Greetings dedicated Legionnaires and the American Legion Family. We are now celebrating our Centennial year of service to our Arizona communities. To all who have served our Nation and the American Legion Family I offer my sincere appreciation to all for your efforts to keep the American Legion Legacy of advocating for our Veterans and family programs a top priority.

We have overcome many obstacles over the years and will surely face many more in the 21st century. I am confident that Arizona will find a way forward. Engaging with the next generation of Legionnaires is paramount to the success of our organization. Your post needs to mentor and find ways to get these new members involved in a meaningful way without taking up too much of their time.

As members of the American Legion Family, we must make a renewed commitment to stay connected with every member of our post. Experience has taught us that a simple phone call to a member who has not been seen or is no longer active at the post are extremely grateful that someone called.

Recognize Members Through Awards

Greetings “award winning” Legionnaires,

It is my privilege to serve as your Dept. Trophies and Awards Chairman again this year…with your participation, the department judging committee will receive at least one award package from every post in the state in June at the 2019 Dept. Convention!

I can already hear you say, “no way, our post is too small to compete with the big ones”. Actually, there are several awards you are competing for just by submitting your Consolidated Post Report (CPR) – if you’re not sending in your CPR, shame on you – and remember at last year’s convention it was announced that only posts submitting CPRs will receive their new membership cards. Besides, you’re not only hurting your post, but the department, because the department receives recognition just by the overall number of CPR’s submitted.

In actuality, that report as well as others, is used to award prizes based on post size – so you’re only competing with posts your size. And be sure to remind your members to count all those hours and funds that you’ve expended for the Centennial Celebrations that you’ve hosted – those are Community Service hours.

During the past few months, my husband and I have spoken at many district meetings – at that time, I passed out packages of explanation to help your write awards, if you received one of the packages and need additional clarification, please feel free to contact me at 928-649-3374 or email: sicily84@cableone.net.

Lastly, remember the reason for the Trophies and Awards program is for your people and your post to be recognized for all you do!
Chaplain’s Corner

What's in a Name?

Are you a new Chaplain? Have you been doing the work and feel like you’re “new?”

Here are some good steps to help you along this important Path.

First; Understand what The American Legion version of this job is all about.

Post Chaplains do work at hospitals, nursing homes, and their Post. As a chaplain, you may be invited to provide information and solace to those who are ill, confined to the home, or dealing with a family member deployed away from their hometown. Briefly, you will find yourself;

- Visiting people affiliated with your Post at home or in the hospital, or holding office hours during which people can come to you.
- Listening to and praying with people in need of spiritual support.
- Leading religious services or prayer sessions.
- Providing grief support.
- Conducting Military Honors funeral services.

You should be open minded and empathetic. A chaplain must be capable of deep empathy and open to forming relationships with a variety of different people from all backgrounds. The name you call your God by may be different than that whom they call.

As a chaplain, you will be in a position to help people who are at their most vulnerable. Having the ability to connect with people from any type of background is key. Some people seeking spiritual guidance may not be religious at all.

To be an effective chaplain, it’s important to be open to and accepting of all types of religious beliefs, even those different from your own.

An ability to put your personal opinions aside for the sake of being as helpful as possible is important as well. More Veterans seek God by other names. There will be different ways to reach the needs of your member comrades.

There is a chance that you may only meet someone once or twice. Do everything that you and your Post are able to when offering assistance. A good goal would be to help the veteran especially, to forge a bond with their Post. No matter where help is found, you’ll be key to connecting each person to all available resources if you work to educate yourself about those local helps.

Be trustworthy and able to protect personal conversations. When people come to you for help, they may share personal secrets with you with the expectation that you keep that information between the two of you. Image titled Become a

Be prepared to be available to help at expected times. Learn about resources to help others dealing with spiritual crises all throughout the day, maybe even in the middle of the night. Being available like this does not come easy to most people. Remember that it will be important to set boundaries to protect your own personal life. You may or may not choose to give out your personal contact information.

Above the regular strain of each day, work to be spiritually resilient. A busy day at work in these ways may cause a profound feeling of fatigue. You will know it to be true labor on behalf of your Veteran comrades. As a chaplain, you must be able to recharge yourself, being firm in your own spirituality.

National Executive Committee

At the Fall Meetings of the National Executive Committee in Indianapolis, the Internal Affairs Committee took action on Resolution #1, UNRECOGNIZED ARMED HOSTILITIES RECOGNITION. The 3 page document resolved that the American Legion recognizes the nearly 1,600 casualties of the U.S. Armed Forces in service to our nation. They moved for the American Legion to call on the Congress of the United States to declare that the United States of America has been continuously engaged in a state of war from December 7, 1941 to such date in the future as the United States Government determines that there has been an end to armed hostilities.

It resolved that the U.S. Congress direct the Department of Veterans Affairs to qualify as "war-time veterans" all military service personnel who served honorably under federal government Title 10 orders for at least one day during said period.

The impact of this resolution could be huge! In addition to making thousands more Veterans eligible for the American Legion, it will make many current S.A.L. members who served during peace time, now eligible for dual membership.

On our recent visit to Washington, D.C., your American Legion Contingency met with Senator Kirsten Sinema, who has co-sponsored S 504, the "Legion Act." The bill was well received by Congress at National Commander Reistad’s testimony! S 504 is one of the top priorities for our Veterans Legislation this year.

That's what's happening at National and we will keep you updated as things progress.

ALLECA

The American Legion Law Enforcement Career Academy (ALLECA) has been in existence for 36-years and is a partnered program between the Arizona Department of Public Safety (AZ DPS) and The American Legion Department of Arizona. The American Legion believes that our young people have a strong sense of patriotism and a high regard for Law and Order. The object of ALLECA is to provide a first-hand look at the role of a police officer and military member in promoting and safeguarding America’s freedom and rights. This could be described as a one week mini-police academy or military boot camp. Sessions are planned annually during summer vacation. Discipline is strict with vigorous physical training, running, and calisthenics’ included. Obstacle courses and defensive tactics are planned. The ALLECA program is not a “boot camp” or a camp for problem or incorrigible, unmanageable teens. Various government and criminal justice officials will be guest speakers.
2019 Annual Department of Arizona Convention

The 2019 Annual Department of Arizona Convention runs from, Thursday, June 20, 2019 6PM to Conclusion of business Sunday, June 23, 2019; approximately Noon. at the Sheraton Grand at Wild Horse Pass (not the casino)

ROOMS SOLD OUT for American Legion Department of Arizona Annual Convention to be held at the Sheraton Grand at Wild Horse Pass. 5594 W. Wild Horse Pass Blvd, Phoenix, AZ 85226. The Room Rate is $116.00 per night, tax and room gratuity inclusive. NOTE the fee may show up; Disregard

- Unlimited internet access
- Two complimentary bottled waters in room
- Local, long distance (domestic) and 1-800 guest room calls
- Complimentary self-parking
- Daily shuttles service to Phoenix Premium Outlet Mall and dining and sports venues

No Contract price: Nearest hotel ;
Wild Horse Pass Hotel & Casino
5040 Wild Horse Pass Blvd, Chandler, AZ 85226
(800) 946-4452
wingilariver.Com
shuttle provided by Sheraton

Legal Services for Retirees available at Active Duty Military Bases

Rodney Glassman, Arizona Department Judge Advocate & JAG Reservist at 354 FW/JA, Eielson AFB, Alaska

At Luke AFB, the active duty legal office offers a full range of free legal services to our retired veteran population. Monday-Wednesday, and on Fridays from 0830-1430, and on Thursdays from 1030-1630, Retirees may receive notaries, general powers of attorney, and special powers of attorney. Every Tuesday from 0900-1100, and every Thursday from 1300-1500, Retirees may come to the office and have a one on one consultation with a licensed attorney.

The range of topics varies from estate planning, domestic matters, contracts, other areas of law. Additionally, every Wednesday from 1000-1200, Retirees may have a will, living will, healthcare power of attorney, and other testamentary documents prepared. Prior to calling the legal office for a will appointment, retirees should visit the Air Force Legal Assistance Website at https://aflegalassistance.law.af.mil/lass/lass.html and complete a will worksheet to receive a confirmation code. (Continued--->)

(Cont.) Once the retiree has the confirmation code, he or she should call the 56 FW/JA front desk at 623-856-6901 and make an appointment for one of the upcoming Wednesday blocks. Due to mission requirements, we are only able to accommodate 12 appointments each Wednesday, so call early in order to get a slot! Please note: base legal offices are closed from time to time for Training days, all federal holidays, and periodic official office functions. Also, they do not provide 3rd party advice, and are not able to advise on criminal matters.

About your Arizona Department Judge Advocate- Rodney Glassman: Rodney Glassman is an Eagle Scout, husband, father, attorney, Air Force Officer, and holds his PhD in Arid Land Resources from the University of Arizona. In addition to 20 years of private sector business experience, Rodney serves as a Major in the United States Air Force Judge Advocate General (JAG) Corps Reserve at Eielson Air Force Base and is the appointed Judge Advocate for the Arizona Department of the American Legion. He volunteers as Vice President of the Grand Canyon Council Boy Scouts of America and serves on the boards of the Arizona Chapter of Jewish National Fund and the Arizona Foundation for Legal Services & Education. Rodney is a practicing attorney and Of Counsel at Beus Gilbert PLLC and currently doing strategy work locally, nationally, and internationally for Mobile Mini Inc., the President’s Office at Arizona State University, U-Haul, the Brewer Companies (Arizona’s largest new-construction plumbing company), Phil Francis -Retired Chairman & CEO of PetSmart, John Whiteman of Empire Southwest and the Whiteman Foundation, and CASE (Central Arizonans for a Sustainable Economy, which represents over 20,000 working families across Arizona.)
Spring is here, and the Riders are getting busy.

For the last several years, ALR chapters in ALR District 12 have had a table each month at “Motorcycles on Main” in Mesa. This event is held on the 1st Friday of each month and usually attracts 2000-3000 motorcycles to a three-block section of downtown Mesa that is blocked off and limited to motorcycle traffic only. One member from ALR 26 in Mesa brings the table, chairs, flags, and literature each month. Other chapters within District 12 agree to provide the manpower for the table and also cover the $20 cost. ALR members from the chapter provide not only ALR information, but also Legion, Auxiliary, and Sons. They speak with everyone passing by about the American Legion Family as well as upcoming ALR rides. The recruiting is not limited to District 12 Posts and they try to provide information about Posts around the Phoenix area and the State of Arizona to anyone who is interested. Their main goal is to spread the word about the American Legion Family and the support we provide for Veterans. ALR 13 (Williams) stood flag lines for Wreaths for Hero’s grave sites in Williams Cemetery for four officers in December. In addition they stood flag lines at three veteran burials in the Flagstaff area in January/February. ALR 44 (Scottsdale) joined the American Legion Post 44 in representing the Legion in the 2019 Scottsdale Parada Del Sol Parade. This is the 4th year that the ALR has participated and the response has been great from the crowd. Riders from ALR 6 (Prescott) helped pick up wreaths from Wreaths Across America at Prescott National Cemetery. ALR 6 also donated $500 to the Post 6 Honor Guard for a new van and donated 71 books to the Prescott VA valued at $142. ALR 138 (Tempe) hosted their annual Ride For Love. The year the proceeds went to a local 8-year old with autism, who recently lost his father. ALR 39 (Gilbert) held a poker run to thank their local First Responder for saving Post 39 when they recently had a fire. All monies raised were donated to the Gilbert Fire Department. ALR 105 (Phoenix) held a poker run to raise money for the James Walton Home for Homeless Veterans. And AZALR has welcomed its newest ALR Chapter (actually, a Chapter which has been reinstated) - ALR 19 (Yuma), which now brings the total ALR Chapters in Arizona to 60.

UPCOMING: AZALR ANNUAL MEETING - June 22, 1:30PM. Sheraton Grand at Wild Horse Pass. All Arizona ALR members are invited to attend. Please arrive by 1:00PM to meet a special guest.

If you are interested in seeing what is going on with all of the ALR Chapters in Arizona, feel free to visit our website at www.azalr.yolasite.com. If you want to start an ALR Chapter in your Post, please contact me at the email address below for information on how to get started.

For God and Country, John Moffitt, Chairman, American Legion Riders, Department of Arizona (AZALR) prescottbikers@hotmail.com
the Blue Star memorial

The Blue Star Memorial Program was originally adopted in 1945 by the National Council of State Garden Clubs (currently named National Garden Clubs) as the Blue Star Memorial Highway Program to honor those who had served in World War II.

Over the years, the program has evolved to include markers to be placed in areas such as parks, historical grounds, and other appropriate civic areas. The marker was also changed to include the words “A tribute to the Armed Forces of America”, and to include all men and women who have served, were serving, or would serve in the Armed Forces of the United States of America.

This Blue Star Memorial was dedicated in Ahwatukee Park (4700 E. Warner Rd., Ahwatukee, Arizona 85044) on March 24, 2012. Each memorial is carefully maintained by the sponsoring Garden Club. Garden Clubs, donations, and memorial pavers help fund most of the memorials throughout the U.S.

If your Post is interested in having a Blue Star Memorial in your area, contact your nearest Garden Club or the Arizona Federation of Garden Clubs for additional information.

American Legion 2019 Convention
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Phoenix, Az 85015

ALL ADS are due print ready Not later than May 14, 2019
Department Commander Steve Aguirre Homecoming Dinner
May 25, 2019.

at
Green Valley Post 66

will be hosting the Department Commander’s “Coming Home” dinner on Saturday, May 25, 2019.

No-host Social in Main Hall at 4:30PM
Dinner to follow at 5:30.
Dinner will be pot roast or salmon for $12.
Live music for your listening and dancing pleasure immediately following the dinner.

Please RSVP to secure ticket(s), please tell us your choice for the entrée.
Green Valley Post 66, Office phone 520-393-0331. If you don’t RSVP in person, you may pay at the celebration (check or cash only). For an accurate head count we do need the RSVP over the phone or in person.

We request that you make your reservations by Wednesday, May 15, 2019, during regular office hours (9 to noon and 1 to 3 pm Monday-Thursday).

Don’t forget; Post 66 will present its usual “breakfast in a bag” The next morning, tickets are $8. Let us know at the time you make your dinner RSVP if you want us to hold tickets for the breakfast as well.

Suggested room reservations; Best Western hotel
located at 111 S. La Canada Drive in Green Valley (about 6 blocks from Post 66.)
Attendees can book rooms in the following 3 ways:
1) Contact Best Western Central Reservations at 1-800-528-1234 and ask for Group ID 2Z5XJ9J3 or ask for Post 66 Commander’s Dinner Group Block
2) Contact the hotel directly at 520-625-2250 and ask for Group ID 2Z5XJ9J3 or ask for Post 66 Commander's Dinner Group Block
3) Attendees can book directly by clicking the below link:
REMEMBER AND REMIND Others to BUDDY CHECK on your Legion Family members that you haven't seen. Can't we all use an understanding ear from time to time?

**NOTICE**

ALL Attendees must be REGISTERED to attend EVENTS

All meetings are held at the Sheraton Grand at Wild Horse Pass, 5594 W. Wild Horse Pass Blvd, Phoenix, AZ 85226

Registration hours: AKIMEL 1&2 Thursday, June 20TH 11:30AM until 6:00PM Friday, June 21ST 7:00AM until 5:00PM Saturday, June 22ND 7:00AM until 4:00PM Sunday, June 23RD 7:00AM until 4:00PM

SPECIAL EVENT REMINDERS TO WATCH FOR during the entire Convention:

**MEMBERSHIP CHALLENGE**

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING TO FOLLOW

Department Vice Commanders and District Commanders
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**ADVANCE TENTATIVE Scheduling**

Please see your Committee Chairman or Program for planning.

Reports on meetings that you may have missed may be heard at the "Reconvene" session.

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2851 N. Boulder Canyon, Mesa, AZ
2nd Saturday of each month starting April 13th from 12:30 to 4:30 PM
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**SCOUTING**

My Fellow Legionnaires,

As Scouting Committee Chairman for the Department of Arizona, I would like to thank those Legion Posts still supporting the scouting program. Nationally the Legion scouting program has lost over two hundred posts who once sponsored scout units.

Being the scouting chairman I along with the Commander, Adjutant and Auxiliary along with other Scout leaders are forming a committee to increase the scouting program in Arizona. According to National there are two ways we can increase our numbers. One is with the LDS church starting their own program, we can seek out those scout units who wish to remain with the Boy Scouts of America. The other with BSA now forming all girl Cub Scout and troop units form those units under the Legion Family.

I would like to receive input from all interested posts in sponsoring scout units. I especially would like to hear from Auxiliary units. Currently there are a number of Cub Scout and Scout units being formed. I would like to see interest in the Arizona Legion Family participating in the Scouting Movement.

Wayne Chatfield,
Scouting Committee Chairman
Western Region Area 6, BSA
Scouting Liaison American Legion

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**CEMETERY COMMITTEE**

Unfortunately, Arizona American Legion Honor Guards are down to three (3) Honor Guard teams (Post 27, Post 41 and Post 94) providing services at the National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona. The POW, MIA, KIA Honor Guard from Post 1 provides services when requested.

Most of the other Honor Guard teams are getting older and can’t support their required assignments due to older members passing away or the younger members have had to go back to work.

We need, at least two (2) more Posts to form Honor Guards to provide military services during the four (4) months they are assigned for duty at the National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona.

George E. Cushing
Chairman