



THE AMERICAN LEGION

Jack Grennan Post No. 62

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October/November/December 2024

FROM THE DESK OF THE COMMANDER

I can finally say the mural on the west and south walls of the American Legion building is finished. I would like to thank those that put in the hours to help work on the mural and make it a great success. I would like to give a big thank you to our mural artist Melissa Klein (MelissaKlein.com) who put in the countless hours to finish this project. I am also happy to say that the American Legion office at the Post has had a new facelift. New carpet was donated by McCrorie Carpet of Port Angeles. The new carpet and carpet pad were installed by a member of the Monday night AA group. A big thank you to those who helped make that happen.

Post membership is doing well we have now obtained more than 50% of our annual goal in membership. Post membership dues are now due and payable. If you have paid your dues for the coming year (2025) Thank You, it is greatly appreciated. If you still owe for the coming year note that Membership dues have increased from \$45.00 to \$50.00 per year. You can call Carl Bradshaw at 360-775-1477 to make an appointment to stop by the Legion office to pay your membership dues. You can also pay your membership dues on-line at Legion.org, or you can mail in your membership dues to The American Legion Post 62, P.O. Box 1167 Sequim, WA 98382. We can only reach our membership goal by everyone doing their part. Membership recruitment is not just one person's job.

October is when we start looking for volunteers to help with the Toys-for-Tots drive with the Marine Corp League. The new Toys-for-Tots coordinator (Kim Castello) will be holding a meeting at the American Legion, Post 62, in Sequim on October 8, 2024, at 10am. If you are interested in being a Toys-for-Tots volunteer, you are welcome to come to this meeting. We need volunteers to stand watches at Walmart and the Longhouse Market Deli for toy collection.

The next American Legion meeting will be on October 10, 2024, at 7:00 pm.

Remember to set your clocks back one hour to Pacific Standard Time on Sunday, Nov 3, 2024.

Carl Bradshaw
Commander, American Legion, Post 62



Post 62 mural dedication, showing Sequim City Band (photos taken on July 20, 2024)



Melissa Klein (mural artist)



Holly Rowan, dedication speaker



Carl Bradshaw, Commander



Post 62 mural dedication, public in attendance (photos taken on July 20, 2024)



mural detail, Jack Grennan



Unity of Effort (USMC & vehicles)



(photos on August 10, 2024)



This is a photo taken at Home Depot on July 27, 2024. This depicts the scene at the Veteran Appreciation Day held on that date. Several veterans organizations were represented at the Home Depot in Sequim that day.

CALENDAR

Executive Board Meeting:

1st Monday @ 1:30 pm

October 7, 2024,
 November 4, 2024,
 December 2, 2024,
 January 6, 2025,
 February 3, 2025,
 March 3, 2025,
 April 7, 2025,
 May 5, 2025.

American Legion Meeting:

2nd Thursday @ 7:00 pm

October 10, 2024,
 November 14, 2024,
 December 12, 2024,
 January 9, 2025,
 February 13, 2025,
 March 13, 2025,
 April 10, 2025,
 May 8, 2025.

Post 62 Activities:

Celebration of Life for
 Rod Lee, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
 October 12, 2024,
 Sequim Elks Lodge

District 3 Fall Conference
 October 26, 2024, 10:00 AM
 Port Orchard, Post 30

Superintendent of Sequim
 Schools presentation, Post 62
 October 29, 2024, 10:00 AM

REMEMBER

For the latest information and details on all Post 62 activities see the Calendar on the website home page at www.alpost62.com.

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POST 62 OFFICERS
2024 – 2025 (effective September 1, 2024)

For the American Legion

Commander: Carl Bradshaw
1st Vice Commander: Nancy Zimmermann
2nd Vice Commander: Paul Rogers
Adjutant: Dan Abbott
Judge Advocate: Dan Abbott
Finance Officer: Paul Renick
Chaplain: Sam Springob
Sgt-at-Arms: Jeff McFarland
Resource Officer: Paul Renick
Historian:
Executive Board Member: 1 year Ed Hako
Executive Board Member: 2 years Mike Darrow
Executive Board Member: 3 years Phil Capogna