



THE Post 112 **DISPATCH** **ONTARIO AMERICAN LEGION**



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From Post 112 Commander Joe Alvarado

Dear Legion Members:



Those holiday months are once again approaching us \$\$\$!!!...

I wish to thank the Legionnaires, Sons, Riders and Auxiliary members for making 2025 another successful year at Post #112.

On October 11, I attended a flag ceremony at Fire Station #9 in Ontario along with Jim Fergot, who facilitated the installation of the flag box at our legion. We also received an American Flag with 48 stars which is displayed at our POW table. *Thank you Mr. Fergot for the invitation and flag it was an honor to receive it.*

On October 16th, I had the honor of joining Jesse James, Rita Hansen, and Cindy Alvarado in presenting a donation of \$335.00—and more—from our Legion Post #112 family to Betty Volk, in support of Veterans Village in Loma Linda. A heartfelt thank-you to Arlene Lara from the 25th District for taking pictures and sharing in our visit. *Our goal is to always help our Veterans and their families.*

Please join us in welcoming Mike Winter, U.S. Air Force, as the newest member of Post #112 in Ontario. We're honored to have him aboard!

Don't forget Veterans Day November 11th. As your Commander, I salute all of our Veterans and those who have passed on.

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

 AMERICAN
LEGION





*From Legion Riders Chapter 112 Director
Jimmy Melton*



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

During September and October, Chapter 112 participated in twenty-seven (27) different Community, Post, and ALR events, and participated in three Veteran Memorials/ Funerals.

Chapter 112 thanks everyone for their support and attendance during our "Fourth Annual Labor Event." You are very much appreciated.

We are planning the Post 105th Birthday Celebration, Saturday night, February 7th, 2026. Stay tuned for details. Rumor has it there will be raffle baskets, silent auction items, opportunity drawing and a lot of fun!

On a sad note, on October 2, 2025, **Bobby G. Brown**, 25th District Commander, Legionnaire, Naval Veteran, Rider, Loving Husband, and Father, has Transferred to Post Everlasting. Please keep his family in your thoughts and prayers.

The holidays are upon us, man "where has this year gone?" Just yesterday it was New Years. Before you know it we will all be involved in local toy and food drives, supporting those less fortunate in our community. I know the Riders will be making our annual run to Barstow Veterans home in November, participating in the feed the hungry program, along with supporting our post family activities.

Chapter 112 presently has twenty four members, two applicants, and two support volunteers representing Post 112 Family at all ALR/PGR memorials, District. Area, and local community events. *We meet the fourth Thursday of the month, Post 112 at 6:30pm. We are always looking for new members and willing to assist all members of the Post 112 Family.*

On behalf of Chapter 112, "Have a blessed and joyful holiday season!"

Semper Fi, Respectfully,

Jimmy Melton, Director, ALR Chapter 112, ALR/DOC

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

Ticket sales for the Queen of Hearts

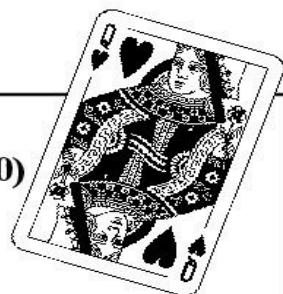
► 1 ticket is a dollar, 6 tickets is five (5) dollars, 14 tickets is ten (10) dollars, 30 tickets is (20) dollars, 150 tickets is (100.00) dollars.

► Remember the game is open to all American Legion members (Auxiliary, Sons of the American Legion) in good standing.

Not just from our Post. Remember your legion card is required to participate.

► Ticket sales end at 7 pm (Friday) night of the drawing. Drawing is at 7:30 pm Friday night. WINNER MUST BE PRESENT!

► Rules are posted next to the Queen of Hearts board. Need/want a copy see me and I will provide you one.



Respectfully, **Jimmy Melton Chairman, Queen of Hearts**

JOIN US SATURDAY NIGHTS FOR *LIVE ENTERTAINMENT!*

at ONTARIO
AMERICAN
LEGION

November - December 2025

Sat. Nov. 1

“Phoenix Rising”



Sat. Nov. 8 SAL 112 Hosts Veterans Day Event

GOTT Spaghetti Dinner / Opportunity Drawings / DJ Fernando [See Flyer]

Sat. Nov. 15

“Taylor Made Band”



Sat. Nov. 22

“MLC” Performs – Auxiliary Unit 112 Hosts

Thanksgiving Dinner – Advance Tickets Necessary [See Flyer]

Sat. Nov. 29

“FM - Station Band”



Sat. Dec. 6

“The Gaslighters”

Sat. Dec. 13

“MLC”

Sat. Dec. 20

“I U All Stars” Christmas Dinner with Santa

Sat. Dec. 27

“Cold Shot”

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

November



Albert Cervantes	6th
Elizabeth Lopez	9th
Roger Chase	15th
Lillian Rivera	17th
Joseph Van Driesen	17th
Fernando Flores	18th
Eynon Petter	19th
Eugene Hernandez	20th
Johnny Contreras	25th
Jenny Jimenez	29th
Diane Gutierrez	30th

December

Mike Cardenas	4th
James Sanchez	13th
Robert Rangel	24th

2025



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

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From SAL Squadron 112 Commander
Ed Lockhart



Greetings!

As the Holiday season approaches, we would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all veterans and their families for their service, sacrifice, and unwavering dedication. As we celebrate, let us also remember the importance of never forgetting the values that unite us as members of The Sons of The American Legion.

Our organization stands as a proud reminder of the legacy of those who have served, and it is our duty to honor their sacrifices by carrying forward the spirit of service, patriotism, and community.

We will be hosting our annual Veterans Day event on November 8th to honor all of our Veterans. We will be serving the famous Gott Spaghetti as well as salad and garlic bread. Our own DJ Fernando will be playing your favorite music, and a good time is certain to be had for all. Don't miss out on this great event!

Wishing you peace, joy, and a meaningful holiday season.

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



Special Notice



**Post 112 will once again be open on Thanksgiving Day
Thursday, November 27, 2025, from 11 am 'til 2 pm.**

- **We welcome everyone to join us as our guests: Veterans, seniors, students, singles, those without a home, and anyone else.**
- **Meals will be provided free of charge and will be available until it is gone or 2 pm sharp.**
- **This is a completely volunteer event -**
in case you would like to volunteer or donate, please contact Ed Lockhart via email at edl3@verizon.net.

Come on in and enjoy a warm meal and watch some football!

OFFICERS 2025 - 2026

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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	Roger Katona
SERVICE OFFICER	Scott Burroughs
MEMBER AT LARGE	Gilbert Diaz
MEMBER AT LARGE	E. "Gus" Gustafson
MEMBER AT LARGE	Glenn Erickson



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

COMMANDER	Ed Lockhart
1st VICE COMMANDER	Clayton Bush
2nd VICE COMMANDER	Leonard Erhardt
ADJUTANT	Chas Colucci
FINANCE OFFICER	Rich "Marty" Woods
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	Scott Race
HISTORIAN	Fernando Flores
CHAPLAIN	Chris Smith

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

PRESIDENT	Cindy Alvarado
1st VICE PRESIDENT	Cindy Fleming
2nd VICE PRESIDENT	Stephanie Norman
SECRETARY/TREASURER	Rita Hansen
SGT-AT-ARMS	Emmy Rodriguez
HISTORIAN	Bobette Hagerdorn
PARLIAMENTARIAN	Nancy Kutay
CHAPLAIN	Margie Gill



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	David "Pilgrim" McCall
SECRETARY	Kyle "3rd Wheel" Millager
TREASURER	Simon "El Oso" Dekker
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS	Kevin "Buster" Martin
CHAPLAIN	John "Archer" Wilson
JUDGE ADVOCATE	Dennis "Naverick" Navarre
ROAD CAPTAIN	Scott "Zilla" Race

November 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						<p>1 Breakfast 9-Noon Live Music 6-9PM "Phoenix Rising"</p>
2 2Area 5 Mtg. Post 595—Perris POC Tim Moore (951) 544-9232 S.A.L. Mtg. 11:00am Aux. Mtg. 12:30pm Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1:30-5:00pm	3 Margarita Monday Lounge open 2 PM Monday Night Football 5 PM	4 Taco Tuesday 2-7pm \$8 Lounge open 2 PM	5 Lounge open 2 PM Steak Night 6:00—7:30pm Karaoke 7:30pm 50-50 Riders	6 S.A.L. Lunch 1pm Rotating Lunch Menu Thursday Night Football 5pm	7 Lounge open 2 PM Fish & Chips Burgers & Fries 3-7pm \$10 Karaoke 6pm to close	<p>8 SAL Veteran's Day Event Gott Spaghetti Opportunity Drawings DJ Fernando</p>
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December 2025

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28 <i>Breakfast 9-Noon Karaoke 1:30 - 5pm</i>	29 <i>Margarita Monday Lounge open 2 PM</i> Monday Night Football 5 PM	30 <i>Taco Tuesday 2-7pm \$8</i> Lounge open 2 PM	31 <i>New Year's Eve</i> Steak Night 6-7:30pm Followed by New Year's Party	<i>New Year's Day</i> Open 10AM Menudo served until gone Potluck All Day! Come watch College Bowl Football Games		

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 9:30-12 pm)

KARAOKE ON SUNDAYS 1:30 – 5 pm

MARGARITA MONDAYS!

Starting at 2 pm A Different Food Special Each Week!
Call 909-984-3811 or Visit our Facebook Page American Legion Post 112, Ontario CA For This Week's Special!

TACO TUESDAY!

Served 2 - 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 \$16 Rib Eye \$16

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

AFTER DINNER, STICK AROUND FOR

KARAOKE, Beginning Around 7:30 pm

SAL LUNCH + THURSDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL!

A Different Lunch Special Each Week Served 1-5 pm, \$10 Donation, with Music Videos
by DJ Fernando, Followed by TNF at 5 pm – Opportunity Drawings Each Quarter!

FISH & CHIPS FRIDAY!

Served 3-7 pm

Fish & Chips \$10 Suggested Minimum Donation

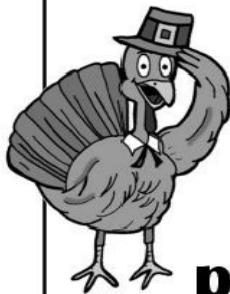
Cheeseburger & Fries

\$10 Suggested Minimum Donation

Stick Around for KARAOKE 6 - Close

AUXILIARY UNIT 112 THANKSGIVING DINNER

Saturday November 22



**Turkey Dinner with all the Trimmings -
Dessert Included! \$15 Donation per
person. Advance Tickets Necessary. Live
Music by MLC. Stay Tuned for more Details!**



*From Auxiliary Unit 112 President
Cindy Alvarado*



Dear Members:

As the holidays approach please donate a little bit of your time for our veterans. It is very appreciated from our veterans to give from your heart, especially during these holidays.

Welcome our newest member **Mary Ellen Miller** to our Auxiliary Unit 112. We also mourn the loss of one of our Auxiliary Members **Sandy Rico** who passed away after having an aneurysm. *Please keep Sandy's family in your prayers.* We will also be draping our charter in remembrance of Sandy at our November Auxiliary meeting, Sunday November 2nd @ 12:00 pm.

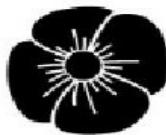
Check our website for upcoming holiday events in November and December at www.americanlegionpost112ontario.com

We had an excellent visit to Veterans Village in Loma Linda and presented them with a donation check from all our organizations at Post #112. We will be asking for donations for Veterans Village to help the veterans and their families.

Please be safe during this holiday season and drive safely.

God Bless America and God Bless Our Veterans.

Respectfully,
Cindy Alvarado
Auxiliary President



**AMERICAN
LEGION
AUXILIARY**

2025
Toy Drive
Giving Children Hope

**Watch for
information about
the Annual
TOY DRIVE and
FOOD DRIVE
Sponsored by
Auxiliary Unit 112.
Stay Tuned!**

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UPCOMING POST 112 EVENTS

Saturday, November 8, 2025

SAL 112 Hosts Veterans Day Celebration! Featuring GOTT Spaghetti, Opportunity Drawings, Entertainment. Join us in celebrating our Veterans! See Flyer in this issue.

Saturday, November 22, 2025

Auxiliary Unit 112 Annual Thanksgiving Dinner.
\$15 Donation Per Person. Advance Tickets Necessary.
MLC Performs. Stay tuned for details

Thursday, November 27, 2025

Post open at 11 am for complimentary Turkey Dinner.
See **Special Notice** flyer in this issue of the Dispatch.

Saturday, December 20, 2025

Post 112 Christmas Party. Special Menu. Advance Tickets Necessary. Live Band. Stay Tuned for Details!

Thursday, December 25, 2025

Christmas Day - Post Open 12 Noon - Pot Luck All Day!

Wednesday, December 31, 2025

New Years Eve - Steak Night 6-7:30, Followed by
New Year's Party TBA - Stay Tuned!

Thursday, January 1, 2026

New Years Day - Post Open 10 am, Menudo Available
Until Gone - Pot Luck All Day

Live Entertainment Every Saturday Night!

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

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL @ THE LEGION

WEDNESDAY DINNERS 6-7:30 Followed by Karaoke

THURSDAY 1 pm SAL Lunch / FOOTBALL @ 5pm

KARAOKE EVERY FRIDAY 6 pm - Close

SUNDAY BREAKFAST 9 am - Noon



American Legion Post 112

Observes

VETERANS DAY 2025

ON Saturday, November 8

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED



VETERANS
DAY

Honoring All Who Served



SONS OF
THE
AMERICAN
LEGION

Saturday, Nov. 8, 2025

S.A.L. Squadron 112 Invites You To
Join Us in Celebrating our Veterans!

Featuring the Legendary
GOTT Spaghetti!

So Good - It's Gott Its Own Fan Club!

Entertainment by DJ Fernando!

Suggested Donation

\$15

Pre-Sale Tickets Available

Served 5 pm -

Dinner Includes **Until we run out!**
Spaghetti, Salad, & Garlic Bread

Delicious Desserts will be Available!

OPPORTUNITY DRAWINGS & BASKETS!

50/50 GUEST SPEAKERS!



★ District / Area Meetings ★

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Sunday, November 2

Area 5 Meeting - Post 595 Perris

Point of Contact: Tim Moore, (951) 544-9232

Sunday, November 9

District 25 Meeting - Location TBD

Visit Post 112 Online!

Our Website:

www.AmericanLegionPost112ontario.com



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Serving the Community & Veterans of the Greater Ontario Area
POST HOURS

Mon-Fri 2-9 pm | Sat. 9 am-9 pm | Sun. 9 am – 5 pm

ONTARIO AMERICAN LEGION **HOLIDAY HOURS 2025**

THURSDAY NOV. 27th
THANKSGIVING DAY
POST OPEN 11 am – 2 pm

Complimentary meal for those in need: We welcome Veterans, seniors, students, singles, those without a home. Served until it is gone, or 2 pm sharp.



FRIDAY, NOV. 28 - OPEN REGULAR HOURS

CHRISTMAS EVE, WED. DECEMBER 24
BAR CLOSES @ 5 PM - NO STEAK NIGHT



OPEN CHRISTMAS DAY **THURSDAY, DEC. 25th**
POST OPEN **12 NOON**
POT LUCK  **ALL DAY!**

NEW YEAR'S EVE, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 31
STEAK NIGHT 6 - 7:30 PM FOLLOWED BY NEW YEAR'S PARTY
Stay Tuned for Details!

OPEN NEW YEAR'S DAY, THURS. JAN. 1, 2026
POST OPEN @ 10 am  **COME WATCH THE COLLEGE BOWL GAMES!**
POT LUCK  **ALL DAY!**