



TO ALL BRANCH, UNIT AND ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Board of Governors: Thursday May 2nd @ 9 AM FRA

Board of Directors: Monday 6th @ 4 PM FRA

Branch Meeting: Wednesday May 8th @ 5 PM FRA

Unit Meeting: Thursday May 9th @ 5PM FRA

National website: <http://www.fra.org/>

Hello gang, here we are in May now. April seems to fly right on through, except for that darn rain....

So, all, how do we like those meals on Friday nights? The Branch is so glad to see so many people turning out for the great catered meals on Fridays. I want to put a special call out to Steve Sears, who is reliving his days as a youth pre-Marines as a food server. I think he might have found his next calling-Just kidding, he and I have really enjoyed serving the good people of Branch/Club and Unit 170. We are currently running the schedule of Sandwiches, Chinese Food, Spaghetti and then Mexican Food. Any suggestions please use the suggestion box in the Club. They are read and answered (if you leave your name on it) every month by the Board of Governors. We are always looking for people to help serve food with us, anyone can help. We occasionally will need a break to enjoy the company of all of you!!

Elections are this month, so we encourage all people Unit and Branch to attend meetings. That is how you can find out what is going on and get involved. Meeting times are listed above and on the Club TV which rotates our calendars and activities (thanks Rich D.)

Our new taller flagpole has been installed. Special callout and kudos to all those who volunteered to make it happen. Kinda reminds me of Iwo Jima, with the Marines erecting that flag.

The Regional Convention is September 6-8, 2019 at the Delta Hotel, 310 Pine St, Everett, WA. We encourage all to attend.

Remember, any feedback you would like to give is welcome. Please use the comments box and ALL comments are read by our Governors and they do respond back. Remember, this is your place.

As I wrap up this letter, I want to thank you all for reading it, coming to the Branch, Auxiliary, and Club 170 and participating and enjoying spending your time with us. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for allowing me to be your President. Be kind to each other and let's continue to make this year special. May God Bless all of you, our wonderful city of Everett, our Armed Forces, and the United States of America...

In Loyalty,
Protection and Service
Irving Salisbury
President, Branch 170