



American Legion Post 201

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'Will Trent' TV Show To Use Post Facilities Three Days Next Week

The *Will Trent* television show production team will be using the Post facilities next week as a staging location to support filming for the show which will be taking place at the Wills Park equestrian facility. They are scheduled to be at the Post starting Tuesday morning through very early Friday morning.

Current planning assumes that the ballroom and parking lot will be needed for approximately 110 people. Here's a breakdown of the plans which they outlined for the Post:

- Tuesday (2/18) Prep Day – 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Setting up hair/ makeup stations and changing tents for background (BG) actors.
- Wednesday (2/19) Film Day – 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. Background holding/ processing. Lunch will be served to BG but shuttled in from Catering in the park, no kitchen on site.

- Thursday (2/20) Film Day – 8 a.m. to Friday morning prior to 7 a.m. Background holding / processing. Lunch served to BG but shuttled in from Catering in the park, no kitchen on site. Breakdown of hair/makeup stations and changing tents. Cleaning crew cleans the ballroom before the 7 a.m. Alpharetta Rotary Club breakfast Friday.

Members of the production team and the actors will be considered guests of the Post, which will include giving them access to the Clubroom and bar service at member prices.

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~ Post News Notes ~

Honor Air Contribution - - The Post has contributed \$1,000 to the Roswell Rotary Club's 11th 'Honor Air' trip to Washington, D.C. on April 9 for veterans of World War II, Korea and Vietnam. Post Finance Officer Ralph Jordan will present the Post's contribution to the Roswell club at their midday luncheon today. The SAL and the Auxiliary have been asked to consider making a contribution to the program. For more information about the Honor Air program, see the "Activities List" below.

SAL Dinner Service - - The SAL will take over the Post's kitchen to prepare and sell food to members of the Post family and dancers from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday, Mar. 8. Only cash or check will be accepted for payment. The menu will include prime rib sandwiches, hamburgers, bratwurst, beer cheese soup, curly fries, tater tots and more. Other fun activities are planned for the Clubroom that evening - - - the details are yet to be announced.

Scholarship Applications Available - - Applications are now available for the Post's annual scholarship awards to graduating high school seniors. Application forms are available in the Clubroom, or may be downloaded by [clicking here](#). April 15 is the deadline to apply. The value of each scholarship to be awarded this year is \$1,500. The Post plans to award at least four. For more information contact the Post's Immediate Past Commander Tom Billings, Email:

tombill03@comcast.net

Boys State Application Period Opens - - Georgia Boys State is a comprehensive one week "leadership action program in state and local government will be held June 8-14, 2025 at Valdosta State University in Valdosta. The program is managed by the American Legion's Department of Georgia. An application for the program is available by [clicking here](#). For additional information visit <https://www.dogboysstate.org/>. ***An Important Note: Do NOT send applications*** to Georgia Boys State, Inc. as stated on the application. Applications and all supporting documents should be submitted to American Legion Post 201 who will select the participants, assure all requirements are met, pay the tuition, and submit to the Boys State Director. Send to or drop off application at:

Alpharetta American Legion Post 201

201 Wills Road

Alpharetta, GA 30009

ATTN: Boys State Chair Tom Billings

General Membership Meeting this Tuesday. The monthly membership meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. Tuesday night. It will be the first meeting of the calendar year and the first one since November 2024. The December meeting was not held (a Post tradition to not meet during the last month of the year) and the January meeting was cancelled due to a lack of a quorum. The District 9

Commander and some members of the District 9 leadership team are scheduled to attend Tuesday's meeting. Dinner, provided by the Post, will be served starting in the 6 p.m. time frame.

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Upcoming Post 201, Other Veteran Related Activities

Every Sunday at 7 p.m. - - Karaoke in the Clubroom/Bar.
Lots of Laughs, Good Times, and even Greater People.
Libations at a much better price than downtown!

9-Ball Pool Tournament, 2 p.m.
Every 3rd Sunday in the Clubroom/Bar

VIEW FEATURED POST EVENTS

Friday, Feb. 14, Valentine Day in the Clubroom. The special drink of the day will be a Red Snapper, priced at \$5 per drink. The cocktail is made with cranberry juice, vodka and amaretto. In addition to the drink special, a pot luck dinner is scheduled to start in the 5 p.m. time frame.

Friday, Feb. 14, Valentine Dance Party. Rock the night away with the Highway 9 Band. Open dance, 8:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. Beginner and intermediate lessons, 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. [Click here](#) to see flyer. Admission: \$12 per person cash or credit only.

Saturday, Feb. 15, 11 a.m. Atlanta World War II History Round Table. Doors open at 10:30 a.m. Meeting starts at 11 a.m. Lunch served at approximately 11:15 a.m. Dunwoody United Methodist Church, [1548 Mount Vernon Road](#). Admission: \$23 for members, \$28 for non-members (cash or check accepted at the door). World War II veterans are free. Reservations were required NLT end-of-day Sunday, Feb. 9. Email: atlantaww2roundtable@gmail.com. Website: <https://atlantawwiroundtable.org/>

Tuesday, Feb. 18, 7 p.m. General Membership Meeting. Dinner, provided by the Post, will be served starting in the 6 p.m. time frame.

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 7:30 a.m. North Fulton VetBuds. Uptown Café, [9850 Nesbit Ferry Rd., Roswell](#).

Sunday, Feb. 23, 2 p.m. BINGO in the Ballroom. Jackpot \$1,000. Bingo is currently scheduled for the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month starting at 2 p.m.

Thursday, Mar. 6, 6:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting.

Tuesday, Mar. 11, 6 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting.

Monday, Mar. 17, St Patrick's Day in the Clubroom. Traditional corned beef and cabbage will be served starting a 6 p.m. Any Irish whiskey will be \$1 less than the regular price.

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Saturday, Apr. 5, 7:30 p.m. Georgia Swarm Lacrosse "Hero's Night" Game. Up to four complimentary tickets to see the Georgia Swarm play the Philadelphia Wings at Gas South Arena, 6400 Sugarloaf Pkwy., Duluth. [Click here](#) for details.

Wednesday, Apr. 9. Roswell Rotary "Honor Air" trip to Washington, D.C. for World War II, Korea, and Vietnam veterans. [Click here](#) for more information on the trip, and to download a veteran application to participate or a guardian application. For additional information on donations [click here](#) or contact Alicia Hughes at 678-283-7098, or email ahughes@wsnielsen.com.

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VETERANS RESOURCES

Visit the [Resource Page](#) at Post 201's website, www.legion201.org for a significant amount of information concerning various resources available for veterans. You'll find a Survivor Assistance Checklist, Benefits for Georgia Veterans, Burial at Sea Information, Veteran's License Plates Information, Emergency Housing Information Guide and many other resources.

Past Issues of the Post's E-newsletter - [Click here](#).

Veterans Crisis Line

Call 988 and Press 1 or Text 838255

Visit www.veteranscrisisline.net

VA Telephone Hotline - 1-877-222-8387

Post 201 Service Officer Hotline for Vets-at-Risk - 631-720-6022

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