

AMERICAN LEGION POST #97  
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Need to get in touch with someone from the post? You can call the following people:

Legion - Mike Harper – 260-740-6100

Auxiliary – Kim Heiser – 260-908-0540

SAL – Doug Heiser – 260-908-0541

[www.americanlegionpost97.org](http://www.americanlegionpost97.org) your post website

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### *IN MEMORY OF OUR DEPARTED MEMBERS OF POST 97*

#### LEGION MEMBERS

James Fitch

#### AUXILIARY MEMBERS

#### SAL MEMBERS

#### VETERAN (Non-members)

Jack Shetley  
Donald McKean

Post 97 Honor Guard Performs Services for Members & Non-Members

#### ATTENTION

We need help doing military funerals. If you can help call Tom Emerick 260-927-7155

We have a large room for rent that will hold Wedding Receptions, Birthday Parties, Anniversaries, Company Parties, Meetings, Class Reunions, etc.

Call for information;  
Post 97 (260) 925-3297  
Mike Harper is also available;  
(260) 740-6100

The Hall is available for you to look at during regular

**Business Hours**  
Monday – Friday 3P to 10P  
Saturday – 2P to 10P

**August 2020**

**Canteen hours Monday through Friday 3 to 10, Saturday 2 to 10**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 <b>100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Post Celebration 11 AM to ???</b>
5  Bingo Doors open 3P Games Start 5P  <b>ALR Mtg. 12:30P</b>	6  <b>Aux. Mtg Nancy Anthony's house 6 PM</b>  <b>Scouts 7P</b>	7  Bingo Doors open 4:30P Games Start 6P <b>Weekly Drawing 8P</b>	8  <b>All American Draw 8:00P</b>  <b>Serving Meal 5-7P</b>	9  <b>Legion Dist. Mtg. Post 241 Waynedale 8 PM</b> <b>Bill and The Boys 6PM</b>	10  Bingo Doors open 4:30P Games Start 6P <b>Weekly Drawing 8P</b>	11
12  Bingo Doors open 3P Games Start 5P	13  <b>Legion Exec. Bd. 7P</b>  <b>Scouts 7P</b>	14  Bingo Doors open 4:30P Games Start 6P <b>Weekly Drawing 8P</b>	15  <b>SAL Dist. Mtg. Orland Post 423 8 PM</b>  <b>All American Draw 8:00P</b>  <b>Serving Meal 5-7P</b>	16  <b>Bill and The Boys 6PM</b>	17  Bingo Doors open 4:30P Games Start 6P <b>Weekly Drawing 8P</b>	18
19  Bingo Doors open 3P Games Start 5P  <b>Dist. ALR Mtg. Post 240 Avilla 1PM</b>	20  <b>SAL Mtg. 7:00P</b>  <b>Scouts 7P</b>	21  Bingo Doors open 4:30P Games Start 6P <b>Weekly Drawing 8P</b>	22  <b>All American Draw 8:00P</b>  <b>Serving Meal 5-7P</b>	23  <b>Bill and The Boys 6PM</b>	24  Bingo Doors open 4:30P Games Start 6P <b>Weekly Drawing 8P</b>	25
26  Bingo Doors open 3P Games Start 5P	27  <b>Legion Reg. Mtg. 7:00P</b>  <b>Scouts 7P</b>	28  Bingo Doors open 4:30P Games Start 6P <b>Weekly Drawing 8P</b>	29  <b>All American Draw 8:00P</b>  <b>Serving Meal 5-7P</b>	30  <b>Bill and The Boys 6PM</b>	31  Bingo Doors open 4:30P Games Start 6P <b>Weekly Drawing 8P</b>	

Bingo Sunday, Tuesday, Friday

## Officers Corner

### **From Your Commander:**

Hi,

Hope all had a Happy & Healthy 4<sup>th</sup> of July! It was a honor to escort the trailer w/sections of the Vietnam Wall that the Shrine is making a permanent fixture in the near future, with the director and her husband of our ALR.

Our 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee worked hard to make a fun event for the entire Legion Family and community to participate in, on August 1<sup>st</sup>. We have a bounce house and Corn Hole tournament, with a ceremony at 1PM with a couple of short speeches from some great dignitaries. The Weenie Wagon will be available from 11 to 1 and Gumps Smokin BBQ from 3 to 8, along with Karaoke from 5 to 8.

I invite everyone from our Legion Family and Community to come have lots of fun and enjoy the day with us.

God Bless America!

Mike Harper

Legion Commander

### **From Your SAL Commander:**

Hello Everyone,

This summer is just flying by and August is almost here. This brings up the date of August 1st. Mark your calendar!!! The Post is celebrating its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary with an all-day event, starting at 11:00 am. An event you surely don't want to miss.

There have been a few changes around the post and more to come so if you haven't been in for awhile, stop in and check them out.

I want to thank those who have paid their dues and encourage those who haven't to please do so. Your \$40.00 dues go a long way in supporting our programs and our donations to our community.

Our meetings are always on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month at 7:00 pm. August 17<sup>th</sup> is the date of your next meeting. We would like to see you there and your input is always welcome. Remember this is your organization, so taking an hour a month out of your busy schedule, would be appreciated.

See you on August 1<sup>st</sup> if not before.

For God and Country!

Doug Heiser, SAL Commander

## **From Your Auxiliary President:**

Hello Ladies,

Happy 100th Birthday, American Legion Post 97!! Come and celebrate with us on August 1<sup>st</sup> starting at 11:00 for an all-day event, featuring food and many fun games.

Membership cards for 2021 can be paid now starting August 1<sup>st</sup>. Your dues help support the Auxiliary programs for our Veterans and their children. Thank-you for being a member.

### **August Happening:**

Aux. meeting, Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, will be at Nancy Anthony's house on Golden Lake. We will have a carry-in dish. Bring your own drinks starting at 6:00. Let us know if you would like to come with us. Come and relax by the lake!

Auxiliary "Grinder Wednesday's" August 12<sup>th</sup> from 5-7. All the proceeds go towards our veterans and children. And a BIG shout out to our volunteers too!!

Remember our Veterans, Active Military and their families.

For God and Country,

Kim Heiser, Unit President

Visit our Post website at: [www.americanlegionpost97.org](http://www.americanlegionpost97.org)

**2021 Membership can now be paid either on-line or by mail. Dues notices from National will be sent in September. By mailing your dues to Nancy Anthony you will receive your membership card within two days.**

**You can send your dues to:**

**Nancy Anthony**

**2650 S. 390 W**

**Pleasant Lake, Indiana 46779**

**For questions you can call her at: 260-475-5870**

## **From Your ALR Director:**

Hello everyone!

Hope you are ALL doing well!

We've been working with our Legion, SAL & Auxiliary in planning the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration. Looking forward to this amazing event!

Seems that Fall is already upon us! Our ALR will have some rides and events soon. Watch for announcements!

God Bless the USA!

Kathy Bolling

ALR Director Chapter 97

Bingo Sunday, Tuesday, Friday

## From Kathy's Kitchen:

Hope everyone is doing well. We'd sure like to see you join us on Wednesday nights. Not only do we have the "All American" drawing (which is \$5,000. plus) we also serve some great food specials as well. This month's food schedule is as follows:

Aug 5<sup>th</sup> – Pizza, Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> – Grinders, Aug 19<sup>th</sup> – Specialty Burgers, and Aug 26<sup>th</sup> Fish.

So come out for good food, fellowship, and fun! See on Wednesday.

Kathy Akey, Manager

# American Legion Family 100 Year Anniversary Celebration August 1, 2020 11 AM to ? **Auburn Post 97**

## **11 AM – 1 PM**

Weenie Wagon

## **12:45 PM – 1 PM**

Excelsior Arts Academy to perform a selection of Patriotic Songs

## **1 PM**

Flag Raising Ceremony with the reading of the State Flag Etiquette Winners Essay  
Guest Speaker – American Legion Department Commander Allen Connley  
with Government officials local and state represented

## **3 PM – 8 PM**

Gump's Smokin' BBQ

## **5 PM – 8 PM**

Karaoke with James Taylor

## **Activities**

Dunk Tank

Chicken S\*\*\*\* Contest

Corn Hole Tournament (registration 11 – 1) \$20.00 Per Team

## **Raffles**

50/50 and more

## **Time Capsule**

Filled with Post 97 Family history from yesterday and today

Hand Sanitizer Stations

Bingo Sunday, Tuesday, Friday