

Riders lead the way!

Winter riding is in full swing....

In January, our Riders participated in the ground breaking ceremony for the new National MIA/POW Memorial at Cecil Commerce Center. Phase one of the construction will see the creation of a mock airstrip and at least four planes that flew out of Cecil Field. The ceremony was well organized and well attended and included many guest speakers including a Viet Nam B-52 pilot that was shot down and “welcomed” at the infamous Hanoi Hilton, along with a talk from the daughter of the lady that created the POW/MIA flag.

Our Riders participated in a Northern area event to stage a Ride-In for one of our brothers in need in Lake City. Our Riders participated in many other events throughout the month and are expecting a very active Riding year ahead.

Members of our Chapter will attend the 4th Annual ALR Summit in Cocoa Beach on February 6th through 9th, 2020. We will stay at the International Palms Resort & Conference Center. This will be an exceptional meeting that is focused exclusively on Riders. **All riding down with the group are asked to gather, fully fueled and well equipped, at the Mandarin Elks on 2/6/2020 at 0820 for KSU at 0830.** We will be riding backroads on the way down and will have a lunch stop on the way.

On February 16th, our Riders will host the “Hearts for Home” event to benefit our Post 372 building fund. Directors from around the Mighty 5th district have pledged their support. We will have a \$10 per person breakfast at Applebee’s at the beginning of the ride, with \$6 of each meal going toward the building fund. (Breakfast will be 0800 – 1000hrs.) The ride will then proceed to various destinations with raffles, etc. to benefit the fund. The Riders will need full support from the ENTIRE LEGION FAMILY to assist with the event. We will need help with logistics as well as help to serve the breakfast at Applebee’s. Even if you can only help for an hour, WE NEED YOU! Please contact 2nd Vice Craig Bernat, Assistant Director Chuck Benham, or any Legion Family officer to learn how you can help. The Riders welcome all licensed motorcycle owners that want to have fun while helping Veterans and participating in the other Post activities and programs.

Our American Legion Riders Chapter 372 is a fun and active chapter. If you or someone you know should be a part of our chapter, please email: joeroadglide1@gmail.com or see any Post or Chapter officer.

It’s easy to become a member:

Eligibility requirements

- Members must hold membership in, and be in good standing with, The American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, or Sons of The American Legion.

- Members must be legally registered motorcycle owners or be the legally registered owner's spouse within the state of registration.
- All operators must be properly licensed and insured per state laws.
- All members must obey motor-vehicle laws in the state in which they are operating a motorcycle or riding as a passenger.

Ride with us!

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