## Post 5 – Third Tuesday @ 6:30 Auxiliary Unit 5 – Third Tuesday @ 6:30



## SAL Squadron 5 – First Tuesday @ 7:00 ALR Chapter 5 – First Thursday @ 6:00

#### **JULY 2024**



## NOTES FROM COMMANDER HAL DULLE

Leading the largest American Legion Post in the State of Missouri is like riding a rollercoaster. What a thrill, what a

bummer.

A major thrill is being around veterans, mostly Vietnam War era guys and gals. Funny thing is we don't sit around drinking and telling enhanced service stories. None of that! Fellowship, yes! Friendship, yes! And concern about our future as a free and independent nation of Americans and the future of our veteran's organization are growing more and more each day. Bummer!!

So, let's continue to talk about these critical issues, and do nothing about them. Bummer!

We're veterans, we gave our time and talent to protect our rights and freedoms. But that was a long time ago, and from what I hear, we feel someone else needs to step up and answer the challenge. Well, it's not happening! I don't see those behind us stepping up and protecting our way of life. Quite the contrary, what I see is a bunch of brain-washed kids, protesting on our so-called prestigious university campuses and spewing anti-American chants and other vulgarities!

A thrill would be not only to find a path to renew our American spirit and patriotism but for us as American Legion members to take our path and support our mission. Thanks for taking the time to read this and hopefully take some action.

Hal Dulle, Post 5 Commander

#### AMERICAN LEGION POST 5 BASEBALL



# UPCOMING SCHEDULE For upcoming games... download the TeamSnap Tournament App.

**Sophomores**: July 11-15 – U&C Ozark Open – Springfield – no schedule yet.

<u>Juniors</u>: July 9 – Sedalia – Liberty Park – double header vs Sedalia; July 14-18 – Washington – Zone – no schedule yet; July 24-27 – Warrensburg – State – no schedule yet <u>Senior Auxiliary</u>: July 11-14 – U&C Ozark Open – Springfield – no schedule yet; July 18-20 – U&C Como Classic – Columbia – no

<u>Senior</u>: July 12 – Jefferson City – Legion Field – 6:00 – double header vs Moberly; July 13 – Jefferson City – Legion Field – noon – double header vs Hannibal; **July 17-22 – Jefferson City – Legion Field – Zone – no schedule yet**; July 28-31 – Blue Springs – State – no schedule yet; Aug 7-11 – Washington – Regionals; Aug 15-20 – Shelby, NC – World Series

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**40 & 8 Breakfast at the Legion –** June 30<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 am – 11:00 am

**2024 Department Convention** – Hilton St. Louis Airport... July 11 – 14

Show Me the CASH ... July 18, 6:30 pm Hire A Veteran Day at the Capitol ... July 25, 11:00 am

**Post 5 Bar-B- Que...** August 24th, 11:00 am until sold out @ Schultes parking lot.



# NOTES FROM AUXILIARY UNITY 5 PRESIDENT DEBBIE CHESHIRE

The annual election of officers was held at the recent ALA meeting. Following are the newly elected officers for 2024-25: Esther Roster, President; Cindy Lambert, Vice-President; Debbie Alderson, Treasurer; Debbie Cheshire, Recording Secretary; Karen Bagby, Membership Secretary; Marilyn Medley, Historian; Dotty Sanning, Sgt. At Arms; and Christine Goodin, Asst. Sgt. At Arms. A Chaplain is needed if someone would like to volunteer for that position. Installation of officers will be conducted at the August meeting.

State Convention is scheduled for July 11-13 in St. Louis at the Hilton St. Louis Airport Hotel. Let me know if you are attending and would like to be a delegate.

The Auxiliary recently donated \$1,400 to the Veterans Hospital in Columbia, MO and \$600 to the Central Missouri Honor Flights. Central Missouri Honor Flights application can be accessed at https://www.centralmissourihonorflight.com/ The next flight is scheduled for July 9th with orientation on June

Girls State is being held June 22-29 at Lindenwood University in St. Charles, MO. Unit 5 Auxiliary members Claudia Goodin and Lindy Picray volunteer at Girls State. Unit 5 Auxiliary is sponsoring 22 girls to attend this year. Thank you to Amanda Adams, Chairwoman for the Girls State Committee and the Auxiliary volunteers who participated in the screening process and fundraising activities. To learn more about Missouri Girls State, visit their website at <a href="https://www.missourigirlsstate.org/">https://www.missourigirlsstate.org/</a>.

We recently provided a meal at the Mid-Missouri Fischer House (next to the VA Hospital in Columbia, MO). Fischer House is a place where veteran's families can reside while their family member is a patient at the VA Hospital. It is a new facility with wonderful suite accommodations. Fischer House is conducting an open house and ice cream social on July 12<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-4:00. Auxiliary members are invited to attend.

Thank you for being a member.

30th.

Debbie Cheshire, President American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 5... (573) 338-0911



## NOTES FROM SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION COMMANDER, CHRIS ALTHEUSER

I want to remind all Sons members that our meetings are the first Tuesday of each month. Meets start @7 Hope to see you

soon at the post.

Chris Altheuser, Commander, Squadron 5

Mid-Missouri Veterans Express trips to Missouri's National Veterans Memorial in Perryville, MO are scheduled for September 19 and October 23. If you know a Vietnam veteran who would like to attend, please let me know and I will send an application form to them. To access the application online, visit Veteran Application — Mid-MO Veterans Express (mmvexpress.org).

District 8 meeting will be held on September 8<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 in Columbia, MO.

Patriot Sunday is scheduled for September 8<sup>th</sup> at Post 5. Patriot Sunday is a program sponsored by Operation Bugle Boy and honors first responders at this annual banquet. Free tickets are available for first responders.



Gus Kampeter (Jan. 2024)

Please keep all our Legion Family in your prayers



Please welcome our new members!

Gary Vogel, USAF McNeal Phauls, USA Gregory Norfus, USA Joel Breedlove, USAF

## **Notes from Adjutant Rick Derks**



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Important note... if you haven't renewed your membership for 2024

you are delinquent. So far, we have 1,164 members who have renewed, which is 96% of our goal. If you have not yet renewed your 2024 membership, I encourage you to send in your dues as soon as possible. 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. As a member you are encouraged to attend our monthly meetings to provide your input into how our Post operates. Our next meeting is July 16th.

See you at the Post! Rick Derks, Adjutant

## NOTES FROM LEGION RIDERS DIRECTOR STEVE SPAYDE

(contributed by Rick Derks)

Again, thanks to everyone for your dedication to our Friday Night Dinner cook nights. This month we work on July 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in helping just come on out and join the crew.

Ride safe over the extended Fourth of July week!

All rides are posted on our website. Always check there for updates. Be safe in the heat!

Due to July 4th being the same day as our next meeting, we will postpone the July meeting to July 10<sup>th</sup>, meeting in the Annex. Hope to see you there.

#### Notes from the Business Management Committee, Committee Chair Jim Mead

The Business Management Committee (BMC) met on 06/10/2024. The BMC is continuing to seek additional bids for the replacement of our BBQ Pit in the BBQ Shack. Hopefully, we will get this project started soon.

Come and join us for Taco Tuesdays on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays in July. The event was successful in June and will continue in July and hopefully August. Come on out on July 18<sup>th</sup> for Show Me the Cash.

Don't forget the next Post 5 BBQ is on August 24<sup>th</sup> in Schulte's parking lot. Come out and purchase some really good food to support the Post.

Please remember that if you have a complaint about an employee or patron, we will not act on second hand or unverified information so please have the courtesy to put your name to your complaint so we can address it directly.

I will continue to say that you don't deserve to be treated disrespectfully by other members or our staff and our staff members do not deserve to be treated this way either. Please be respectful of others.

If you would like to schedule an event at Post 5, please contact our Club Manager, Kelly Perez. Jim Mead (573) 636-2311

Follow all events on Facebook – <a href="www.post5.com">www.post5.com</a> - call 573-636-2311 - email <a href="mailto:post5ha@mchsi.com">post5ha@mchsi.com</a> 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. Send an email to Post5@mchsi.co

# JULY 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing 7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	Club open 1-10pm Taco Tuesday!! 5-7pm SAL 7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	3 Club open 1-10pm Wing night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm	4 Club open 1-4pm Happy independence Day!	5 Club open 1-12am Seafood & Fried Chicken Dinner 5:30- 7:30pm Silver Wings	G Club open 1-10pm \$2 off beer buckets
7 Club open 1-8pm All day Happy Hour!	8 Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing 7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	Glub open 1-10pm Taco Tuesday!! 5-7pm Exec Meeting Happy Hour 5:30- 7:30pm	10 Club open 1-10pm Wing night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm	11 Club open 1-10pm ALR 6pm 40/8 Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	12 Club open 1-12am Seafood & Fried Chicken Dinner 5:30- 7:30pm Roadhouse	13 Club open 1-10pm \$2 off beer buckets
Club open 1-8pm All day Happy Hour!	15 Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing 7pm Happy Hour 5:30- 7:30pm	16 Club open 1-10pm Post & Auxiliary meetings 6:30pm Happy Hour 5:30- 7:30pm	17 Club open 1-10pm Wing night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm Karaoke 7-10pm	18 Club open 1-10pm Show ME the Cash 6:30pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	19 Club open 1-12am Seafood & Fried Chicken Dinner 5:30- 7:30pm Double Trouble	Club open 1-10pm \$2 off beer buckets
21 Club open 1-8pm All day Happy Hour! 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 Taco Tuesday!! 5-7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	24 Club open 1-10pm Wing night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm Karaoke 7-10pm	25 Club open 1-10pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	26 Club open 1-12am Seafood & Fried Chicken Dinner 5:30- 7:30pm The Copper Creek Band	Club open 1-10pm \$2 off beer buckets
Club open 1-8pm All day Happy Hour!	29 Club open 1-10pm Club 5 drawing 7pm Happy Hour 5:30- 7:30pm	30 Club open 1-10pm Taco Tuesday!! 5-7pm Happy Hour 5:30-7:30pm	31 Club open 1-10pm Wing night 5-7pm Happy Hour 4:30-6:30pm Karaoke 7-10pm			



# TACO TUESDAY

Every Tuesday night (excepy July 16th -Post meeting) \$2 tacos 5-7pm

# Wing Wednesday

Every Wednesday night 5-7pm

## Karaoke

Wednesday nights
July 17th, 24th, 31st 7-10pm

# **Show Me the CASH**

Thursday, July 18th 6:30pm

# Gary B & the Kools

Sunday, July 21st 2-5pm

# Seafood & Fried Chicken Dinner

Every Friday night 5:30-7:30pm Music to follow















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