

OCTOBER 2022 Alaska Post News



HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!!

SITKA IS AT IT AGAIN!!

Henry "Gene" Burton Sr. Memorial Post 13 hosted the Seattle Firefighters Drum and Pipes and the 9th Army Band out of Anchorage to help celebrate Alaska Day Celebration Week, As only Sitka can!!!



The Pipers came first and the post had a personal concert before we fed them Philly Cheese Steaks and many potluck items the Auxiliary brought in.

The Army Band showed up 2 hours later, they were performing at the PAC (Performance Arts Center) here in Sitka and then came in to enjoy our hospitality. The fellowship between First Responders and Active duty was a win-win as many of the First Responders are prior military.

Psssttt.....wonder if they deliver....?



Afterward, the Pipers performed for the band, something that they normally miss due to scheduled conflicts. They even played the "Army Goes Rolling Along" for them.



**Do you ever wonder.....what the National Executive Committee Room (NEC) looks like?
If you have, check out the pictures**

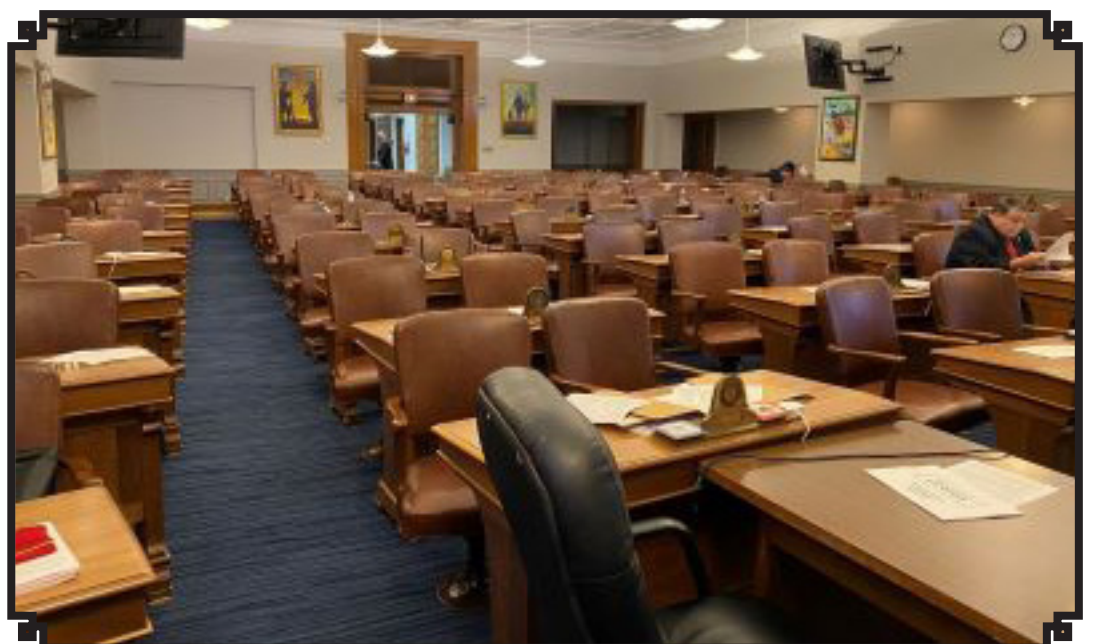


This is the Alaskan National Executive Committeemen desk.

All 55 Departments have one National Executive Committeemen and one Alternate National Executive Committeemen. They all meet in this beautiful room.



The National Commander and the four National Vice Commander's watch over the National Executive Committeemen



TIME FOR ALASKA POST TRIVIA.....!

QUESTION # 1

How many of you know how the early Post were given the Post numbers they have today?
(HINT; it involved a Hat)
And the Answer....

The numbers were all placed in a hat. Each Post Commander drew out a number.

QUESTION #2

What is the oldest Post in Alaska?
(HINT; it is not what you think)
And the Answer....

Joseph T. Craig Post 3

If you are curious about all the Post, here are all the current Alaska Post with the date of their charters....

Post #	Post Name	Location	Temp Chart Date	Perm Chart Date	Supp Chart Date	Replace Chart Date
0003	Joseph T Craig	Ketchikan	9/09/1919	12/18/1920		
0001	Jack Henry	Anchorage	9/26/1919	10/15/1935	3/22/1996	
0002	Valdez	Valdez	10/03/1919	12/18/1920		
0005	Seward	Seward	12/31/1919	3/10/1936		
0006	Merlin Elmer Palmer	Wrangell	1/05/1920	3/26/1921		
0011	Dorman H Baker	Fairbanks	4/29/1920	4/27/1921		
0013	Henry "Gene" Burton, Sr. Memorial	Sitka	6/04/1920	11/29/1920		1/19/2022
0014	Edward Locken	Petersburg	7/02/1920	12/18/1920		
0012	Lynn Canal	Haines	9/01/1934	11/21/1935	6/16/1952	
0015	Matanuska Valley	Palmer	10/11/1935	10/03/1938		
0017	Robert G Blair	Kodiak	3/08/1937	4/04/1955		
0007	Skagway	Skagway	9/08/1943	1/11/1952		
0016	General Buckner	Homer	9/21/1945	4/27/1953		
0021	Aurora Borealis	Anchorage	2/06/1950	6/06/1950		
0025	Auke Bay	Auke Bay	2/20/1951	5/24/1951	11/20/1953	
0018	Ninilchik	Ninilchik	3/25/1954	3/09/1955		
0027	Gladys M Heintz Memorial	Glennallen	6/11/1954	5/09/1955		
0028	Spenard	Anchorage	7/11/1957	2/14/1958		
0020	George H Plumley Memorial	Kenai	3/25/1959	1/24/1961		
0022	Jack Warren	Delta Junction	12/26/1962	7/11/1963		
0033	Peters Creek	Peters Creek	2/05/1973	5/05/1973		
0049	General Claire L Chennault	Taipei Taiwan, Rep	4/30/1975	6/14/1977		
0077	Headquarters Post	Anchorage	5/04/1977	8/09/1996		
0034	Chappie James	Anchorage	6/06/1978	9/21/1979		
0035	Susitna Valley	Susitna Valley	12/11/1978	4/07/1980		
0001	Mid-Pacific	Tamuning Guam	3/23/1983	9/23/1983		
0057	C Russell Huber	Fairbanks	9/10/1985	3/24/1986		
0029	Muldoon	Anchorage	4/30/1987	2/01/1988		
0009	Koyukuk Arctic	Wiseman	8/05/1993	6/17/2003		
0030	Con Miller	North Pole	3/17/1997	3/30/1998		
0004	Anchorage Pioneer Home	Anchorage	8/04/2003	5/14/2010		
0026	Prince Of Wales	Craig	7/14/2011	4/09/2012		

Stay
tuned for
more



Post
Trivia!

HOCUS POCUS



Sister's, Sister's,
There were never such devoted sister



This is a bear
A big mad bear



Post 35 Jr. Auxiliary taking care of business. Writing Christmas cards to send to our Troops overseas.
They are also making collection boxes for winter clothing to help families in need.
What an incredible group of kids!



Matanuska
Valley Post
15
having
the BEST
Halloween
party ever!!





Looks like Post 15 had a fantastic Halloween Party by the happy faces on those trick or treaters!



Fairwinds
and
following
seas...

Nemo!!