



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### FEBRUARY

8<sup>TH</sup> EXTRAVAGANZA

UK BASKETBALL

TRIVIA

MATT CASTLE

11<sup>TH</sup> LEGIONAIRES MEETING 6:30PM

14<sup>TH</sup> LADIES & SAL MEETING 6:30PM

### MARCH

2<sup>nd</sup> Mardi Gras Party 8pm

Band: Two Leg Dog

11<sup>th</sup> Meeting Night (ALL) 6:30pm

Nominations for upcoming Officers elections

16<sup>th</sup> Trivia 6:30pm

Followed by Matt Castle 8:30pm

Chili Cook-off in the works...

Stay tuned on the website and Facebook

Friday night dinners at 5:30pm

Dinners will be posted on the website weekly

Bingo at 7pm on Friday

Queen of Hearts, Thursdays at 7pm

A look ahead... 4/20 Easter Egg Hunt



# THE AMERICAN LEGION

Woodford Post #67  
138 S. Main Street  
Versailles, KY 40383

Non-Profit

Organization US

POSTAGE PAID

VERSAILLES, KY

PERMIT NO. 258

Return Service Requested

Hello everyone....

We are coming back in full force with a regularly scheduled newsletter each quarter. The website is currently under reconstruction and should be running at full speed on the 15<sup>th</sup> of February. Find all up to date info and changes there.

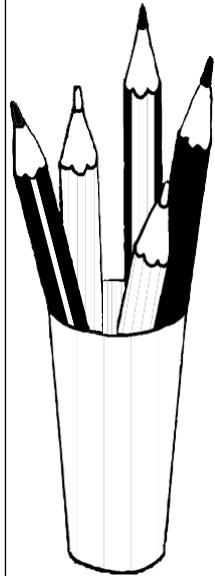
Your questions and comments are always welcome. Let us not forget that we represent an honorable organization that deserves our respect at all times.

The new web address is [www.americanlegionky67.com](http://www.americanlegionky67.com).

*"I am looking forward to my return as your editor and thank you all for your input, understanding and cooperation." (JW)*

Please email your new addresses, phone numbers and if you would like to receive your newsletter electronically. Trying to keep down the returned mail and up our ability to contact our valuable members.

Respectfully,  
The Editor



# THE AMERICAN LEGION

[www.americanlegionky67.com](http://www.americanlegionky67.com)  
editor@americanlegion67ky.com



From the Commander,

"Don't allow grass to grow on the path of friendship."  
Native American Proverb

Greetings Legionnaires, Ladies and Sons of the American Legion,

Welcome to the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Year of the American Legion. I am so proud to be a member of this organization, but much more so, to be a member of this Post. In 1919, Congress chartered the American Legion as a Veterans Service Organization, comprised of World War 1 Vets, which has grown into one of the most influential non-profit groups in the United States. Membership now stands at over 2 Million people with 13,000 Posts worldwide.

In honor of this milestone, I want to talk about membership, friendship and the celebration of both. From the 1<sup>st</sup> time that I entered the Post, it felt like family. Since then I have reconnected with old friends and made a considerable number of new ones. I have met people who grew up with my parents, shared stories, added some new stories and found a place where everyone is welcome and conversation is earnest.

So here is my challenge this quarter. From now until the end of March, pick one day and come visit "YOUR" Post. Come say "Hi" to old friends and possibly make some new ones as well. I have met several members, but I have definitely not met you all. I would really like too. There are numerous things to do each day; Queen of Hearts is still on

Thursday, Bingo on Friday, Special Events (there is a special events Calendar listed in this newsletter), so feel free to join us in any of these. Our Easter Egg Hunt is one of the biggest and exciting in Versailles. It is a sight to see when the kids gather all the Eggs. They are fast.

In finishing up, I hope to see you at the Post soon. If I haven't met you before, please introduce yourself and if I notice you first, I will do the same. For all of you that come in on a regular basis, support the Legion and volunteer your very valuable time. I salute and thank you. You are what keeps making the American Legion, and our Post especially, a great and influential organization. I'll see you soon.

Lonnie Estes  
American Legion Post 67 Commander  
commander@americanlegionky67.com

***Meeting, 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday at 6:30 pm***



## AUXILIARY REPORT

Hope everyone is staying warm. Please remember to check on your animals and elders.

There have been a few changes in our post. Legionnaires voted to meet the 2nd Monday of each month at 6:30 so that they are not rushed due to Queen of Hearts on Thursdays. Ladies Auxiliary and SAL have both decided to follow and meet when the Legionnaires meet. This will allow more time in our meetings to accomplish bigger and better things moving forward. This will start in March, Monday the 11th. Our attendance has been down the past several months and hopefully this will allow more of you to attend.

Also, please come out and introduce yourself to our new bartender Chelsea Robison.

We are working on having a chili cook off sometime in March. Please watch for details. Legionnaires are planning a Mardi Gras Party complete with band. Please watch for details.

March is nominations for new officers. Please be thinking about nominating yourself or someone else. New officers will be voted for in April and sworn in, in the May meetings.

For God and Country  
Kim Carmickle  
Unit President  
ladiesaux@americanlegionky67.com



## CLUBROOM REPORT

Well we are now in a New Year, how time passes so quickly. As always, I would like to thank all Members and Guest for your continued support of our Club Room. Your support makes a BIG difference in allowing American Legion Post 67 to be able to provide for our Veterans and Community.

Our current hours of operation are as follows:  
Monday – Thursday 16:00 – 22:00  
Friday 16:00 – Midnight  
Saturday 13:00 – Midnight  
Sunday 13:00 – 20:00

Since our last newsletter we have a new bartender on board, Chelsea Robison. Chelsea brings a wealth of knowledge with her past bartending experience. Please join me in making her feel welcome.

As always, I want to give a special thanks to all of our existing bartenders for their dedication and support.

As a reminder let's not forget about our Queen of Hearts drawing every Thursday at 20:00, Friday's serving food starting at 17:30 and Bingo starting at 19:00. You can see all other planned activities on the American Legion 67 Facebook page. We are also working on bringing up a website to access that will contain this type of information. I have spoken with members of the Entertainment Committee and sounds like some upcoming exciting activities are being planned.

Recently the Legion made a change to their bylaws allowing each member to bring in up to 10 guests with them, so let's take advantage of this by increasing participants during Bingo and all other planned activities. Just remember to sign your guest in the guest book available at the front of the Club Room.

All suggestions or improvements you may have are always welcome to the Club Room, just let us know.

Thanks again to everyone for your continuing support of our Post.

Club Room Manager  
Tommy Vanderpool  
clubroom@americanlegionky67.com