

VFW Post 2093



The Action Post on the Lake

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VFW Post 2093 Newsletter

June—July 2024

Happy

INDEPENDENCE
DAY



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Commander's Letter

Go Marines Go Army!



Greetings Brothers and Sisters, Post and Auxiliary alike,

As of 24 May, our Post is 93 years old.

Upcoming is the State Convention at Renaissance at Sea World and School of Instruction is at Florida Hotel Orlando, Sand Lake Road and South Orange Blossom Trail, along with all the schools and training for the new officers. Folks, this takes a lot of personal time from your officers. I would ask you all to, please, let them know that you appreciate their sacrifice of time and effort in their service.

None the less, we have several issues to deal with that will be VERY demanding on our finances. In the upcoming weeks and months, we must endeavor to raise as much capital as we can in order to effect much needed repairs to the sewer system in the main hall. The cast iron piping, which is as old as the building (the Post moved in or around 1953) has deteriorated to the point that it must be dealt with as soon as possible. The existing situation has cost us \$750 over a period of 3 weeks, and there is no chance of the situation improving without expensive repairs/treatment.

Please feel free to approach any of the officers with any suggestions which may benefit the Post! Your officers will be spending a lot of time beating the bush, as it were, attempting to raise as much donations and funding as possible in preparation for the upgrade(s) which are absolutely necessary for our continued success.

To all of our volunteers, THANK YOU VERY MUCH and KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK.

Let's have a great year ahead and GOD BLESS AMERICA!

George "Sarge" Pilioglos, Commander
USMC Vietnam Veteran/US Army

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From the Auxiliary President Desk

Remember

Be kind and treat others as you would like to be treated



Hello Auxiliary Members!

From the President Desk :

Our State Convention is on June 16, located at the Renaissance at Sea World. Effective July 1 , our newly elected officers will now stepped into their chairs and the convention is over and a new year begins. I look forward to working with new officers but, will certainly miss the ones who stepped down. Those members were Kathy - my treasurer for 10 years, Chrissy - secretary and Jeff - guard. I thank them for serving and helping me. I know the newly elected ones will do a great job.

I know I have said in past it was my last year to run as President, however this will make my eleventh year and it is for sure my last. I will continue to do things but not as President in 2024-2025 I love this Post and the members here and that is why I have done and will continue to do for our Veterans.

July 4th will be celebrated on Saturday the 6th. It will be another fun day for the whole family. We have our very own Niki Bolin and her band performing on the patio. Burgers and dogs on the grill. Raffles, & fireworks as dusk. So plan on spending the day with us. Sign up for sides or see me.

Thank you again for putting your confidence in me and I am very proud to serve once again as your Auxiliary President.

Proud to serve as your President,

Jani Ramsey
Auxiliary President
A Lifetime Member

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Chaplains Corner



From Your Post Chaplain—Garey Smith

Peace and Blessing,

I would like to commemorate those among us, Comrades, Auxiliary and members who have been called to Gods' bosom in the land of light. We are thankful for their companionship and association in this life. Through their efforts we are assured security and strength. Because they served well, we are proud to call them our own, Godspeed.

Let me be the first to give an early Happy Fathers' Day to all the fathers. The Bible says that "children are a heritage from the Lord, offspring a reward from Him..." be Blessed and enjoy our special day.

Keep our country, countrymen and leaders in your prayers, and our Troops who at this very moment guard the gates of our freedom!

A prayer Attributed to George Washington Almighty God: We make our earnest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection; that thou wilt incline the hearts of the citizens to cultivate a spirit of subordination and obedience to government and entertain a brotherly affection and love for one another and for their fellow-citizens of the United States at large. And finally that Thou wilt most graciously be pleased to dispose us all to do justice, to love mercy and to demean ourselves with that charity, humility and pacific temper of mind which were the characteristics of the Divine Author of our blessed religion without a humble imitation of whose example in these things we can never hope to be a happy nation. Grant our supplication, we beseech Thee, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Happy Independence day to all, let's not forget all that fought and are fighting in defense of our great nation and those who gave all!
God Bless America!

Garey Smith
Post Chaplin

From Your Auxiliary Chaplain—Patty Pilioglos

Greetings,

As Chaplain, I write and send out cards. Please, if you have moved in the past two years please make sure the Post and Auxiliary have your updated address. I can't tell you how many cards I received returned. The 4th of July is fast approaching, please ask your Post or Auxiliary what you can do to help! We are always looking for volunteers and the 4th is a huge affair with activities for the children as well as for adults. There is a jar at the canteen for donations for our fireworks display, please donate generously!

As always keep the Anderson's in your prayers and other members of our Post and Auxiliary who maybe sick or injured! Thank you and God Bless our troops and God Bless America!

Patty Pilioglos
Auxiliary Chaplin

2023 / 2024 Officers

Post	Auxiliary
Commander: George "Sarge" Pilioglos	President: Jani Ramsey
Sr. Vice Commander: Rick Thomas	S. Vice President: Denise Estes
Jr. Vice Commander: Joe Anderson	Jr. Vice President: Ryan Godfrey
QM/Adjutant: Dave Lester	Secretary: Chrissy Zarrella-C
Chaplin/Surgeon: Garey Smith	Treasurer: Kathy Swoger
1st Year Trustee: Richard Mellon	Chaplain: Patty Pilioglos
2nd Year Trustee: Lamond Rose	Conductor: Mike Estes
3rd Year Trustee: Garey Smith	Guard: Jeff Swoger
	1st Year Trustee: Bonnie Richardson
	2nd Year Trustee: Mike Estes
	3rd Year Trustee: Priscilla Bailey



Single - \$10 for year, Couple - \$15 for year

August 2023—July 2024

Glenn and Priscilla Bailey	Mark Campbell & Chrissy Zarrella-C
David Lester	Ryan & Kamela Godfrey
Randy Jenkins & Wanda Williams	Manuel & Luz Rios
Calvin Nolan	Laura Carr
Corrie Kindyl	Cesar Vargas
Sam and Jani Ramsey	Bud Budenski
Joann Krouge	Lewis Maddox
Laura Ash	Vicki Hewitt
William Vars	



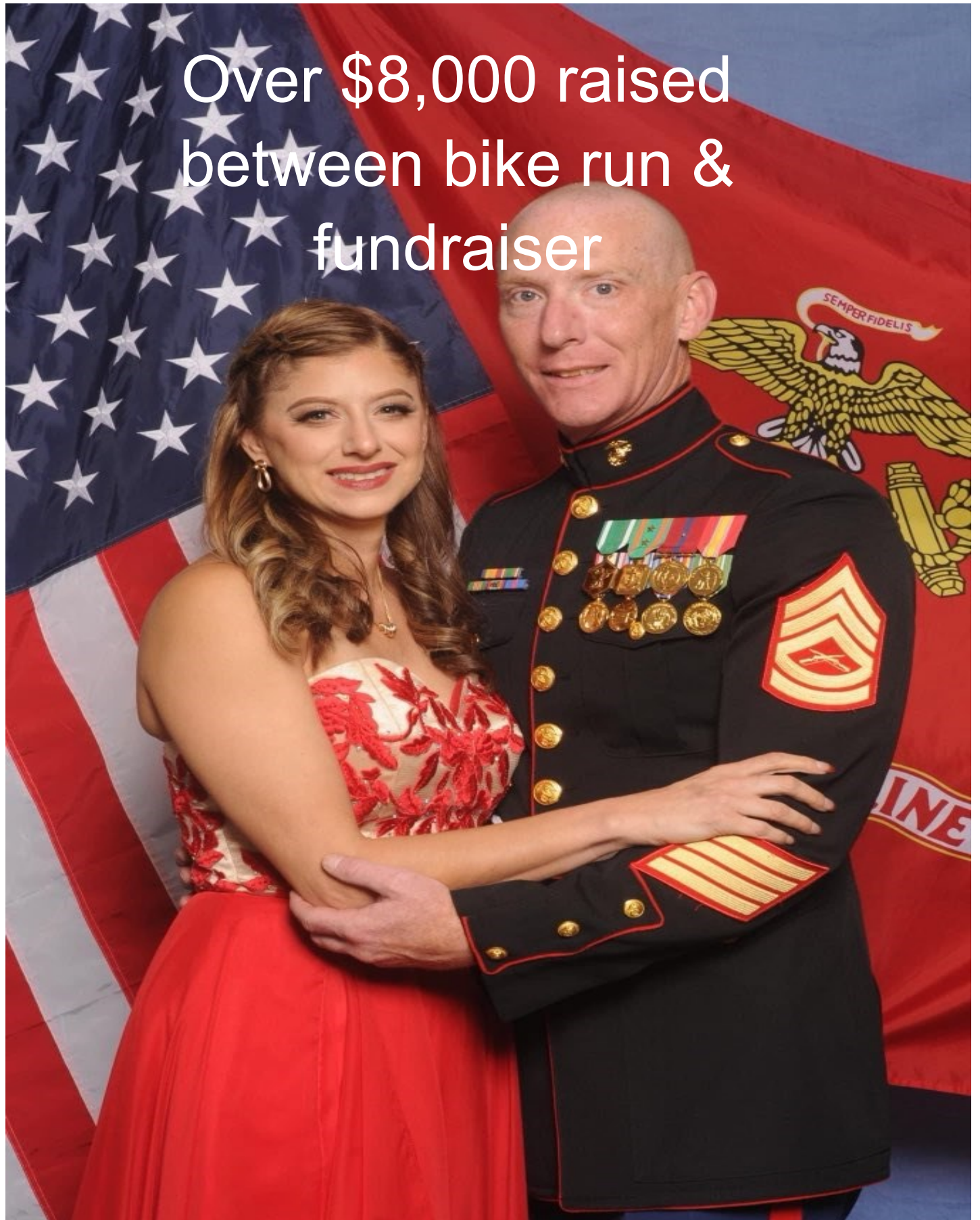
Memorials
\$20 per year
August 2023-July 2024



Table #5 2093	Mark Campbell, Gone but not forgotten
Glenn and Priscilla Bailey	Mark Campbell, Semper Fi Aug 18, 2023
Julie Lushetsky	Jim Roman, Remembering You
Victoria & Brad Wriedt	James D. Hallisey, I miss you so much Dad!

Thank you, from the bottom of our hearts!

Over \$8,000 raised
between bike run &
fundraiser





JUNE 2024
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THE ACTION POST ON THE LAKE



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 BFast 11-1 \$2 Bloody Mary's & Mimosas Bingo 1pm
2 Music Bingo 2pm By Cindy	3 Show me the money 8:30pm	4 Band Practice 7pm DAV 11-3	5 Fish & Wings 8pm Car Races 7pm	6 DAV 11-3 D-Day Allied Invasions of Europe 1944	7 Dinner by Post 8pm Karaoke by Cindy 7pm	8 BFast 11-1 \$2 Bloody Mary's & Mimosas Bingo 1pm
9 Meat Bin- go by Laura 2:30pm	10 Show me the money 8:30pm	11 DAV 11-3 Entertainment Comm Mtg 6pm Band Practice 7pm	12 Fish & Wings 8pm Car Races 7pm	13 DAV 11-3 House Comm Mtg 5pm	14 Aux/Post Dept Dinner 8pm Naple Sisters 7pm US Army Founded 1775 Flag Day	15 BFast 11-1 \$2 Bloody Mary's & Mimosas Bingo 1pm
16 District Conven- tion Meet- ing at Re- naissance SeaWorld 8:30am	17 Show me the money 8:30pm	18 VFW/VFWA Mtg 7pm DAV 11-3	19 Fish & Wings 8pm Car Races 7pm Juneteenth Nat'l Independence Day	20 DAV 11-3 Summer Begins	21 Dinner by DMC 8pm The Usual Sus- pects 7pm	22 BFast 11-1 \$2 Bloody Mary's & Mimosas Bingo 1pm
23 Pledge of Allegiance Rec'g by Congress 1942 GI Bill	24 Show me the money 8:30pm Band Practice 7pm	25 DAV 11-3 Korean War Be- gan 1950	26 Fish & Wings 8pm Car Races 7pm	27 DAV 11-3 Nat'l Post-Traumatic Stress Awareness Day	28 Dinner by Aux 8pm Juke Box Night 7pm	29 BFast 11-1 \$2 Bloody Mary's & Mimosas Bingo 1pm
30 Post 9/11 GI Bill Signed into Law 2008						



JULY 2024

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MEETINGS at a Glance

- ◆ **Post & Auxiliary Meetings:** 3rd Tuesday of every month, 7:00 pm
- ◆ **Events Committee:** 2nd Tuesday before the House Committee Meeting, 6:00 pm
- ◆ **House Committee:** Thursday before the Post Meeting, 5:00 pm
- ◆ **Band Practice:** 1st, 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7:00 pm
- ◆ **DAV** 11 am-3 pm Every Tuesday & Thursday

Queen of Hearts

Can you find her?

Get your Tickets \$

\$2.00 each



Every Friday Night

Drawing is At 7 pm

See Bartender

Or get them Friday

Support your Post

Attend meetings★★★★Come play our weekly/monthly games ★★★★★Grab a buddy and come out Friday nights for dinners, fun and laughter★★★★Canteen opens daily at 11 AM come and enjoy your favorite beverage with your fellow comrades while supporting our bartenders ★★★★★Don't miss out on our daily, weekly & monthly drawings for **CASH**

R.E.D. Shirt Friday

RED

remember everyone deployed



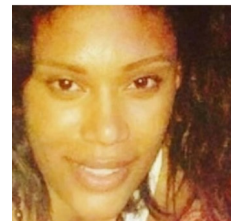
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Next Publication

My last newsletter publication will be for August & September

Thank you all for your support and contribution for our newsletter.

Cynthia Bland, new Editor



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TAPS

Remembering our Fallen Comrades 2023-2024

POST MEMBERS

Jonathan Robert Turk

John Fleck

Ronald Eady

Dave Burpee

Michael Bobo

Charlie First

James Hart

Eugene Henleben

Paul Lilling

Harry Rice

John Rowe

Richard White

William Vars

AUXILIARY MEMBERS

Keith Carr

Mark Campbell

Darlene Crevier

Cathy Hayes

Anna Marie "Rie" Smith

