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**American Legion Riders of Kansas
Newsletter June, 2007**



" Thanks For What You Do "

"Welcome to Kansas ALR the family" 10 new Kansas ALR Chapters since Jan. 2007 : Larned 106, Wichita 401, Hillsboro 366, Moran 385, Yates Center 13, Hiawatha 66, Concordia 76, Clay Center 101, Louisburg 250 and Emporia 05. Total 46 ALR Chapters operating in Kansas.

*Post reports: please submit to your Post Adjutant the hours spent accomplishing our "Mission" i.e.: VA Hospitals, nursing homes, phone cards, homecomings/send offs, Patriot Guard Missions etc. There is a form available that makes this record keeping pretty simple. If you would like one, contact Giggles (dstele@gh-wichita.com) or myself.

* ALR Wedding (Saturday) June 16 – ALR 81 Director: Butch Ohmart & 5th District Vice Commander Debra Lynch at Post 81 (El Dorado)

* National ALR Rally- 5th, 6th, 7th, July, 2007 in Donelson, TN for info www.americanlegionriders.net
RC Steve (Mad Daddy) McDonald wcdonald72@yahoo.com

* Winter Park , Co. (Salute to American Veterans and POW/MIA Recognition Ride) August 17th, 18th & 19th, 2007 – Winter Park – info listed on Kansas ALR Event Calendar

* Kansas ALR State Rally – 2007 – hosted by Ozawkie ALR 225 Date : Sept. 15th, 2007 at Post 225 / Lake Perry details will follow..

* 2,250 Kansas ALR Challenge Coins were ordered first part of May – those Chapters that ordered coins will be contacted when they arrive.

*You should have received a current list of the Kansas Chapters and contacts- if you notice any incorrect info re: your Chapter please let me know.

*What is available thru your ALR Dept. Committee / Area Directors to assist your Chapters:

ALR Brochures

ALR Handbooks

ALR Appreciation Certificate (homecomings etc.)

ALR In Memory of Certificate (Funerals)

Patriot Guard Brochures

Our Hero Handbook

Also: Kansas ALR By-Laws , Internal Affairs of the ALR or any other ALR information

* Patriot Guard (KPG) sent 50 Flags to ALR Chapters that do not have any or have to drive a distance to borrow some to complete the Missions of the ALR.

*The Kansas American Legion Riders are grateful to all those who wear and have worn the uniform and to all those that support them. We as Legion, S.A.L. and Aux. members are united in the Mission & Purpose of the ALR . I compliment you on a "Job well done "