



# Sons of the American Legion The Mighty 20th District

## One Small Step for the Sons...

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### 20th District Squadron Leaders

- District Advisor - Eugene Elliott, #667
- Squadron #300 - Danny Clark
- Squadron #443 - Felix Orosco
- Squadron #485 - Tony Gonzales
- Squadron #579 - Glenn Boswell
- Squadron #592 - Cajon Guidry
- Squadron #593 Kenneth Tidball
- Squadron #667 - Oscar Glover, Jr.
- Squadron #828 - Ernest Barnes

This is somewhat late and most of you know what happened on Saturday, March 31, 2007. For those of you that don't, here is the rundown. At the direction and request of the 20th District Commander the Sons of the American Legion Squadrons of the Mighty 20th District met at Alamo Post #2 for the purpose of electing Officers to serve at the District Level so that the District would have representation from each of the Organizations that comprise The American Legion. To assist with the job at hand we were very fortunate to have in attendance the Detachment Commander, Richard "Squeek" Bartholomew, Detachment Vice Commander Del Rogers and the Assistant Adjutant John Schendel. Of the eight Squadrons in the Mighty 20th we were blessed to have four of the Commanders in attendance in the form of Felix Orosco of

Squadron #443, Daniel "Cajon" Guidry of Squadron #592, Kenneth Tidball of Squadron #593 and Ernest F. Barnes of Squadron #828. The results of the elections are as follows: 20th District Commander Ernest F. Barnes; 20th District Vice Commander Felix Orosco; 20th District Adjutant Kenneth Tidball; and 20th District Chaplain Charlie Porter of Squadron #592. Those Officers are pictured below in reverse order from left to right. See additional photos on page number 2.



## YOUR PLACE TO ADVERTISE

**(REPEAT)** If we can get this publication going, it will serve as an ideal method in which to advertise your upcoming events and programs. It will be a means to inform each Squadron in the District what you have going and in turn keep you informed on what is happening where. This inaugural addition will only be four pages, with the capability to increase easily to six or ten pages, based on the requirement. This is only being sent to the Squadron in the District what you "Leaders" listed to the left for your feedback. So please do so.

The following are a couple of photos that were taken during the March 31, 2007 20th District Convention. In photo #1 below are from left to right: Del Rogers, John Schendel; Detachment Commander Richard

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“Squeak” Bartholomew; Kenneth Tidball, Felix Orosco; Charlie Porter and Ernest Barnes. In photo #2 newly elected 20th District Commander Ernest F. Barnes receives the Gavel of Authority from Detachment Commander Richard “Squeek” Bartholo-

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2006 – 2007 Detachment Officers

**Commander**

- Vice Commander 1st Division
- Vice Commander 2nd Division
- Vice Commander 3rd Division
- Vice Commander 4th Division
- Adjutant
- Finance Officer
- Judge Advocate
- Chaplain
- Historian
- Sergeant-at-Arms
- Asst. Sgt.-at-Arms
- N.E.C
- Alternate N.E.C
- Department Liaison

**Richard Bartholomew**

- Steve Slaughter
- Albert Arellano
- Delma Rodgers
- David Blair
- Kevin Winkelmann
- Joe McPeters
- Brad Pack
- Mike Stagg
- Jeff Vess
- Vern Bennett
- Larry Bohannon
- Moss E. "Ed" Magers
- Abel Silva
- Milton Chatham

**McAllen Squadron 37**

- Benbrook Squadron 297
- Whitney Squadron 522
- Cuero Squadron 3
- El Paso Squadron 36
- Houston Squadron 654
- Dallas Squadron 453
- El Paso Squadron 36
- Dallas Squadron 453
- Denton Squadron 71
- Houston Squadron 560
- Ft. Worth Squadron 297
- Dallas Squadron 453
- Plano Squadron 321
- Beaumont Post 817

Detachment Web Site <http://saltexas.org>

**What we are all about!**

**Preamble to the Constitution of the Sons of The American Legion**

Proud possessors of a priceless heritage, we male descendants of veterans of the Great Wars, associate ourselves together as "Sons of The American Legion" for the following purposes:  
 To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a true spirit of Americanism; to preserve the memories of our former members and the associations of our members and our forefathers in the Great Wars; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation; to combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses; to make right the master of might; to promote peace and goodwill on earth; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy; to consecrate and sanctify our friendship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness; to adopt in letter and spirit all of the great principles for which The American Legion stands and to assist in carrying on for God and Country.

# May 2007


## THE MIGHTY 20th DISTRICT

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 #2 GM 7:30pm #399 GM 7:00pm #593 GM 7:30pm	3	4	5 <b>3rd Division Convention in Seguin</b>
6 <b>3rd Division Convention in Seguin</b>	7 #800 GM 7:30pm	8 #592 GM 7:30pm	9 <b>20th District Boys State Orientation at Post #2 CONSOLIDATED POST REPORTS DUE TO DEPA- RTMENT JUNE 1st</b>	10	11	12 #592 Breakfast 8:30-11:30 #593 Breakfast 8:00-11:00
13 #375 GM 2:00pm #539 GM 2:00pm #667 Breakfast 8:00-11:30 <b>Mother's Day</b>	14	15 #828 GM 7:00pm	16 #588 GM @ #579 4:00pm	17	18 Squadron #828 Fish Fry 11:00am - 6:00pm Donation \$6.00	19 #593 Darts 7:30pm <b>Armed Forces Day</b>
20 #443 GM 1:00pm	21 #667 GM 7:00pm	22	23	24 #612 GM 6:00pm	25 #593 Steaks 6:00-8:00pm	26
27	28 #300 GM 7:00pm #579 GM 7:00pm	29	30	31		

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June 2007  
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3	4 #800 GM 7:30pm	5	6 #2 GM 7:30pm #399 GM 7:00pm #593 GM 7:30pm	7	8	9 #592 Breakfast 8:30-11:30 #593 Breakfast 8:00-11:00
10 #375 GM 2:00pm #539 GM 2:00pm #667 Breakfast 8:00-11:30	11 #485 GM 7:00pm	12 #592 GM 7:30pm	13 20th District Meeting at Post #592	14	15	16 #593 Darts 7:30
17 #443 GM 1:00pm 	18 #667 GM 7:00pm	19 #328 GM 7:00pm	20 #568 GM @ #579 4:00pm	21	22 #593 Steaks 6:00-8:00pm	23
24	25 #300 GM 7:00pm #579 GM 7:00pm	26	27	28 #612 GM 6:00pm	29	30 #579 Steak Night 5:30pm