7:30 pm

**INCLUDES SALAD BAR, BAKED POTATO & ROLL
SUGGESTED MINIMUM DONATIONS**

Filet Mignon \$16 Rib Eye \$16

Top Sirloin \$14 Chicken or Pork Chop \$14

AFTER DINNER, STICK AROUND FOR

KARAOKE, Beginning Around 7:30 pm



SAL 112 THURSDAY LUNCH + MUSIC!

**A Different Lunch Special is Featured Each Week - Served 1-5 pm,
\$10 Donation, with Music Videos by DJ Fernando!
See the message board for this week's Special!**

FISH & CHIPS FRIDAY!

Served 3-7 pm Fish & Chips \$12 Donation
Cheeseburger & Fries \$12 Donation
Stick Around for KARAOKE 6 - Close



July 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Lounge open 2pm Steak Night 6:00—7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Legionnaires	2 Lounge open 1pm S.A.L. Lunch 1pm Rotating Menu until food runs out	3 Lounge open 2pm Fish & Chips Burgers & Fries 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	4 Independence Day S.A.L. serving Pulled Pork or Chicken \$12 Donation Suggested 11:30-1:30pm Live Music 6-9pm "Cold Shot"
5 Breakfast 9-Noon S.A.L. Mtg 11am AUX Mtg 12pm Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm	6 Lounge open 2pm Margarita Monday	7 Lounge open 2pm Taco Tuesday 2-7pm \$8 Donation Suggested	8 Lounge open 2pm Steak Night 6:00—7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Auxiliary	9 Lounge open 1pm S.A.L. Lunch 1pm Rotating Menu until food runs out	10 Lounge open 2pm Fish & Chips Burgers & Fries 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	11 Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9pm "Rock 'n Rose"
12 Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm	13 Lounge open 2pm Margarita Monday Legionnaire Mtg 6pm	14 Lounge open 2pm Taco Tuesday 2-7pm \$8 Donation Suggested	15 Lounge open 2pm Steak Night 6:00—7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Riders	16 Lounge open 1pm S.A.L. Lunch 1pm Rotating Menu until food runs out	17 Lounge open 2pm Fish & Chips Burgers & Fries 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	18 Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9pm "The Mix"
19 Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm	20 Lounge open 2pm Margarita Monday	21 Lounge open 2pm Taco Tuesday 2-7pm \$8 Donation Suggested	22 Lounge open 2pm Steak Night 6:00—7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 S.A.L.	23 S.A.L. Hosts "Stogies and Spirits" Bring your own Cigars! Food by Gaby the Taquitos Lady Starting at 1:30pm ALR Mtg 6pm	24 Lounge open 2pm Fish & Chips Burgers & Fries 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	25 Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9pm "Sunglasses at Night"
26 Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm	27 Lounge open 2pm Margarita Monday	28 Lounge open 2pm Taco Tuesday 2-7pm \$8 Donation Suggested	29 Lounge open 2pm Steak Night 6:00—7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Legionnaires	30 Lounge open 1pm S.A.L. Lunch 1pm Rotating Menu until food runs out	31 Lounge open 2pm Fish & Chips Burgers & Fries 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	

August 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						<i>1</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>Live Music 6-9pm</i> <i>"Redd House"</i>
<i>2</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>S.A.L. Mtg 11am</i> <i>AUX Mtg 12pm</i> <i>Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm</i>	<i>3</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Margarita Monday</i>	<i>4</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Taco Tuesday</i> <i>2-7pm</i> <i>\$8 Donation Suggested</i>	<i>5</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Steak Night</i> <i>6:00—7:30pm</i> <i>Karaoke 7:30pm</i> <i>50-50 Auxiliary</i>	<i>6</i> <i>Lounge open 1pm</i> <i>S.A.L. Lunch 1pm</i> <i>Rotating Menu</i> <i>until food runs out</i>	<i>7</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Fish & Chips</i> <i>Burgers & Fries</i> <i>3-7pm \$10</i> <i>Karaoke 6pm to close</i>	<i>8</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>Live Music 6-9pm</i> <i>"Vengeance"</i>
<i>9</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm</i>	<i>10</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Margarita Monday</i> <i>Legionnaire Mtg 6pm</i>	<i>11</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Taco Tuesday</i> <i>2-7pm</i> <i>\$8 Donation Suggested</i>	<i>12</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Steak Night</i> <i>6:00—7:30pm</i> <i>Karaoke 7:30pm</i> <i>50-50 Riders</i>	<i>13</i> <i>Lounge open 1pm</i> <i>S.A.L. Lunch 1pm</i> <i>Rotating Menu</i> <i>until food runs out</i>	<i>14</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Fish & Chips</i> <i>Burgers & Fries</i> <i>3-7pm \$10</i> <i>Karaoke 6pm to close</i>	<i>15</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>Live Music 6-9pm</i> <i>"Brick Alley"</i>
<i>16</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm</i>	<i>17</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Margarita Monday</i>	<i>18</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Taco Tuesday</i> <i>2-7pm</i> <i>\$8 Donation Suggested</i>	<i>19</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Steak Night</i> <i>6:00—7:30pm</i> <i>Karaoke 7:30pm</i> <i>50-50 SAL</i>	<i>20</i> <i>Lounge open 1pm</i> <i>S.A.L. Lunch 1pm</i> <i>Rotating Menu</i> <i>until food runs out</i>	<i>21</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Fish & Chips</i> <i>Burgers & Fries</i> <i>3-7pm \$10</i> <i>Karaoke 6pm to close</i>	<i>22</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>Live Music 6-9pm</i> <i>"Classics 150"</i>
<i>23</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm</i>	<i>24</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Margarita Monday</i>	<i>25</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Taco Tuesday</i> <i>2-7pm</i> <i>\$8 Donation Suggested</i>	<i>26</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Steak Night</i> <i>6:00—7:30pm</i> <i>Karaoke 7:30pm</i> <i>50-50 Legionnaires</i>	<i>27</i> <i>Lounge open 1pm</i> <i>S.A.L. Lunch 1pm</i> <i>Rotating Menu</i> <i>until food runs out</i> <i>ALR Mtg 6pm</i>	<i>28</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Fish & Chips</i> <i>Burgers & Fries</i> <i>3-7pm \$10</i> <i>Karaoke 6pm to close</i>	<i>29</i> <i>S.A.L. hosts</i> <i>"SONS of the Beach"</i> <i>12-4pm</i> <i>Live Music 6-9pm</i> <i>"Rebel Shades"</i>
<i>30</i> <i>Breakfast 9-Noon</i> <i>Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm</i>	<i>31</i> <i>Lounge open 2pm</i> <i>Margarita Monday</i>					

UPCOMING POST 112 EVENTS

Saturday, July 4, 2026

SAL 112 Hosts the Post 112 Independence Day Festivities! Come help celebrate America's 250th Birthday! Post opens at 10 am.

Join us for Huge Pulled Pork or Chicken Sandwiches with sides. Just \$12 Donation. Served from 11:30 am – 1:30 pm.

Opportunity Drawings – 50/50! See Distributed Flyers!

Thursday, July 23, 2026

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND! SAL 112 Hosts “Stogies & Spirits”

A Relaxing, Stress-Free Afternoon of Cigars, Spirits, Great Food (Gaby the Taco Lady) & Great Music! BYOC! [Bring your own Cigars!] See Flyer in this issue of The Dispatch!

Saturday, August 29, 2026

SAL 112 Hosts “SONS OF THE BEACH” From 12-4

Great Food, Drink Specials, Music, and Opportunity Drawings!

Stay tuned for details!

Monday, September 7, 2026

Legion Riders Chapter 112 Hosts their Annual Labor Day Celebration! Food, Fun, Music, and Opportunity Drawings!

Stay tuned for Details!



Live Entertainment Every Saturday Night!

Check out our flyer elsewhere in this issue, at the post, and our website!



JOIN US SATURDAY NIGHTS FOR *LIVE ENTERTAINMENT!*

at ONTARIO
AMERICAN
LEGION

July - August 2026

- | | |
|--------------|-----------------------|
| Sat. July 4 | "Cold Shot" |
| Sat. July 11 | "Rock 'n Rose" |
| Sat. July 18 | "The Mix" |
| Sat. July 25 | "Sunglasses at Night" |
| Sat. Aug. 1 | "Redd House" |
| Sat. Aug. 8 | "Vengeance" |
| Sat. Aug. 15 | "Brick Alley" |
| Sat. Aug. 22 | "Classics 150" |
| Sat. Aug. 29 | "Rebel Shades" |

LIVE BAND

**LIVE
MUSIC**

**LIVE
ENTERTAINMENT**

Saturday Bands Play 6 - 9 pm Food will be available.



SONS OF THE
AMERICAN LEGION

★ **SQUADRON 112** ★

★ **BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!** ★

STOGIES & SPIRITS

Enjoy a RELAXING,
STRESS FREE
AFTERNOON
OF CIGARS, SPIRITS
AND FEATURING
*Gaby
The Taquitos
Lady!*

**GREAT
MUSIC**

★ SERVING
DELICIOUS
*Chicken
Taquitos* ★

BYOC
(BRING YOUR
OWN CIGARS)

**THURSDAY
JULY 23RD**
STARTING AT
★ **1:30PM** ★



PLEASE TEXT RSVP TO
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BY MONDAY JULY 20TH

★ **1400 S. VINEYARD AVE, ONTARIO CA 91761** ★

★ GREAT CIGARS, FINE SPIRITS, GREAT MUSIC AND GOOD COMPANY VIBES ★



JULY 4TH At The Legion!

★ HOSTED BY ★
**SONS of the
AMERICAN LEGION**
SQUADRON 112



★ **SATURDAY JULY 4TH 2026** ★



POST OPENS
10AM



LUNCH SERVED
11:30AM TO 1:30PM

JOIN US FOR HUGE 6 - 8 OZ

★ **PULLED PORK
OR CHICKEN** ★
Sandwiches, with sides.



STILL ONLY
\$12!
SUGGESTED
MINIMUM
DONATION

★ **OPPORTUNITY DRAWINGS! 50/50!** ★

★ **Let Freedom Ring!** ★

Come on down AND JOIN US IN CELEBRATING
AMERICA'S 250TH BIRTHDAY
AT THE AMERICAN LEGION

★ 1400 S. VINEYARD AVE, ONTARIO CA 91761 ★



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

JULY



AUGUST

John Wasson	5th
Rick Reininger	7th
Enrique Espinosa	9th
Misty Faber	11th
Richard Mautz	13th
Nancy G. Kutay	16th
Roger Katona	20th
Joe Alvarado	22nd
Sharon Giddens	30th

★
2026
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Kathleen Wilhoit	1st
Mary Bovert	5th
Connie Rachman	8th
James J. Schickel	14th
Paula E. Steinbach	16th
Tom Amason	22nd

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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

E-mail the editor - rogerchasealpost112 @ gmail.com

OFFICERS 2026 - 2027

LEGION POST 112 - MEETS 2nd MONDAY, 6 pm

COMMANDER	Joe Alvarado
1st VICE COMMANDER	Michelle Duncan
2nd VICE COMMANDER	Darnell Norman
ADJUTANT	Roger Chase
FINANCE OFFICER	Richard "Dick" Duplain
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	John Wilson
CHAPLAIN	Paula Steinbach
JUDGE ADVOCATE	R.D. "Jesse" James
HISTORIAN	Nancy Ackerson
SERVICE OFFICER	Roger Katona
MEMBER AT LARGE	Gilbert Diaz
MEMBER AT LARGE	Jimmy Melton



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

COMMANDER	Ed Lockhart
1st VICE COMMANDER	Fernando Flores
2nd VICE COMMANDER	Scott Race
ADJUTANT	Chas Collucci
FINANCE OFFICER	Rich "Marty" Woods
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	Scott Race
HISTORIAN	Fernando Flores
CHAPLAIN	John Gill



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

PRESIDENT	Cindy Alvarado
1st VICE PRESIDENT	Yolanda Lopez
2nd VICE PRESIDENT	Nancy Kutay
TREASURER	Rita Hansen
SECRETARY	Mary Lou Lizarraga
SGT-AT-ARMS	Emmy Rodriguez
HISTORIAN	Bobette Hagerdorn
PARLIAMENTARIAN	Martha Underhill
CHAPLAIN	Margie Gill



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

"All Legion 112 Family Members Welcome to Attend"



DIRECTOR	David "Corrie Camino" Smith
VICE DIRECTOR	Mike "Hawkeye" Winter
SECRETARY	Kyle "3rd Wheel" Millager
TREASURER	Simon "El Oso" Dekker
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	Scott "Zilla" Race
JR. PAST DIRECTOR	Jimmy "Da Man" Melton
CHAPLAIN	John "Archer" Wilson
JUDGE ADVOCATE	Dennis "Naverick" Navarre
ROAD CAPTAIN	Scott Schaeffer [Road Name TBD]

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*Serving the Community and Veterans
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Monday – Friday → 2 pm – 9 pm

Saturday → 9 am – 9 pm

Sunday → 9 am – 5 pm

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