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## **May 2023 NEWSLETTER**

Meetings: Post 5 – Third Tuesday at 6:30 PM, Auxiliary Unit 5 – Third Tuesday at 6:30 PM SAL Squadron 5 - First Tuesday at 7:00 PM, ALR Chapter 5 - First Thursday at 6:00 PM

## Notes from Commander Dee Dee Cryderman:

May is a very special month for the American Legion Post 5, its a month of Honor. Honoring ALL Veterans who have passed and sacrificed for us in all conflicts. Their unselfishness to serve our country. Remembering all our family veterans who have passed away before us and honorably served in our Armed Forces. Post 5 has been honored by having a special pictorial exhibit display at our Post -"Remembering Missourian's Fallen", 2001 to 2021 on the Global War on Terrorism. Display will be up from Saturday, April 30th, 2023, through Saturday, May 6th in the main hall of the Legion. Volunteers are needed to welcome our visitors, Please reach out to me and or contact me. (See enclosed flyer for more details). Our membership efforts are moving in the right direction with new members and great numbers, to maintain the title of "Largest American Legion Post in Missouri". We cannot do this alone, without each and everyone's efforts to our veterans, possible new members explaining the importance of their membership to our Post and National missions. There are booklets, brochures, and handouts available for all new prospective members. Remember, with any NEW member signed up to OUR Post, they pay the first year's dues (\$45) and WE the Post pay their second year's dues. Thank You to ALL - Veterans Serving Veterans, Commander Post 5 Dee Dee Cryderman

# **Notes from Adjutant Rick Derks:**

So far, we have 69 new members and 28 transfer members for 2023. As of April 20th, we have 1,153 members that have paid their dues for 2023. We have achieved 93% of our 2023 membership goal. If you have not yet renewed your membership, I encourage you to send in your dues as soon as possible to help keep Post 5 and the American Legion strong organizations. If you know a member that has not renewed, please encourage them to renew. If you know a veteran or someone still on active duty that is not a member, please encourage them to join and become a member of the Largest and Most Active Post in Missouri. Prost in Missouri. Reminder! Buddy Check Day – The twenty-second (22<sup>nd</sup>) day of each month is "Buddy Check Day" in the Sate of Missouri to promote education and awareness of the problems of suicide facing military personnel. You are encouraged to check in on veterans. For more information check the website www.dmh.mo.gov/missouriBC22. State Convention - The American Legion State Convention is scheduled for July 13-16 in Springfield, MO. If you plan to attend and would like to represent Post 5 as a delegate, please contact Commander Cryderman or myself. The Post 5 Nominating Committee announced the following slate of officer nominees for the 2023-2024 membership year: Commander, Hal Dulle; 1st Vice; Jerry Koestner; 2nd Vice; Randy Hoselton; Adjutant; Rick Derks; Finance Officer, Jim Mead; Sgt-at-Arms, Cecil Goodin; Service Officer, Howard Nelson; Chaplain, Bert Miriello; Judge Advocate, Charlie Goodin; Executive Board, Gary Kempker, Charlotte Dudenhoffer, James "JC" Howard. Business Management Committee nominees are James "JC" Howard, Jim Logan, Tim Bock. The election will be held at the May Post Meeting, at that time nominations can be made from the floor.

Our Post 5 Service Officer, Steve Spayde has announced he will be holding sessions to complete the 'Initial Contact Forms' for Veterans looking for assistance. Steve will be available monthly on the third Thursday of each month at Post 5 the hours will be 6 pm – 7 pm.

Upcoming Events: The Post will host "Remembering Our Fallen Memorial – State of Missouri" from April 30 to May 6, 2023, 10:00 am to 4 pm each day. Open to the public. 47th Truman Pilgrimage, Tirey J Ford Post 21, Independence, Mo., May 7 and May 8. 4 Mother's Day Brunch, May 14, 9am – Noon. Post 5 Baseball 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual George Baker Memorial Golf tournament, May 19<sup>th</sup>,







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check-in at 8am. Post 5 BBQ, May 20th at Schulte's Parking Lot, serving 11am. Memorial Day Services at the Capital, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 am

**Reminder!** We are making the monthly newsletter available via email. The electronic version will contain everything the paper copy contains only delivered to your email box. If you are interested in receiving the newsletter via email, send me a message to opt you in. The choices are **email only** or **email and paper copy**. Give it a try and let me know what you think. **Send an email to Post5@mchsi.com requesting to be added to the email list.** 

Visit our website (www.post5.com), for the newsletter, calendar of events, news releases and various other functions by our Post Family clubs and follow us on Facebook. Also, visit the Department of Missouri website: (www.missourilegion.org).

<u>New Members:</u> Kevin Kempker, Stacy Kennedy, Mike McReynolds, Sharon Grant, Gloria Lane, Betty Leake, Anthony Tivis, Michael Swenson, James Grob, Daniel Mueller, Kevin Stampfly, Jerome Hagenhoff, Patrick W Paterson. Please welcome them to the American Legion Post 5 Family.

**TAPS:** None to report. Please keep all of our Legion Family in sickness and in health in your prayers. Rick Derks, Adjutant, Post 5

## **Notes from Auxiliary President Debbie Cheshire:**

Hello Auxiliary Members: Remembering Our Fallen Memorial – State of Missouri

The Post will host "Remembering Our Fallen Memorial – State of Missouri" from April 30 to May 6, 2023, 10:00 am to 4 pm each day. Open to the public. We are asking auxiliary members to volunteer for the Memorial one day from 10:00 to 1:00 or 1:00 to 4:00. If you would like to volunteer for a particular time slot, please give me a call as soon as possible. We are finalizing the schedule soon. The Memorial will honor fallen Missouri veterans from 2001 to 2021 (during the Global War on Terror). The opening ceremony is Sunday, April 30th at 10:00 am. Please join us for this solemn occasion. Photos Needed - If you have photos from a Legion or Auxiliary 2022-23 event, please forward them to me for a slide show. Thanks in advance. My email is debbie.cheshire@outlook.com.

State Convention - The Auxiliary State Convention is scheduled for July 13-16 in Springfield, MO. Mark your calendars. If you plan to attend the State Convention and wish to be a delegate from Unit 5, please contact me at the number below. Girl State Orientation - Girl State Orientation for 2023 will be held at the Post on May 14 at 1:30 pm. The Auxiliary members will provide refreshments. Please come join us to learn more about Girl State and enjoy meeting the girls that are planning to attend. Blood Drive - The Post will host a Blood Drive on June 1, 2023, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Email Problems - If you currently are using Embarqmail as your email provider, you should change to another provider. Embarqmail customers are not receiving emails from the Legion or the Auxiliary because Embargmail is being discontinued. Just an FYI.

**Happy Mother's Day!!** Debbie Cheshire, Auxiliary President, Unit 5, (573) 338-0911 *Notes from Sons of the American Legion Commander Chris Althusser:* 

I invite all Sons members to join us at our monthly meets which are the first Tuesday of each month. Meetings start @7pm. We will be providing pizza at the May meeting. Hope to see you soon at the Post. Chris Altheuser, Commander, Squadron 5

### Notes from Legion Riders Director Steve Spayde:

I hope this message finds you all in good health and high spirits. It's almost May and I am pleased to report that our membership continues to grow steadily. It's always great to see new faces joining us on the open road and sharing in our passion for motorcycles. So, a warm welcome to all the new members! Secondly, I wanted to remind everyone to keep your head on a swivel and stay alert when you're out on two wheels. We've already read in the news of the first motorcycle accidents of the season. Let's not make ourselves one of them. The April lunch was a success although turnout was low. Understandable, with the chilly weather on that day. The May lunch ride will be on 5/21, with a planned ride to Big Dick's Halfway Inn at the Lake. Meet at 10:30 at Post 5, with KSU at 11:00. We'll be hitting some scenic







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routes and taking in the beauty of the changing season. So, make sure your bikes are tuned up and ready to roll! Finally, I'd like to remind everyone that we are a community of like-minded individuals who share a passion for motorcycles. So, let's continue to support each other and build meaningful relationships. And as always, if you have any suggestions or feedback for the group, please don't hesitate to reach out. Cheers, Steve Spayde, Director, American Legion Riders, Chapter 5

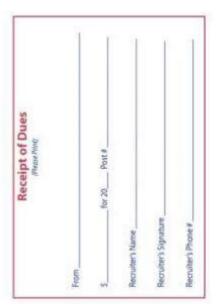
Notes from the Business Management Committee, Committee Chair Vince Rost

As I am closing my time in the BMC and other leadership positions in the Post, I wanted to thank all the volunteers who do what they do every day. Some of you honor the legacy and your families going on decades now. That is very inspirational to me. Now that I'm in my mid 50's, I appreciate this prolonged service more and more. Those who want to be a part of something bigger than yourself, I encourage you to join the team of volunteers so you can share that same joy and pride of being a part of the best and largest American Legion Post in our State. Have a great Summer everyone and I'll see ya at the Post! Best regards, Vince Rost 757-754-1112

Follow all the events and meals on the insert or the calendar in the newsletter and our Facebook site. If you have any questions, contact Club Manager Kelly Perez 573-636-2311 or <a href="mailto:post5ha@mchsi.com">post5ha@mchsi.com</a>.

# 2023 Membership Renewal \$45 (Please check your membership card card!)





If you have not renewed your 2023 membership, please complete the form, bring it to the Post or mail with \$45 (our annual dues) to American Legion Post 5, 1423 Tanner Bridge Rd, Jefferson City, MO 65101

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This will be the forty-seventh year Missourians and Legionnaires from surrounding states have gathered to honor the memory of the first Legionnaire to become President of the United States.

The event will start Sunday May 7th with a casual open house at Post 21 at 5PM. Hors d'oeuvres will be served. A short briefing will be held at 6PM in the Auxiliary room for those persons laying wreaths.

On Monday May 8th the annual laying of the wreaths ceremony will be held at the Harry S. Truman Library. Participation begins at 9AM. Library motorcycle escort leaves Post 21 at 8:40 AM.

Following the ceremony, a luncheon will be served at Post 21 at 11:30AM. Everyone is invited to this historic event.









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# May 2023

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Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing @7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	Club open 1-10pm SAL @7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	3 Club open 1-10pm Wing Night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm Karaoke 7-10	4 Club open 1-10pm ALR @ 6pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	5 Club open 1-12:30am Seafood & Fried chicken dinner 5:30-7:30pm Double Trouble	Club open 1-10pm \$2 off bucket
Club open 1-8pm All day happy hour	8 Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing @7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	9 Club open 1-10pm Exec meeting **Tenderloin Dinner Cancelled**	Club open 1-10pm Wing Night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm	Club open 1-10pm 40/8 meeting Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	12 Club open 1-12:30am Seafood & Fried chicken dinner 5:30- 7:30pm Tom Whittle	Club open 1-10pm \$2 off bucket
Club open 1-8pm Mother's Day Brunch 9am-noon	Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing @7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	16 Club open 1-10pm Post/AUX meetings @ 6:30pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	Club open 1-10pm Wing Night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm	Club open 1-10pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	19 Club open 1-12:30am Seafood & Fried chicken dinner 5:30- 7:30pm Double Trouble	Club open 1-10pm \$2 off bucket Post BBQ 11ai Schulte's Lot
Club open 1-8pm Gary B & the Kools 2-5pm	22 Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing @7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	23 Club open 1-10pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm Country Ham dinner 5-7pm	24 Club open 1-10pm Wing Night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm Karaoke 7-10	25 Club open 1-10pm Navy Club Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	26 Club open 1-12:30am Seafood & Fried chicken dinner 5:30- 7:30pm Silver Wings	Club open 1-10pm \$2 off bucket:
Club open 1-8pm All day happy hour	29 Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing @7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	Club open 1-10pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	31 Club open 1-10pm Wing Night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm Karaoke 7-10			

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PORK TENDERLOIN DINNER CANCELLED THIS MONTH!

# MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH MAY 14TH

9AM- NOON \$13 BISCUITS AND GRAVY,
SAUSAGE, EGGS WITH CHEESE, ONIONS, PEPPERS
& MUSHROOM TOPPINGS, FRIED POTATOES, FRUIT
SALAD AND COFFEE CAKE. \$3 MIMOSAS AND \$4
BLOODY MARYS AVAILABLE AT THE BAR

# POST BBQ MAY 20TH

11AM SCHULTE'S PARKING LOT - SLAB OF RIBS \$24
PORK STEAK OR RIB DINNERS \$14 HALF CHICKEN
DINNER \$13 BRAT DINNER \$12 SERVED WITH BAKED
BEANS AND LEGION SLAW

# **COUNTRY HAM & FRIED CHICKEN MAY 23RD**

5-7PM \$13 ADULTS \$6 KIDS

# GARY B & THE KOOLS MAY 21ST

2-5PM

# **EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT**

SEAFOOD AND FRIED CHICKEN DINNER 5:30-7:30
BAND @ 8 \$10 COVER

# **EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT**

WINGS 5-7PM
KARAOKE ON MAY 3RD 24TH & 31ST 7-10PM

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# The American Legion Post 5 Baseball 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual George Baker Memorial Golf Tournament Friday, May 19th, 2023



Four Person Scramble

Check-in at 8:00 AM

Shotgun Start at 9:00 AM Railwood Golf Club

Proceeds to Benefit the American Legion Post 5 Baseball Program

Entry fee is \$400.00 per team

\$100 for Hole Sponsorship

Contact us for other sponsorship opportunities

Team Captain / Spo	nsor name:
Phone / Email:	
Team Member 1: _	
Team Member 2:	
Team Member 3: _	
Team Member 4:	

Make Entry Fee or Sponsorship check payable to:

Post 5 Baseball and mail to: Henry Bax, 102 Bradford Ln, Loose Creek, MO 65054

Contact Neal Goodin @ (573)680-1053 or Henry Bax @ (573)690-5869 or email 5ersbaseball@gmail.com











REMEMBERING MISSOURI'S FALLEN

2001-2021 GLOBAL WAR ON TERROR

Open to the Public – Sunday April 30<sup>th</sup>, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Opening Ceremony - April 30th, 10 a.m.

# Location:

Roscoe Enloe Post #5

# Agenda:

behind family and friends who will never forger them and we must be there to support them. Remember

their loved ones, continue to pray for them and speak

their names, most importantly, speak their name Relish the freedom consecrated by that last full measu of devotion and paid for, on your behalf, by three Heroes and their Fallen Comrades who died in a war

tone while wearing our country's uniform

We cannot all pick up the sword-nor should we-but we owe our support and gratitude to those who do, and to their families. Each Fallen Hero, shown bere, left

- Post Commander Dee Dee Mehmert-Cryderman opening comments, and Pledge of Allegiance
- Opening Prayer Bert Miriello
- Information Address Ray Wadley
- Opening of Memorial will be shortly thereafter

May 1st – 6th Open to the Public 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Schools can schedule by appointment only, contact Post Commander Dee Dee Mehmert-Cryderman @ 573-680-1002.

# Remembering Our Fallen Memorial (State of Missouri)

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up in the shadow of September 11, 2001,

warrious of the 21st Century, professionals who rolunteer to Join the United Seates Armed Forces, grew go where so many never would. They retain the face of

before them in a cause greater than themselves

walks of life and every conner of our country, during to reedom and build upon the legacies of those who went 1423 Tanner Bridge Rd. Jefferson City MO.







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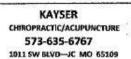










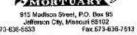














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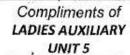
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