

# 849 EXPRESS

National Association of Letter Carriers Branch 849 ♦ Fort Collins, Colorado ♦ Volume 16, Issue 1 ♦ February 2020

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Danielle Fake-Moorman



### Bright spots emerge in dark depths of winter

**A**nd just when we thought winter was almost over ... The lack of hiring and posting routes for bid left us with one of the worst holiday seasons. The constant mandates and 12-hour violations in addition to the remainder of the violations have made the job of a carrier and a steward even more difficult. The main office has well over 500 grievances for the year and still counting. We are trying to dig out of the hole with the grievances that were backlogged. Old Town Station is current on all grievances – we came in at 325 grievances for 2019 at Old Town alone.

I would like to thank those carriers who volunteered their time to attend the latest state training. We had Jenilee Jackson, Stephanie Lafave-Kiel and Fred Mendez from the Main attend the training, and Gus Pasillas and Tara Millward from Old Town Station attend. This is information we relay to our membership and use to help out our fellow carriers. There is a lot of information out there, and it's difficult for any one person to know it all.



## LETTER CARRIERS' FOOD DRIVE

SATURDAY, MAY 9, 2020

PUT YOUR NON-PERISHABLE DONATION IN A BAG BY YOUR MAILBOX. WE'LL DELIVER IT TO A LOCAL FOOD BANK.

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Training is very important to all stewards and union activists.

I would like to congratulate all of our newly converted carriers. We had 8 conversions in less than a month, and quite a few of those were backdated to start their benefits when they should have been converted. Mae Helms, Paul Markley, Bob Pierdzi-och, Boo Pinson and Tara Millward were all converted to regular and backdated. We also had conversions for Dany Mam, Skyler Cantu and Kimberley Laughren.

We were successful in many grievances to aid in CCAs being converted and backdated. This is a huge win! And it helps protect all carriers' rights and benefits, including keeping the next set of conversions rolling.

Just a reminder: If you were newly converted, be sure to get signed up for your health benefits and life insurance immediately upon conversion. If you were backdated, then your 60 days may be up and you may have to call HRSSC to get health benefits

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### House OKs bill to repeal pre-funding mandate

**S**isters and Brothers: Just a short note of thanks for your hard work on HR 2382, the Postal Fairness Act. Through your hard work, phone calls and messages, 309 Representatives heard us and passed our bill. Here in Colorado, Represen-



Doug Jaynes  
COSALC  
President

tatives Diana DeGette, Joe Neguse, Scott Tipton, Jason Crow and Ed Perlmutter all voted to repeal the mandate for the Postal Service to pre-fund its retirees' Health Benefit Plan. We need to thank them, so please call or write a letter of thanks (this is something that can be done at a Branch meeting). Now, our focus MUST be on Senators Michael Bennet and Cory Gardner. Bennet's office phone numbers

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## Active Union Members

**Thanks for being part of the NALC, we truly need to say united!**

Robert Abbott, Brian Abell, Jim Allen, Aaron Arns, Steven Artlip, James Atkinson, Kelley Backes, Carla Barnett, Gregory Barrow, Ayellana Benjamin, Jordan Bliemeister, William Bond, Lauren Bowyer, Sean Bowyer, Pamela Budkovich, Brian Buster, Zack Calder, Skylar Cantu, Kent Chao, Christopher Collins, Paul Couperus, Melanie Davenport, Timothy Debish, Rochelle Deckard, Claude Decrescenzo, Martin De Los Santos, Alexander Dick, Scott Dockstader, Candace Dolph-Garcia, Jenilee Elsbernd, Gordon Emslie, Danielle Fake-Moorman, Gary Fink, Shannon Foley, Jason Garcia, James Geary, Duane Gentz, Clay Gomez, Virginia Greene, Mae Helms, Mark Hoffman, Danielle Jackson, Lili Jacobs, Kristin Joachim, Mike Jones, Dennis Ketterling, Brian Koval, James Kunze, Stephanie Lafave-Kiel, Kimberly Laughren, Eric Ligotke, David Livingston, Brianne Macintyre, Dany Mam, Paul Markley, Clint Massey, Edwin May, Kevin McDaniel, Alex McEwan, Cole Melcher, Fred Mendez Jr., Bryce Miller, Tara Millward, Michelle Morales, Barbara Olarnik, Gus Pasillas, Rex Paul, Todd Perkuhn, Robert Pierdzioch, Boo Pinson, Patricia Porter, Nicholas Pratt, Buzz Puschnig, Cynthia Ransil, Jacqueline Raynes, Rik Raynes, Donald Reinholz, Jeff Rokosz, James Sambrano, Jim Sanchez, Nima Sherpa, Joseph Shroba, Zach Smith, Drew Stivers, Scott Summerhays, Gina Sweeney, Ryan Taggart, Charles Trainer, Karen Ulvang, Chris Vandewalle, Lauren Vandewalle, Nancy Walker, Lauri Weaver, Jerry Wetzler, Melissa Whitehouse, Jason Williams, Jesse Wilson, Frederick Yates, Brian Zentmire.

## Retired Union Members

### GOLD CARD/LIFETIME MEMBERS

**Paul Kipping (66 years); Roger Cogburn (60 years); Raymond Neel (57 years). 51 years: John Edwards, John Gallegos, Melvin Hartung, William Hergenreter, Grover Hill, Bobby Kimberling, William Mares, Thomas Meek, Jerome Nycz and Donald Schelly.**

Diane Adams, Rick Atkinson, Michael Bezenar, Don Brown, Mike Casey, Dennis Custer, Karen Czarnacki-Kelly, Rita DeWitt, John Franz, Steve Graham, David Ham, Kathryn Hicklin, Stephen Hill, Gerald Hoffman, Thomas Hunsader, Cynthia Kestrel, Bob Lauer, Laurie Meek, Ceci Morgan, Michelle Nickolson, Nancy Olsen, Mark Orlowski, Tommy Robinson, Paul Roggy, Leonard Russ, Michael Scobey, Anita Smith, Jack Spies, Ron Sundsted, Judy Sweek, Bob Vise, Gary Winkler.

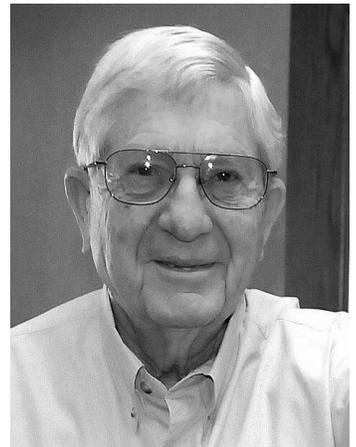
**RETIREE BREAKFAST: 8 a.m. 2nd Monday of the month, The Breakfast Club, 121 W. Monroe Drive, Fort Collins.**

## Non-Members

**Sign up a non-member and become eligible to win a \$40 Gift Card**

Michael Abeyta, Dean Biggs, David Breault, Lyn Brown, Wayne Brown, Caren Campbell, Nancy Fitzgerald, Jerry Gaudot, Dusty Koenig, Josh Mayes, Anna Null, Scott Roth, Patricia Schneidmiller, Richard Spring, Garrett Stone, Suzanne Wadsworth, Donna Wagner, Jeff Wallace.

## IN MEMORIAM



### Wallace Liggett

NALC Branch 849 has learned that Wallace Liggett died July 17, 2019. He was 93.

Wally joined the United States Postal Service in 1965 and was a member of Branch 849 for 54 years.

Wally was born January 12, 1926. He was a Veteran of World War II, serving in the United States Air Force as a flight engineer and flight line chief. Wally was the crew chief on the C-54 cargo aircraft and flew 105 missions into Berlin during the Berlin Airlift. He was an aircraft mechanic on such famed airplanes as the Enola Gay and the Boxcar.

He is survived by his sons, Michael and James of Fort Collins; granddaughter Sarah Liggett (Jason Brady) of Fort Collins, grandson Morgan Liggett (Stephanie Burke-Liggett) of Westminster, and great grandchildren Emmett M. Brady and Graham S. Brady. His wife of 68 years Margie Joanne Liggett preceded him in death on December 31, 2018.



## COSALC State Convention Pueblo

April 17-18, 2020

**MDA Golf Tournament April 16**

Elmwood Golf Course

3900 Thatcher Ave.

Check in 7 a.m., Shotgun start 8 a.m.

\$110 green fees, cart, range balls, lunch, gift bag

**RSVP March 31, (719) 924-3236**

**CPR/First Aid Training 2-6 p.m. April 16**

**Branch 229 Union Hall, 1240 Blake St. Cost: \$45**

**Training includes:** CPR, adult, infant and child. First-aid class, trauma: head, spinal, facial, broken bones and bleeding. Environmental emergencies: cold, heat, burns, snake bites, spider bites, bee stings, poisoning and other emergencies. Emergency situations in pregnancy, overdose, diabetes, seizures, asthmas and allergies.

**RSVP by March 31: Todd Tucker, (720) 290-4778**

Chainsaw carving demonstration for MDA by Mark Robbins

### CCA REPORT

## Eight new CCAs join NALC Branch 849 ranks

**H**ello everybody, I hope everyone is doing well after the close of the holiday season. I would like to take this opportunity to welcome the following CCAs to the National Association of Letter Carriers Branch 849. It is wonderful to see the new faces at both stations.

At the Fort Collins Main Post Office, we have welcomed Ryan Taggart, Nancy Walker, Jordan Bliemeister and James Atkinson. At the Fort Collins Old Town Station, Timothy Debish, Melanie Davenport, Scott Dockstader and Cole Melcher have joined our membership. It is my understanding that a few more CCA's will be joining us in the near future as well, so please help our new people when you see them.

Periodically, Branch 849 hosts a City Carrier Assistant training, in which current or new CCAs can come and voice their concerns, obtain knowledge about their resources and rights and connect with each other and their stewards. The next training is not scheduled yet but should happen in March. This training will be posted on the time clock in both offices ahead of time to give CCAs plenty of time to make plans if they want to participate.

In both the Old Town and Main stations, there is a mentor program designed to give new City Carrier Assistants an op-

portunity to learn with the help of an experienced carrier. We have quite a few carriers willing to take phone calls from CCAs who need direction whether or not they are specifically assigned to someone, so please call your mentor and/or your stewards if you have questions or concerns.

In the Main Post office Jenilee Jackson and Fred Mendez are new stewards and have been on the job instructors (OJIs) for a while. Thank you Freddy and Jenilee for doing such a great job! Both Freddy and Jenilee joined us at the 2020 National Association of Letter Carriers Colorado State Training and attended the Stewards College.

In the Old Town Station, Tara Millward has become the safety representative for the branch, and Gus Pasillas has stepped up as an alternate steward. Both Tara and Gus attended the state training and political breakfast as well, so thank you and good job Tara and Gus.

Brian Buster is the Informal A Steward in Old Town, an OJI and our Branch Secretary. Brian has attended trainings and conventions for several years, so he has a lot of knowledge to pass on to the membership. Thank you Brian for everything you do. Have a great quarter everybody!

Sincerely,

**Stephanie LaFave-Kiel**

**Branch 849 Vice President, Informal A Shop Steward**



# SIGN ME UP!

How to contribute to the Letter Carrier Political Fund using PostalEASE — ONLINE Enrollment

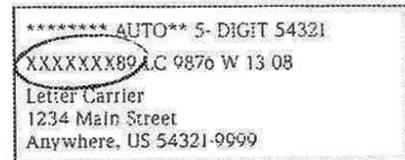
Through PostalEASE, active letter carriers can contribute directly from their USPS paychecks to the Letter Carrier Political Fund (NALC's PAC) by designating the Political Fund as one of the three payroll "allotments."

## Online Enrollment

1. Login to USPS's Postal Ease website at <https://ewss.usps.gov>  
You may also get to the Postal Ease website through the USPS LiteBlue website See the instructions below
2. Click "I agree"
3. Enter your Employee ID number and Password and click "Submit"  
If you have not yet set up a password click the link provided on the page or go to:  
<https://ssp.usps.gov/ssp-web/welcome.xhtml>  
If you forgot your password click the link provided on the page or go to:  
<https://ssp.usps.gov/ssp-web/einVerification.xhtml>
4. Under Payroll click "Allotments / Payroll Net To Bank"
5. Click "Continue"
6. Click "Allotments"
7. Enter the 9-digit Financial Institution Routing Number: 064000017
8. Enter your 17-digit Account Number \_\_\_\_\_ 0034952535  
*See instructions in step D at right*
9. Enter Account type as "checking"
10. Enter amount of your Allotment: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
*The maximum yearly amount is \$5,000*
11. Click VALIDATE
12. Click SUBMIT
13. Print or write down your confirmation number for your records

### BEFORE YOU START, YOU'LL NEED:

- A. Your 8-digit Employee ID Number (on your paystub)
- B. Your USPS password
- C. Your Postal Record Number (Located on the back cover of your Postal Record magazine, above your name. Or call 202.393.4695 to get your Postal Record Number). See the example below.



- D. To create your personal account number, insert the seven digits of your Postal Record Number to the spaces below:  
\_\_\_\_\_ 0034952535

To get to Postal Ease through Lite Blue:

- Got to [www.liteblue.usps.gov](http://www.liteblue.usps.gov)
- Enter you employee ID and Password and click "Log On"
- Click "My HR"
- Click "Employee Apps"
- Click "PostalEASE"
- Begin at step 1 above

By making a contribution to the Letter Carrier Political Fund, you are doing so voluntarily with the understanding that your contribution is not a condition of membership in the National Association of Letter Carriers or of employment by the Postal Service, nor is it part of union dues. You have a right to refuse to contribute without any reprisal. The Letter Carrier Political Fund will use the money it receives to contribute to candidates for federal office and undertake other political spending as permitted by law. Your selection shall remain in full force and effect until cancelled. Contributions to the Letter Carrier Political Fund are not deductible for federal income tax purposes. Federal law prohibits the Letter Carrier Political Fund from soliciting contributions from individuals who are not NALC members, executive and administrative staff or their families. Any contribution received from such an individual will be refunded to that contributor.

## LCPF Supporters/ Participants

Rick Atkinson, Brian Buster, Dennis Custer, Danielle Fake-Moorman, Virginia Greene, Jenilee Jackson, Kristin Joachim, Dennis Ketterling, Jim Kunze, Stephanie Lafave-Kiel, Fred Mendez, Tara Millward, Gus Pasillas, Boo Pinson, Jeff Rokosz, Leonard Russ, Joseph Shroba, Judy Sweek, Karen Ulvang

## COSALC STATE TRAINING

## Small donations to LCPF make a big difference

I learned quite a bit from my first State Training session. But the one thing that stuck out in my mind over the course of those two days was the fact that our union is continually monitoring every single discussion that happens in Washington. If it in any way affects city Letter Carriers, our union is there to dissect every word to make sure that we are 100 percent informed on what's going on, what legislation is being discussed and how we need to be involved.

With our union leaders continually monitoring this, it takes extra funds that do not come out of any union dues. The City Letter Carrier Political Fund is made up of small donations of any amount that can be withdrawn from your paycheck each pay period to help this cause.

If we did not have this fund, we would not be able to have

the resources to make our voices heard in Washington. With the work that's been done, we can say that our voice is being heard. At any time, legislation could be passed that adversely affects our jobs as city Letter Carriers. And that is a scary thought! All of a sudden, the next day we go to work we could find that we're out of a job. I didn't really realize that could happen.

Having our presence in Washington is the only way to guarantee that our voice will be heard to benefit and protect city Letter Carriers. If you are currently not giving to the City Carrier Political Fund and wish to donate, please ask a union representative and we can help you make sure that your job stays safe.

**Sincerely,  
Tara Millward**

## First-time attendees step up to help our local branch

Hello all!  
These past few months have been a bit of a doozy for sure, with off-assignment mandates being the new norm at the Main installation, and extensive hours worked at both stations.

At the end of September, I started talking to Danielle and Stephanie about how I might be able to help as a steward, and since then I have done what I can to assist with filing grievances. I'm still very new to being a steward, but so far, I have learned much about our contract as well as how we go about dealing with it when that contract is breached.

I attended the 2020 National Association of Letter Carriers Colorado State

Training and the Stewards College along with Fred Mendez, Gus Pasillas, Tara Millward, Stephanie LaFave-Kiel and Danielle Fake-Moorman. It was incredibly informative and encouraging. Several of us were there for our first time, which shows a lot of interest and growth in the NALC from our branch. Instructors walked us through a lot of the basics as well as some of the subtle nuances involved with filing a grievance. As weird as it may sound, it also was interesting to hear stories from other stewards, and to see that even though things have been rough in Fort Collins lately, we still have a lot to be thankful for here. We are not one of the Colorado branches that have been forced to test Consolidated

Casing, which seems to be resulting in 14- and 15-hour days for many of the carriers involved. We also have finally started to see movement with routes being posted and CCAs being converted, which has allowed more CCAs to be hired and routes being filled. Hopefully, the addition of new people will start to relieve the mandate burden and overload of work hours in both offices.

I hope to continue to be of help to the branch in addressing grievances as they arise, and to keep learning about the contract and how to utilize it for the good of all Letter Carriers.

**Sincerely,  
Jenilee Jackson**

## Classes reinforce importance of grievance procedures

Attending the two-day Stewards College was definitely a power overload. New and experienced stewards across the state and a few Wyomingites attended. It's unfortunate but necessary that we continue classes on the grievance procedure.

Thanks to all the stewards and alternates for stepping up so we can get the backlog of grievances caught up and protect carrier rights.

Not all complaints are grievable. NALC is the moving party in every grievance, so once a grievance has been identified, we have 14 days after occurrence to resolve at informal A. If

there is no resolution, NALC may send it up to a Formal A meeting within seven days. If there is no resolution after seven days, NALC may appeal to Step B within seven days. The Step B team has 14 days to resolve. If it comes to an impasse, NALC may again appeal to arbitration within 14 days.

Most of our cases, whether individual or class action, are settled at informal A. I just wanted to cover the basic grievance procedure, although preparing for informal A takes enormous amounts of time and tedious work.

**Best regards,  
Freddie Mendez**

## VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

## 123 grievances settled, hundreds more to follow

**H**ello Branch 849 members. I know 2019 was a very rough year at the Fort Collins installation. In the past year, we have seen four postmasters, the addition of a parcel sorting machine and many new supervisor faces that have come and gone very quickly. This resulted in quite a few problems and grievances in the mid to high 500's, so thank you everyone for your patience as the union offices deal with the backlog of grievances.

Due to routes not being posted timely or, in some cases, not at all, both offices experienced a very large staffing deficit which, in turn, created many more 12- and 60-hour violations and mandates than we usually experience.

At the Main Office, carriers have worked their non-scheduled days consistently since about mid-October, and a few carriers clocked more than 90 hours in a service week during the holidays. The good news is that routes are now being posted, several City Carrier Assistants have been promoted to regular carriers and new CCAs are now joining our ranks. Fred Mendez and Jenilee Jackson have become stewards for our

branch in the Main office to help deal with the overwhelming number of grievances that occurred this year. Thank you both for all of your help. Additionally, Branch 849 President Danielle Fake-Moorman and Branch Secretary and Informal A Steward Brian Buster have both reached out and helped complete these issues while simultaneously dealing with their own grievances. Thank you all, we could not have kept up as well as we did without you.

Currently, there are 123 grievances that have been settled and are awaiting payment to the carriers. The stewards are informing carriers of their settlements, so please let us know if you have not seen payment on any of your grievance settlements.

The Fort Collins installation was scheduled to have a new Postmaster start recently. However, the candidate backed out at last minute and we did have to wait a while for OIC Robert Stevens to get his access back that would allow him to pay the delinquent settlements. Fortunately, we have been able to come to agreeable settlements on all issues except man-

dates that involved carriers being forced to work their NS days, so many of the issues we have experienced have been addressed.

As always, the stewards and branch officers are available and willing to answer your questions, so let a steward know if you are having a problem or are concerned about anything. We are always willing to retrieve grievances to show what issues happened and what the outcome was, though please be aware we can only show you documentation for issues that concerned you as we are very discreet about each carrier's problems.

Branch 849 union meetings will continue to be held the second Tuesday of every month. Each meeting is posted ahead of time on the time clocks in each station so time and location are clear. This is a great place to learn about how your union branch functions and to ask questions. Dinner is always provided. I hope to see you all there.

**Sincerely,**  
**Stephanie LaFave-Kiel**  
**Informal A Shop Steward**  
**NALC Branch 849 Vice President**

## President's report

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instead of being able to sign up on LiteBlue. It's an easy phone call and can, in fact, be done while on the clock. These are rules put in play by the Postal Service as to why the system won't allow certain things to happen — similar to no annual leave use within your first 90 days of being converted.

The other important thing to realize is the computer won't fix all of the backdating properly. Holidays and any guarantee time (if you worked less than 8 hours in a day, the computer will charge you with LWOP) that you are due won't be automatic. We can easily get with management to have these corrected and get you the additional compensation. Just let us know, and bring in your paycheck stubs or print them off of LiteBlue.

■ We are still in need of a few more conversions to fill the last of our vacant routes. Management could take a transfer

or convert, but we have 7 vacant routes and 2 unassigned routes. Management did take one transfer in. Welcome (on February 15) Julie Hippler to the Main Office!

■ I attended State Training on behalf of the State Association as I was elected last year as the Director of Education. It was great to see many new faces stepping up to represent and fight for all of our rights. It truly does take a village, and we need to support one another to help get through.

■ The Food Drive is coming up. Our branch is registered, and I would like to thank Tara Millward for being the Food Drive Coordinator at Old Town to help get this started. We need someone to help with this process at the Main Office.

**In Unity,**  
**Danielle Fake-Moorman**

## Branch 849 Holiday Party



**Branch 849's annual Holiday Party was held Dec. 8 at the Fort Collins Senior Center. More than 60 people attended the event, which included dinner, a white elephant gift exchange, raffle prizes and gifts for all who attended.**

## Union needs your help to stop pre-funding mandate

**D**ear Sisters and Brothers,  
The Colorado State Association hosted a Legislative Breakfast Jan. 26, which I and four of our members attended. I have been to several of these in the past, and this one was lacking in the number of guest speakers and excitement level. However, the most important speaker was our own State Association President Doug Jaynes. Doug has taken a very active role informing us of the Postal Service teetering between proposed detrimental actions and critical legislations to save our Post Office. Doug has put out a request that interested carriers and retirees volunteer to canvas labor-friendly voters during the upcoming campaigns. More to come later.

The NALC app on your smartphone can be accessed to link to Government Affairs. Just in: On Feb. 6, the USPS Fairness Act (H.R. 2382) passed in the house with a two-thirds bipar-

tisan vote. The pre-funding mandate must still be taken off the back of the USPS. It took all of us diligently letting our respective representatives know that we do not stand for this unfair sanction against our employer and our customers. That is why I am asking for all of our help in contacting our Senators to get the Companion bill (S. 2965) passed. A huge outpouring of support from everyone we know can push the Senate into a positive response. National call-in day is Tuesday, Feb. 25. Please use your time to press those digits I am about to give you.

Senator Cory Gardner: 202-224-5941

Senator Michael Bennet: 202-224-5852

**Keep Fighting in Solidarity,  
Karen Ulvang**

## Jaynes

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are 202-224-5852 and locally 303-455-7600. Gardner's numbers are 202-224-5941 and 303-391-5777. Both Senators are aware of the bill S. 2965, which is the companion to the House bill.

The 2020 Colorado State Convention is April 17-18 in Pueblo, and the hotels are ready to accept your reservations:

Courtyard by Marriott  
Pueblo Downtown  
110 W. City Center Drive  
Pueblo, CO 81003  
719-586-3282

SpringHill Suites Pueblo Downtown  
150 Santa Fe Ave  
Pueblo CO 81003  
719-546-1234

■ On April 16, we will host a CPR/  
First Aid course from 2 to 6 pm. It  
will be held at Pueblo's Union Hall,

1240 Lake St. It costs \$40 for just the CPR and an additional \$5 for the first aid. The Colorado State Association of Letter Carriers will pick up \$20 of the cost for all carriers and family members who attend. RSVP to Todd Tucker, 720-290-4778, by March 31 so we may have adequate trainers and supplies.

Thank you for all you do for Colorado  
and YOUR Union.

**Doug Jaynes  
President COSALC**

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# PAKER TOURNAMENT



Branch 849 is having a Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, at the home of Jim Kunze, 7421 Matheson Drive. Buy-in is \$20 and all proceeds will benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Snacks will be provided. RSVP: Virginia Greene, (970) 222-4025.

## Branch 849 Officers

Officers' 2-year terms run through Dec. 31, 2020

President ..... Danielle Fake-Moorman  
Vice-President, Sergeant at Arms and Health Benefits Rep ..... Stephanie LaFave-Kiel  
Treasurer ..... Virginia Greene  
Secretary ..... Brian Buster  
Trustees ..... Paul Couperus, Jim Kunze, Fred Mendez Jr.

## Stewards

**Danielle Fake-Moorman** Chief Steward, Formal A Rep, Informal A, Old Town. (970) 217-7384, dya25@comcast.net  
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**Brian Buster**, Informal A rep, Old Town Station. (307) 630-9239, brian\_buster@yahoo.com  
**Fred Mendez** Informal A rep, Main Office. (303) 907-7063, tremendezZ71@gmail.com  
**Virginia Greene** OWCP Representative, Main and Old Town. (970) 222-4025, lagmom@msn.com  
**Jenilee Jackson** Informal A rep, Main Office. (970) 405-1159, jenelsbernd@gmail.com

**Alternates: Main Post Office:** Lauren Vande Walle  
**Old Town:** Jeff Rokosz, Todd Perkuhn, Tara Millward

**State Convention Delegates:** Danielle Fake-Moorman, Stephanie LaFave-Kiel, Brian Buster, Virginia Greene, Fred Mendez, Boo Pinson, Gordon Emslie, Tara Millward. Alternates: Judy Sweek, Gerry Hoffman

**National Convention Delegates:** Danielle Fake-Moorman, Brian Buster, Virginia Greene, Fred Mendez, Boo Pinson, Tara Millward, Judy Sweek. Alternate:, Gordon Emslie

## Food Drive Coordinator

Tara Millward (970) 219-2241

## Safety captains

**Main Post Office:** Stephanie LaFave-Kiel  
**Old Town:** Tara Millward

## Health Benefits rep

**Stephanie LaFave-Kiel**  
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## MDA coordinator

**Virginia Greene**  
(970) 222-4025, lagmom@msn.com

## Director of retirees

**Joseph Shroba**  
(970) 214-2075, jolietjs@gmail.com

## LCPF Coordinator

**Karen Ulvang**  
(970) 290-8400 ulvangkaren@gmail.com

Branch Meetings are at 6:30 p.m. the 2nd Tuesday of every month, except Tuesdays following a holiday (it is then moved to the 3rd Tuesday) at 1200 Raintree Drive. Dinner served free of charge. All members present are entered in a drawing for a \$25 gift card!