



Depot Fallout

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A WORD FROM THE PREZ

by *Allan Pentecost, WCC President*

First of all, due to unforeseen circumstances, we were unable to produce the January 2023 issue of our Depot Fallout newsletter. So instead of wishing you all a Happy New Year, I'll say I hope your new year has started out well and continues to get even better. With that said, in our last quarterly business meeting, the officers agreed that due to our limited resources, we will start sending out our newsletters twice a year instead of quarterly. So you can expect a newsletter in April and in October.

It is my pleasure to extend a hardy welcome to our newest member Robin Adair and his wife Mary. Along with all of the other officers and members, I welcome you to the West Coast Chapter of the AFTAC Alumni Association.

We held our Fall Social on 12 November 2022 at Sam's Hof Brau. The turnout was a bit lower than expected. There was a lot of winter illness going around, so maybe that was the culprit. Twelve of us enjoyed a good meal and we had a good time re-connecting and catching up.

I'm already looking forward to our Spring Picnic in May, and hope we have great weather & a good turnout. (*Details & Signup Form are in this issue of the newsletter. Please use it!*)

As far as business, at the end of this year, I will be stepping down from the office of president. I will continue to be available to fulfill the offices of Membership Chairman and Publications & Distribution Chairman. So we will be looking for someone else to take the initiative to step into the president position. We are open for nominations, whether it be yourself, or someone you know that would like to fill that office. So please, either email me at: President@AFTACWCC.org, or call me at 916-276-9203. We really need your nominations!

Membership News

by *Allan Pentecost, Membership Chairman*

Mar 13, 2023

Total Active Members = 133 Life Members = 126

Welcome new members:

Robin & Mary Adair.

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Each half year the Depot Fallout needs input. If you have an article you would like to share, feel free to send to tcj.wcc@gmail.com

Website quarterly activity report

1 Oct 2022 – 31 Mar 2023

By *Bob Fitzgerald, WCC Webmaster*

	Highest Total	Most Popular*	Next Most Popular*		
	Visitors	Visitors Week	Sessions	Page (#Sessions)	Page (#Sessions)
4Q22:	4,965	11/07 (753)	5,424	Departed (397)	Links (232)
1Q23:	4,839	03/20 (615)	5,839	Departed (314)	Links (209)

Notes: * Does not include our 'Home' page, which almost always is the most popular page.

Visitors: This evaluation shows how many visitors accessed our website. Visitors are uniquely identified on the basis of the IP address and the browser ID. **If a visitor goes to our website more than once a day, only one visitor is counted.**

Sessions: This evaluation shows the number of sessions. A session starts when a visitor accesses our website and ends when he or she leaves it. A session ends automatically after 30 minutes without activity. **If a visitor goes to our website more than once a day, multiple sessions are counted.**



EVENTS CALENDAR

By *Bob Fitzgerald, WCC Webmaster*

QUARTERLY MEETINGS:

Our quarterly WCC General Business Meetings are held the **2nd Monday** of March, June, September & December at **7:00pm** Pacific. Our next meeting will be held online on ZOOM only! It will be on **Monday, June 12th**. Always check our www.AFTACWCC.org website "Events" page a before the meeting to confirm format & location of the meeting in case of last minute changes. All members are welcome, but please let us know if you'll participate at: President@AFTACWCC.org, and Webmaster@AFTACWCC.org.

UPCOMING SOCIAL EVENTS:

Armed Forces Day, Saturday, May 20, 2023, @ 11:00am: "SPRING PICNIC BBQ & POT-LUCK".

This event will take place at **Tempo Park**, 13201 Fair Oaks Blvd., Citrus Heights, CA 95610.

(Look for details, & sign-up form in this issue of our Depot Fallout, and our website "Events" page!)

[Note: Always check our <http://www.AFTACWCC.org> website "Events" page for up-to-date plans & event status.]



In Memoriam

Robert Balentine (SEO 20) passed away on

Thursday, January 5, 2023 announced.

Service was on February 10, 2023 at 11:15

a.m., at Fort Sam Houston National

Cemetery, 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road, San

Antonio, TX



WCC FALL SOCIAL – 12 DEC 2022 – at SAM’S HOF BRAU



Charlie Penn, Donna Fritts & John "Butch" Kemna



Corinne & John Miner



Dale Klug, Tony Carvelli (*guest*), Allan & Kathy Pentecost, John Culbert, Bob Baker & Bob Fitzgerald

Although we had a small turnout of just 11 AFTAC Alumni plus 1 guest, we had a good meal and a good time visiting with our old friends to catch up on life's happenings.

We hope you will join us for our Spring Picnic on Armed Forces Day, May 20th. Also plan to join us on Veteran's Day this year for our next Fall Social.

In between our social events, you'd be most welcome to join us online for our quarterly business meetings. See our "EVENTS CALENDAR" in this issue, and the "Events" page on our website for details.



L-R seated: John Culbert, Tony Carvelli (*guest*), Kathy Pentecost & Dale Klug. Bob Fitzgerald, Donna Fritts, Charlie Penn, Butch Kemna, Bob Baker, Allan Pentecost, Corinne & John Miner

Check out the "Albums" page on our website for enlargements of these photos..

Bob Fitzgerald
Photographer,

AFTAC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION - WEST COAST CHAPTER

ANNUAL PICNIC BBQ & POTLUCK

SATURDAY, 20 MAY 2023 – 11AM-2PM

Tempo Park, 13201 Fair Oaks Blvd, Citrus Heights, CA 95610

ATTENTION TO ORDERS

We are very happy to invite all AFTAC'ers, their families and friends to join us. Our picnic area has good restroom facilities, ample parking, and a covered pavilion reserved for our use. We will be lighting the BBQs before 1100 hours and wrap things up by 1400 hours.

Once again, the West Coast Chapter (WCC) of our alumni association will supply the basics: hamburgers, hot dogs, condiments, soft drinks/water, utensils & paper products. We only ask that you bring a salad, side dish, dessert, or ??.

Please remember that due to current county regulations there is no alcohol consumption allowed at this facility. All AFTAC Alumni & their guests (*including non-AFTAC'ers*) are cordially invited, but please submit your sign up early so the logistics can be tweaked.

Please fill out the sign-up form & send it to us now! **YOUR SIGN UP IS NEEDED BY May 13th, 2023.**



VITAL DETAILS:

When: Armed Forces Day - Saturday, 20 May 2023
Where: Tempo Park
Address: 13201 Fair Oaks Blvd, Citrus Heights, 95610
Hours: 1100 Hrs -1400 Hrs (11:00 am – 2:00 pm)
Cost: "Nada"



DIRECTIONS

*From I-80: Go East on Greenback, turn left (North) on Fair Oaks Blvd. **The park will be on the left side < 1 mile up.***
From Hwy 50: Go North on Sunrise Blvd, turn right (East) on Greenback and left (North) on Fair Oaks Blvd. ^.

If you have questions, call WCC President, **Allan Pentecost, (916) 276-9203**
 or Email: "PicnicGurus@AFTACWCC.org"

PLEASE FILL IN THE SIGN-UP FORM BELOW and RETURN IT BY 13 May 2023 to:

PicnicGurus@AFTACWCC.org, or mail it to:

AFTACAA-WCC, c/o 6605 Sweet Gum Ct, Citrus Heights, CA 95610

I [] E-mailed, | [] Mailed, my form on ___/___/2023.

There will be ___ of us coming & we'll bring _____ for the potluck.

(Note: This upper part is for your records, so keep it as a reminder)

Scan the form below & E-mail it, (*or just E-mail the requested info*), or cut off here & mail the form to the address shown above.

WCC PICNIC BBQ & POTLUCK – ARMED FORCES DAY – SATURDAY 20 MAY 2023

SIGN UP FORM

(Please print)

NAME: (First & Last): _____ **SPOUSE/GUEST:** _____

Add'l Name(s): _____ **Total Number Attending [___]**

Your Ph#: (___) ___-____ Email Addr: _____

I/We will bring for the potluck:

Salad [] Side Dish [] Dessert [] Other? _____

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DUE TO A LACK OF CONTENT SUBMISSIONS
BY AFTAC ALUMNI.

HOWEVER, ...

If you have a photo, story/BS, or whatever, which you figure the AFTAC Alumni would enjoy seeing/reading, please send it to **John Culbert**, WCC Newsletter Editor, at: FalloutEditor@AFTACWCC.org for consideration.

THANK YOU!



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Note: Your last newsletter will be the one following your expiration year. Check your mailing label for expiration year.

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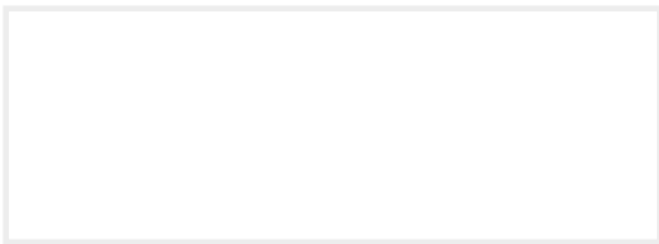
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Support your West Coast Chapter: Please pass a copy of this form to your AFTAC Alumni friends. *[From the Depot Fallout]*

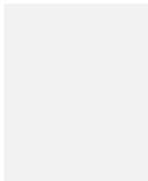
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(updated 11/15/21 ..bf)



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