

FLEET RESERVE ASSOCIATION 170 - Auxiliary

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Greetings from your Auxiliary! Can you believe it's already February? The new year is in full swing! Another successful holiday season has come and gone and we are already looking forward to Valentine's Day.

Due to the incredible success of our Christmas charity, adopting families from Madison Elementary, we have adopted Madison as a year-round charity, in addition to our monthly charities. Our contacts at the school have expressed great appreciation but great need for additional assistance for the overlooked families within their school district. We are so excited and hopeful for this opportunity to serve our community and Cindy and I would like to thank all of you for your contributions!

On a serious note, I would like to address the lack of participation of auxiliary members. Cindy and I really love serving you and the community on behalf of the FRA Auxiliary 170, but, in order for us to truly fulfill the expectations of all of our members, we need help. We both are balancing full time jobs, kids still at home, and not only our duties as president and vice-president, but also the duties of secretary and treasurer, not to mention the weekly duties required to keep things going. This is rewarding, however frustrating, considering how many auxiliary members we have. FRA Auxiliary 170 is blessed to be attached to the Club and Branch 170; without their constant support, we would not have made it through so many hard times you all are aware of. It is time for our Auxiliary members to step up and help out. If each of you were to give just a little time each month, we could accomplish miles more than we have already! In just one short year, Cindy and I have made many advancements to make our organization stronger, just think if everyone participated, how much more we could accomplish?!

Onward and upward, Auxiliary members! There are so many fun new things in the pipeline, we just need participation to make it all happen.

Dates to remember:

- Thursday, February 14th, 5PM Auxiliary meeting
- Friday, February 22nd, Auxiliary hosted paddle wheel
- Every Thursday, 7PM Auxiliary 50/50 Drawing (Do not need to be present to win)

Carrie Sears
President Unit/Auxiliary 170

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NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY was a lot of fun!! The party goers stayed past 12 this year!! That's tough to do anymore (a) A lot of pictures taken in the picture frame and lots of dancing. Thank you, Debbie and Barbara for helping to decorate for this and Steve Sears for undecorating with me and Raymond and helping to put it all away!!!

Upcoming Events: Looking for suggestions on some different/new activities?? Indoor Putt Putt coming soon Chili Cookoff Pound Auction Saturdays – 5 to 7 Blackjack Table (Fun Friendly Game)

<u>SUPER BOWL PARTY</u>, Sunday Feb 3rd Come join us for a Branch catered party!! There will be Pull Tab drink specials, raffles and more. Grand prize is a \$300 gift card for Angel of the Winds for a night stay, dinner and drinks. Also, an additional \$50 cash for gambling.

<u>HAPPY HOUR</u>....FROM 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM. COME ON IN AND DO A LIL DAY DRINKING AND SOCIALIZING.

BINGO every Tuesday at 5. Progressive Blackout and Progressive Quarter Pot. Potluck every Tuesday. Come on in and YELL BINGO!

As always KARAOKE every Thursday night @6



KARAOKE and Valentine's Day party this month. Bring your sweetie in and sing or just spend your time with us. More details to come on this event. Photo Booth & snacks too!!

We need more singers!! Come on in and show your support. We need more participation on Thursday so we may keep this going. Cindy and Kent do a great job. So, grab your friends and come on in!

DON'T FORGET TACO THURSDAY 5 TO 7pm!

BUNCO Monday the 11th @ 1





HORSE RACES – Saturday the 9th

<u>FALLEN HERO BANNERS MEETING Sunday, February 17th at 11am.</u> We can always use more volunteers! Breakfast will also be available. More details to come on breakfast.