

September 2020

September 1st, 2020

ATTENTION! REMINDER TO ALL MEMBERS:

LEGIONNAIRES, SAL & AUXILIARY

From Dan Laviola:

Membership Renewal is upon us again. Please send in your dues as soon as possible so we can process your renewal and send your 2021 cards to you. While you have until the end of December, we ask you to complete this sooner rather than later. Thank You.

Dan Laviola

Membership Chair

American Legion Post 139

September 7th, 2020

Let's remember why we have today off. It's not to have a 3 day weekend. It is to recognize and honor the men and women of the

American labor movement and the works & contributions of laborers to the development and achievements of the United States. ❤️🇺🇸💙



Labor Day was created as a way to acknowledge and pay tribute to the workforce for all that they have done to make our country prosperous and strong.

The first Labor Day was celebrated in New York City, and other cities followed this example in the following years. It was in 1894 that Congress passed a law making the first Monday of September a legal holiday.



September 11th, 2020



September 15th, 2020

KENNY'S
14TH ANNUAL
CLAM LOVERS BBQ

Presented By Squadron 139

Saturday October 3rd, 2020
1pm to 5pm

\$25/person Includes:
CLAMS! Steamed or 1/2 Shell.
Sausage and Peppers, Hot Dogs, Hamburgers,
Salads, Desserts, Soda, Coffee, Tea, & Tap Beer!

****Bring your lawn chair. Rain or Shine****

Music ~ Corn Hole ~ Raffles ~ Giveaways

****All Covid 19 Safe Practices Will Be Followed****

September 18th, 2020

Happy Birthday United States Air Force!

The US Air Force was established in 1947 and will celebrate it's 73rd "birthday" this year. The US Air Force began their journey into the powerhouse they are now as a section of the US Army in 1909 when the United States purchased their first aircraft.

Over the next 38 years, they would go through several changes and designations: originally being known as the Aeronautical Section, Signal Corps in 1909; then becoming the Aviation Section, Signal

Corps in 1914; in 1918 they would be known as the United States Army Air Service, then changing again in 1926 to the United States Army Air Corps and in 1941 they would be known as the United States Army Air Forces before ultimately becoming their own entity as we know them today.

After WWII showed how invaluable air power would be, on September 18, 1947, President Truman signed the National Security Act. This act created a new defense organization focused on air power and led to the creation of the United States Air Force, a completely independent military organization & who was equal to the US Army and US Navy.



National POW/MIA Remembrance Day:

In 1979, President Jimmy Carter signed a proclamation recognizing America's Prisoners of War and Missing In Action servicemen and women. Known as the National POW/MIA Remembrance, we recognize and honor the sacrifice these brave men and women endured annually on the 3rd Friday in September. This year we will honor these courageous veterans on Friday September 18th, 2020.



