

February Legion Newsletter



Greetings Brethren,

Oh my Gosh. It is the first of February. It seems like last week were getting ready for the Christmas Holidays.

But what a wonderful January we had. We had the Legionnaire Sunday breakfast on January 8th. We had an excellent turn out by the lodge members and by our Legion Volunteers. Thanks to the many Legion Volunteers for your support. Our next Sunday Breakfast will be on February 5th from 7:30am to 10.00am.

We had our Legion Meeting January 10th. We had a full board and roughly 30 Legionnaires attend the meeting. The members voted on having the Legionnaire Shrimp Fest on March 11th. More details to come and tickets will be on sale soon. We have an excellent band scheduled.

The Richmond East Legionnaires "Chili-Cookoff" on January 15th was a great success. Many thanks to our community chairman Chris Lambert on organizing the event. We had 21 entries. Congratulations to Kenny Pope for his winning entry.

We are looking for ideas for a Legion event in April. Baby-back rib cook-off, picnic, cornhole tournament, band? Would like to hold this social gathering at the pavilion. Please bring your ideas to the next Legion Meeting.

Please keep the following dates on your calendar:

On the 1st Sunday of every month, the Legionnaires provide a breakfast from 7:30am to 10am. This month, the first Sunday is February 5th. Please mark your calendars accordingly. We need volunteers for key positions in the kitchen.

The February 10th there will be a "Sweetheart Dance" in the social quarters. We will need Legionnaire volunteers to assist with serving dinner and help with other needs for the dance.

The Richmond East Legionnaires meeting will be held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at **5:45pm**. This month, our meeting is on February 14th, Valentine's Day. The meeting will not be long so you can get home to your sweethearts. Please mark your calendars.

On the 2nd Friday of every month, it is the Legionnaires honor to serve dinner for our Lodge. We need Legionnaires to volunteer to serve and help in the kitchen from 5:30pm to 7:30pm. We will be serving dinner on February 10th.

Please contact Jim Updyke or myself if you would like to volunteer for any, or all, of our upcoming events.

Remember to do something good for someone each day.

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