



*It is not the price you pay to be a member
It is the price you paid to be eligible!*

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SERVING OUR MEMBERS AND AREA VETERANS



Veterans of Foreign Wars
Francis E. Vinyard Post 2749
127 Veterans Way • Kendallville, IN 46755

May 2017

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Kendallville, Indiana

IN. GAMING PERMIT #140522

Commander's Corner



It's May already!!! Lots of activity, as I pointed out in the last newsletter. At the Post meeting our officers will be installed by Past Commander Ron Coleman. We will also be organizing the distribution of flags on Veteran's gravesites. I've already called both Boy Scout Troops about participating. Families for Freedom will have their Armed Forces Vigil" on May 20th starting at 7:30pm. There will be a bagpiper, veteran speaker, city officials and invited guests. Then our Poppy Drive will take place on May 26th and 27th. We have 3 locations to work. The sign up sheet is on the Bulletin Board. Sign up and help the Post and Post Auxiliary.

I believe our sno-birds are back and we're happy about that! Our last quarterly audit and it revealed continuing growth of funds in our bank accounts. Treasure Hunt continues to grow. The pot is now \$2,588.00. Come on out on Friday evenings.

Finally, I'll be contacting the appropriate folks for the Home Depot Post Improvement Grant. Hopefully, I'll be able to get more information for Home Depot's Disabled Veterans grants. Thanks to everyone who helps out around the Post with repairs, dinners and our fundraisers.

Jim Cook

Families for Freedom

Armed Forces Vigil

**Saturday, May 20th
7:30pm**

There will be a Bagpiper,
Veteran speaker,
City Officials and
invited guests.

Don't forget
our
Poppy Drive
May 26 & 27



**Memorial Day
Service**
at American Legion Post 86
May 29th, 2017

POST AUXILIARY

NO ARTICLE THIS MONTH

2015-2016 POST OFFICERS

Commander..... Jim Cook
Senior Vice Commander .. Ron Coleman
Junior Vice Commander .. Denny Nester
Quartermaster..... Richard C. Hamilton
Chaplain..... Max Franklin
Judge Advocate (Appointed)
..... Richard Waird
Surgeon (Appointed).. Lenard A. Wilson
1 yr. Trustee George Klink
2 yr. Trustee C. T. Seigel
3 yr. Trustee Pat Frazier
Adjutant (Appointed)..... Richard Waird
Service Officer (Appointed)
..... James L. McClure

2015-2016 POST AUXILIARY OFFICERS

President..... Sarah Faulkner
Sr. Vice President Jill Wilson
Jr. Vice President Jill Wentworth
Treasurer Sue Hamilton
Secretary Dixie Liens
Chaplain Betty DeBolt
Conductress Becky Heidenreich
Guard Paul Minar
1 Yr. Trustee..... Diane Nichter
2 Year Trustee Chasity Kilburn
3 Yr. Trustee..... Carolyn Mortimore

NOW SERVING DAILY

BAR MENU

KITCHEN CLOSED DAILY
FROM 3 - 5 P.M.



WEDNESDAY HOURS

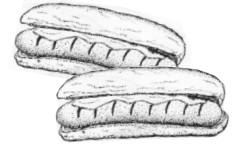
11 A.M. - 3 P.M.

SATURDAY OPEN
AT 3 P.M.

5/5: JOE'S MENU
5/12: JOE'S MENU
5/19: JOE'S MENU
5/26: JOE'S MENU

Coney Dogs

Coney Dogs still available!



MAY 2017

Sun

Mon


Tue

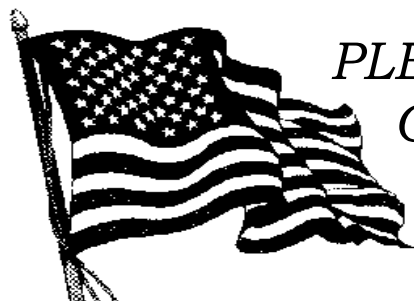
Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

	1	2 CONEY DOGS 12-3PM 6PM POST MEETING	3 DINNER 4:30-6:30pm DRAWINGS AT 7PM	4	5 JOE'S MENU 7PM TREASURE HUNT	6 OPEN TO PUBLIC CONEY DOGS 11AM-2PM
7	8	9 CONEY DOGS 12-3PM	10 DINNER 4:30-6:30pm DRAWINGS AT 7PM	11 6PM POST AUX. MTG	12 JOE'S MENU 7PM TREASURE HUNT	13 OPEN TO PUBLIC CONEY DOGS 11AM-2PM
14 POST OPEN 12PM-6PM <i>MOTHER'S DAY</i>	15	16 CONEY DOGS 12-3PM	17 DINNER 4:30-6:30pm DRAWINGS AT 7PM	18	19 JOE'S MENU 7PM TREASURE HUNT OPEN TO THE PUBLIC ENTERTAINER RUSS CHANDLER	20 OPEN TO PUBLIC CONEY DOGS 11AM-2PM FAMILIES FOR FREEDOM AFD VIGIL 7:30-8:15PM
21	22	23 CONEY DOGS 12-3PM	24 DINNER 4:30-6:30pm DRAWINGS AT 7PM	25	26 POPPY DRIVE JOE'S MENU 7PM TREASURE HUNT	27 OPEN TO PUBLIC CONEY DOGS 11AM-2PM POPPY DRIVE
28 POST OPEN 12PM-6PM	29  <i>Memorial Service at AL#86</i> <i>MEMORIAL DAY</i>	30 CONEY DOGS 12-3	31 DINNER 4:30-6:30pm DRAWINGS AT 7PM			



PLEASE REMEMBER

OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

WHO ARE SO PROUDLY

PROTECTING US AND OTHERS