
Americans Riding For America

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NEWS LETTER

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Spring is coming!!!

Time to take off the snow tires and all the extra layers of clothing and get out there to enjoy the sunshine and fresh air from the back of two wheels where you belong...

If you didn't receive your February news letter in the mail, it's because we didn't mail them last month...sorry. With military operations, we were so late getting it out, that bulk mail wouldn't have arrived until THIS month. We'll try harder with this and future editions.

We're having a **POKER RUN!!!** to raise funds for the Ponca City Children's Home. It will be Saturday, 29 March. Starting and ending at Stroker's, first bike out at 11:00 a.m. Cost is \$15/rider and \$20/couples. Afterward we'll have burgers, games and prizes back at Stroker's. Help spread the word - Pick up extra flyers at Stroker's.

Please come to the next meeting to help with the final details. The Auxiliary is coordinating the food and needs some donations. The Legion is supplying the buns and condiments, and Diane is providing the meat.

So far we have one gift certificate donated from BS Unlimited--we need more donations for prizes.

The next meetings of the Executive Committee and Planning Committee will be at noon on Saturday, March 15th at RC's office at the Legion Headquarters. We'll be working on details for the Poker Run and future events. Anyone who wants to contribute is welcome.

The next Post Meeting will be at 10:00a.m. on Saturday, March 22nd at Stokers. This one is really important. We need to make sure that all the jobs are covered for the Poker Run on the 29th.

April 12-13 is the American Legion Ponca City Weekend. That Sunday (the 13th) we'll be riding out to the Children's Home with our sponsorship payment.

Legion elections are coming up this summer, elections for the Post have to be completed by June 7th. If you're interested in becoming an officer for Post 1340, come to the meetings and let folks know.

Bill Harden has asked Larry to second his nomination for State Commander at the next state convention, July 13th. Bill will be the last WWII veteran to be State Commander.

Steve Blair is recovering remarkably well after January's flying lessons.

Jason and Lisa had their baby girl at 6:30a.m. February 18th. They named her Journey.

REMEMBER

1. From now on, the Legion Riders plan to **RIDE** every week. Unless we decide to participate in another event, there will be a "Fun Run" leaving from Stokers every Saturday. While the weather is still a little cooler, we won't leave until 11a.m. Then when it warms up, we'll move the start time up to 9a.m. Whoever shows, goes -- so bring your friends -- the more the merrier.
2. The **Post Meetings** will only be held **ONCE** a month, on the 4th Saturday of the month, at 10a.m. at Stokers. The meetings are only for Post members and prospective members, so we can take care of business and get back on our bikes, where we belong. We plan to schedule a "Friends and Family" dinner get together once per quarter.

Be a happy biker, count the bugs between your teeth...

Cat

