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THE HORACE ORR

# NEWS

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WELCOME



Welcome the award-winning newsletter of Horace Orr Post 29. We are veterans serving veterans in Marietta since 1919.

Enjoy all the useful information and be sure to to share it your friends. Our Post 29 family is growing and we want to make sure everyone is informed. We post a lot more details on our website, so be sure to sign up for our email newsletter.

As always, we welcome your feedback.

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## COMMANDER'S COLUMN

Welcome to July, hope everyone is doing well! The Department of Georgia's Convention was held June 25 and 26 in Duluth, Ga. Thanks to all those who made the effort to attend from the Post. Mark Shreve was elected as the new Commander for the Department for 21/22. Mark is from the Columbus, GA area and has been involved in the Department for several years. Mark is an excellent choice! We wish Commander Shreve and his new Board of Officers the best for the upcoming year and offer our full support!

I am proud to announce that Post 29 again was named as the Outstanding Post and received the Outstanding Membership Award! We finished the year with 1,041 Members, making us again the largest Post in the American Legion, Department of Georgia. Please join me in thanking all those Members who made it happen. Please support their efforts going forward, I invite you to join them next year to help give our Veterans and their Families the support they deserve.

The Marietta Parade was held on July 3rd and as always, we participated. I hope all those who joined us had a great time and enjoyed our lunch back at the Post. Thanks to those who helped get our trailer ready for the parade. Also, thanks to Jr Vice Russ Wood for handling the lunch afterwards.

Our Installation of Officers for 21/22 will be held on July 8th. Thanks to all those worked so hard on setting up this event. Please give your new Board the support it deserves and help them meet their goals for the upcoming year. Also, special thanks to Dave Gardner who retired from the Board this year. Dave is a long time Member of Post 29 and has been highly active in many ways, Dave has been along my side ever since I have been the Commander. Dave has work hard for all of us and has represented our Post well! I consider Dave both a good friend and an asset to Post 29. Dave, enjoy yourself, you have earned it. You will always be part of Post 29!

Tom Bell and Ed Bruce are hard at work setting up 5K Race which will be held on Nov 23rd on the Marietta Square. Jim Kopp and his committee are hard at work on our Golf Outing on Sept 13th at Dogwood Golf Club. I am sure like the Race this too will be a huge success! Please come join them and help.

In closing, I feel we are starting to come out of this terrible COVID year. Thanks to all of you that helped us get through this challenging year! Let us join and work as a Team to have a better year and take care of our Post 29 Legion Family. I hope you all have a great summer and enjoy life! May God Bless us all and this Great County! As always, Honored to be your Commander!

For God and Country,

Walt Cusick, Jr., Commander

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## SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

This is my first Newsletter as Commander of the SAL. I would like to thank TBell for the 3 great years of service and leadership he has given the SAL.

Thanks, TBell!!

The SAL Kitchen Crew is back in business. We prepared a meal for the Legion dinner meeting on June 3rd and on June 12th we served an "Uncle Pete's" breakfast which was also attended by a group of Seabees brought together by Bill Beaudin.

Our SAL breakfast will start up again on July 17th.

At the 102nd Department Convention held June 25th - 27th, our SAL Squadron was awarded the Largest Squadron in Georgia award.

To members of the SAL - Please mark on your calendar's for Tues. July 27th as our next meeting. The meeting will start at 7:00 pm upstairs in the small hall. If you haven't been attending meetings, we'd like to see you attend and bring your ideas for future SAL events and to mingle with your fellow SAL members.

Thank you for your time and interest in the Sons of the American Legion!

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## LEGION AUXILIARY

At our June meeting the following officers were elected for the 2021-2022 year:

President Linda Dudley	1st VP Peggy Beascoechea
2nd VP Bernadette LaRocque	Secretary Nancy Cash
Treasurer Eve Williams	Chaplain Charlotte Mull
Historian Sandy Thompson	Parliamentarian Peggy Beascoechea
Sgt. at Arms Olga Noel	Kim Scofi
Executive Board Terry Janson, Jane Lawrence, Denise Mortimer	

Congratulations to all these ladies and I look forward to helping you in the coming years.

A Meet and Greet is scheduled for the end of July in the Social Quarters. Watch for the email invitation.

Installation of officers ar one July 8th. It is by reservation only, so if you would like to attend, please contact the Post Adjutant, Al Rosenfield, directly.

I want to thank all of you for your support over the past three years. This past year has been a challenge, but we are now ready to move on to assist our veterans.

Take care and stay healthy!

For God and Country.

Ellen Golliver

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Great news for the Unit 29 Junior members! Membership has voted on a NEW Scholarship Grant in the amount of \$1000 that will be awarded to a Junior Member upon graduating from high school and pursuing a degree at any College or University. ALL APPLICANTS MUST BE A CURRENT MEMBER OF ALA UNIT 29 for at least 3 years or longer. Deadline for submission July 30th of the graduation year. Applications are available from any Auxiliary Officer.

ELIGILIBILTY Requirements are: The Junior member must have been active for three years with Unit 29 and in good standing, a completed application must be sent to president of the Auxiliary by the deadline date, a supporting acceptance letter from the postsecondary educational institution must be attached to the application showing the student will be a full-time student (may be letter, email acceptance) and the Educational Institution does not have to be in the State of Georgia.

Scholarship will be awarded directly to the student(s) at the August meeting. Unit 29 is excited to begin this Scholarship Grant Program and encourage our Juniors to continue in our program and hopefully attend a college or university as they graduate high school and become senior members.

## FROM THE CHAPLAIN

During this month... since it became a federal holiday 1941, we as Americans will celebrate our independence from Great Britain on July 4th, as a result of the signing of the Declaration of Independence in Philadelphia PA, in 1776. When we think of Independence Day, we think of barbeques, fireworks, spending time with friends and family, but it's also a time to celebrate all the freedoms we are have in the United States.... and yes.... the Bible does have something to say about freedom:

“Live as people who are free, not using your freedom as a cover-up for evil, but living as servants of God.” – 1 Peter 2:16

“Stand fast therefore in the liberty by which Christ has made us free, and do not be entangled again with a yoke of bondage.” – Galatians 5:1

“Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord; and the people whom he hath chosen for his own inheritance.” – Psalm 33:12

While we celebrate our freedom this month, let us also be mindful of the passing of two individuals who were very close to members of our Post's family. Unfortunately, Charlie Dowick Sr's son, Charlie Dowick Jr, passed away on June 5th, in East Falmouth, MA. Charlie Jr was only 54 years old. In addition, Randy Wright's father-in-law, Roger Quisenberry passed away on June 17th, in Sarasota Fl. Roger was 100 years old, a Navy veteran, and served during WWII on the USS Antietam in the South Pacific. Please keep the Dowick and Wright families in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

### Chaplain's Chuckle

Question: What did God say after He created Adam?

"I can do better than that."

And so... He created woman.

May GOD bless the Patriots of Horace Orr Post 29, our efforts to address the needs of our Veterans in Cobb County Georgia, and the United States of America.

Blessings,

Jim Wood, Chaplain

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# JULY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2 LIVE MUSIC 7PM SPOT ON	3 PARADE 8AM LUNCH 1PM-2PM
4	5	6	7	8 INSTALLATION DINNER 6PM MEETING 7PM	9 LIVE MUSIC 7PM KICK BACK JACK	10
11	12	13	14	15	16 LIVE MUSIC 7PM N2U	17 SAL BREAKFAST ALR MEETING 11AM
18	19	20	21	22 LEGION EC MEETING 5:30	23 LIVE MUSIC 7PM SOUTH PAW	24
25	26	27 SAL MEETING 7PM AUX EC 6PM	28	29	30 LIVE MUSIC 7PM BIG STEVE KARAOKE	31

## CALENDAR

**LEGION MEMBERSHIP MEETING - 1ST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH**  
**AUXILIARY MEMBERSHIP MEETING - 1ST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH**  
**SAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING - 4TH TUESDAY OF THE MONTH**  
**ALR MEMBERSHIP MEETING - 3RD SATURDAY OF THE MONTH**  
**SAL BREAKFAST - RETURNING SOON!**  
**LIVE MUSIC - FRIDAYS AT 7PM**  
**SOCIAL QUARTERS IS OPEN**  
**11AM-7PM MONDAY**  
**11AM-10PM TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY SATURDAY**  
**11AM-12AM FRIDAY**  
**12PM-7PM SUNDAY**

## SOCIAL QUARTERS

Summer Heat has arrived. Visit our staff in the Social Quarters for a cold, quenching drink. They will be happy to keep you cooled down.

We hope to see you Saturday, July 3rd following the Marietta Freedom Parade. Lunch will be provided from approximately 1-2pm for Post 29 members and their guests in the upstairs hall. Help us celebrate the anniversary of America's Independence.

Documents are available in the SQ to sign up to participate in our Annual Golf Tournament scheduled for Monday, September 13 as a participant or hole sponsor. Any bartender on duty can assist you.

Live Music begins 7:00pm every Friday. The dance floor is open. Come on out and show us your moves.

The Social Quarters will be open as follows:

Sunday 12-7pm

Monday 11-7pm

Tuesday 11-10pm

Wednesday 11-10pm

Thursday 11-10pm

Friday 11-12am

Saturday 11-10pm\*

\*The SAL monthly breakfasts return Saturday, July 17. On these days, the SQ will open 10:30am.

Stay updated with the EBlasts and Facebook notifications of events going on around the Post, Social Quarters, and our community supporting your Legion Family. If you are not currently receiving emails, you can see any bartender and they can provide your information to our Webmaster Russ Wood. A lot is going on and we do not want you to miss out.

Cheers,

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As a multi-year Sponsor of the Veteran's 5K Race and the 23rd Annual Golf Tournament, the staff at Steve's Automotive is committed to our veterans and active duty service men and women. As members of The American Legion Post 29, The Women's Auxiliary and The Sons of American Legion, we welcome your business.

Since 1985, Steve's Automotive has established a long history in the community for honesty and integrity while servicing and maintaining all makes and models.

Your commitment to our country and community is appreciated. Steve's Automotive now extends it's military discount to the members of Post 29 on services and repairs of your vehicles. Remember to present your current membership card for this discount. Call today to schedule your next service.

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