

COMMANDER'S CORNER

Happy Halloween, fall has arrived and the hot days of summer are behind us. Several events are planned between now and the end of the year.

Loretto's annual Oktoberfest will occur this month. One of the events is the posts Jerry's breakfast. A great way to start the day before attending other events. Our monthly breakfast continues to grow in popularity and last month was the largest attendance to date.

Be safe out there and continue to look out for one another. All my best and God Bless.

**FOR GOD AND COUNTRY-
DAVE OGBURN - COMMANDER**

WORDS FROM THE HEART

Hello to all and welcome October! Soon the weather will be changing more and more and the countryside will undergo rapid color changes, too! Meanwhile, the days will get cooler and cooler as those hot days fade into our memories!

We will observe Columbus Day this month, so named for the person we credit for discovering this new land, while searching for a shorter trade route to the Orient. Throughout history there have been other "Accidental" discoveries made while people were searching for something different! While that may be true, one thing that has always been constant is our GOD and maker, and also His Son JESUS, who was born to live and Sacrifice His Life for our sins! AMEN

**FOR GOD & COUNTRY ...
Wayne Martin, Chaplain**

Bible verses 2nd Corinthians 6, 7: "By the word of truth, by the power of GOD, by the armor of righteousness on the right hand and on the left."

Prayer: "Almighty GOD, we thank Thee always for all the events throughout time and ages that formed and forged our Great Nation! AMEN"

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ROLL CALL = 2026

Legion = 112/210 = 53%
Auxiliary = 38/119 = 32%
S.A.L. = 52/111 = 47%
Riders = 21 members

SICK LIST

John Hall
Marshal Bain
Peanut Perry
Gwen Hall

HONOR GUARD ACTIVITIES

22 Aug - 19 Sept

31 Aug - Kenneth Stevenson
Springfield Cemetery - Rogersville, AL

5 Sept - Donald B Canaday
Tri-Cities Memorial Gardens - Florence, AL

6 Sept - Edward J Schade
Calvary Cemetery - L'burg, TN

DEATHS

Orval "Sarge" Brooks
Barry Hamm - father of Morgan (Jason)
Reed

Keith (Gus) Farris
Matt (Flipping Ink) Bartlett -nephew of
Theresa & Dale Wilkinson

(Our Condolences to these Families)

CANTEEN CHATTER

Hello to All from your Canteen,

Let's welcome in the cool weather of October! Be sure to check out our events we have coming up. Come just sit, have a drink, watch a ball game, socialize with friends and enjoy; there is always something for you to do. We have some awesome events happening every weekend. We will wrap up October with a Halloween Dance with Bama Border from 7-11 pm. Dress up in a costume and bring some snacks to share and come enjoy the spooks!! Remember to pray for all our Veterans and active military especially at this time of year. "See You There"

FOR GOD & COUNTRY.....Patsy, Peanut, Michele, & Nicki

AUXILIARY NEWS

Hello Everyone!

We are getting into our busiest part of the year. There are lots of fun events to join in on at the post. We have a couple rides, an oktoberfest breakfast, meat shoot, trivia, karaoke, swap meet, and a Halloween dance. Whew, so much to do for everyone!! We are also in the planning for a community yard sale next month, so start your fall cleaning to get those items together. I hope to see everyone soon. Please continue to pray for all our veterans and active duty military.

FOR GOD & COUNTRY.....Nicki Hartsfield, President

S.A.L. NEWS

Hello to All,

Hope everyone is doing well. First off I would like to let everyone know the membership cards are in please see Rick Frank. Also, I would like to let everyone know we will have a MEAT SHOOT October 11th at 10 AM following that delicious Jerry's homestyle breakfast which starts at 7AM. Hope to see you all there. Our next meeting will be Thursday October 2nd at 7:00pm. Come on out and join us.

FOR GOD & COUNTRY.. Jason Reed.....S.A.L. Commander

LEGION RIDERS NEWS

Well October is here and the riders have a lot going on this month. Oct 4th we are hosting the "Just For Fun" ride. Registration starts at 10am and KSU at 11am from here at the Post. Oct 5th is our next monthly meeting here at the Post at 2pm, All are welcome and we will be doing 2026 nominations at this meeting. Oct 11th we will be supporting the Abbott/Bentley Run. We will be meeting here at the Legion at 11am and riding to BJ's together. Oct 25th is our 2nd Annual FALL Motorcycle Swapmeet. There will be vendors of all kinds, food and the Canteen will be open. Opens to the public at 9am. EVERYONE is welcome. If you would like to see the flyers for these events for more information please visit our website at <https://tnpost146.org/rider-events> or check us out on FB. Hope to see you out there.

FOR GOD & COUNTRY.....Eric Osborn....Director

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL
OUR OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS!!!**