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The Military Order of the World Wars ~ Phoenix Pacesetter Chapter



Save the Date!

2-7 AUGUST 2022 MOWW NATIONAL CONVENTION

The 2022 MOWW National Convention will be held in Jacksonville, FL from 2-7 August 2022 at the Southbank Hotel/Marriot Delta on the Jacksonville Riverwalk, Jacksonville, FL.

Further details will be coming soon; so, keep an eye out for updated information as it is published on the moww.org [CONVENTION 2022](http://moww.org/CONVENTION2022) webpage.



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Commander's Time



Dear Companions, families and friends;

We are excited to be able to provide an opportunity to meet face to face on 18 DEC at our home at 8300 E Dixileta DR, #276 Scottsdale, AZ 85266 beginning at Noon. Those of you who have used that entrance before, you can go ahead and call in from the box there. However, if you have any problems you need to go to the front gate along with all others. For all others that Entrance gate address is 30600 N. Pima Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85266. Coming from the south on Pima you will cross Dynamite, Dixileta and then be prepared to turn left into Sincuidados! The Gate Host will provide you a map to our home. Any problems call us at 480-595-8089, our home phone. If you have any further problems, please call on Debbie's Cell at 480-209-8943.

There will be a short Chapter meeting prior to our festivities, primarily for presenting awards to those that have supported us over the past year and congratulate them in public. We do appreciate you for your support in these COVID troubling times. In that regard, you may want to bring a mask to wear, if you desire. We will also have our standard music from the Mahar Family who has entertained us for many years. Chris and Pearl the parents have been quite supportive over these many years. Pearl, the oldest Mahar daughter, led the way after being the first delegate to AZYLC. The most recent news is this: Pearl has given birth to another Pearl, this past week! Congratulations to the family! The other two children, also previous delegates, are an integral part of this entertainment. Alyssa is married, and brother Jared just graduated from Basic Training in the U.S. Army and is home for the holidays. The will be playing for us as well! ~ Go Army, Beat all other Military Service Academies! ~ We will also conduct a raffle during our Holiday gathering to help pay for future delegates from our chapter to attend the 2022 AZYLC. As in the past, we will hold an Education Raffle of donated wine and candies provided by our Senior Vice, and there will be an optional gift exchange, or gift donation if you would like to be included in the raffle.

I forgot to mention in our NOV 2021 Bulletin, that I represented our Phoenix Chapter at the Catalina Mountain Chapter's MOC held in Tucson on 7 NOV 2021. I was honored to be able to join with our sister Chapter's leadership, Companions, and friends for this Massing (see photo to right). Of course we covered our 11 NOV 2021 Veteran's Day activities in our last publication; however, the month of NOV activities would not have been complete without me reporting on our participation in the AUSA's 32nd JROTC Armed Forces Career Officers Day held at McCormick Ranch in Scottsdale on 23 NOV 2021.



Catalina Mountain MOC held in Tucson

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Commander's Time continued

Armed Career Officers Day (AFCOD) was established in 1988, when COL (R) Pat Patterson, a veteran of Korea and Vietnam, Director of Army Instruction for the Phoenix Union HS District, and member of the Phoenix Chamber of Commerce's Military Affairs Committee (MAC), took up a manning challenge made by RADM Rick Cueroni, the then Coast Guard Academy's Superintendent. In a broad-ranging speech about the difficulties of supporting the manning levels to meet the Services' needs, RADM Cueroni urged the (then) MAC members to help facilitate recruiting efforts that would encourage quality young men and women to become officers in the Armed Forces. Only once in its history, has this event not been held; that was in 2020 due to the world-wide COVID-19 pandemic. I have been fortunate to have been involved with this event over the many years since its inception.

Despite continued pandemic concerns and safety challenges, AFCOD 2021 was held partially out-doors and in-person. We saw the attendance of almost 200 JROTC Cadets and their Instructors from the Phoenix Union HS District JROTC Program. The cadets were afforded the opportunity to visit with all the available commissioning sources and were treated to a traditional Thanksgiving lunch accompanied by current Active Duty junior offers who spoke on their career paths to commissioning. Our Senior Vice Commander, Jeanne Blaes, is the President of the AZ Territorial Chapter of AUSA, host to this event. She, along with several other members of our Chapter (Susan Farrell, Angie Boucher, Ray Boucher and Vic Connor) helped to organize and conducted this opportunity. Debbie and I were able to have our Story Boards for AZYLC and the Massing of the Colors displayed on a table, and we briefed a lot of young cadets hoping that they may join us at our MOWW AZYLC 2022 scheduled for 2-9 JUL 2022 at ASU West. In addition, Debbie and I hosted a table ([AFCOD Photo LINK](#)) which included CPT Steven Fife, Senior Army Instructor (Chapter member) and 5 of his Cadets from Caesar Chavez HS for lunch! We also met with another Chapter member, MAJ Kirk Loving, who is also a SAI (Senior Army Instructor) at Fairfax HS and he brought 5 of his cadets.



On 7 DEC 2021 we will be participating in two Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day ceremonies. The first ceremony will be a Massing of the Colors by the Apache Trail Chapter MOWW, and we will be represented with our Chapter flag. Then we will go down to Wesley Bolin Plaza for the State of Arizona's observance of Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day with all the other military organizations and lay our Phoenix Chapter Wreath. Hopefully you made arrangements to attend both of these!!!

Debbie and I wish you the best of holidays from Hannukah, to Christmas, to Kwanza, and whatever you and your families celebrate. Enjoy these days and your loved ones to the fullest! We look forward to your participation in our Meeting and Christmas Party on the 18th!!!!

Richard "Dick" Minor, Chapter CDR



18 December 2021 - Staff Meeting/Potluck



Note: Chapter meetings are held quarterly, on the 4th Saturday of the month

DATE: December 18, 2021

MEETING & CHRISTMAS POTLUCK: begins at 1 PM ~ All are welcome to attend! Families and Friends are invited!

WHERE: Dick & Debbie's Home, located at 8300 E. Dixileta Drive #276, Scottsdale, AZ 85266

MENU: Like last year, this will be a potluck with the Minor's providing a featured meat; wine and beer will also be available, but hard liquor will be BYO. All other dishes will be potluck and you should bring your favorite dish. Please note that you will

need to let Debbie know in advance what you are bringing, in general terms, just to be sure we are close to balanced between salads, vegetables, deserts, etc.

NOTE: There will be an optional Christmas gift exchange, in addition to an Education Raffle of Spirits and chocolates; donations are welcome!





VOLUNTEERS: HELP WANTED! Will you make a time commitment and volunteer to help our Chapter fill the many vacancies that we have in our Staff and Chair positions? Several of the following positions have been vacant for over a year! *Please, won't you help?*

* **CHAPLAIN** Someone who is supportive & serving; current or former civilian cleric or military Chaplain or a lay representative **(this is a critical staff position)**

* **STAFF JAG** A current or former civil or military Attorney; someone with a background in legal affairs **(this is a critical staff position)**

* **HISTORIAN** Someone to capture the history of the Chapter in publications, photos, documents, etc.

* **COMMITTEE CHAIRS:** VETERANS AFFAIRS, MONUMENTS & MEMORIALS, NATIONAL/HOMELAND SECURITY and LAW & ORDER

Program Reports

VETERANS AFFAIRS PROGRAM : (Jeanne J. Blaes, PhD) Committee Chair Vacant

⇒ 07 DEC 2021: 7 am; Apache Trail Chapter MOWW MOC, Marcos de Niza HS, Tempe, AZ

⇒ 07 DEC 2021, 10:30 am; Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day, WBP, Phoenix

⇒ 10-11 FEB 2022; 2022 Maricopa County StandDown, Arizona Veterans Memorial Coliseum, Phoenix, AZ

⇒ 01 APR 2022, 11 am; AZVHOF Patriotic Awards Luncheon, Hilton Doubletree Scottsdale, Scottsdale, AZ

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, many veterans events have been cancelled or rescheduled. You can find more local veterans events and news published on the Unified Arizona Veterans Facebook page located at the following link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/unifiedarizonaveterans/>

⇒ For additional opportunities contact Jeanne Blaes (blaesjj@gmail.com)

PATRIOTIC EDUCATION PROGRAM:

ARIZONA YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE (AZYLC) 2022 - Dick Minor, Special Assistant to the Director

As you know, even though the AZYLC Planning Committee had explored several new ways to conduct a YLC and/or a Chapter Youth Leadership Seminar (YLS) in a pandemic environment, we were not successful in holding an event during the 2020 or 2021 operating year. Presently we are negotiating with ASU West to hold our AZYLC 2022 on their campus and are hoping to lock in the dates of 5-9 JUL 2022 for the event. Please check the www.azylic.org website and AZYLC Facebook site, periodically, for information on upcoming AZYLC 2022 plans. Let Jeff or Dick know if you have any thoughts or questions on AZYLC 2022.

Our AZYLC curriculum goals continue to be:

★ 50% Leadership, 30% Patriotism, US Government (Constitution) and US History and 20% Free Enterprise ★

SCOUTING PROGRAM:



Girl Scouts®

GIRL SCOUTS: Debbie Kerr-Minor & **BOY SCOUTS:** Jeanne J. Blaes, PhD

Did you know that the GSA-AZ Cactus & Pine Council (GSACPC) has been participating in virtual Girl Scouting, and as of 29 SEP 21 has implemented steps to resume important social emotional and life-enriching activities? In JAN 22, the GSACPC will begin their annual Girl Scout Cookie drives so be on the look out for these special boxes of yummy.



The Grand Canyon Council-BSA has also been conducting meetings virtually during the pandemic, and is in the process of opening to more in-person events. Our Chapter representative anticipate engaging in more activities with both GSACPC and BSA/Scouts BSA troops in the near future.



AZ LEGISLATIVE UPDATE: The AZ State 55th Legislature 1st Regular Session began on Monday, 11 JAN 2021 and adjourned Sine Die on 30 JUN 2021; In 2022, the legislature is scheduled to convene on 10 JAN 2022, and adjourn on 13 MAY 2022. An AZ Veterans Caucus was held on 17 NOV 2021 with Rep. Richard Andrade and Rep. Walter Blackman in attendance via Zoom.

Past / Upcoming AZ Bills can be found at: <https://legiscan.com/AZ> The AZ Legislative calendar can be viewed at <https://www.azleg.gov/>. ADVS Military and Veterans Legislative updates for the 2021 session that ended in JUN 2021 can be found at <https://dvs.az.gov/legislative-updates>

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MONUMENTS & MEMORIALS: (Jeanne J. Blaes, PhD) Committee Chair Vacant



Wesley Bolin Plaza was established by the Arizona Legislature on 9 MAR 1978. It was named for Governor Wesley Bolin, who had died five days previously. The site was part of the Legislative Governmental Mall. The entire Mall is often referred to as "The Plaza".

Much like the National Mall on which it is loosely based, the Legislative Governmental Mall is intended as an open-air public space with monuments, memorials and gardens. Some of these monuments were erected before the plaza itself, such as the monument to the USS *Arizona*, dedicated on 7 DEC 1976. The plaza's location in front of the state capitol has made it a meeting place and a focal point for gatherings. The plaza is home to 30 memorials to

individuals, organizations, and events. Among the memorials is one dedicated to the 158th Infantry Regiment, the state's oldest National Guard unit; it is based on a captured Japanese monument in the Philippines. Another includes the mast, anchor, and a 14-inch (360mm) gun of the battleship USS *Arizona*. Other memorials commemorate WWI, WWII, the Vietnam War, the Korean War and Desert Storm. A monument to the U.S. Bill of Rights is said to be the first erected to that purpose.

The memorial "Guns to Salute the Fallen," dedicated in 2013 at Wesley Bolin Memorial Plaza at the Arizona State Capitol, honors the service members at Pearl Harbor and all WWII veterans. The nation's entry into WWII began with the attack on Pearl Harbor and ended in Tokyo Bay. Two battleships, the USS *Arizona* and USS *Missouri*, are indelibly linked to each event. Architect Rich Pawelko designed the privately funded memorial using artifacts from these ships.

Two large naval guns were placed near the USS *Arizona*'s anchor and mast, which were previously on display in the plaza. One was used on the USS *Arizona*, a 30,000-ton battleship commissioned in 1916 and sunk at Pearl Harbor. The second was used on the USS *Missouri*, a 57,000-ton battleship commissioned in 1944, on whose deck the Japanese surrendered on 2 SEP 1945. The gun barrels are 405 inches apart, with each inch representing 1,000 American lives lost in WWII. Between the gun barrels are nine blue steel pillars that represent the nine minutes it took the USS *Arizona* to sink. The pillars emerge from the ground and bow out of the top, like the hull of a ship. Stainless steel nameplates hang on the sides of the pillars, one for each of the 1,902 Arizonans who were killed in the war.

This year, as on every other year, Arizona veterans and citizens will join with others across the nation to conduct National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day activities that commemorate the 80th anniversary of Japan's surprise attack on Hawaii on 7 DEC 1941. On 7 DEC 2021, we will honor those Americans who perished during that attack at the WWII Memorial at Wesley Bolin Plaza with testaments of heroism and sacrifices, the laying of wreaths, playing of patriotic music, a 21 gun salute, taps, and with an historic aircraft flyover. All are invited to attend. Please find an invite to this event at the following [LINK](#).

NATIONAL/HOMELAND SECURITY & LAW & ORDER: Vacant, Committee Chair



On 17 NOV 2021, Operation Allies Welcome (OAW) resettled the last group of Afghan nationals from Fort Lee, VA, the first of eight Department of Defense (DOD) installations established to temporarily house vulnerable Afghans, including those

who are Special Immigrant Visa (SIV) applicants. To date, more than 25,000 Afghan evacuees have been resettled in communities across our country. These resettlement efforts are led by the Department of State in close coordination with more than 200 local resettlement affiliates across the U.S.

DOD continues to provide temporary housing facilities for the remaining approximately 45,000 vulnerable Afghans who are in the process of completing their resettlement while at the following seven military installations: Camp Atterbury, IN; Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, NJ; Holloman Air Force Base, NM; Fort Bliss, TX; Fort Pickett, VA; Marine Corps Base Quantico, VA; and Fort McCoy, WI. While on these installations, Afghan evacuees have access to a range of services, including medical care and resettlement services, and they can apply for work authorization.

"Our Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen, Marines, and Guardians have given – and continue to give – steadfast support as part of Operation Allies Welcome," said U.S. Air Force Gen. Glen D. VanHerck, U.S. NORTHCOM

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commander. "Last summer, Fort Lee was the first of eight DOD installations to welcome Afghans as they underwent the resettlement process, and today the task force at Fort Lee is the first to bid farewell to the Afghans as they proceed on to their lives in America."

Prior to entering the US, Afghan evacuees must successfully complete a rigorous, multi-layered screening and vetting process that includes biometric and biographic screenings conducted by intelligence, law enforcement, and counterterrorism professionals from the DHS and DOD, FBI, NCTC, and other Intelligence Community partners. Afghan evacuees also receive critical vaccinations – which include measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR), varicella, polio, COVID-19, and others – as a condition of their humanitarian hosting.

Those who are interested in supporting the resettlement of vulnerable Afghans can go to www.welcome.us to learn more about how to get involved. Welcome.US is a national non-profit initiative to welcome and support Afghan nationals as they rebuild their lives in communities across America. Groups of individuals and community organizations can also apply to form a sponsor circle to directly support arriving Afghan evacuees. For more information on the Sponsor Circle Program and to learn how to apply to form a sponsor circle, visit www.sponsorcircles.org.



Extracted from an article posted at <https://www.dhs.gov/news/2021/11/17/operation-allies-welcome-announces-departure-and-resettlement-last-afghan-nationals#>

Chaplains Corner:

"For I know the plans I have for you,"
declares the Lord,
"plans to *prosper* you
and not to harm you,
plans to give you
hope and a *future*."
-Jeremiah 29:11



As we enter the winter months, the days grow short and the nights long. The wind bites with a chill and it may seem, to some, to be a season without hope. Yet there is ALWAYS hope so long as we have breath. This December there are two major religious celebrations centered around hope, which remind us that even amidst the darkness, the light of hope shines!

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jeremiah 29:11

On November 28, the Jewish people began the celebration of Hanukkah; it is known as the Festival of Lights. It commemorates the victory of the Maccabees, a small ragtag militia over the large and highly trained Syrian Greek army. The Maccabees had little reason for hope of victory, yet while the whole world seemed against them, they clung to their belief in God's faithfulness and fought off the

Syrian horde! Then, having to rebuild the Temple with only enough olive oil to light a single lamp for one night, the lamp remained lit throughout eight consecutive nights giving the Jewish people enough time to restore the temple. This wondrous event inspired the Jewish sages to proclaim a yearly eight-day festival where each night a candle is lit from a nine-branched menorah while reciting blessings before placing the menorah prominently in a window to remind others that there is always hope.

The second major religious celebration this month is Christmas in which Christians celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ on December 25. It is celebrated close to the winter solstice on December 21. This is when the days begin to get longer and brighter and the nights shorter, thus signifying the fulfillment of the long-awaited hope of a savior's entrance into the world. The sun rises higher in the sky giving light to the world; the birth of the Son of God giving the light of joy to our hearts. The celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ is a celebration of a hope fulfilled by the birth of a savior. It reminds Christians that even at our darkest moment there is always hope and that no darkness will ever overcome the light. It is a celebration of long-expected hope, fulfilled.

Hope. This season is all about it! Hope is the central facet of both Hanukkah and Christmas. As I said, the world seems dark. Natural disasters, the pandemic, financial strains, political unrest and humanitarian crisis' both here and abroad. But there is always hope and these two celebrations remind us of that.

Whatever faith tradition we hold dear, being a people of goodwill, may we remind each other there is always hope even in the darkest of times. The light of hope burns brightly for all to see. Wishing you all a Happy Hanukkah and a Merry Christmas!

Extracted from an article written by CHAP Capt. Matthew Gray, 169th Fighter Wing / Published 29 NOV 2018 found at <https://www.169fw.af.mil/News/Commentaries/Display/Article/1700273/december-chaplains-reflections/>

✚ **MEDIC'S CORNER: 13 Simple Wellness Health Tips You Might Not Know About**

Maintaining a healthy lifestyle is a challenge to all. With a full-time job and family responsibilities, it gets hard for people to focus on healthy living. Also, with an abundance of experts advice available, choosing the best one often gets confusing. We know how small things can sometimes make a big difference. Likewise, following a few simple and easy health tips could help you live a healthier and disease-free lifestyle. In this column, we'll discuss 13 simple wellness health tips that are backed by scientific evidence. Take a look and follow them for the better health of you and your family.



1. **Take Morning Sunlight.** Morning sunlight is a great source of vitamin D. This vitamin improves bone health, supports metabolism, prevents skin diseases and is also associated with the release of serotonin for good mental health.
2. **Walk Barefooted.** Walking barefooted is a natural therapy for all kinds of foot problems. It improves body balance, awareness and strength. Walking barefooted also strengthens your hips, knees and lower back region.
3. **Plan Your Day.** Planning your day helps you focus on important things without wasting time. The right plan for the day will improve your productivity as well as time management. It will add structure to your life and keep you energized.
4. **Do Exercise In The Morning.** The time of the day influences a lot on the results of exercises. When workouts are done in the morning, the circadian circle (body's biological clock) helps regulate many physiological functions compared to evening workouts. Also, exercises done in a fasted state in the morning is effective in reducing weight.
5. **Be Kind To Yourself.** Self-companionship and self-kindness have many psychological and health benefits. It helps in accepting and understanding oneself in challenging and difficult times. A study says that self-companionship along with mindfulness makes a person do things which are good for their health such as going for a jog and eating healthy.
6. **Laugh Out Loud.** A study has shown that laughter has a positive impact on both the psychological and physiological well-being of a person. It acts as an immunoenhancer and deals well with stress chemicals. Laughter has a strong effect on natural killer cells cytotoxicity.
7. **Learn Something New Everyday.** Learning new things every day helps to improve the quality of life. The ability to learn or acquire multiple skills helps with improving cognitive performance, mental ability, visual performance and other skills.
8. **Cultivate A Positive Mindset.** Positive psychology is the correct way of living a healthy and happy life. A study shows that a positive mindset is associated with good health in many ways. With a positive mind, the physical, mental and social well-being of a person gets connected which helps them live a healthy and long life.
9. **Set Small Goals.** Goals-setting and actions planning is a healthy lifestyle habit to promote good health. They are important for healthy ageing as they delay the onset of age-related diseases such as dementia, cognitive decline or physical disability. Setting small goals also promotes a healthy mind and body, especially in people over the age 50.
10. **Offer Help To The Needy.** Offering help to the needy is a great act of kindness. Be it a small donation or charity work or food distribution, the happiness or feeling of joy that comes with such acts cause a positive impact on our health. Kindness helps reduce stress which is good for the emotional well-being of a person.
11. **Maintain A Good Social Relationship.** Many studies show that a good social relationship is linked to the lower risk of mental health problems, especially depression. Social support reduces the mortality risk, is cost-effective as well as improves the well-being of a person.
12. **Give Time To Your Family And Friends.** Many studies suggest that spending time with your family and friends is vital for the mental health and well-being of a person. It reduces stress, encourages positive thoughts, improves mood and boosts other body functions. Spending time with family is also good for relationships.
13. **Practice Gratitude.** Gratitude is an act of thankfulness. In many studies, gratitude is linked to the sense of overall well-being. It is a great psychotherapy practice and the simplest techniques to improve mental health. Gratitude triggers positive feelings, builds strong relationships and improves overall health.

Extracted from an article written by Shivangi Karnon on 25 Sep 2020, 74 Simple Health Tips. Read more at: <https://www.boldsky.com/health/wellness/simple-health-tips-for-everyone/articlecontent-pf222918-134271.html>

The Military Order of the World Wars - The Phoenix Pacesetter Chapter

Membership

The Military Order of the World Wars (MOWW) founding resulted from General of the Armies John J. Pershing's request that his officers continue serving America after their active military service ended following World War I. Since MOWW's establishment in 1919, MOWW members ("Companions") have lived by the Military Order's motto: *"It is nobler to serve than to be served"*.

• MOWW **Outreach Programs** involve the local community, state and nation. They include :

Patriotic Education — ROTC & JROTC Programs — Scouting Program — Monuments & Memorials — National Security — Homeland Security — Law & Order — Veterans Affairs Program

• MOWW members receive the following award-winning **Publications**: the quarterly Officer Review; the Phoenix Pacesetter Chapter monthly Newsletter

• MOWW holds an **Annual Convention** where members convene to exchange ideas, honor selfless service, attend educational workshops and business sessions, and listen to guest speakers.

• **Monthly Luncheons**: The Chapter meets four times a year (SEP, DEC, MAR, JUN) on the fourth Saturday of the month. We will meet at a local restaurant

that is located somewhere close to where our members reside. Staff meetings are open to all members with Check-in/Set-up/Meetings starting at 11:00 am; Companion socializing and lunch begins at 11:30; sometimes items are raffled off at luncheon, with collected funds going to support our Patriotic Education Youth Programs; alternate fundraising is through a 50/50 raffle; guest speaker topics address any one of the Outreach Programs previously mentioned. ***Note COVID-19 impact: Zoom meetings, Social Distancing**

To Join: Potential members can complete a Membership Application or go to <http://www.moww.org/> and click on the "BECOME A MEMBER" tab at the top left of the screen. Just fill in the form; on the most recent version of the form you can use your **credit card** to pay!

Membership Categories:

- ★Regular (Annual) Membership @ \$40/year
- ★Regular Perpetual Membership @ 1 x \$350 or 4 x \$87.50 quarterly installments
- ★Veteran Regular (Annual) Membership @ \$40/year
- ★Hereditary (Annual) Membership @ \$40/year
- ★Memorial Perpetual @ 1x \$200.00

We Look Forward to Welcoming New Members Into Our Ranks!!!

2021-2022 CHAPTER MEETING SCHEDULE & IMPORTANT DATES:

- ◆07 DEC 2021, 7:30AM ~ Apache Trails-Billie Stephens East Valley MOC, Marcos de Niza HS, Tempe
- ◆18 DEC 2021 ~ Holiday Christmas Party and Chapter/Staff Meeting **maybe on the 18th*
- ◆01 JAN 2022 ~ **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**
- ◆27 MAR 2022 ~ Chapter/Staff Meeting
- ◆26 JUN 2022 ~ Chapter/Staff Meeting
- ◆JUN 2022 ~ AZYLC 2022 Program

**** Have any ideas for our quarterly meeting programs? Contact Dick or Jeanne with your input!!**



BIRTHDAY WISHES go out to the following Companions/friends who were born in the upcoming Quarter ~ **DEC**: Bert Terrazas (5th), Rob Welch (11th), Tim Yuhas (23rd), & Rebekah Fountain (28th). **JAN**: Keith McSpadden (2nd), Mike Halpin (3rd), Sandra Garcia (5th) & Gavin Holtz (27th). **FEB**: Loriann Kaps-Harnish (4th), Joe Kress (9th), Tristan Minor (27th) & Jack Rail (27th). **Happy Birthday** to all of you! If anybody's name has been omitted from this list, please forward your birth date to the Chapters' Adjutant so that we may update our records.



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<https://www.moww.org/>

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Pride of the Valley of the Sun!

**"It is nobler
to serve
than to be
served"**

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<http://www.facebook.com/mowwphoenixchapter/>

MOWW Preamble

- To cherish the memories and associations of the World Wars waged for humanity;
- To inculcate and stimulate love of our country and flag;
- To promote and further patriotic education in our nation;
- Ever to maintain law and order, and to defend the honor, integrity, and supremacy of our national government and the Constitution of the United States;
- To foster fraternal relations among all branches of the armed forces;
- To promote the cultivation of military, naval, and air science and the adoption of a consistent and suitable policy of national security for the United States of America;
- To acquire and preserve records of individual services;
- To encourage and assist in the holding of commemorations and the establishment of memorials of the World Wars; and
- To transmit all these ideals to posterity; under God and for our country, we unite to establish ...

The Military Order of the World Wars.

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