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July 2026 Newsletter
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***This Saturday is the Fourth of July
2026
The 250th Birthday of our Country***

After the parades and before the fireworks come on down to the post, out of the sun and have fun with friends and kids. We will be having kids games along with our regular fun and games all afternoon.

Commander's Corner

I hope everyone is enjoying the summer and finding time to spend with family and friends. As we celebrate Independence Day, it's a great reminder of what it means to serve something bigger than ourselves. The freedoms we enjoy today came at a great cost, and we honor all those who answered the call to protect them. I'd like to thank everyone who has been coming to meetings, volunteering at our events, and supporting our Post. Whether you're helping with a fundraiser, assisting another veteran, or simply stopping by, you are what makes this Post such a great place. Happy Independence Day and 250th Anniversary!

Adrien Camposano
Commander Post 516

ALA / SAL JUNIORS PROGRAM

Hello, Summer!

It's hot and probably going to get hotter. The Juniors are cool though. We have a lot of plans. We learned about the 250th Birthday of the United States at our last meeting. We are looking forward to more celebrations over the weekend. Each of the Juniors made a gift and a card for their dad for Father's Day.

We will be joining the residents at Lakewood Village Care center for group coloring on July 8 at 2:30. We will leave post 516 at 2:10 or you may meet us there. We will join the residents on Saturday, July 25 at 2:30 for a tea party. We will leave post 516 at 2:10 that day as well. Come join us. We have FUN!

Marsha Srader

Junior Sponsor

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From our SAL Commander

SAL Squadron meeting - 7:00 pm before darts every second Wednesday

Legion Riders meeting Noon on the first Saturday. Ride following the meeting.

Legion Diner news: Our diner is open to the public from 7 am to 2 pm. We are here to serve Veterans and our local community not just our members. All profits are used for The American Legion programs.

Come on down to the POST and invite your friends to join you!

Diner open Tuesday to Saturday 7 am to 2 pm with great food

Every Tuesday: Note For Note workshop - Play an instrument or want to?

2nd Tuesday TACO TUESDAY at 6pm, BINGO at 7

3rd Tuesday is [Bunco at 7:00](#)

Every Wednesday: Blind Draw Darts 7 pm sign up, 7:30 pm start

Second and fourth Thursday: : Note For Note stage time

Every Thursday. BURGER NIGHT FREE POOL

[First Friday night dinner at 6pm SAL Fish Fry](#)

Every Friday night Dinner at 6pm, [Karaoke at 7pm](#)

[2nd Saturday Tarrant County Veterans Day Parade Meeting at 10:00 am](#)

[Parking Lot Sale last Saturday of each month](#) 8am to 2pm

[Open every Saturday until the party's over](#)

2026 – 2027 OFFICERS - They are volunteering their time for you, please help them.

Legion

Commander: **Adrien Camposano**
First Vice Cmdr: **Bobby Gallant**
2nd Vice Cmdr: - **Amy Pemberton**
Adjutant: **Dave Etter**
Finance Officer: **Mark Daugherty**
Judge Advocate: **Stephen Nesbitt**
Historian: **Malinda Bell**
Chaplain: Vacant
Sgt. at Arms: Vacant
Service Officer: Vacant
Member at Large: **Brad Finger**
Member at Large: **TA Hain**
Past Commander: **Mike McCrady**

SAL

Commander: **Sean Looney**
Vice Commander: **T.A. Hain**
2nd Vice Commander: **David Boyd**
Finance Officer: **Bill Putman**
Adjutant: **Bill Putman**
Chaplain: **"Pistol Bob" Eaton**
Sgt. at Arms: **Vaughn Hall**
Historian: **Ken Cox**

ALA

President: **Michelle Dockins**
Vice President: **Darlene Copeland**
Secretary: **Taylor Gallant**
Treasurer: **Karen Lomas**
Sgt. at Arms: Vacant
Historian: Vacant
Chaplain: **Marsha Srader**
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Executive Board: **Phaedra Woods**
Executive Board: **Nanette Doughty**

ALR

Director: **Bill Putman**
Asst. Director: **Glen Bowles**
Finance Officer: **"Toothpick" Forshee**
Secretary: **"Mailman Joe" Ackerman**
Chaplain: **Jeff "4-F" Langdon**
Sgt. at Arms: **Vaughn Hall**
Run Coordinator: **Glen Bowles**

Commemorative Brick Program

We are filling around our flag pole with personalized commemorative bricks for \$65 each. purchased to honor any person or group. You do not have to be a member to buy a brick. [Details and available logos](#); click here for the [brick order form in "pdf"](#) or ["doc"](#)