



Welcome Aboard!

Thank you for your military service and continuing service in VFW Post 7264! Our Post was established in 1955 and has served veterans and the high-desert community for over seventy years. You are now part of this legacy! Here you will find a welcome community who understands the sacrifice of military service and celebrates it through comradery and volunteerism.

We look forward to seeing you around the Post! Currently we have several weekly events which include meals, karaoke, and various special events. Our Post runs on the efforts of our volunteers to bartend, cook, wash dishes, and maintain the facilities, among other things. The Post also participates in mandatory National VFW programs such as Poppy and membership drives and community events like Flying Doctors and Trunk or Treat. If you feel inclined to volunteer, talk to an Officer of the Post. We appreciate your talents and contribution.

The current officer staff can be viewed on our website. Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions or inquiries you might have or receive from fellow veterans. We also encourage your spouse and family members to become members of our Auxiliary. Dani Taylor, Auxiliary President, and her crew are vital in helping us keep our Post active.

Your email will be added to our Newsletter distribution list. The monthly Newsletter is our primary means of communication and publishes a monthly calendar of events. You can also view the whiteboard calendar at the Post entrance, follow us on Facebook for real time updates and social interaction or visit our official website at VFW7264.org. Using your member number,

you can create an account and access the Post, District 3, Department (CA), and the National VFW websites. Our Post contact information is as follows:

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6402 Veterans Way
Joshua Tree, CA 92252
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I also encourage you to read the Post By-laws (in this package), familiarize yourself with Robert's Rules of Order, and review the "Podium manual" or the National By-laws which includes instructions on Post level ceremonies, rituals, and order of business. An electronic version of this manual can be found at: <https://www.vfw.org/my-vfw/vfw-training-and-support/bylaws-training-forms-and-templates>.

Lastly, remember, our mission is fraternal, patriotic, historical, charitable, and educational and we seek to preserve and strengthen comradeship, assist worthy comrades, perpetuate the memory and history of our dead and assist their surviving spouses and orphans, maintain true allegiance to the Government of the United States and fidelity to the Constitution and its laws, foster true patriotism, maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom and preserve and defend the United States from all enemies. Thank you for committing to our organization and community. See you around the Post!

Commander

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