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**Tony F. Soza- Ray Martinez American Legion  
Thunderbird Post 41 Newsletter July, 2015**



***Important Notice: Newsletters are no longer mailed out. Future newsletters will be available in print at the Post Home. All newsletters are always available online on the Legion Post website: LegionPost41.org***

**FROM COMMANDER LOUIE GARCIA -**

It is an honor and a privilege to be your commander. It is with great pride and respect for Post 41 that I will approach and perform my duties as commander. My sincere appreciation for your vote of confidence. I will work diligently to support the programs of the American Legion. I am looking forward to working with the officers of the new administration and the American Legion families. Our Executive Board officers are committed and dedicated to work for the good of the Legion and the membership of Post 41.

With every new administration, challenges will present themselves and decisions must be made. I will assure you decisions will be made with the best interest of the membership and the American Legion in mind. Throughout the year, we will have Post functions. Your participation and support at these functions are very important and play a vital role in supporting veteran programs, the operational cost of our Post, and the community support that we are able to provide.

As Legionnaires we should be informed and responsible members. Whenever possible, attend our general meetings. Any suggestions and ideas that you may have are greatly appreciated and welcomed. As members of our Post you have the right to express your opinion and voice your concerns. Remember it is your post and you do have a say on how it operates. In the coming months, I look forward to meeting and talking with everyone. Let us never lose sight of the fact we are a family of veterans and must work together to keep the American Legion strong.

For God and Country,

Louie Garcia / Commander Post 41

**Executive Committee Board of Directors 2015-2016 Administration**

<b>Commander -</b>	<b>Louie Garcia</b>
<b>Senior Vice Commander -</b>	<b>Frank Diaz</b>
<b>Junior Vice Commander -</b>	<b>Joe ‘Duky’ Reyes</b>
<b>Past Commander -</b>	<b>Richard Lucero</b>
<b>Adjutant -</b>	<b>George Quihuis</b>
<b>Service Officer -</b>	<i>vacant</i>
<b>Finance Officer -</b>	<b>Henry Daley</b>
<b>Chaplain -</b>	<b>Oscar Santa-Cruz</b>
<b>Executive Officers -</b>	<b>Alfonso Aranda</b>
	<b>David Benites</b>
	<b>Frank Camarena</b>
	<b>Louie Hernandez</b>
	<b>Carlos Ramirez</b>
<b>Judge Advocate -</b>	<b>Julian Natividad</b>
<b>Sgt. At Arms -</b>	<b>Jaime Verdugo</b>
<b>Club Stewart -</b>	<b>Carmen Lopez</b>
<b>Child &amp; Youth Director -</b>	<b>Frank Diaz</b>
<b>Sport Program Director -</b>	<i>vacant</i>

**Board of Trustees:**

**Rudy Chacon                      Al Quintana**

These are your Board of Director Officers for the administrative year 2015 - 2016. You can see them for any issues you may have.

**Affiliate Members:**

<b>Auxiliary Unit 41</b>	<b>Patricia Thomas</b>
<b>SAL Cmdr.</b>	<b>Louie Barragan</b>
<b>ALR Captain</b>	<b>Robert Velasquez</b>
<b>Boys Scouts/Cubs</b>	<b>Christina Padilla/ Mark Gustin</b>

**From the Senior Vice Commander -**

The American Legion was chartered and incorporated by Congress in 1919 as a patriotic veteran’s organization devoted to mutual helpfulness. It is the nation’s largest wartime veterans service organization committed to monitoring youth and sponsorship of wholesome program on our communities, advocating patriotism and honor promoting strong national security, and continued devotion to our fellow service members and veterans.

In January, 2016 the per capita (dues going to National) is expected to increase by \$5.00. Presently, the Post keeps \$8.00 of the \$30.00 membership dues. In order to maintain keeping the \$8, it is necessary to pass on the increase in dues to \$35.00. If you think of it, this increase will continue to assist in the operational cost of the Post and support the many programs Post 41 continues to provide to the community. Any additional increases would certainly help the Post even more so.

The American Legion’s success depends entirely on active membership participation and volunteerism. The organization belongs to the people it serves and the communities in which it thrives.

The 2016 membership cards are now available. Payment can be made in the Ronda Room with or without your renewal notice. Please make sure you receive a dated receipt upon making payment. Your card will be given to you as soon as possible, by either mail or by the membership chairperson should he be present at the time of renewal.

The American Legion is our opportunity to maintain a positive presence in the community and a way to bring us all together in a shared experience. Please renew your membership application to ensure that the American Legion remains the most powerful voice in America on behalf of veterans. If we wish to continue as an advocate of veteran benefits, we must strengthen our member base through recruitment and retention. We need to enlist more new and younger veterans.

Respectfully,

Frank Diaz,  
Sr. Vice Commander

***REMINDER NOTICE: General Membership meetings is on the first Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Please try to attend. Your participation is very important. The Post operations cannot completely function without your input and interest. The Executive Board meets on the Tuesday before the General meeting, then meets again two weeks later. You must call the Adjutant, or Commander if you have need to come before the Board.***

### *A word from Auxiliary Unit 41...*

Welcome to a new year. Please join me in welcoming the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 41 2015-2016 Executive Board: Donna Baca, Vice President; Esther Garcia, 2nd Vice President; Jessica Castillo, Secretary; Mary Cordova, Chaplain; Laurie Castillo, Treasurer; Mary Aguilera, Sargent-at-Arms; Patricia Lugo, Historian; Hope Iñiguez and Frances Ramos, Executive Committee; Josephine Herrera, Parliamentarian, and Maria Perkins, Jr Past President.

I would like to pay tribute to the 2014-2015 Executive Board members and general membership for a successful year. Past President Maria Perkins was an awesome leader for 2014-2015. President Perkins worked hard to ensure the Auxiliary functioned as a team. Her diligence and loyalty to serve veterans and the community was highly valued by everyone she encountered. Thank you Past President Maria Perkins, Executive Board members and general membership for your dedication and unlimited service to American Legion Auxiliary Unit 41 and the American Legion Post 41.

During President Perkins tenure, she established a method for Auxiliary and the Legion to collaborate in a fundraising event for the veterans of Post 41, Ladies Night. Ladies Night was held on Thursdays and Auxiliary made and sold food as a fundraiser with all proceeds going to the Legion. The event was such a success, therefore it will continue through this year's term. I encourage all veterans and Auxiliary members to "Come on Down" and have some fun on Thursdays from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM with music from DJ Angel; excluding General Meeting nights, the first Thursday of the month.

It is with great pleasure and honor to announce we have two Unit 41 Auxiliary members that are holding Arizona State Department Auxiliary positions. For the fiscal year 2015-2016 Josephine Herrera is our State Department President and Patricia Lugo is our State Department Chaplain. President Herrera's Special Project is raising funds for Fisher House, an organization that provides housing to veteran families while the veteran is undergoing medical treatment. The project is a noble cause and Auxiliary Unit 41

supports the President's project and wishes President Herrera and Chaplain Lugo a productive and successful year.

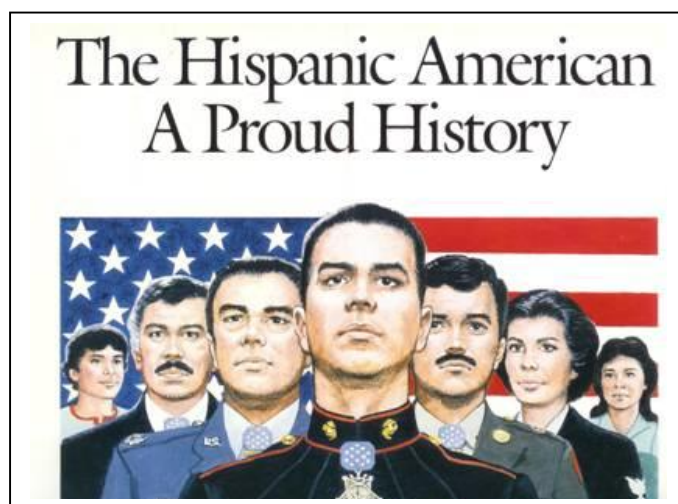
Menudo Sunday remains an Auxiliary Unit 41 event and is held in the Fuentes Hall at the American Legion Post 41. The doors are open from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM. We proudly serve breakfast to veterans and their families and the community. Any member is welcome to provide assistance; you will need a food handler's card.

Auxiliary Unit 41 dance will be held Saturday, October 3, 2015. We are currently organizing the event and if you are interested in helping, please let anyone of the Executive Board members know. Auxiliary Unit 41 welcomes anyone's input. We hope to finalize planning the event with ticket sales becoming available in August.

The members of the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 41 are looking forward to providing assistance to veterans, community and working directly with American Legion Post 41.

Yours in Service,

Patricia Thomas, President  
American Legion Auxiliary Unit 41



.....from SVC Frank Diaz –

As always, it was an honor to represent the American Legion at the eighth grade promotion ceremonies for the Phoenix Elementary School District # 1 in May. Five schools were selected in that district each receiving two one hundred dollar scholarships. The five schools included: Lowell, Bethune, Dunbar, Capitol and a newly selected Garfield School. Additionally, the Auxiliary and the Sons of the American Legion provided scholarships to Herrera and Lowell School. Two scholarships per school were awarded based on academics and to a student that showed the most improvement throughout the year.

A special thanks to Commander Richard Lucero, Commander Louie Garcia, Past Commander

***In Memoriam***



**Manual ‘Manny’ Rangel July 16, 2015**

**Eddie M. Acevedo July 15, 2015**

**Manual C. Perez July 3, 2015**

**Albert Howard June, 2015**

**John P. Canisales April 14, 2015**

**Jacob Gurule April 7, 2015**

**Noel Rivera March 6, 2015**

**Luz Gonzales February 7, 2015**

**Paul Steffen February 5, 2015**

**Raymundo “Ray” Lucero Sr. Jan. 31, 2015**

**FUNERALS:** Military Honor funerals can be provided to any veteran who has served on active duty and received an honorable discharge from the US military. The arranging funeral home normally will handle details and provide a US Flag from the US Government after they are provided with a copy of the veteran’s DD-214 document. Another benefit from the US Government is burial at the VA National Memorial Cemetery or subsidized funds for a burial headstone at a private cemetery.

Robert Hernandez and Joe Perez, past Commander of the Sons of the American Legion for assisting in presenting with some of the scholarships. The Auxiliary Unit 41 also presented scholarships to Herrera School.

Mrs. Roa, Superintendent of Phoenix Elementary School District #1 is extremely grateful to the American Legion Post 41 for involvement with the community and children. Strong involvement with the community and schools maximizes our efforts and assists in achieving our goal.

Frank Diaz  
Sr. Vice Commander

The Post 41 Honor Guard renders military honors to all qualified members of our Post as well as to other veterans upon request by a funeral home or family member. The first step is to request the funeral home to contact our Honor Guard Captain, Henry “Buster” Villalobos at 602-274-5297 for scheduling. You may also contact the Post Chaplain, Oscar Santa-Cruz at 602-539-1731 for assistance. Another benefit as a member of the Am Legion family is the use of the large Fuentes Hall for a memorial reception. Please call the Club Manager or Henry Daley at 602-253-8131 for reservation of the Fuentes Hall.

**From the Chaplain -**

As I accompany the Post Honor Guard and the Post Commander at funerals for our military heroes who have passed onto their new journey, I can’t help but feel the gratitude to know it is the right thing to do as we salute them farewell. To lead our membership in prayer at meetings and social gatherings is also a great honor for me – I thank you for the privilege. Let us remember to give thanks to the Almighty, our Supreme Commander for all the blessings we have all received in our lives.

While it may feel at times that we are alone and no one cares, or things coming our way seems overwhelming, it is my duty to reassure you our living God is near. Please call on me if you feel overwhelmed; let’s talk: 602-539-1731.

*Oscar R. Santa-Cruz, Post Chaplain/District 12  
Chaplain*

## ***Regular Weekly Entertainment***

*Don't forget we have regular entertainment at our Post from Tuesday through Friday – Happy Hour is 4 to 6 PM and there is a great jukebox with your favorite melodies in the Ronda Rm. We are closed most Mondays (except for Monday Night Football) and open at 11 AM on other days. Maybe, you're a pool player; we have a pool table waiting for your challenge.*

**Mondays** – Closed, except during football season. *Monday Night Football at 5 PM*

**Thursdays** – *is Ladies Night with DJ and food from 5 to 9 PM*

**Fridays** – *we have a Fish Fry by the Sons of The Am Legion from 10 to 1 PM (menu on the website Special Events tab). In the evening is live music in the Ronda Rm or the Fuentes Hall with 'Tony Ahumada' from 8 to 12 midnight*

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**Saturday** – *is Live Music Night with some great valley bands, just check the Post website: Legionpost41.org or call the Ronda Rm at 602-262-9243*

**Sunday** – *we have menudo breakfast by the Auxiliary Unit 41 from 9 to 12 PM (menu on the Post website Special Events tab). In the afternoons, we have tardeada with 'DJ Angel' from 6 to 10 PM. Food is available by Marine Corps League Detachment, or the Legion Riders or the Post.*

Don't forget if you are planning a large get together or party to celebrate some special occasion, you *must* arrange your plans with the Club Manager, Carmen Lopez at 602-262-9243. There are some limitations to just how large of a party can be held in the Ronda Rm – remember that the Ronda Rm is a members -only room, first and foremost.

We ask that children be kept at a minimum, parties are for adults and children get bored at adult parties! **All children under the age of 18 are not allowed in the Ronda Rm after 6 PM.**

You're wondering what's going on at the Post for the weekend. Another source of Post functions and events is available to you on the internet. The website is available to you 24/7. Here you can get the latest

events information, who just passed on, or perhaps you need to know who is on the Executive Board of Directors and how to reach them! If you have internet service on your computer, just enter the following web address on your browser:

**[www.legionpost41.org](http://www.legionpost41.org)**

Oscar R. Santa-Cruz,  
Post 41 newsletter editor  
[Legionpost41@gmail.com](mailto:Legionpost41@gmail.com)

## **Introducing the New Executive Officers**

Phoenix resident Luis Hernandez was raised in the barrio known as 'El Campito'. He served in the United States Navy aboard the aircraft carriers USS Constellation and USS Yorktown during the Viet Nam conflict from 1966-1970 as a 3rd Class Machinist Repairman. He is an eight year Am Legion member.

Frank Camarena, also a Phoenix resident comes from the 'Golden Gate' barrio. Frank served in the AZ National Guard from 1968-1973 as a Staff Sergeant as weapons platoon squad leader. He is an eleven year Am Legion member.

David Benites, also a Phoenix resident from 'Marcos de Niza and Chula Vista' barrios served in the United States Navy on the destroyer USS Ernest G. Small off the coast of Viet Nam from 1966-1969 as a 3rd Class Sonar and Gunners Mate. David is a 45 year Am Legion member, and the son of Past Commander Frank Benites.

Carlos Ramirez comes from the '32nd Street' barrio. He served in the United States Army serving in Reconnaissance in Viet Nam with the 101st Airborne as Corporal from 1963-1965. He has been a member of the Am Legion for 27 years.

All four of these new Executive Officers are also members of the Retired Hispanic Sheet Metal Workers Club providing volunteer maintenance service to the Post. Please welcome these new officers as they learn their new duties on the Executive Committee Board.

Sincerely,  
**Your newly elected Executive Officers**

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### **A word from PC Danny Bugh...**

Hello fellow Legionnaires of Post 41,  
Just wanted to thank all of you for your support during my tenure as Area B vice Commander. The only drawback was it kept me from more visits to the Post. Now I am in the campaign mode again and of course looking for your support as I wage a run for Dept. Commander for 2016-17.

My theme is three “R”s: RECRUIT – RETENTION – RESPECT! Everyone should be in a RECRUITMENT mode to fill our ranks with ALL eligible veterans in order to meet the goals set by the Legion of three million members by the 100th anniversary in 2019. RETENTION of those that have joined and lastly RESPECT for the new veterans and the older veterans from prior conflicts! And let’s not forget REPECT for all our family members, Sons of the American Legion, Auxiliary & Am Legion Riders.

*“I Stand Up for all Veterans!”*

Charles Danny Bugh  
Past Commander, Post 41

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### **Q. & A.- Column!**

*If you are like me, you probably have a question about Am Legion Post operations, organization or the Am Legion. You may submit a question to us and we will do our best to answer you. Perhaps you may see your answer to your question in this column if it may help all the members as well. Submit your question to: LegionPost41@gmail.com*

#### **Q. How is the Am Legion Cap to be worn during certain ceremonies?**

- A. *The Legion cap can be worn at official Legion events only. It is not proper to wear your cap while eating a meal. At church services, the cap is removed going into the church as a group, and during the service. The cap is worn by Honor Guards and commander or while standing guard, uncovering when return to the pews. It can then be worn upon exiting the church. The cap is removed during chaplain prayer or on command by the commander or chaplain. Remember, no pins, patches can be placed on the left side of your cap where the Am Legion patch and city/state are placed.*

#### **Q. When do we salute the US Flag?**

- A. *As veterans, we have the authority (change to Section 9 of the US Flag Code) to salute the flag whether or not we are in uniform or wearing identifying veteran apparel such as an Am Legion cap. The salute is rendered anytime there is a hoisting or lowering of the US Flag, or whenever it passes. All others present should remove any headwear, face the flag and place their right hand over their heart; citizens of foreign countries should stand at attention. Also, the veteran can render salute whenever the Pledge of Allegiance and/or the National Anthem is sung.*

#### **Q. How can we best help a veteran family when the veteran is deployed to active duty?**

- A. *One friendly way is to offer help with household needs, like mowing the lawn, helping with plumbing problems, running shopping errands, etc. In real financial hardship, a referral to the Am Legion Family Support Network (FSN) where help with house mortgage can come thru a grant from the Am Legion Temporary Financial Assistance Program. To learn more about FSN, see their newsletter at [www.legion.org/familysupport](http://www.legion.org/familysupport), to apply for assistance: [www.legion.org/fsn](http://www.legion.org/fsn) or 1-800-504-4098*

#### **Q. Is it proper to hang a company flag with the US Flag on the same pole?**

- A. *The current flag code US Flags-Flag Code Section 8(i) states “The flag is never to be used for advertising purposes in any manner whatsoever”. Advertising flags should not be fastened to a staff or halyard from which the flag is flown. However, a NEC Resolution No. 27 titled ‘Flag Code Amendment’ Fall, 2014 offers the following change to Section 7(f) of the US Flag Code: “When flags or pennants of States, cities, localities, societies or (corporations) are flown on the same halyard with the US Flag, the latter should always be at peak” This provision should quell the issue if passed.*

Thank you for your questions. Oscar Santa Cruz, editor

### **..Members Who Serve In Higher Ranks..**

Am Legion Post 41 members should know of and be proud of our members who serve in higher ranks for the ‘good of the Legion’. At the last Legion Department Convention held in Carefree, two of our Auxiliary Post 41 members were elected to positions to serve statewide. Josie Herrera was elected

Department Auxiliary President and Patsy Lugo elected as the new Department Auxiliary Chaplain. Give a hand to them as they serve the state Auxiliary. Our Past Post Commander, past Area B Vice-Commander Danny Bugh also announced his candidacy for Department Commander for 2017! Good luck to Danny. Of course our own Angel Juarez continues to do a fine job as Department Adjutant along with Henry Daley as Department Finance Officer.

At the District 12 level, we have our PC and comrade Richard Lucero running for Senior Vice commander. Good luck to Lucero. Oscar Santa-Cruz continues to serve as District 12 Chaplain. We thank all of them for serving doubly duty. Also, we have other members serving on committees outside of the Post, e.g. PC Al Aranda serving with 'Veterans Helping Veterans', as well as comrade Jesse Fernandez serving the Marine Corps League as Ira Hayes Detachment Commandant.

*Oscar Santa-Cruz, editor*

**..Editors comment..**

As mentioned by SVC Frank Diaz, we are facing a membership per-capita increase at the National level. What this means is that \$22 per member that is forwarded from our Post dues of \$30 will be increased to \$27! Right now, the Post retains \$8 from the annual dues. After the increase of \$5, the remaining balance is - \$3! I'm sure you will agree not much can be done with \$3 for the year!

At present, the Executive Board is busy coming up with a proposal to the membership in dealing with this pending increase. The Exec. Bd. can simply propose to pass on the increase or propose a higher amount. Any increase above the pending \$5 increase will only help the Post financially. Take a look: if the membership dues is increased to \$45, then the Post would realize \$18! This dues increase only amounts to \$1.25 more per month, that's less than the cost of one beer!

One big question remains when we ask of the honorary and those of the '50+' memberships. The Post is responsible for submitting the per-capita cost for those memberships as well.

As for the Life memberships, not much can be done as the Post does not submit per-capita. It is all handled by National. The increase is expected to pass at the upcoming National Convention in August but

will not be effective until 2017 membership drive. We must act now in order to have our Post dues in place before the 2017 Renewal membership cards are generated from National in June 2016. Look for the proposal to vote on soon.

*Oscar Santa-Cruz, editor, Exec. Bd., Chaplain, webmaster*

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In the latest quarterly newsletter for the Phoenix VA Health Care System of which the Phoenix VAMC Hospital is a part of, an interesting article caught my eye where new resources to help veterans navigate to civilian life is discussed, The VA now provides online programs and telephone based services in addition to VAMC. There is a **Veteran Resource Center** with free online training courses to equip with practical skills. A course 'Moving Forward' teaches skills to overcome stressful difficulties in balancing work/school and family. 'Parenting for Service Members & Veterans' offers help in everyday parenting and family issues. 'Anger & Irritability Management' helps with understanding anger "triggers" and helping you to keep control of reactions along with teaching communications skills.

**About Face** is another resource providing information about PTSD and how it can help the veteran seek treatment. **Coaching into Care** offers telephone based support and coaching for family members who would like to help their veteran get mental health care treatment. This service helps the family member learn new ways to talk with their loved ones about the difficulties they face and why treatment can help.

Many other important resources such as Veterans Crisis Line (1 800-273-8255) and Make the Connection- can be found at [mentalhealth.va.gov](http://mentalhealth.va.gov) and [ptsd.va.gov](http://ptsd.va.gov).

*Oscar Santa-Cruz, editor, Exec. Bd., Chaplain, webmaster*

**Partial 2nd Quarterly Finance Report - 2015**

<b>Account:</b>	<b>Balance</b>			
General	NA			
Membership	NA			
Sports	NA			
Frank Fuentes Scholarship	NA			
Frank Fuentes Endowment	NA			
G.M. Chavez Endowment	NA			
	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Year to date</b>	<b>Monthly Avg.</b>
<b>Income</b>	<b>\$36,072.32</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>\$36,072.32</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>\$33,284.27</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>\$33,284.27</b>
<b>NET INCOME/(LOSS)</b>	<b>\$2,788.05</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>\$2,788.05</b>



American Legion Auxiliary Unit 41 Presents:

## LADIES NIGHT

Every Thursday night – Starting 8/21/14  
5:00 PM – 9:00 PM




Drink Specials

\$1.00	Jello-O Shots
\$1.50	Well Drinks
\$2.50	Wines
\$1.75	Domestics




Different shot specials each week.

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D.J. will provide music for your dancing and listening pleasure.

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### CALENDAR OF SPECIAL EVENTS

<i>Saturday, August 1<sup>st</sup></i>	<i>Am Legion Riders Dance at 6 PM</i>
<i>Thursday, August 6<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>General Membership meeting at 7 PM</i>
<i>Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Manic Hispanic party at 6 PM</i>
<i>Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>health training from 8 AM to 5 PM</i>
<i>Saturday, August 22<sup>nd</sup></i>	<i>Pool Tournament w/ MCL Tucson</i>
<i>Thursday, September 3<sup>rd</sup></i>	<i>General Membership meeting at 7 PM</i>
<i>Friday, September 11<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>9-11 Observance Event 6 PM</i>
<i>Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Past Commanders Fall Dance at 7 PM</i>
<i>Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>District 12 General Meeting at Post 35</i>
<i>Friday, September 25<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Folklorico ‘Esperanza’ benefit at 7 PM</i>
<i>Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup></i>	<i>General Membership meeting at 7 PM</i>
<i>Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup></i>	<i>Auxiliary Unit 41 Dance at 8 PM</i>
<i>Sunday, October 11<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Annual Post 41 BBQ</i>
<i>Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Lori Piestewa fundraiser event at 8 PM</i>
<i>Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup></i>	<i>Grant Park Holiday Fun Fest at 6 PM</i>
<i>Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Childrens Halloween Party at 5 PM</i>
<i>Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup></i>	<i>PC Halloween Dance at 7 PM</i>
<i>Thursday, November 5<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>General Membership meeting at 7 PM</i>
<i>Friday, November 6-7<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Latino Veterans Festive Event- downtown</i>
<i>Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>US Marine Corps 240<sup>th</sup> BD celebration at 5 PM</i>
<i>Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Veterans Day party at the Post at 12 noon</i>
<i>Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Marine Corps League Dance at 6 PM</i>
<i>Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Memory Lane ‘Oldies’ Dance at 7 PM</i>