



AMERICAN LEGION Post 694 MARINA CA
 PO Box 565 Marina CA 93933 (831-384-6616)
 On the web at www.caalpost694.org



Post 694 Dinner Menus...

Monday Nights – All Meals \$7, Take-Out \$8 – Served 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM

- Sep. 7 - Labor Day – No Meal Service
- Sep. 14 – Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy
- Sep. 21 – Rigatoni with Sausage
- Sep. 28 – Chicken Pot Pie

Thursday Nights – Big John's Hamburger Nights with Karaoke, 4:00 PM-8:00 PM – Prices Vary (No Karaoke on Meeting Nights)

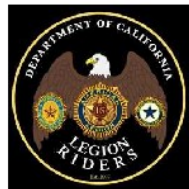
Friday Nights – All Meals \$12, Take-Out - \$13 – Served 5:30 PM – 8:00 PM

- Sep. 4 – Catfish Night: Catfish, Red Beans and Rice, Veggie
 - Sep. 11 – Patriots Night: Lemon Baked Pork Chop, White Rice, Salad, String Beans, Dessert
 - Sep. 18 – Cajun Night: Gumbo with Chicken Sausage and Shrimp, or Chicken Sausage only, Salad, Corn on the Cob.
 - Sep. 25 – Country Night: Ham, Potato, Mixed Veggies, Salad.
- Check our website or call the post for October menu selections

<p>American Legion Monterey Cypress Post 694 694 legion Way P.O. Box 565 Marina CA 93933</p>		<p>NONPROFIT ORG PRSRT STD MARINA CA 93933 PERMIT NO 5</p>
--	--	---

ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

ALR Chapter 694
Post 694—Marina, CA
www.caalpost694.org



POST 694
WESTERN HOE-DOWN
SATURDAY OCT 3th, 2015



5 PM No Host Cocktails & Drink Specials all night
 6 - 7:00 PM Chuck Wagon Chow
 7 - 10 PM Music by McGuffie Road Band

BUNCO - October 10, 2015



Benefits:



5 PM Tailgate/\$7.00

\$20 to play

6:30 PM Bunco



Playing for Prizes worth

1. Most Buncos 15% of proceeds
2. Most Wins 15%
3. Second Most Buncos 7.5%
4. Second Most Wins 7.5%
5. Most Losses 5%
6. Traveling Bunco prize



SEE THE BARTENDER OR ANY POST OFFICER FOR YER TICKET

TICKETS

\$15.00 / DONATION

Until 1 Oct, then \$20.00

Come in your favorite Western attire

American Legion Post 694
 694 Legion Way
 Marina, CA
 831-384-6616

CDR Jon Baker 384-0191
 1st Vice Steve McDougall 455-8665
 2nd Vice Gary Deaton 596-4364
 Director Teo Colon 383-9236
 Director Carlos Estrada 384-0152
 Director Czac Panek 394-8180
 Director Belle Jones
 Director Janet Wagner 674-1518



Sgt-At-Arms Les Sturges 883-2081
 Chaplain Mary Estrada 384-0152
 Finance By Committee
 Svc Officer Mary Estrada 384-0152
 Judge Adv Mike Hohler 659-4754
 Adjutant Cathy McDougall 455-8665
 Historian Sherryl Panek 394-8180
 Junior Past Tony Wagner 674-1518

The Commander's Corner...

There are many exciting things going on now at your Post. Thursday Night Hamburger Nights are off to a very good start and you are missing something if you have not tried one of these great burgers. Our new Friday Night Theme dinners just started, and should be a big hit. Our calendar is filling with events. You can download the calendar from our website at <http://post694.comcastbiz.net>. We are continually updating it. Volunteers are always needed to help with these events. Ask yourself how you might be able to assist—the Kitchen perhaps, or serving, or maybe taking tickets. And then there is always setting up and tearing down the hall. Your Commander, Post Officers and Board of Directors need your help and would also love to see you attend and support our Post functions and fundraisers. As always, my thanks to all of you who do show up and lend a hand.

For God and Country,

Jon Baker, Commander
 Post 694
 Marina



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 19, 2015

Noon – Refreshments, and Santa soon after!

For all children/grandchildren or great grandchildren (Age 0 to 10 Years) of Members. Older siblings are welcome (note name(s) below), but will not receive a gift from Santa.

Reservations **MUST BE RECEIVED** by Chairman Lis Billingsley NO LATER THAN December 5, 2015.

(Sorry, no late reservations will be accepted.)

Mail To: Lis Billingsley, 401 Sunset Place, Marina, CA 93933-3314

(Please PRINT NAMES CLEARLY and mail to the above address. DO NOT DROP OFF OR LEAVE RESERVATIONS AT THE POST.)

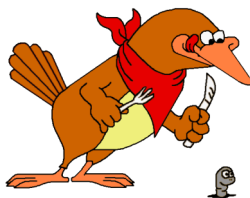
	AGE	BOY	GIRL
Name			
Name			
Name			
Name			
Name			

Post/Auxiliary Member: _____ TEL No. _____
 (Print Name)

EARLY BIRD LUNCH

The annual "Early Bird" recognition event for those Post, Unit and SAL members who've renewed their 2016 dues by October 4th will be taking place on Sunday, October 4th from 11:00 - 2:00. The officers of the Post, Unit and SAL are looking forward to seeing the "Early Birds" at the Post for a great lunch and enjoying even better conversations with you. Your continued membership is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely, Steve McDougall, First Vice Commander.



DATES TO REMEMBER...

SEPTEMBER

- Wed-Mon 2-7 Monterey County Fair, American Legion Family Booth
- Sat 5 Marina Labor Day Parade, 11AM
- Sun 20 District 28 Meeting at Salinas Post 31, 9AM

OCTOBER

- Fri 2 Post 694: Monterey Bay Vets Fishing Derby Dinner, 5 PM
- Sat 3 Unit/Post 694: Hoe Down Dinner/Dance, 5 PM
- Sun 4 Early Bird Luncheon, 11 AM—2PM
- Sun 18 Unit 694: Oktoberfest, 12-4 PM
- Sun 18 Ride 2 Recovery, Santa Cruz BBQ (Site/Time TBA)
- Mon 19 Ride 2 Recovery, Carmel Mission Inn BBQ (Time TBA)
- Fri 23 Dinner for Honor the Fallen Run, Monterey Elks Club, 4-7 PM
- Sat 24 Honor the Fallen Run, Marina Dunes State Park, 8 AM
- Sat 24 Halloween Party, 6 PM

Monterey Cypress Unit 694

General Meetings 2nd Thursday of the every month except July at 7 pm

Auxiliary Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1746, Marina, CA 93933

President	Carol Yates	905-8886
1st Vice	Sandra Rodrigues	905-7965
2nd Vice	Connie Raya	594-0226
Secretary	Sherryl Panek	394-8180
Treasurer	Jennifer Johnson	917-0463
Chaplain	Michelle Soares	324-0848
Historian	Dallas Johnson	917-0463



Sgt-At-Arms	Japana Hohler	659-4754
Marshal	Roberta Brown	656-9811
Parliamentarian	Ruby Kapsalis	394-4514
Executive Board	Lis Billingsley	384-9038
Executive Board	Barbara Ferguson	384-6598
Executive Board	Renee Nichols	384-5117
Jr Past Pres	Judi De Arana	682-0007

From the Podium... Dear Auxiliary Members: It was nice to see and meet some of you at the Pay-The-Taxes BBQ on August 22nd. It reminded me of how I would love to see you at our monthly meetings, which are held at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month. Please drop by the Post and participate. We can always use new ideas and new perspectives on the old ones. We have some events coming up and always need volunteers. Don't forget we have a new goal for Membership this year...who do you know? We would love to have them join the Auxiliary. Thank you for all your continued volunteer efforts as we proudly serve our veterans!

In Service not Self to God and Country for our Veterans, Carol Yates, President.

The Chaplain's Corner... Belated condolences to the family of Josephine McEnroe, a forty-one year Auxiliary member who died last December. The Unit also sends condolences to Post member, Jim Spitz and family, on the loss of his wife, Tokie. Jim is a long-time Legionnaire and until recently was heavily involved with Colonel Maggie's Airborne Drop-in each year.

Membership...\$20 Auxiliary Membership Renewal Special



The Unit is once again offering all 694 Auxiliary members a special "Early Bird" renewal fee of **\$20** to those who pay their 2015-2016 dues by **November 1, 2015**. Renewal dues paid after November 1st will increase to \$25, so take advantage of the savings and renew your dues today! According to Standing Rule 9, Auxiliary year officers, chairmen, and honorary life members will have their per capita paid by the Unit. Junior member renewal fees are again \$3 each. Please make your check payable to ALA Unit 694 and mail to Membership,

P. O. Box 1746, Marina, CA 93933. Contact Membership Chair, Sandy Rodrigues at 831-905-7965 if you have questions regarding membership renewal.

Again this year, all female active duty military, and female veterans can join the Auxiliary at no charge for the first year. As a member you can receive Member Benefits for Dental/Vision/Life Insurance Plans Discounts for Movies, restaurants and much more; visit the online www.ALAforVeterans.org (go to Resources > Member Benefits) to see more benefits. Don't have a computer? Call Toll Free 855-461-6500 to speak with an advisor.

Children and Youth Chairman, Sherryl Panek, would like to thank all Post, Auxiliary, Rider, and SAL members for their continued support of the Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital (SVMH) Children's Miracle Network (CMN). Because of your generosity again this year, our contributions total \$1,000 for CMN. All funds go directly to help children (some of whom are our own) who are treated at SVMH!



Holiday Craft Fair...The Auxiliary is hosting a Holiday Craft Fair on Saturday, November 14, 2015, from 9 AM to 3 PM at Post 694. Vendor tables are all \$30 each, including additional tables. No refunds unless the Auxiliary cancels the event. Please make checks payable to **ALA Unit 694** and mail to **PO Box 1746 Marina, CA 93933** or drop off at **American Legion Post 694**. Please contact Sandy Rodrigues at 831-905-7965, or Sherryl Panek at 831-238-4795 for more information. All are welcome to attend!

OKTOBERFEST
At Post 694
Sunday, October 18, 2015

Luncheon - 12-1 PM
Dancing - 1-4 PM
Karl Leberz Band




Includes Weiner schnitzel, German Potato Salad, Red Cabbage, Fresh Green Beans, Dessert.

\$18 Donation per Person if Purchased by October 17, 2015
\$20 per Person if Purchased the Day of the Event.
Tickets will be sold at the door as long as food lasts.
Tickets available at the Post 694 Bar beginning August 15th, or contact Lis Billingsley at 384-9038.

Take Outs will be available if purchased in advance.
Auxiliary Members are asked to donate desserts!

VA&R News...Connie Raya was appointed Representative to the VA Palo Alto and Menlo Park Health Care Divisions at this year's Convention in Ontario, CA, and Michelle Soares is now serving as the Deputy. Connie recently received some knitted and crocheted afghans to be donated to the Palo Alto VA Spinal Cord Ward which cannot be given to our veterans there because the afghans are not the right sizes. **Please note** that finished afghans need to measure 48" x 48" (4' x 4'), or 48" x 72" (4' x 6') in order for them to be used with wheelchair and bed patients. Close attention to these size requirements will be greatly appreciated! A huge thank you to all of our knitters and those who crochet in behalf of our veterans! Your time and energy is very much appreciated.



POST & UNIT 694 CALENDAR

For more information, call (831) 384-6616 or web site www.caalpost694.org
MEETINGS 2ND THURSDAY...POST EXEC 6PM...POST/UNIT GENERAL 7:00PM



September 2015

NOTICE

Post 694 now accepts all major credit/debit cards

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 4 pm Hamburger Night	4 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm	5 2 pm Private Party
6 CLOSED	7 Labor Day No Dinner Happy Hour 5-6 pm	8	9 6 pm Board Meeting 7 pm Marina in Motion	10 MEETING NIGHT 4 pm Hamburger Night	11 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm Patriots Night— Live Band	12
13 CLOSED 11 am Private Party	14 Happy Hour 5-6 pm Mini Dinner 5:30 pm	15	16 6 pm Private Party	17 4 pm Hamburger Night ALR Meeting 6 pm	18 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm	19 4 pm Private Party
20 CLOSED	21 Happy Hour 5-6 pm Mini Dinner 5:30 pm	22	23	24 4 pm Hamburger Night	25 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm	26
27 CLOSED 7 pm MST Meeting	28 Happy Hour 5-6 pm Mini Dinner 5:30 pm	29	30			

October 2015

Monday Night Dinner
For specific menu information please contact the Post at 384-6616 the week prior! Join us for a great meal at the affordable price of \$7 per person (Take-outs - \$8)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Friday Night Dinner For specific menu information please contact the Post at 384-6616 for October menu selections.				1 4 pm Hamburger Night	2 Fishing Derby 5 pm Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm	3 Hoedown 5-10 pm
4 Early Bird Lunch 11 am—2 pm	5 Happy Hour 5-6 pm Mini Dinner 5:30 pm	6	7 6 pm Board Meeting	8 MEETING NIGHT 4 pm Hamburger Night	9 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm	10 5 pm Bunco
11 CLOSED	12 Happy Hour 5-6 pm Mini Dinner 5:30 pm	13	14 8 am Private Party 7 pm Marina in Motion	15 4 pm Hamburger Night ALR Meeting 6 pm	16 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm	17
18 Oktoberfest 12—4 pm	19 Happy Hour 5-6 pm Mini Dinner 5:30 pm	20	21	22 4 pm Hamburger Night	23 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm	24 Halloween Party Food & Music 6 pm call post for details
25 CLOSED 7 pm MST Meeting	26 Happy Hour 5-6 pm Mini Dinner 5:30 pm	27	28	29 4 pm Hamburger Night	30 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 pm	31