



“For God and Country”

July 2025 Post 3 Newsletter



July Meeting Schedule

Organization	Location	Time	Date
Legion Post 3	Elks Lodge, 5910 S 58 th St	7:00 PM	07/08/25
Auxiliary Unit 3	Elks Lodge, 5910 S 58 th St	7:00 PM	None
SAL Squadron 3	Post 3 Office, 123 S 84 th St	7:00 PM	07/10/25
ALR Chapter 3	Denton Legion Club	6:00 PM	07/17/25
40 & 8 Voiture 103	Elks Lodge, 5910 S 58 th St	6:30 PM	07/15/25
8 & 40 Salon 832	Elks Lodge, 5910 s 58 th St	6:30 PM	07/15/25
8 & 40 Salon 92	VFW 3606, 3340 West A St	1:00 PM	None
Buddy Check	Enclosed Shelter, 1650 Antelope Park	6:00 PM	07/22/25
CoffeeHaus	Auld Pavilion, Antelope Park	10:00 AM	None

Commander's Call



Fellow Legionnaires,

I guess I lied. I wrote in last month's article that it was my last one. Silly me. Installation of officers for the 2025-26 Legion Year will take place at our July meeting. Which, of course, means that you are still stuck with my ramblings for this month.

Thanks for your hard work on membership! Despite everyone's best efforts, it looks like we will finish the membership year (08/01/24 – 07/31/25) shy of our goal. As I have mentioned before, there is not much we can do about members who pass away and are transferred to Post Everlasting, but we can, and must, do something to replace members that, for whatever reason, decide not to renew. If you know someone who did not renew this year, help the Post 3 leadership contact them and encourage them to reconsider and welcome them back to our Post.

In addition to helping retain old members, we all need to recruit new members. Your membership mission is to find two veterans, one to replace you when you are transferred to Post Everlasting and one to grow The American Legion. The Post 3 Leadership team has done everything they know to add new members. They have added some, but not enough. I am asking you to help us out. If you know someone who has served at least one day of active military duty since December 7, 1941, and was honorably discharged or is currently serving honorably, ask that individual to join The American Legion.

One of our members told me a few days ago that, while he knew his dentist was a veteran, he had never asked if the dentist was a member of the American Legion. So he did. The dentist was not. The member talked about the American Legion for a few moments, and the dentist said he'd think about it. At the member's next appointment, the dentist asked for an application. The bottom line... if you don't ask, the answer is always no.

(Commander's Call – Continued)

Legionnaires, you do not have to be an expert recruiter, you do not need to know everything there is to know about the American Legion, and you do not even have to be active in post activities (though, we'd love it if you were). All you need to do is to ask the question.

Have you renewed your membership for 2025? If not, there is still time. Do it now.

Finally, are you going to renew your membership for 2026? The Department Membership Committee is again offering an incentive to renew early. They are sponsoring an Early Bird Drawing. All regular members (those who pay their dues annually) whose 2025 dues are paid and received in Department Headquarters by early-September 2025 will be in a drawing for \$1,000. Five names will be drawn for a \$200 prize each this year! It is so easy to renew. You can do it online at www.Legion.org. Or you can send your check to our business office at 123 S 84th St, Lincoln, NE 68510.

I want to thank each one of you for being a member of Post 3. Just the fact that you send in your dues allows us to support the many causes of the Legion at the local, state, and national level. I truly appreciate all that you have done, and I know you will continue to support our Post 3 in its efforts to keep our American Legion strong. Without you, we have no American Legion.

As always, keep our veterans in your thoughts and prayers, particularly those who may be in need. May God continue to bless America, and all who keep Her free. And may God continue to bless, and keep safe from harm, all servicemembers of our Armed Forces, wherever they may be dispersed.

For God and Country,

Bruce Gubser

Post 3 Commander

Notes from the Adjutant's Desk



2025 Renewals: We are still running behind 2024. The current 2025 membership stands at 937 about 88 % of our 2025 goal. We should be at 95%. If you know a current or past member who has not renewed for 2025, please ask them to do so. For those who

have not yet renewed for 2025, your 2024 membership card expired as of 31 December 2024.

2026 Renewals: You can begin to look for the 2026 renewal notices as they should hit your mailbox soon. For those who took advantage and renewed for three years, you will not be receiving a renewal slip. You should receive your 2026 membership card sometime in July. If you have not received your 2026 by the end of July, please let us know. For those who did not renew for 2025, you were classified as expired as of January 1st. You will stop receiving The Legion magazine, and you could be denied entry into a Legion Club. For those who are in the Legion Insurance program, your coverage also ended as of 31st of December 2024. You must be a member in good standing to be covered.

Legion Insurance: It is easy to sign up. Just go to their website and enroll. Legion Insurance covers you while you are traveling to a Legion Activity.

Military Service: We still are trying to update our membership roster as to your branch of service and the war era that you served. National has been printing on the back of renewal slips the information that is in the Legion database. Please check and add as needed so we can correct our database. Thanks, it makes it so much easier to reach out to you if needed.

DAV, Chapter 7: Sorry to say we have lost another Veterans Club here in Lincoln, NE. DAV, Chapter 7, has closed its bar on North 70th Street, as of the end of March 2025. The Chapter House is still open on a limited basis, holding its monthly meetings there and will be available for potluck dinners.

(Adjutant's Remarks – Continued)

Department of Veterans Affairs, VFW, DAV, AMVETS web sites: These web sites are a great place to find current and helpful information on what Congress is currently working on and how it could affect you as a veteran. The VA website has many tips on filing claims and links to other VA services to which you are entitled. The VFW, DAV, etc. do an excellent job of keeping track of Congressional activities that can or will affect veterans.

The Nebraska Department of Veterans Affairs and your local County Service Office are here to serve you. They can pull up your records of military service and help track your claims you may have filed. If you have not visited with your service officer, now would be a great time to stop and visit with him/her. The 2025 Nebraska Legislature may have passed legislation that may have affected you and your benefits.

Membership: The members of the most current conflicts are now the backbone of not only the American Legion, but also the VFW, DAV, AMV, etc. Without these younger veterans we will no longer have a strong voice in Congress. Without a strong voice in Congress, we will keep losing funding for the Department of Veterans Affairs and the VA Health Care System. If you are a member of this group of veterans or know a veteran from these conflicts, please ask them if they are a member of a VSO (veteran service organization) and if not, ask them to please join.

They may not be using VA service now but may wish to in the future. They may find that VA services have been cut back due to a lack of a strong voice in Congress.

Again, Thanks for your Service and Thanks for being a member of Post 3. Also remember to thank your fellow Veterans for their service.

Ed Schnabel

Adjutant

Lincoln CBOC/VA News



Happy Fourth of July! Remember that the Clinics will be closed on July 4th.

One of the most asked questions I am asked is, “Where is the Finance Office?” Sorry to say the Lincoln CBOC does not have a finance office on site. If you have

a billing question, you will have to call the number that is listed on the Co-pay notice you might have received.

The food drive to collect food items for our homeless veterans in the Lincoln area is still ongoing. Items requested are shelf ready, power bars and easy to open items with pull tabs.

Flu shots and Covid shots are available only for those enrolled in the VA Health system. Those who have an appointment can receive a shot during their visit with their provider. Walk-ins can request a shot by speaking to the staff at check-in and waiting for a nurse to be available to give you the shot.

There are no mask requirements at VA clinics and hospitals. Masks are available for those who wish to wear them at the front doors of the clinics.

Express Care is a walk-in service, for those who wish to have a nurse check out minor items. Times might be different at your local clinic, so give them a call and see if they offer Express Care service. This care is available to those who might wish to see a VA nurse without an appointment during normal hours. The Lincoln Clinic treats 300 a month as walk-ins.

Want to serve your fellow Veterans? The VA can use more volunteers at your local clinic or hospital. You would volunteer to help veterans in the clinic, hospital, or a veteran home. Or you can donate to your local clinic, hospital, or veteran’s home.

(Lincoln CBOC/VA News – Continued)

They can always use a monetary donation, or you can donate activity bags for younger kids to have when they come to the clinic or hospital with a parent for their appointments.

Hours given by the volunteers are credited with saving the VA Health at Omaha, Lincoln, and Grand Island an equivalent of 25 full-time staff employees. This is based on an hour of service being credited at the rate of \$31.50 dollars per hour.

Clinics and hospitals can always use books and magazines for patients. You would need to check with your local hospital, clinic, or veteran's home volunteer office to see what items they need or allow. This would be a great project for your church, school, or youth group.

Service animals: The only animals that should be brought into a VA Health clinic or hospital are trained service animals that qualify under DAV requirements. Other pets or comfort dogs do not qualify and should be left at home.

With the signing of the PAC act, more veterans have become eligible for services, not only for those who served boots on the ground, but anyone who has served since the Gulf War. If you have any questions, call your local service officer, VSO, county, or state. It only takes a few minutes to see if you might qualify for an increase, or a new VA disability rating.

The Veteran Affairs web site is a great place to visit. You can find out the latest information affecting Veterans. You can track claim status, file for travel pay, view your VA account, payments received, or Co-pay owed. You can also make the Co-pay payments online.

Thanks for your service to your fellow Veterans and thanks for your service to this great country.

Ed Schnabel

American Legion Representative to Lincoln CBOC

ALR Riders, Chapter 3 Director's Remarks



Greetings Fellow Riders and all,

Summer has arrived with a few days of h-e-double-toothpick temperature days, but overall good riding weather. Your Riders have already participated in a number of events in June, including parades and the ALR National Romp.

It was a real privilege to attend the National ALR Romp, held at Lake of the Ozarks in early-June. Four Riders from Chapter 3, Sean Van Winkle, Neil Larson, Charles Gubser, and myself, made the ride over to Sunrise Beach, Missouri, held May 30th through June 1st. Hosted by Zack Wheat American Legion Post 624 in Sunrise Beach, we met with Riders from about 30-35 states to raise some money and participate in some rides on wonderfully curvy roads in the Ozark area. The weather could not have been better. It was a real treat to meet Riders from around the country and learn what their Chapters are doing.

Your Riders have also participated in a number of poker runs hosted by other Nebraska ALR chapters to help raise funds for the Veteran causes they supported.

We will be participating once again in the Seward Grand Parade on July 4th. I do not know how many years we have participated in that parade, but it is a bunch! It is a real pleasure to represent the American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, Sons of the American Legion, and American Legion Riders in what is arguably the most recognized celebration of America's Birthday in the State. Thousands of people come to Seward each year and we are proud to represent the American Legion Family.

Coming up in July are a number of events, including the aforementioned Seward Parade (July 4th), the Nebraska ALR Legacy Run Across Nebraska (July 11-13), a Flag Exchange at Scheel's Lincoln (July 11th), ALR Chapter 53 (Grand Island) Poker Run (July 26th), Czech Days Parade (Dwight) (July 20th), and the Hickman Hay Days Parade (July 26th).

Until next time, Ride Safe!

Bruce Gubser

Director, Lincoln Chapter 3 ALR

Memorial Day Pictures



ALR Director Bruce Gubser



ALR Ride Captain John
Humphrey



ALR members Ray Paulson
and Ted Silcock



- SILENT AUCTION
- 50/50
- BIDD PRIZES
- RAFFLE
- GIVEAWAYS

\$10/HAND OR \$20 FOR 3



\$300/HIGH \$200 2ND HIGH
\$100 LOW

Lincoln (Nebraska)
Chapter 3

POKER RUN

REGISTRATION: 10AM-NOON
FIRST BIKE OUT AT: 10AM
LAST BIKE IN: 4PM
PRIZES/AWARDS: 4:15PM

**SATURDAY
AUG 23**

-STARTS AT FRONTIER
HARLEY-DAVIDSON,
205 NW 40TH ST, LINCOLN, NEBR
-WITH STOPS IN MALMO, DWIGHT
& DORCHESTER
-ENDS AT DENTON AMERICAN
LEGION

BRING NONPERISHABLE ITEMS FOR
THE FOOD BANK (OR DONATE \$5)
AND GET AN EXTRA CARD!

PROCEEDS WILL GO TO
CHARITABLE CAUSES
THAT SUPPORT
VETERANS



Lincoln Chapter 3
American Legion Riders

RAFFLE



HENRY GOLDEN BOY RIFLE, .22LR



TICKETS ARE \$5 EACH OR 5 FOR \$20

The drawing will be held in August at our poker run.

YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE PRESENT TO WIN

YOU MUST BE OLDER THAN 18 YEARS OF AGE TO PURCHASE A TICKET

PRIZE WILL BE TRANSFERED TO THE WINNER THROUGH A FEDERALLY LICENSED
FIREARM DEALER and ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL FIREARM PURCHASE LAWS, RULES AND
REGULATIONS APPLY

Post 3 Honor Guard



In June, the Honor Guard assisted the Military Honors Teams at 11 funerals. We also raised the flag in the morning and lowered it in the evening at the Veterans Freedom Musical Festival. In addition we presented the Colors at a National Convention at the Cornhusker Marriott Hotel.

On Friday, July 11th, from 1:00 to 4:00. the Honor Guard and the American Legion Riders, Chapter 3, will be assisting Scheels Sporting Goods in exchanging a new American Flag to any individual who turns in a faded or worn American flag. Individuals may turn in as many old flags as they would like but only receive one new flag. At a date to be determined, the Honor Guard will conduct a dignified flag disposal of all the flags turned in at the Scheels exchange as well as those flags turned into our office since our last dignified flag disposal.

The effort the Honor Guard makes to honor our deceased veterans is greatly appreciated. I want to thank everyone involved for their continued support.

In the Calendar year 2025, the Honor Guard assisted the Military Honors Teams at 50 funerals and made appearances at 13 civic functions.

Post 3 TAPS – June 2025



LEGIONNAIRE	WAR ERA	BRANCH	YEARS
Allen A. Bauer	Korea	USMC	9
William L. Deany	Korea	Army	57
Kenneth D. Frank	Korea	Navy	38
Douglas A. Gibson	Vietnam	Army	34
Philip T. Gould	Vietnam	Navy	55
Lloyd Hinkley	Korea	Army	8
Craig A. Sievert	Vietnam	Army	35

Regular Meeting of American Legion Post 3

Lincoln Elks Lodge #80 – June 10, 2025

Commander Bruce Gubser opened the June 10, 2025 meeting of American Legion Post 3 at 7:00 PM at the Lincoln Elks Lodge 80 with 21 Legionnaires present.

Veterans of the various war eras were asked to stand and be recognized.

The minutes of the May 13, 2025 meeting were read and approved.

Ed Schnabel gave the financial report for the month ending May 30, 2025, showing a balance of \$42,891.49. It was approved and filed for review.

Adjutant Schnabel reported 2025 membership as 939. He also indicated that he was finalizing the Consolidated Post Report and said that if anybody had something to report now was the time to get it to him.

Dr. Jackson gave an Americanism report.

Steve Bartos reported that it was his understanding that Boys State went well and that, as far as he knew, all of the boys from Lincoln attended.

Gerry Wolf reported for the Memorial Squad.

Brendan Moore reported for the Sons of the American Legion. He indicated that Squadron 3 was still a little short of reaching its goal for 2025.

Commander Gubser reported for the American Legion Riders. Rifle Raffle tickets are still available. The Poker Run is in August.

The Birthday Card Program continues.

In the way of sick call, Commander Gubser reported that Ron Hindmand was going to have knee surgery tomorrow.

Upon motion by Jackson and seconded by Timmerman, the Adjutant was directed to cast a single ballot to unanimously elect the following uncontested candidates for office for the coming year.

Post Commander --- Ron Hindmand

First Vice Commander --- Rich Lemmerman

Second Vice Commander --- John Ottoson

Executive Committee Member (3-year term) --- Wade Graft

Wendy Gumb reported that she had attended the spring meetings of the American Legion in Indianapolis and had done some research and visited with several people. She then presented and read a resolution titled CLARIFICATION OF RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE AMERICAN LEGION AND LA SOCIÉTÉ DES QUARANTE HOMMES ET HUIT CHEVAUX (40 & 8) and made a motion to adopt it.

Following some brief, spirited discussion, the resolution failed to garner a single affirmative vote and was rejected.

The Chaplain read the TAPS report for May.

Ed Schnabel mentioned that the Veterans Freedom Music Festival was to be held this coming Saturday ---- and pointed out that June 14th was the birthday of the Army.

Wendy Gumb pointed out that Ed Schnabel has been working with a group of volunteers who build beds for children in need.

The meeting was closed in proper form at 7:35 PM.

**Steve Bartos
Recorder**

The Forty and Eight



La Societe des Quarante Hommes et Huit Chevaux, otherwise known as The Society of 40 Men and 8 Horses, was founded in 1920 by Joseph W. Breen at American Legion Post 297 in Philadelphia, PA.

Inspired by World War I French boxcars which were stamped with the 40/8 to indicate that they could carry either 40 soldiers or 8 horses, Breen and 16 other prominent Legionnaires envisioned an elite membership and camaraderie for leaders of the American Legion. Today, their legacy continues to stand strong, bringing hope to a new generation of veterans.

The Forty and Eight severed ties with the American Legion in 1959 and became an independent organization, but with many vestiges of its parent organization remaining intact --- including the prerequisite of American Legion membership.

There have been many changes in eligibility for the Forty and Eight starting with elimination of racial restrictions in 1973, gender restrictions in 2006, and the prerequisite for American Legion membership in 2008.

The members of Lincoln Post #3 and Voiture #103 have been working side by side for over 100 years with programs that benefit the veterans and their families of Lincoln and Nebraska. Just because the national organizations didn't get along doesn't mean we haven't. I am a 55-year member of the American Legion and a 42-year member of the Forty and Eight and have served at the local, state, and national levels of both organizations. At the local level, we have always gotten along and shared information between both organizations.

Also, the Eight and Forty is an organization that was affiliated with the American Legion Auxiliary and was never part of the Forty and Eight. It is NOT the auxiliary of the 40/8, and the American Legion has not disassociated itself from the 8/40. In fact, the National American Legion regularly sends a representative to the national convention of the 8/40 for the presentation of some Child Welfare awards.

I hope this explains why we post the activities of these organizations and their members in our newspaper and monthly newsletter.

Fred Craigie

Post Commander, 1989, Department Commander, 2015

National Executive Committeeman 2021-2024

Chef de Gare, 1991, Grand Chef de Gare, 1998

Cheminot Nationale, 1999

WWII Soldier finally laid to rest at Arlington



82 years after his death as a prisoner of war, Army Pvt. Bernard Curran was laid to rest at Arlington National Cemetery on June 3, 2025. Captured during WWII and long unidentified, his remains were recently confirmed and returned home — receiving full honors in a caisson ceremony.

Private Curran entered the U.S. Army Air Forces from Massachusetts and served with the 17th Pursuit Squadron, 24th Pursuit Group in the Philippines during World War II. He was captured following the American surrender of the Bataan Peninsula on April 9, 1942, and forced on the Bataan Death March. He was ultimately interned in the notorious Cabanatuan Prison Camp in Nueva Ecija Province, where he died of beriberi on November 14, 1942.

At its peak, Cabanatuan held approximately 8,000 American and Filipino prisoners of war that were captured during and after the Fall of Bataan. Conditions at the camp were poor, with food and water extremely limited, leading to widespread malnutrition and outbreaks of malaria and dysentery. By the time the camp was liberated in early 1945, approximately 2,800 Americans had died at Cabanatuan.

Pvt Curran was buried in Common Grave 723 at the local Cabanatuan Camp Cemetery along with other deceased American POWs. Following the war, American Graves Registration Service (AGRS) personnel exhumed those buried at the Cabanatuan cemetery and relocated the remains to a temporary U.S. military mausoleum near Manila. In 1947, the AGRS examined the remains in an attempt to identify them. Remains that could not be identified were buried at the Manila American Cemetery and Memorial as Unknowns.

In 2018, as part of the Cabanatuan Project, the remains associated with Common Grave 723 were disinterred and sent to the DPAA laboratory for analysis. The laboratory analysis and the totality of the circumstantial evidence available established an association between one set of these unknown remains and Pvt Curran.

Private Curran is memorialized on the Walls of the Missing at the Manila American Cemetery in the Philippines.

Soldier Awarded the Medal Of Honor for Vietnam Service



Franklin Douglas "Doug" Miller (January 27, 1945–June 30, 2000) was an American and United States Army Special Forces staff sergeant during the Vietnam War who was awarded the United States military's highest decoration—the Medal of Honor—for his actions above and beyond the call of duty on January 5, 1970. He was also awarded a Silver Star, two Bronze Stars, and six Purple Hearts.

Citation: For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action at the risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty. S/Sgt. Miller, 5th Special Forces Group, distinguished himself while serving as team leader of an American-Vietnamese long-range reconnaissance patrol operating deep within an enemy-controlled territory.

Leaving the helicopter insertion point, the patrol moved forward on its mission. Suddenly, 1 of the team members tripped over a hostile booby trap which wounded 4 soldiers. S/Sgt. Miller, knowing that the explosion would alert the enemy, quickly administered first aid to the wounded and directed the team into positions across a small stream bed at the base of a steep hill.

Within a few minutes, S/Sgt. Miller saw the lead element of what he estimated to be a platoon-size enemy force moving toward his location. Concerned for the safety of his men, he directed the small team to move up the hill to a more secure position. He remained alone, separated from the patrol, to meet the attack. S/Sgt. Miller single-handedly repulsed 2 determined attacks by the numerically superior enemy force and caused them to withdraw in disorder. He rejoined his team, established contact with a forward air controller, and arranged the evacuation of his patrol. However, the only suitable extraction location in the heavy jungle was a bomb crater some 150 meters from the team location.

S/Sgt. Miller reconnoitered the route to the crater and led his men through the enemy-controlled jungle to the extraction site. As the evacuation helicopter hovered over the crater to pick up the patrol, the enemy launched a savage automatic weapon and rocket-propelled grenade attack against the beleaguered team, driving off the rescue helicopter. S/Sgt. Miller led the team in a valiant defense that drove back the enemy in its attempt to overrun the small patrol.

Although seriously wounded and with every man in his patrol a casualty, S/Sgt. Miller moved forward to again single-handedly meet the hostile attackers. From his forward exposed position, S/Sgt. Miller gallantly repelled 2 attacks by the enemy before a friendly relief force reached the patrol location. S/Sgt. Miller's gallantry, intrepidity in action, and selfless devotion to the welfare of his comrades are in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit on him, his unit, and the U.S. Army.

The Story of Independence Day



As you probably know, North America was originally the land of the Native Americans and other indigenous peoples. But later, Christopher Columbus, came to the New World around 1492, and thus began the history of colonization in North America.

In the early 17th century, European countries, mainly England, began to immigrate to North America. The first settlers in North America were mainly landless farmers, hard workers, and persecuted Christians. They were people who abandoned the past and dreamed of rebuilding a new life in America.

From 1607 to 1733, the British colonists successively established 13 colonies on the east coast of North America (the Atlantic coast).

In the 1760s, in order to recover from the war as soon as possible, the British government changed its previous laissez-faire approach to North America and began to implement high-pressure policies and increase taxes. North American immigrants who

have finally lived a good life through their own struggles certainly refuse and the popular resistance was deepening.

On March 5, 1770, the citizens of Boston and the British garrison clashed, the British garrison shot at the civilians, the historic Boston Massacres. It led to people in North America saying, "We want independence!"

So, on April 19, 1775, the first war of independence was fought in Philadelphia.



Finally, on July 2, 1776, the United States Congress met in Philadelphia. By a show of hands, it voted without dissenting to separate the 13 colonies from the British government and form the United States of America. After the debate, Congress changed the words of the Declaration of Independence, and the final version was issued on July 4.

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BUDDY CHECK

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MONTHLY ON THE 22ND

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Antelope Park Enclosed Shelter

1650 Memorial Dr., Lincoln, NE 68508

Next to The Veterans Memorial Garden

OPEN TO ALL VETERANS

Coffee, refreshments, and snacks are provided.



 **Veterans
Crisis Line**
DIAL 988 then PRESS 1
Nebraska Department of
Veterans' Affairs

Search Nebraska Veterans' Affairs Website



2025 Veterans Mission of Mercy Dental Clinic

The Veterans Mission of Mercy (VetMOM) Dental Clinic will provide a range of dental services to eligible Nebraska veterans and their spouses. Services include:

- Exams
- Cleanings
- Fillings
- Root canals
- Extractions
- Dentures - **limited quantity available! Must register for a Friday morning slot and will need to return on Saturday to be fitted and receive dentures.**



Date/Time: Friday, September 26, from 8 am to 5 pm, and Saturday, September 27, from 8 am to 3:30 pm.

Location: [Army National Guard Titan Readiness Center, 789 County Road J, Yutan](#)

Eligibility: any individual who served in the U.S. Armed Forces or a component of the U.S. Armed Forces, regardless of type of service—active, reserve, or guard—and/or spouses or surviving spouses of eligible veterans. If you were ever issued a U.S. military uniform by any component of the U.S. Armed Forces in service to our Nation, you and/or your spouse are eligible.

[Register for an Appointment](#)

<https://veterans.nebraska.gov/dentalclinic>.

LINCOLN VETERANS PARADE

**250 Years
Defending Freedom
Nov. 16, 2025 | 2 PM**



**K St, S. 21st to 14th
LincolnVeteransParade.org**



Bobbie Jo Fisher

Sons Of The American Legion Application



To be eligible for membership in the Sons of the American Legion, you must be a male descendant (son, grandson, stepson, or adopted son) of: ☐ A member of The American Legion, or

☐ A veteran who died in service during World War I or since December 7, 1941, or

☐ A veteran who died after their honorable discharge from such service, and ☐ Return the application below along with \$35.00 to:

Sons of The American Legion ATTN:

Brendan Moore

123 South 84th Street, Suite L

Lincoln, Ne 68510

Sons of The American Legion Membership Application				
Detachment of _____		Squadron No. _____		Birth Date _____ Date _____
Name _____		Recruited by _____		
(First)	(Initial)	(Last)	(Initial)	(Last)
Address _____		(Street)	(City)	(State) (Zip)
E-mail Address _____		Telephone _____		
Veteran through whom eligibility is established _____				
(a) Above is a member in good standing of Post No. _____, Dept. of _____				
OR (b) Above is a deceased veteran who served honorably from _____ to _____				
(c) Relationship of Applicant to Veteran _____				
I hereby subscribe to the Constitution of the Sons of The American Legion, apply for membership, and transmit \$ _____ as annual membership dues.				
Signed _____			(By Applicant or Parent)	
Eligibility certified by _____		(Post Adjutant)		
00-001 (2014)				

RECEIPT	
Date _____	Received of _____
\$ _____ in payment of dues for 20 _____ in _____	
Squadron _____ Detachment of _____	
By _____	
For God and Country	

Become a Member of The American Legion

Do you want to help your community and fellow Veterans by becoming a member of the American Legion? Would you want to help recruit a new member? If you can certify you, or do you know someone, who served at least one day of active military duty since December 7, 1941, and was honorably discharged or are currently serving honorably? Then they are eligible. Complete the application below and send it with a check in the amount of \$56.00 to:

American Legion Post 3

123 South 84th Street, Suite L

Lincoln, Ne 68510

The American Legion Membership Application			
(Name)		(Date of Birth)	
(Mailing Address)		(Phone Number)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	(Post #)
(E-mail)		☐ Male ☐ Female (Gender)	(Dues)
☐ I certify that I served at least one day of active military duty since December 7, 1941 and was honorably discharged or am still serving honorably.			
Please check appropriate service era and branch of service below			
☐ Global War on Terror	☐ U.S. Army		
☐ Gulf War	☐ U.S. Navy		
☐ Panama	☐ U.S. Air Force		
☐ Lebanon/Grenada	☐ U.S. Marines		
☐ Vietnam	☐ U.S. Coast Guard		
☐ Korea	☐ Merchant Marines (WWII only)		
☐ WWII			
☐ Other Conflicts			
30-009 Signature of applicant		Date Name of recruiter	

To renew or transfer to Post 3, you only need to sign below and mail this application and a check for \$56.00 made out to "American Legion Post 3" to the address listed above. If you have already renewed for 2025, and want to transfer to Post 3, only sign below and return the bottom portion to us.

YES! Please transfer my membership to Lincoln American Legion Post 3

Signature

Membership Number

Email address



**American Legion Post 3
123 South 84th St. Suite L
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