



**American Legion
Post 272 Montebello**

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Newsletter for all Legionnaires

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From the Desk of the 1st Vice Commander



Dear Fellow Members:

I am sending this out to give all members a update on this year's election. As you know we didn't have elections last year due to the virus outbreak. This year we will begin the election process with first nominations at the general meeting on Tuesday, March 9th at 7:00pm. Second nominations and acceptance will take place at the general meeting on Tuesday, April 13th at 7:00pm. Election Day will be on Tuesday, May 11th from 3:00pm to 7:00pm. In order to run for office or to be able to vote, each member must be in good standing. This means that the current 2021 membership must be paid up to date. Also, please send me your current address and phone number, if you are moving or have any information changes to your membership so that we can update our records.

I would like to say I am deeply sorry for the letters that some of you may have received about your membership dues not being paid. Post 272 Does Not send out those notices, they come from Department of California or from National. They are behind schedule in updating their records due to limited staff and limited working hours during the pandemic. I have called them several times to let them know about this problem. Our Adjutant Carlos Larios and the 19th District Membership Chairman Nick Rosa are working to get the membership status from Department up to date.

It has been a Honor to serve you as your 1st Vice Commander for the last 5 years. There has been some big renovation improvements at Post 272 recently all with the approval of the Board of Directors. Commander Richard Munoz and I 1st Vice Keith Kuba hope you will enjoy when the post reopens soon. When coming to the Post for our upcoming membership meetings or to cast your vote at the May elections, please remember to wear a mask and practice social distancing. Let's continue to protect each other's health and well-being.

Thanks again! Wishing you and your families a safe and healthy 2021!

The Best to all,
Semper Fi,

Keith Kuba -USMC/USARMY
1st Vice Commander



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- ✓ NEW VETERAN DESIGNATION ON YOUR DRIVER LICENSE OR ID

JOIN US FOR A SPECIAL FUNDRAISER EVENT

Information Will be Provided by

L.A. COUNTY VETERAN SERVICE OFFICER

Kenneth Gonzales Jr



Saturday, March 27th - 10AM

Open to all Veterans or Family Members

Reserve your spot ASAP • We Will be Accepting Donations
to Cover our Post's Operating Costs During the COVID Shutdown
Please Donate What You Can • Limited Seats Available

For Reservations Contact the Post Adjutant Carlos Larios at:

(562)756-4163 or ALEGIONPOST272@gmail.com

Greetings Legionnaires,

I would like to mention that the bar seating area upholstery is in need of refurbishing. Our friend Frank would provide the labor free of charge to accomplish this but we would just need to purchase the material needed.

• I Gordon Johnson will personally match any donations up to \$500.⁰⁰ toward this project •

This new upholstery will enhance the look of our Post lounge along with the new flooring that is already being installed. Together we can enjoy these renovations when we re-open later this year. So, I ask all of you to pitch in what you can to get this project completed!

Mail in your donation checks to the Post payable to "American Legion Post 272" in the memo write: "Lounge Re-Upholstery"

Thank you,

Gordie Johnson
Post 272 Board Member

**Please help us keep you informed send us your email address,
any questions please contact:**

1st Vice Keith@323 206-7979

2nd Vice Anthony@

Adjacent Carlos@

ARE YOU MOVING?

If so, please update your address with this form and mail it to:

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Attn: Membership
616 W. Cleveland Ave
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NAME: _____

OLD ADDRESS: _____

NEW PHONE NO: _____

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