

Greetings & Salutations;

The American Legion Post 179 meetings & activities for the month of February are as follows;

Executive Board:	February 2 2017	6:30 pm
General Membership:	February 9 2017	7:00 pm
Auxiliary Membership:	February 9 2017	7:00 pm
House Committee:	February 18 2017	10:30 am
S. A. L.:	February 19 2017	1:00 pm

Post Breakfast February 19 2017

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

2nd Vice Commander Eric Chappell is still needing members to Supervise community service workers on the weekends. Please contact him at either 830-625-0179 or 254-432-1144 for further details.

Chili & Barbecue cook off Meetings on February 14th & the 28th starts at 6:30 pm.

February 5 2017 Four Chaplains Sunday

Join us this Sunday, **February 5th at 1 p.m.** at American Legion Post 179, as we pause with American Legion posts across the nation to reflect upon what valor, courage and sacrifice really mean. Four Chaplains Sunday honors the sacrifice of four military chaplains of different faiths in World War II, who on one fateful day gave their lives together so that others may live. American Legion Post 179 is located at 410 West Coll Street. We hope to see you there.

February 4 2017

The First meeting of the American Legion Riders Chapter 179 will begin at 4:00 pm.

Veterans' Art Exhibit to be hosted at American Legion Post 245 in Seguin

Attached please find information on the Veterans Art Exhibit sponsored by Seguin Unit 245 at American Legion Post 245. The opening ceremony is on Tuesday, March 7, 2017 at 6:00 pm. [The closing ceremony will take place Wednesday, March 8, 2017 at 6:00 pm.](#) Please let your veterans know of this art exhibit and encourage them to enter. Attached you will find information and an entry form that must be received by February 22, 2017.

Art is a beautiful way our veterans can express themselves and rehabilitate as well. Please distribute to as many veterans as you can. Thank you.

Seguin Unit 245 is looking forward to hosting a special event for our veterans; please plan to attend and support them.

With blessings,

Sandi Schendel

14th District President

210-842-2228

(The entry form is attached as a pdf)

For those looking for assistance

American Legion Post 179 Chaplain James Hollon can be reached at

sfchollon@yahoo.com.

Oakwood Counseling Center

176 S. Hickory Ave. New Braunfels Tx.

830-627-7006

If you, or someone you know is having trouble and may be thinking that suicide is an option, please call the VA's 24/7 suicide prevention

hotline at 1-800-273-8255 and press 1. You may also chat online at www.veteranscrisisline.net, or send a text message to 838255.

Veterans Benefits - <http://www.legion.org/benefitscalculator/>

Requesting Your DD Form 214 through the National Archives

A copy of this form can be requested from the National Archives using their online **eVetRecs system** (archives.gov/veterans/military-service-records), which creates a customized order form to request information from your, or your relative's, military personnel records.

All meetings are held at Post 179 located at 410 W. Coll Street New Braunfels TX. Phone: 830-625-0179. **We look forward to seeing you at the meetings.**

For further monthly scheduled events visit our web site @ www.alpost179tx.org.

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