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"IT IS NOBLER TO SERVE THAN TO BE SERVED"

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Greetings to everyone once again. We hope this monthly edition finds everyone as excited as I am to get outside again and enthusiastically preparing for a great summer season this year, as we begin to see the "light at the end of the tunnel" (as some say) referencing to all that we have endured during on-going COVID-19 pandemic restrictions and the ensuing confusion we all have been experiencing lately with regard to all the mixed signals, messages and vague guidance being disputed.

Not unlike what we are all experiencing in our personal lives, so are we all busy trying to place in perspective the added annual stress of once again entering another final MOWW Operating Year (OY) national awards package preparations, tending to tight deadlines from corporate, coping with due reports, and trying to survive another busy national convention planning registration process. On top of all that going on, leadership positions across the board are busy doing "double duty" compiling two OYs worth of organizational data compressed into what would normally be a single OY's worth of administrative work this year. In summary, COVID-19 challenges continue to haunt us all, even as we rush to escape it's looming shadow during our last month and closure of our seasonal OY efforts. Go figure!

In this month's edition we continue with our coverage of our busiest activity season activities yet, even though at first glance one would think that having spent most of the last OY in the doldrums activity-wise and the entire current OY investing in ways to get around COVID-19 ongoing limitations, "getting over the hump" as we start winding down our seasonal operations heading into the summer season has only added more stress for some. Not the case for our Santa Cruz Valley Chapter seasonal operations. As displayed on this edition cover page in our *Monthly Schedule Bulletin Board* activities listing, we are barely able to fit most of our covered monthly activity commitments – having to defer the rest of the monthly listing for the follow-on edition. Our *Calendar* page also is getting a bit crowded with all the listed events and activities our Chapter is supporting showing YELLOW versus ORANGE cancellation status. That said our *Calendar* also shows that we have pretty much returned to a fully robust monthly support operation once again. Which is very welcomed news.

We also want everyone to pay particular attention to our *MOWW National Convention Event Flyer* page, which also contains an active link that will take you to the actual www.MOWW.org National Convention online page in the national website where you can find out more details about this year's convention program in August, how to register for the convention, and who to contact for hotel reservations. For our online readership (who receive our monthly newsletter publication via electronic email attachment) just place your computer mouse pointer arrowhead over the event flyer graphic and press the LEFT mouse button once. Having had every fellow companion tolerate over a year's worth of individual isolation and on-going pandemic uncertainty woes, it is our sincerest hope that everyone will take a serious closer look at part-taking in this year's convention camaraderie activities and joining the rest of us at our "post-pandemic" (in certain terms) national convention venue from 4-7 August this year in Detroit, Michigan. For those who cannot make the trip, we will certainly find a way to keep you all posted as to convention event happenings and keep you all updated on corporate matters.

As this edition will be the last for the out-going OY2020 activity season, we wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped make this season a very fruitful and exceptional one for our Chapter. As always the Santa Cruz Valley Chapter is forever grateful and in everyone's eternal debt for the confidence and continued support of our local community support operations. In parting, until the OY2021 activity season kicks in on 1 JULY, don't forget to visit our Region XIII website at: www.MOWWSCV.com and our online Facebook social media page at: www.facebook.com/MOWWSCV/. Until next month, have a wonderful and blessed summer season and don't forget the sunscreen!

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Apr 14th – Tucson VAC Monthly VCC Mtg., Virtual, AZ - 6PM
 Apr 15th – ALOV Post 132 Monthly Mtg, Oro Valley, AZ - 6:30PM
 Apr 17th – MIAP Bi-Annual AVMC Ceremony, Marana, AZ - 10AM
 Apr 20th – MGM Chapter Monthly VCC Mtg., Virtual, AZ - 6PM
 Apr 22nd – UAP (3) ROTC/JROTC Coordination Support Program
 Apr 23rd – RRHS JROTC Awards Program, Rio Rico, AZ - 6PM
 Apr 24th – DV Chapter Monthly VCC Mtg., Virtual, AZ - 9AM
 Apr 24th – CS Chapter Monthly VCC Mtg., Virtual, AZ - 9:45AM
 Apr 27th – UAP (1) ROTC/JROTC Coordination Support Program
 Apr 28th – UAP (1) ROTC/JROTC Coordination Support Program
 Apr 28th – SHS JROTC Awards Program, Sahuarita, AZ - 8AM
 Apr 30th – MOWW IPC VCC Monthly Staff Mtg, Virtual, AZ - 11AM
 May 01st – UAV Monthly (VCC) Meeting, Virtual, AZ - 11AM

NEXT QTR SCV CHAPTER MTG: 4th QTR**MEETING****LOCALE:** Virtual Online Video Conference Call Session Event**DATE:** 26 JUN (VCC event format due to COVID-19 restrictions)**EVENT:** SCV Chapter QTR-4 VCC Meeting - 11AM**ATTIRE:** Guest - Casual / Members - MOWW Meeting Attire**PROGRAM:** "4th QTR Chapter Meeting & Staff Event"**GUEST:** *Companion Staff Meeting & Chapter Business*

NOTE: "Local Chapter meetings are programmed on a quarterly basis (one quarterly meeting every 3-month interval on the 4th Saturday of the designated month), except when special events supersede activities"

PRESS THE LINK BOX ON THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER TO GO TO THE ZOOM MEETING SESSION

Submit comments to marlon.ruiz@earthlink.net or call (520) 780-7107 and leave a message

LOCAL YOUTH PROGRAM ACTIVITIES



Contact the Santa Cruz Valley Chapter and your local district youth leadership development organizations today for a complete listing of scheduled activities in your local community and surrounding areas.

PROGRAM ACCOLADES:



Our congratulations and accolades “shout out” goes out this month to our fellow MOWW companion in the Catalina Mountains Chapter in east Tucson. Congratulations for being the first local MOWW Chapter to host a successful Hybrid Chapter meeting in southern Arizona. The Chapter hosted their first Hybrid meeting which combined both elements of a conventional “face-to-face” luncheon meeting at the Commander Jean’s home and also provided a live ZOOM streaming feed online. The Chapter also provided a guest speaker that briefly spoke about his Cold War experiences and sparked further discussion among the nine fellow companions who attended the Chapter working luncheon event.

PROGRAM CONTACTS:

ARMY EXPLORERS Events – For an update on local Tucson Army Explorer activities and information please contact Joel Gaines at <http://armyexplor.com/> or call (520) 305-9181

ALL ACTIVITIES CANCELED DUE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC

CBP EXPLORERS Events – For an update on local Nogales Station Custom & Border Patrol Explorer activities and information please contact Border Patrol Agent Lenny Queriapa at lenny.queriapa@cbp.dhs.gov

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AJROTC Events – For an update on local Rio Rico HS Army JROTC activities and information please contact LTC Ronnie St. Clair at rstclair@scv35.org Program Website – <https://sites.google.com/site/jrotcrriorico/>

14 JUN Color detail - Green Valley Elks Club Flag Day, Green Valley, AZ

NJROTC Events – For an update on local Sahuarita HS Navy JROTC activities and information please contact Commander Bradley Roberson, USN (ret.) at broberson@sahuarita.K12.az.us

1-2 JUN NJROTC Leadership Academy - Independence HS, AZ

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May 2021						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
30	31 WOW Weekly VCC Meeting					1 UAV Monthly VCC
2	3 WOW Weekly VCC Meeting	4 SAVAHCS VCC	5	6	7 UAP (2) EVENT	8 CM Chap Luncheon
9 Mother's Day	10 WOW Weekly VCC Meeting	11	12 R-13 VAC VCC Mtg	13	14	15
16	17 WOW Weekly VCC Meeting	18 MGM Chapter VCC	19	20 ALOV Post 132 Mtg	21	22 SCV Chap BLOCK
23	24 WOW Weekly VCC Meeting	25	26	27	28	29

June 2021						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1 SAVAHCS VCC	2	3	4	5 UAV Monthly VCC
6	7 WOW Weekly VCC Meeting	8	9 VAC Monthly VCC	10	11	12
13	14 WOW Weekly VCC Meeting	15 MGM Chapter VCC	16	17 ALOV Post 132 Mtg	18	19 R-13 SPRING MBM
20 Summer Solstice	21 WOW Weekly VCC Meeting	MOWW - ROCKY MOUNTAIN YLC				26 SCV Chapter VCC
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People who are fully vaccinated can start to do some things they stopped doing because of the pandemic.

Travel and COVID-19
New guidance on how fully vaccinated people can safely travel.

Religious Holidays
Gather virtually, with people who live with you, or outside and at least 6 feet apart from others.

Outbreaks

- Cashew Brie - Salmonella Infections
- Ground Turkey - Salmonella Infections
- Wild Songbirds - Salmonella Infections
- Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

[More Outbreaks](#)

News

- MAY 06** New CDC Campaign Highlights Steps to Prevent Injury in Adults Ages 65 and Over
- MAY 05** CDC Issues Phases 2B and 3 of the Conditional Sailing Order
- MAY 03** CDC Principal Deputy Director Named 2021 Service to America Medal

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FEATURED VETERAN PROGRAM



**The Jerry Ambrose Veterans Council
of Mohave County, Inc.**
and the
Regional Center for Border Health, Inc.
invite you to the

LA PAZ VETERANS STAND DOWN

Saturday, May 15th, 2021 ★ 9 AM-2 PM

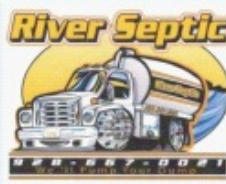
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Our Chapter needs your help and involvement today! Consider taking a more active roll in your Chapter activities by donating, sponsoring, mentoring, and volunteering your time and services today. There is a standing invitation to each and every Chapter member every month to attend local Chapter meetings, luncheons and/or event gatherings. Help your Chapter companions keep the vision and ideal of helping others alive by showing your pride, solidarity and support for what you and the MOWW stand for in your community.

COMPANION CORNER

Companion Membership Anniversaries

Our Chapter congratulates and remembers our past the following companions for their continued support and organizational loyalty. We also remember all those companions who will also be honored after their passing in perpetuity.

May Anniversaries:

- **Virgil P. Compton**, Perpetual Membership (34 years)
- **Maxine X. Guy**, Perpetual Membership (36 years)
- **Vernon P. Harms**, Perpetual Membership (19 years)
- **Lloyd R. Logan**, Perpetual Membership (42 years)
- **George A. Post**, Perpetual Membership (35 years)
- **William R. Sterling**, Perpetual Membership (17 years)

June Anniversaries:

- **Guy A. Bake**, Perpetual Membership (18 years)
- **Louis A. Chaboya**, Perpetual Membership (16 years)
- **Duvi R. Frantz**, Hereditary Perpetual Membership (5 years)
- **James R. Frantz**, Regular Membership (5 years)
- **Hazel E. Larimore**, Hereditary Perpetual Membership (32 years)
- **E. S. Olsen**, Perpetual Membership (36 years)
- **Robert R. Ozier**, Perpetual Membership (36 years)
- **Harry O. Reuse**, Perpetual Membership (36 years)
- **Richard L. Simpson**, Perpetual Membership (9 years)
- **Claudia L. St. Clair**, Hereditary Perpetual Membership (4 year)
- **Charles A. Ulery**, Perpetual Membership (40 years)
- **Maurice W. Wiley**, Perpetual Membership (41 years)

Companion Birthday Celebrations

Our Chapter remembers and sends a “shout out” to all those fellow companions celebrating a “Happy Birthday” or being remembered on their birth date.

May Birthdays:

- **Joseph S. Bean**, Perpetual Membership (remembered on the twenty-seventh of the month)
- **Benjamin P. Coppock**, Perpetual Membership (remembered on the second of the month)
- **William A. Gill**, Perpetual Membership (remembered on the first of the month)
- **Jay A. Hess**, Regular Membership (celebrated on the ninth of the month)
- **Ann S. Hollis**, Regular Membership (celebrated on the twenty-eighth of the month)
- **Simran Patil**, Perpetual Membership (celebrated on the twenty-seventh of the month)
- **Hazel E. Larimore**, Hereditary Perpetual Membership (remembered on the fifteenth of the month)
- **George A. Post**, Perpetual Membership (remembered on the twelfth of the month)

June Birthdays:

- **Richard D. Clifton**, Perpetual Membership (celebrated on the fourth of the month)
- **Robert W. Dalrymple**, Perpetual Membership (remembered on the tenth of the month)
- **Theorore J. Dreveniak**, Perpetual Membership (remembered on the second of the month)
- **David Fagergren**, Perpetual Membership (celebrated on the fifth of the month)
- **Erik Fagergren**, Perpetual Membership (celebrated on the twenty-first of the month)
- **Donald S. Hopkins**, Perpetual Membership (remembered on the twenty-second of the month)
- **Richard C. Leander, Jr.**, Hereditary Perpetual Membership (remembered on the twenty-sixth of the month)
- **Marlon Ruiz**, Perpetual Membership (celebrated on the fifteenth of the month)
- **Francisco J. Trejo**, Regular Membership (celebrated on the thirtieth of the month)

CHAPTER-IN-ACTION



CM Chapter Monthly VCC Meeting - 10 Apr 2021

The Catalina Mountains Chapter hosted its monthly video conference call ZOOM meeting on Saturday, 19 April starting at 1PM. Participating in the online meeting was the Region XIII Commander, Pat Stolze. The Chapter meeting reviewed Regional, Department and Chapter news updates. Each participating fellow companions was asked to share some of their military career background and experiences. The Santa Cruz Valley Chapter is proud to be a contributing Chapter in support of fellow Chapter activities throughout the year.



Region-13 QTR-4 Staff VCC Meeting - 14 Apr 2021

The Region XIII commander called for and hosted a fourth quarter impromptu staff meeting to discuss the need and development to produce a supplemental Region XIII Budget Planning Document to compliment the recently rewritten Region XIII Bylaws. The budget plan is to delineate how regional acquired funds are to be used and distributed - as regional projects requiring annual funding have surfaced requiring the review of expenditures and the need for further operational guidelines. Regional officers continue discussions.



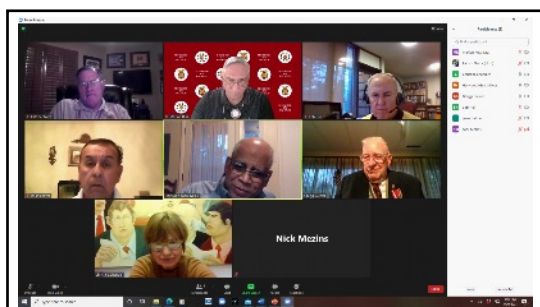
VAC Monthly VCC Meeting - 14 Apr 2021

The City of Tucson Veterans Affairs Committee held its monthly online video conference call meeting session on Wednesday the 14th of April. The meeting started at 6PM and provided reports on the Southern Arizona Veterans Affairs Health Care System, the Arizona Veterans Memorial Cemetery, and the Arizona Department of Veteran Services. The meeting was attended by 19 local veteran service organization representatives who also weighed in on particular discussion topics of interest to the city and their organizations.



ALOV Post 132 Monthly Meeting - 15 Apr 2021

The American Legion Post 132 of Oro Valley, Arizona hosted its second consecutive conventional (in-person monthly Chapter meeting, since having ceased all meeting activities in March of 2020. Although the attendee numbers continue to be low, the Post briefed a full schedule of community support activities for 2021, to include hosting the 2021 American Legion National Convention in Tucson this year. The Santa Cruz Valley Chapter continues to support this partnered veteran organization and looks forward to more activities.



MGM Chapter Monthly VCC Meeting - 20 Apr 2021

On the 20th of April, the Santa Cruz Valley Chapter provided fellow Chapter online meeting support to the MG Miles Chapter in Los Alamos, New Mexico. Chapter meetings are usually scheduled every third Tuesday of each month and has the best invited speaker program in Region XIII. Speaker topic has ranged from veteran service experiences, to the latest concerns from the scientific community in Los Alamos. We are extremely proud of our continued Chapter support services towards our fellow Chapter community.



RRHS AROTC Awards Ceremony - 23 Apr 2021

The Rio Rico High School Army JROTC program held its first conventional "on-site" annual Awards Ceremony since the COVID-19 pandemic began in March of 2020. Luckily the RRHS AJROTC program was hosted early enough last year that planning efforts were not disrupted between school academic years. Our Chapter awarded over 50 certificates, award citations and medal/ribbon packages this year. We are very grateful for the support and collaboration this program provides the Santa Cruz Valley Chapter each operating year.

FEATURED COMMUNITY EVENT



VA |  **U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs**
Veterans Health Administration
Northern Arizona VA Health Care System

Community Clergy Virtual Training

May 11 from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
May 12 from 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

If you are interested in attending, please contact Chaplain Christian at 928-445-4860 ext. 6055.

You can also email Peter.Christian@va.gov



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We thank United Arizona Veterans, Board Member and fellow MOWW companion *Mrs. Carol McKnight*, for providing this public veteran service organization event announcement flyer in support of such a great community support cause. Carol is a retired US Air Force Lieutenant Colonel and is also an active member of the Colonel Billie L. Stephens - Apache Trail Chapter in Mesa, AZ. Carol McKnight also serves as the local MOWW primary liaison representative with the United Arizona Veterans non-profit organization and is also a former MOWW Staff Officer, having served as the Department of Arizona commander for two years and currently as the senior vice commander of her MOWW Chapter. We welcome her contributions in service of all our five MOWW Arizona Chapters throughout the state, as she keeps us all attuned to key military veteran initiatives and legislation occurring at the state capitol and many other issues of interest within the veteran service community.

JUNE IN HISTORY

June 1

Birthday - Founder of Utah and patriarch of the Mormon church Brigham Young (1801-1877) was born in Whittingham, Vermont. Called the "American Moses," he led thousands of religious followers across the wilderness to settle over 300 towns in the West, including Salt Lake City, Utah.

Birthday - Marilyn Monroe (1926-1962) was born in Los Angeles (as Norma Jean Mortensen). Following an unstable childhood spent in foster homes and orphanages, she landed a job as a photographer's model which led to a movie career. She later married baseball legend Joe DiMaggio. Beneath her glamorous movie star looks she was fragile and insecure and eventually succumbed to the pressures of Hollywood life. She died in Los Angeles from an overdose of sleeping pills on August 5, 1962. Best known for *Gentlemen Prefer Blondes* (1953), *The Seven Year Itch* (1955), *Bus Stop* (1956), *Some Like It Hot* (1959), and *The Misfits* (1961).

June 2

Birthday - Marquis de Sade (1740-1814) was born in Paris. He was a military leader, governor-general, and author, whose acts of extreme cruelty and violence resulted in the term *sadism* being created from his name to describe gratification in inflicting pain.

June 3

June 3, 1937 - The Duke of Windsor married Wallis Warfield Simpson in Monts, France. As King Edward VIII, he had abdicated the British throne in December of 1936 amid tremendous controversy to marry Simpson, an American who had been divorced. Following the wedding, the couple lived in France and had minimal contact with the British Royal family. The Duke died in Paris on May 28, 1972, and was buried near Windsor Castle in England.

June 3, 1972 - Sally Jan Priesand was ordained a rabbi thus becoming the first woman rabbi in the U.S. She then became an assistant rabbi at the Stephen Wise Free Synagogue in New York City.

June 3, 1989 - Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, leader of the Islamic Revolution in Iran, died. On February 1, 1979, after 15 years in exile, he had staged a triumphant return to Iran which led to the downfall of the Shah. Khomeini then reorganized the government on Islamic principles. On November 11, 1979, a group of students loyal to Khomeini seized 66 hostages in the American Embassy in Teheran after the former Shah had entered the U.S. for medical treatment. Thus began an international political crisis lasting until January 20, 1981, when they were released.

Birthday - Confederate president Jefferson Davis (1808-1889) was born at Todd County, Kentucky. After the Southern states formed the Confederacy in 1861, he hoped to be named commander of the Confederate military forces but was instead chosen to be president, serving until 1865. Following the Civil War, he was imprisoned but never brought to trial. He died at age 81 in New Orleans.

June 4

June 4, 1944 - During World War II in Europe, Rome was liberated by the U.S. 5th Army, led by General Mark Clark. Rome had been declared an open city by German Field Marshal Albert Kesselring amid Allied concerns the Germans might stage a Stalingrad-style defense that would devastate the historic 'Eternal' city.

June 4, 1972 - An express train packed with more than 600 people rammed into a stalled train at full speed in the main station of Jessore, Bangladesh, killing 76 and injuring over 500 persons.

June 4, 1989 - The Chinese government ordered its troops to open fire on unarmed protesters in Tiananmen Square in Beijing. The protest had started on April 16 as about 1,000 students marched to mourn the death of Hu Yaobang, a pro-reform leader within the Chinese government. Despite government warnings, pro-reform and pro-democracy demonstrations continued for a month drawing ever-larger crowds of young people, eventually totaling over a million persons. On May 13, three thousand students began an eight-day hunger strike. The government imposed martial law on May 20 and brought in troops. On June 2, in their first clash with the People's Army, demonstrators turned back an advance of unarmed troops. However, in the pre-dawn hours of June 4, the People's Army, using tanks, machine-guns, clubs and tear gas, opened fire on the unarmed protesters. Armored personnel carriers then rolled into the square crushing students still sleeping in their tents. The Chinese government later claimed only 300 died in the attack. U.S. estimates put the toll at over 3,000. Following the massacre, over 1,600 demonstrators were rounded up and jailed, with 27 being executed.

Birthday - King George III (1738-1820) was born. He ruled England for 60 years from 1760 to 1820 and was the British King against whom the American Revolution was directed.

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June 5, 1783 - The first sustained flight occurred as a hot-air balloon was launched at Annonay, France, by brothers Joseph and Jacques Montgolfier. Their 33-foot-diameter globe aerostatique ascended about 6,000 feet. In September, they repeated the experiment for King Louis XVI, using a sheep, rooster and duck as the balloon's passengers.

Geo Challenge Trivia

Test your knowledge of geography with these Geo Challenge trivia questions.

Which continent is crossed by both the Tropic of Cancer and the Tropic of Capricorn?

For the answer to this riddle or question go online to <http://www.geomidpoint.com/challenge.html>

FEATURED COMMUNITY PROGRAM



May 19
11TH ANNUAL
VA2K
2021
10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Flagpole Circle

**A 2K WALK & ROLL
TO SUPPORT HOMELESS
VETERANS & PROMOTE
HEALTH AND WELLNESS**

POC is Jessica Folts at ext. 6454.

**COME ON OUT AND
TAKE A STROLL WITH US.**



We thank United Arizona Veterans, Board of Directors - Secretary Officer *Mrs. Carol Culberson*, for providing this public veteran service organization event announcement flyer in support of such a great community support cause. Carol is a retired Navy Captain, Reserve Intelligence, in 2003, with 36 years of service. Civil Service employee for 33 years with the US Navy in Japan, US Army in Kansas, Forest Service and Internal Revenue Service in California, Arizona and Colorado. She provides business training programs to working women, and educational history programs open to the public. She is a leader in Federally Employed Women, Retired Federal Employees, Naval Reserve Association, Cactus WAVES, and Naval Order of the U.S. She is also active in Big Brothers, Big Sisters and Cross Roads Methodist Church. As a Big Sister, Carol has mentored three young women. As Church Team Leader, she serves meals to the homeless in Phoenix.

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Why MOWW?

Is National Security a concern of yours? Is it important to you, for everyone living in America to understand how this Country was founded and the great history it has to tell? Do you believe that our young people need a chance to learn and experience leadership and civics? Do you feel that it is important that every citizen get a chance to not only meet, but ask questions of community, military, and business leaders? Are you concerned that the youth of America do not know how to honor our Flag or understand and respect our democratic principles? Do you agree that "Freedom is not free"?

If you answered YES to any of these questions, you are in good company, because the members of the Military Order of the World Wars (MOWW) say YES to all of them. Some of you might even say, "I want to become involved, how do I join, how do I help?"

Well, there are several ways you can help—the main way is to join the Order, if eligible. Consider supporting the Order by contributing financially to its efforts if you are not eligible to join.

If you have questions regarding MOWW membership, or how to financially contribute to the Order, contact MOWW National Headquarters, or a Chapter in your local area. See MOWW web site for membership application form or to review Chapter locations at www.militaryorder.net

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