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## April 2021 Newsletter

2021 dues are past due **now**. You can **renew your membership** by mail, in person or by using your credit card online at [Legion](#) or/and [American Legion Auxiliary](#).

### Blind Draw Darts

**Wednesday Night** Dart Tournament this week at 7:00 pm sign up, 7:30 pm start.

**Second Saturday** Pancakes with the Commanders and President: 8 am to 11 am  
Free for all (but you buy your own drinks and sides).

### From Our Post Commander

Life can throw some curves your way. And when things happen, it never seems fair. But Life is Life. Things happen and most of the time we don't understand why. But if we let it, we can learn. Or we can turn bitter from the experience. I was reminded of that recently with the tragic death of one of my kids. He was young, full of life and promise --- and then he was gone. It reminded me of how short and how precious life is.

My heart is for family. But family is not always blood. Family is those that have that special tie or bond to you. The American Legion, with all it's entities is my family. This is one of the reasons why it upsets me when the different posts and the different organizations in the post can't seem to get along with each other. We are all ONE FAMILY. American Legion, Legion Auxiliary, SAL, and Riders are all one family. We may be able to survive without each other, but then we are not whole. We are not in competition with one another. If we can ever get past all the petty stuff and come together as one family, there would be no stopping us.

This is my dream, my hope, and my goal as Commander. But I can not do this by myself. I need your help and your support. If you have a problem, a question, a suggestion or a complaint, please let me know and let us (you and me), try to come up with an answer. If you have a compliment, that's always nice to hear too.

Remember....This Is Your Post,

See you at the Post  
*David Fenn*  
Commander

### **From Our Unit President**

#### **Hello from the Auxiliary President;**

Now that we are able to get out and about, It is time to start planning Cook outs, craft fairs and any other ideas you can come up with. Come on in and lets get the fun started. Drop by and see the raffle baskets we have come up with.

Hope to see you there,  
President Roxan Faison

### **SAL Squadron and ALR Chapter news**

Our meetings are still temporarily rescheduled to the first Saturday of each month until further notice.

Sons of the American Legion Squadron 516 meeting 11:00 am

Legion Riders Chapter 516 meeting at noon

Weather permitting their will be a ride following the meeting.

### **Post Historian and Hubmaster notes**

Please [update your preferences](#) on line the way you want your name in the newsletter and verify the Legion Family organization(s) you belong to.

[Post 516 newsletter sign up form](#) for members and friends not on the mailing list  
<http://www.post516.org/NewMem.html>

**Legion Diner news** See [our webpage](#) for details.

Our restaurant is open Tuesday to Saturday from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm.

### **Post, Public Relations, Local and National Events** ([latest updates](#))

*April is the Month of the Military Child*

Apr 1 (Thursday) – Post 516 Executive Board meeting at 7PM

Apr 2 (Saturday) - Sons of the American Legion Squadron 516 meeting 11:00 am  
Legion Riders Chapter 516 meeting at noon

Apr 5 - Gold Star Wives Day

Apr 6 (Tuesday) – Auxiliary Meeting at 7:00 pm

Apr 7 (Wednesday) – Blind Draw Dart Tournament 7 pm

Apr 14 (Wednesday) – Air Force Reserve Birthday  
Blind Draw Dart Tournament 7 pm

Apr 15 (Thursday) - Post 516 General Membership meeting at 7PM

Apr 17 (Saturday) – [U. S. Submarine Veterans Cowtown Base](#) meeting at noon

Apr 21 (Wednesday) - Army Reserve Birthday  
Blind Draw Dart Tournament 7 pm

**Apr 24 (Saturday) - District Convention at Greater Fort Worth Post 516  
Diner and bar will be closed all day during the convention.**

Apr 28 (Wednesday) - Blind Draw Dart Tournament 7 pm

Apr 30 - National Military Brats Day

# April 2021 - Greater Fort Worth Post 516

## Month of the Military Child

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm <b>7 pm Executive Board</b>	2 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	3 / Diner 7 am to 2 pm <b>11 am SAL 12 noon Legion Riders</b>
4 Post Closed	5 Post Closed	6 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm <b>7 pm Auxiliary Unit 516</b>	7 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm <b>7 pm Darts</b>	8 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	9 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	10 / Diner 7 am to 2 pm <b>pancakes</b>
11 Post Closed	12 Post Closed	13 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	14 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm <b>7 pm Darts</b>	15 7 am to 2 pm <b>7 pm Post Membership meeting</b>	16 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	17 / Diner 7 am to 2 pm <b>12 noon Submarine Veterans Cowtown Base</b>
18 Post Closed	19 Post Closed	20 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	21 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm <b>7 pm Darts</b>	22 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	23 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	24 Diner closed <b>District Convention ALL DAY</b>
25 <i>Palm Sunday</i> Post Closed	26 Post Closed	27 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	28 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm <b>7 pm Darts</b>	29 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	30 Diner open 7 am to 2 pm	
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