



American Legion Birthday and Awards Banquet

Congratulations to all of the awardees from throughout our community, at this year's American Legion Birthday and Awards Banquet. Join us in congratulating Joseph Woodbury for being selected as the Post 15's Veteran of the Year, Joyce Coe for being selected as the Auxiliary Unit 15's Member of the Year, Randy Howard for being selected as the Sons' Member of the Year, and Jason Forguson for being selected as Riders Chapter 15's - Rider of the Year.



SENIOR VICE COMMANDER'S COMMENTS

Comrades,

We are at 84.98% of our goal of 293 members for membership year 2025 as of March 21, 2025. If you know of a comrade who may have forgotten to renew, remind them. They can renew their membership by one of the following methods:

1. www.legion.org
2. Mail it to the Post address: American Legion Post 15, 2607 Highway 31 South, Decatur, Alabama 35603
3. Drop it by the post

Remember, as in my article in the last newsletter, "Members are the life blood of our organization".

We miss seeing each of you at our monthly meetings and you are missing out on the great camaraderie and an always delicious dinner. So please spread the word and let's round up our stray Legionnaires.

A reminder that with the passage of the Legion Act, changing the eligibility criteria for membership in the American Legion, this opens up membership to another group of Veterans who were previously not eligible.

If you know of any Veterans who serve at least one day of service on active duty under honorable service since 7 December 1941, reach out to them and tell them about the American Legion. Tell them about the camaraderie and the community service Post 15 provides. Tell them about services to the local veteran community. Invite them to the Post. Show them around. Ask them to join, then as a new member make them feel welcome and that they belong.

John Nelson
Post 15
Senior Vice Commander

BE THE ONE

Online Membership Renewals

For everyone who renews their American Legion Membership online -- a new card **will not** automatically be sent to your home address. You must contact the Post 15 Adjutant who will provide an updated card.

April 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5 Riders Group Ride BINGO 6pm
6 12th District Meeting Post 237	7	8	9	10	11	12 Drill Competition 9am BINGO 6pm
13	14 Chapter 15 Riders Meeting 6pm	15	16	17	18	19 Sons of Amer Legion BINGO 6pm
20 Easter Riders Group Ride	21	22	23	24 Executive Committee Meeting 6pm	25	26 BINGO 6pm
27	28 Post 15 Membership Dinner 6pm Meeting 7pm	29	30			
						

May 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3 Riders Group Ride BINGO 6pm
4	5	6	7	8 Executive Committee Meeting 6pm	9	10 BINGO 6pm
11 Mother's Day	12 Chapter 15 Riders Post 15 Membership Dinner 6pm Meeting 7pm	13	14	15	16	17 Armed Forces Day Sons of Amer Legion BINGO 6pm
18 Riders Group Ride	19	20	21	22	23	24 BINGO 6pm
25	26 Memorial Day Ceremony Roselawn Cemetery 10am	27	28	29	30	31 Commander's Breakfast
						

June 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7 Riders Group Ride BINGO 6pm
8	9 Chapter 15 Riders Meeting 6pm	10	11	12	13	14 Flag Day BINGO 6pm
15 Father's Day Riders Group Ride	16	17	18	19 Juneteenth Executive Committee Meeting 6pm	20	21 Sons of Amer Legion BINGO 6pm
22	23 Post 15 Membership Dinner 6pm Meeting 7 pm	24	25	26	27	28 BINGO 6pm
29	30					

AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS

Chapter 15

The Chapter 15 Riders honor the principles of The American Legion. Some recent happenings included a group ride to Hayden Alabama for a civil war reenactment and support for a number of Post 15 activities.

If you are interested in learning more about the American Legion Riders, just contact one of our members or write to communications@allegionpost15.com.



Group Ride to the
Battle of River
Hills Plantation
reenactment.
Great weather and
a fun time reliving
history with good
friends.



AMERICAN LEGION

Post 15 Activities

In February 2025, Post 15 hosted a Veterans Resource Open House. Representatives from throughout the community provided local Veterans with valuable information about financial, legal, mental health, and a variety of topics on Veterans Benefits.



<https://www.waff.com/2025/02/23/american-legion-post-15-hosts-veteran-resource-open-house->

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1. Sign in to your digital account.
2. Search for **ALA Unit 15 Morgan County** or use our organization number **TX243**.
3. Select the appropriate organization click ENROLL.
4. Select the appropriate organization from the list and click "Save".

Your selected organization will also display in the Kroger Community Rewards section of your account. If you need to review or revisit your organization, you can always do so under your Account details.

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Any transactions moving forward using the Shopper's Card number associated with your digital account will be applied to the program, at no added cost to you. Kroger donates annually to participating organizations based on your percentage of spending as it relates to the total spending associated with all participating Kroger Community Rewards organizations.