

# American Legion Post 91

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### MEETING INFO

Legionnaire General:  
2nd Thursday 6:00 PM

Legionnaire E-Board:  
1st Wednesday 6:00 PM

S.A.L. General:  
3rd Sunday 12:00 PM

ALA General:  
1st Thursday 6:30 PM

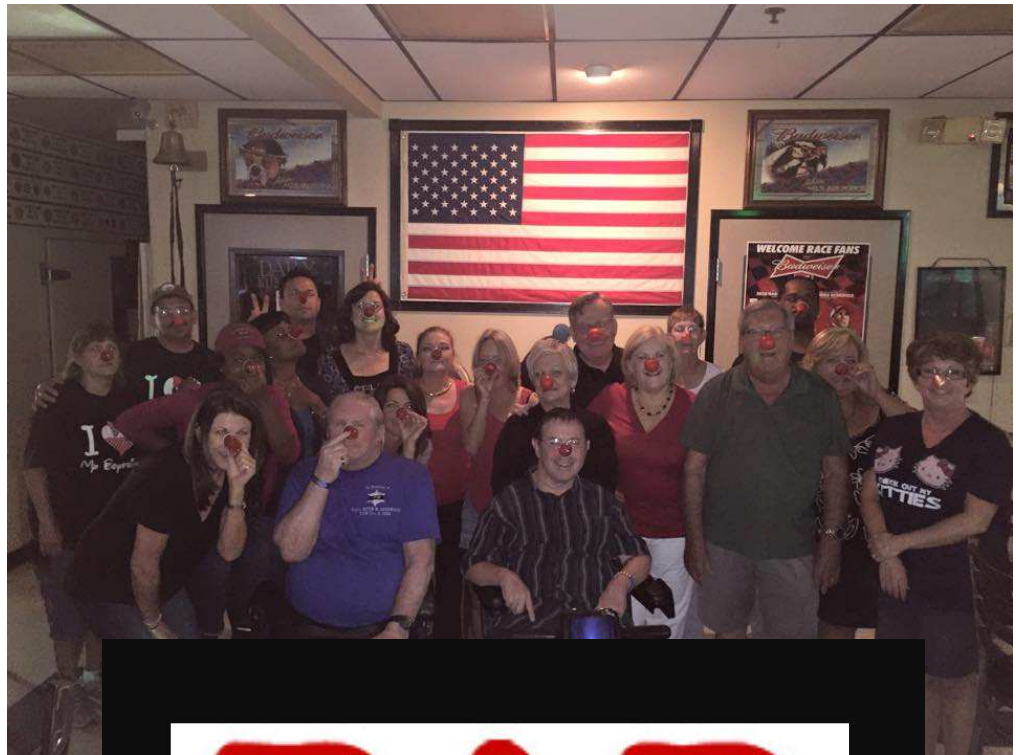
ALA E-Board:  
1st Thursday at 6:00 PM

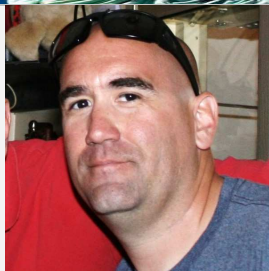
A.L.R. General:  
3rd Sunday 9:00 AM

House Committee:  
3rd Monday 6:00 PM

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Post 91 Commander  
Mike Simon  
[commander@azlegion91.org](mailto:commander@azlegion91.org)

## Commander's Corner



First, I would like to thank the officers and committee members of the 2014-2015 Executive Board for all their time, everything that they have done and their willingness to service our veterans and their families. There were a lot of amazing contributions made to show what the American Legion truly stands for and one of the many reasons why we are here.

Now that the Post elections are over our next step is to install the Post's Officers which will be on June 14th at 2pm, I would love to see as many of you there to give your support. Then it is time to start getting down to business of the new year and the fresh perspective of some of the new members of the board. I am anticipating a great 2015-2016

year. Please check out the upcoming Commander's Corners for more information and plans as we go into the new year.

As we get rolling into this new year I will continue to look for volunteers, ideas and events so please feel free to contact me if interested.

Lastly I would like to thank Barb White, Aaron Beauvais, and Terry Schroeder for your support as entity leaders. Your communication and compassion for working together has contributed to the vast achievements Post 91 has accomplished.

For God and our Country  
Semper Fidelis  
Mike Simon



Auxiliary President  
Barbara White  
[alapresident@azlegion91.org](mailto:alapresident@azlegion91.org)

## Auxiliary Announcements



The end of the American Legion year is right around the corner. All entities have been very busy completing year-end reports. Thank you to everyone who submitted their volunteer hours throughout the year.

Rae Hopf is the President-elect; she'll take office at the end of Department Convention. Rae was Unit President four years ago. I hope you give her all the support you have given me this year. We have so many dedicated members in our Unit.

Commander Mike Simon, SAL Commander Aaron Beauvais, ALR President Terry Schroeder, Bar Manager Tim Harvey, Jr Vice Jim Faltermeier and Carlos, THANK YOU for all your support throughout the year. The

Auxiliary could not have been as successful as we were this year without your support and the support of your members.

To the E-Committee members of the Unit and Unit members, what can I say? You are the heart of the Unit and without you, there would not be a Unit. I have called upon members at the last minute and you have stepped up to the plate.

Last but not least, to the bartenders, Sheila, Darcey, Wanda (hope I didn't leave anyone out). Thank you for the many times I have asked for the "bag". Even during busy times, you have always given me the bag with a smiling face.

The Unit is holding its annual Grill

Raffle. You can get your raffle ticket(s) from the bartender until 2 p.m. July 4.

Keep an eye out on Facebook and Quick Announcements for the school supply drive. Yes, school just ended; however, Chandler schools starts at the end of July.

Once again, THANK YOU to everyone for their support to the Unit 91 this past year!

For God and Country,  
Barbara White  
602-908-2980



S.A.L. Commander  
Aaron Beauvais

[salcommander@azlegion91.org](mailto:salcommander@azlegion91.org)

## S.A.L. Squadron 91 News



This is my last article as Squadron 91's commander. I want to thank everyone in all the entities who helped us and the post have a successful year.

In May we had our elections. Frank Ramirez (Current Sr. Vice Commander) will be the 2015-2016 Squadron Commander, Steve Heaven (Current Jr. Vice Commander) will be the 2015-2016 Sr. Vice Commander, and finally but not least Tim Harvey (Current past commander) will be 2015-2016 Jr. Vice Commander.

Queen of hearts keeps going strong as well does bingo.

We just had our awards night, the recipients where Frank

Ramirez, Steve Heaven, Tim Harvey, and Gigi burns. I want to thank all of you for all the work you do. Without it we would not have been able to do all the donations we did this past year. Keep it going in the coming years!

Aaron Beauvais  
Squadron 91 Commander



A.L.R. President  
Terry Schroeder

[president@azlegion91alr.org](mailto:president@azlegion91alr.org)  
**THWR** (*That's How We Roll*)

## Legion Riders News



We recently held Awards Night at Post 91 and I awarded seven awards to our Riders. I base this on not only what they do for the ALR but also the Post and helping out the community and veterans. The winners were. Bill Pless, Ray Churchill, Ernie Ponicke, Dave Ulm Sr., Leo and Tina Gabryelski and Steve Heaven. Congratulations!

We recently held our elections and these will be your new ALR officers for the next year.

PRESIDENT-Ernie Ponicki, VICE PRESIDENT-Steve Heaven, JR. VICE PRESIDENT-Joe Mockbee, SECRETARY-Theresa Vodika, TREASURER-Ray Churchill, SGT. AT ARMS-Bill Pless, ROAD CAPTAIN-Dave Andersen, HISTORIAN-Scott Hurler, CHAPLAIN-Richard

Peterson, and MEMBERSHIP CHAIR-Curtis Sherwood.

This past month the Legion Riders from Post 91 donated 108 hours of their time, rode 727 miles and spent \$290 of their personal money to help out charitable causes.

Terry Schroeder  
ALR President Post 91





Club Manager  
Tim Harvey  
[manager@azlegion91.org](mailto:manager@azlegion91.org)

**Post 91 Club Hours:**

Mon-Sat - Noon – Close  
Sunday – Noon – Close

**BAR BINGO – TRIVIA  
LIVE MUSIC – GREAT TIMES**

**Thanks for Having Fun  
at Post 91!**

## Club News

**June Monthly Birthday Celebration** – Help us celebrate our members June Birthdays at our Post 91 Birthday Bash on Saturday June 13th starting at 7:00pm. Free Drink for those with Birthdays in June!

**Fathers Day** – All Fathers celebrate with us on Sunday June 21st. Fathers will receive One Free Drink of their choice all day Sunday. Happy Fathers Day!

**Big Ball Bar Bingo** – The BIG BALL is back during Bar Bingo. Would be great to see more of our members and their guests supporting the Post each Tuesday at Thursday at 6:30pm or Saturday’s at 4:00pm. You’ve Gotta Play to Win!

**New Friday Night Trivia** – So you think you know it all? Join us at Post 91 on Friday evenings at 7:00pm for our New Trivia Night. \$5 per person or \$10 per team of three. Winner(s) receive 70% of the take.

Round up some friends and join in on the fun every Friday. Trivia is FUN at Post 91.

**NEW Friday Night Happiest Hours** – Every Friday evening come on down and enjoy our New Happiest Hours. 7 – 8pm \$2 Darcey Calls It. 8 – 10pm 50¢ Off All Drinks.

**NASCAR at Post 91** – Start Your Engines.... Join us every Sunday for NASCAR Racing at the Post. \$12 Buckets of Six Domestic Beers during the Race. 9 TV’s with Crank It Up Sound.

**Thanks for having Fun and Supporting Post 91**

# Calendar of Post 91 Events

June 2014

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b> Open Noon to close	<b>2</b> Pull Tabs 12-5pm CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>2</b> Poker - 7:00pm Queen of Hearts Drawing - 7pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>4</b> CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm Legionnaire General 6pm Kitchen - 3-9	<b>5</b> TRIVIA 6:30PM  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>6</b> CASH BALL BINGO 4:00-6:30pm Kitchen - 12-10
<b>7</b> Texas Hold-em' 1:00pm NASCAR Racing on 9 TV's	<b>8</b> Open Noon to close	<b>9</b> Pull Tabs 12-5pm CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>10</b> Poker - 7:00pm Queen of Hearts Drawing - 7pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>11</b> CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm Kitchen - 3-9	<b>12</b> TRIVIA 6:30PM  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>13</b> CASH BALL BINGO 4:00-6:30pm Birthday Party 7PM Kitchen - 12-10
<b>14</b> Officer Installation 2:00pm NASCAR Racing on 9 TV's	<b>15</b> Open Noon to close	<b>16</b> Pull Tabs 12-5pm CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>17</b> Poker - 7:00pm Queen of Hearts Drawing - 7pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>18</b> CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm Kitchen - 3-9	<b>19</b> TRIVIA 6:30PM  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>20</b> CASH BALL BINGO 4:00-6:30pm Kitchen - 12-10
<b>21</b> A.L.R. General Mtg. 9am S.A.L. General Mtg. 12pm	<b>22</b> Open Noon to close	<b>23</b> Pull Tabs 12-5pm CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>24</b> Poker - 7:00pm Queen of Hearts Drawing - 7pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>25</b> CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm Kitchen - 3-9	<b>26</b> TRIVIA 6:30PM  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>27</b> CASH BALL BINGO 4:00-6:30pm Kitchen - 12-10
<b>28</b> Texas Hold-em' 1:00pm NASCAR Racing on 9 TV's	<b>29</b> Memorial Day	<b>30</b> Pull Tabs 12-5pm CASH BALL BINGO 6:30-9:00pm  Kitchen - 3-9	<b>WEDNESDAY is BURGER &amp; a BEER NIGHT</b>  Get a Burger, French Fries and a Domestic Beer (12oz) for only <b>\$ 5.99</b> Wednesday's from 5pm to 8pm!		 <b>The Great \$10.91 STEAK NIGHT</b> every Saturday at Post 91	

**Post 91 Meeting Schedule:**

Legionnaire E-Board	1 <sup>ST</sup> Wednesday - 6:00pm
Auxiliary General	1 <sup>ST</sup> Thursday - 6:30pm
Legionnaire General	2 <sup>ND</sup> Thursday - 6:00pm
S.A.L. General	3 <sup>RD</sup> Sunday - 12:00pm
A.L.R. General	3 <sup>RD</sup> Sunday - 9:00am
House Committee	3 <sup>RD</sup> Monday - 6:00pm

**Post 91 Bar Hours:**

Mon-Sat - Noon - Close
Sunday - Noon - Close

**Post 91 Kitchen Hours:**

Tue - Fri - 3 - 9 PM
Saturday - Noon - 10 PM

Be sure to check the post web site(s) regularly for the latest news, events and happenings

[WWW.AZLEGION91.ORG](http://WWW.AZLEGION91.ORG)

[WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/CHANDLERPOST91](http://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/CHANDLERPOST91)

[WWW.TWITTER.COM/AZLEGION91](http://WWW.TWITTER.COM/AZLEGION91)

# WILL YOU...



# FIND HER?

## \$5 RAFFLE TICKETS

Progressive Weekly Raffle Presented by Squadron 91

**Drawings Held Every Wednesday at 7:00pm**

New tickets will go on sale for the following weeks drawing immediately after each drawing.





**Post 91  
Karaoke with Kim**

**Friday 8:00 to close  
Saturday 7:00 to 11:00**



**Tues & Thurs @ 6:30 PM  
Saturday at 4:00 PM**

**50 cents off all drinks  
for those playing  
CA\$H BALLS BINGO!**



*Carlos' Corner*  
*Kitchen*

**Tues - Fri 3~9  
Saturday 12~10**

**Specialty Pizza  
Calzones, Steaks  
Hot & Cold Subs  
Salads & More**

### **Unit 91 Auxiliary Program**



**MAKE OUR SCHOOL A CUT ABOVE!**

**Collect your box tops to help us earn  
up to \$20,000.00 in financial assistance  
for our Title One school.**

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[www.boxtops4education.com](http://www.boxtops4education.com)  
or contact any Unit 91 Auxiliary member**

*Benefits Hartford Elementary in Chandler*

### **Post 91 Meeting Schedule**

**Legionnaire E-Board  
Legionnaire General  
Unit 91 Auxiliary  
Squadron 91 S.A.L.  
Post 91 Legion Riders  
House Committee**

**1st Wednesday @ 6:00pm  
2nd Thursday @ 6:00pm  
1st Thursday @ 6:30pm  
3rd Sunday @ 12:00pm  
3rd Sunday @ 9:00am  
Last Monday @ 6:00pm**



**Get Involved TODAY!**

# Chaplain's Reports



## Post 91 Business Sponsors

Please support our business sponsors. Their advertising dollars help us to offset the cost of publishing this newsletter and to provide support for Veterans and

their families in our community.

**Business owners:** we offer sponsorship opportunities by way of printed

advertising in this newsletter, web site advertising and in-house advertising in our facility. If you are interested in advertising with us, please

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- A white t-shirt with a circular logo.  
- A black t-shirt with an eagle and the text "AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS" and " Chandler, Arizona".  
- A red t-shirt with the text "SUPPORT OUR TROOPS".  
- A black t-shirt with the text "ALL GAVE SOME" and "SOME GAVE ALL" around a central graphic.

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**2013-2014 LEADERSHIP**

**Legion Officers**

Commander: Mike Simon  
Senior Vice: Dennis Masters  
Jr. Vice: Jim Faltermeier  
Finance Officer: Troy Burmesch  
Adjutant: Gillian Burns  
Sgt @ Arms: Shawn Corey  
Chaplain: Francis Broome  
Historian: -Vacant-  
Judge Advocate: Glenn White  
Service officer: Kyla Lout  
Elected E-Board Members:  
David Ulm  
Wes Burns  
Joe Remeika  
Past Commander: J.D. Geiser

**Auxiliary Officers**

President: Barbara White  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice: Kathy McMartin  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice: -Vacant-  
Secretary: Carol Arias  
Treasurer: Cathy DeMattia  
Historian: -Vacant-  
Chaplain: Patty Palermo  
Sgt @ Arms: Carol Wuertemburg  
Members at Large:  
Sara Decker  
Rae Hopf  
Past President: Kathy McMartin

**S.A.L. Officers**

Commander: Aaron Beauvais  
Senior Vice: Frank Ramirez  
Jr. Vice: Steve Heaven  
Finance Officer: David Ulm Jr  
Adjutant: David Ulm Jr  
Sgt. @ Arms: David Vilardo  
Chaplain: Bob Hath  
Historian: -Vacant-  
Past Commander: Tim Harvey

**A.L.R. Officers**

President: Terry Schroeder  
Vice President: David Vilardo  
Jr. Vice President: Curtis Sherwood  
Secretary: Leo Gabryelski  
Treasurer: David Ulm  
Sgt @ Arms: Ray Churchill  
Road Captain: Ernie Ponicki  
Membership Chair: Tina Gabryelski  
Chaplain: Ricchard Peterson  
Historian: Scott Hurler  
Past President: Dave Andersen

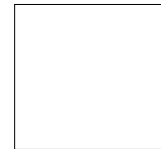
**Other Leaders:**

Club Manager: Tim Harvey  
Communications: Aaron Beauvais  
House Committee Chair:  
Jim Faltermeier

# THE AMERICAN LEGION FAMILY



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