



# THE BOUTON BUGLE



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## THE AMERICAN LEGION ARTHUR E. BOUTON POST 770

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### CALENDAR – JUNE 2017

Mon	June 5	7:30 pm	SAL meeting
Tues	June 6	7 pm - 8:30 pm	Troop 13 meeting
	June 6	7:30 pm	Auxiliary meeting
Wed	June 7	7:30 pm	Legion Board meeting
Fri	June 9	5:30 pm - 8 pm	Legion Friday Fish Fry
Sat	June 10		Wedding, Banquet hall
Sun	June 11		BBQ Wounded Warriors
Mon	June 12	6:30 pm	Mortgage Committee meeting
	June 12	7:30 pm	Legion Membership meeting
Tues	June 13	7 pm - 8:30 pm	Troop 13 meeting
Wed	June 14	12 pm	Senior Citizens Luncheon
Thurs	June 15	7:30 pm	Relay for Life meeting
Sat	June 17	11 am	DAR meeting
	June 17	12 pm	DAR Luncheon
Sun	June 18	7:30 am - 11 am	Father's Day Breakfast
Tues	June 20	7 pm - 8:30 pm	Troop 13 meeting
Wed	June 21	7:30 pm	Legion Board meeting
Sat	June 24	6:30 am - 12:30 pm	Blood Drive
	June 24	6:30 pm	Cocktails, Post Installation of Officers
	June 24	7 pm	Dinner, Post Installation of Officers
Mon	June 26	7:30 pm	Legion Membership meeting
Tues	June 27	7 pm - 8:30 pm	Troop 13 meeting
Wed	June 28	6 pm	Senior Citizens Annual Dinner meeting

### Post Hours

Monday	2 pm - 9 pm	Saturday	2 pm - 11 pm
Tuesday - Thursday	4 pm - 9 pm	Sunday	1 pm - 6 pm
Friday	4 pm - 11 pm		

### NEWSLETTER:

Contact John Daube or Patrick Richar via website at [www.Post770.com](http://www.Post770.com) or call the Legion at (607) 387-4212

Newsletter Deadline:  
15th of the Month

- If you have news or information to share with veterans and members of the post send the details along via email to [news@post770.com](mailto:news@post770.com) or the postal address below.
- Questions? Concerns? Want to be notified as soon as the newsletter is online? Please let Patrick Richar, our newsletter producer, know via the contact form at [www.Post770.com](http://www.Post770.com) or via the postal address below.
- For missing dates & times, please check our website or call the Post during business hours.

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**SPECIAL EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Friday Fish Fry** – June 9th, 5:30 pm - 8 pm. Join us and enjoy a great meal while supporting the Legion. The Fish Fry will be the traditional fish fry with salad bar, choice of baked potato or fries, dinner roll, and homemade Auxiliary desserts. Fish for \$12.00, NY Strip Steak for \$14.00, and Chicken Tenders for \$6.00. Prices include tax.

**Father’s Day Breakfast:** Sunday, June 18th, 7:30 am – 11 am. Honor Dads and enjoy breakfast at the Legion.

**Installation of Officers:** June 24th, cocktails at 6:30 pm and dinner at 7 pm. Call 607-387-4212 to make your reservations or stop in to visit with other members and sign up.

Commander	Lee Stepp
1st Vice	Jim Heroux
2nd Vice	Angelo Porfirio
3rd Vice	Jim Sharp
Adjutant	Phil Colvin
Treasurer	Lee Weaver
Service Officer	Jim Sharp
Chaplain	Phil Colvin
Judge Adv.	Tom Bennett
Historian	Roger Meier
Sgt-at-Arms	Calvin Bailey



**Post Clean Up:** time permitted cleaning the kitchen and lounge [stripped and waxed floors] and cleaned all kitchen equipment. Workers included two Auxiliary members, nine legion members, five sons, five scouts and four scout parents. Thank you to all who helped – needed more help to do more.

**For veterans benefits** visit this site: <http://www.benefits.va.gov/benefits/>  
 More info at: <http://www.post770.com/veterans-benefits.htm>

**To learn about Scouting** visit: <https://beascout.scouting.org>

**Our Troops Abroad** – please keep the Post up-to-date on our troops abroad by providing names and addresses. Thank you.

**DD Form 214** - All members who have not placed a copy of their DD214 on file with the Legion are requested to do so. We recently needed the form for a few families to assist with veterans benefits. We cannot assist without the form.

**Flags:** Thank you to all who helped put flags on Grove cemetery – low number of helpers this year. And thank you to those who placed flags on the other cemeteries.

**Membership** – please renew your membership and encourage other eligible veterans to join. We all know how important our membership is and how important it is to support your Legion. Dues are \$35.

**Post Honor Guard** - If interested in helping to honor our fallen members with this important function, please call Phil Colvin at (607) 387-6550 for information.

**Newsletter** – please share your news with the members via the newsletter. Send items to Patrick, our publisher, at: [newsletter@post770.com](mailto:newsletter@post770.com).

## MEMBERSHIP

- 2016 – 2017 dues are \$35. Legion membership quota for 2017 is 257. 219 paid to date.
- The AL new fiscal year started July 1 and dues are due by Aug. 1st. Check to see if you have a 2017 card. If not, send in your dues ASAP for continuous membership. Send dues (payable to Post 770) to Post 770, PO Box 456, Trumansburg, NY 14886.



## COMMANDER'S CORNER

- The Commander wishes to thank all those who helped with Post cleanup on the weekend of May 19th - 21st. Legion members, S.A.L. members, Auxiliary members, Boy Scouts and their parents - you all did a terrific job and building looks so much better.
- The Commander wishes to thank those members who participated in the Memorial Day ceremony and the Open House afterwards.

-- John Daube, Commander

## MILITARY NEWS

- Our thoughts are with the troops!
- Welcome Home to those soldiers returning from combat duty.
- Send info to share about soldiers serving via email to [news@post770.com](mailto:news@post770.com).



## CHAPLAINS CORNER

**Thinking of You:** Feel better wishes to Legion members David Boyd and Thomas Stilwell.



Thank you to the Dart League for this bench in the memory of Pat Platt.



## AUXILIARY NEWS

### Meetings:

June 6	7:30 pm
No meetings in July or August	

- Dues are due (\$25 for seniors, \$5 for juniors [under 18]). Please mail payment payable to Unit 770, American Legion Auxiliary to: Dawn Smith, 26 Cayuga St., Trumansburg, NY 14886. If you have not paid for the membership year 2016, please do so quickly for continuous membership. The 2017 membership year began July 1, 2016. Our quota is 113. Paid to date is 98 (93 seniors, 5 juniors).
- Our poppy princess is Bella Smith.
- Thank you to Mary Schmidt for doing and donating the flowers around our Post. Everyone please help keep the flowers watered.
- Come out and enjoy and support the Legion for the Legion Friday Night Fish Fry on June 9, 5:30 pm - 8 pm and the Father's Day Breakfast, June 18, 7:30 am - 11 am.
- Catherine Delaney will represent Unit 770 at Empire Girls State.
- The slate of officers for Installation at the June 6 Auxiliary meeting:



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| President:    | Marti Smith          |
| 1st Vice:     | Christina Hulslander |
| 2nd Vice:     | Mary Schmidt         |
| Secretary:    | Kathy Harris         |
| Treasurer:    | Nan Colvin           |
| Sgt. at Arms: | Ruth Scott           |
| Chaplain:     | Jackie Newhart       |
| Historian     | Marge Bennett        |
- Thank you to all who are baking desserts for our Dinners.

– Marge Bennett, Historian



## SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION NEWS

- Dues for 2017 are \$20 (\$8 for Junior members). Our membership quota is 67 and we have 21 paid members for 2017. If you haven't paid your dues, please do.
- SAL officers will remain the same. William Krom is the SAL Commander.
- SAL t-shirts are still available. Get yours now.
- All SAL members are encouraged to attend the monthly meetings (next is Monday, June 5th at 7:30 pm). Your voice is important. Please help us to help you.
- Tickets are still available for the Father's Day Raffle of Two Weekend Pit Terrace Premium Tickets for NASCAR at Watkins Glen on August 3-6. One chance for \$2, three chances for \$5. To be drawn Father's Day at noon. Need not be present to win. Tickets available in the Legion Lounge.



## RELAY FOR LIFE

The Legion, SAL, and Auxiliary are working together to raise funds for the Tompkins County Relay for Life. Please consider helping.

Our fund raising events are updated monthly in the newsletter.

May relay meeting Thursday, June 15, 7:30 p.m. at the Legion.

A lottery tree raffle of scratch off tickets - \$1 chance donation per ticket - available at the Legion – mystery value. The Team will also raffle baskets at the July 15 Relay for Life event at Ithaca College. The event is scheduled from 12 pm to 12 am and will be indoors.

The Post will have a team walking in the July 15 event at Ithaca College on behalf of the members of Arthur E. Bouton. The team reaches out to the membership and requests as you honor and remember your loved ones who have experienced cancer, please consider when you donate for cancer research sending the donation to the Post to support our fund raising efforts. Donations may be sent to: Dawn Smith, 26 Cayuga Street, Trumansburg, NY 14886.










Cooking at the IAC Track Meet

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