

Rudolf Anderson, Jr.
American Legion Post 214
Taylors, SC 29687

MAY NEWSLETTER

Hello, fellow Legionaires. Below, is our Agenda for the Month of May:

May 5th- Car Show at Post

May 10th- Michelin Honoring Vets Day- Pete Bellinger will be setting up a table for this event at Michelin. If you can help Pete, please call him at 864 230 3057. Event is from 11:00 until 1:00.

May 15th- General Membership Meeting at Taylors First Baptist Church Ministry Center. Dinner served at 6:00 PM. This month is Election Month. If you would like to run for an office, nominations will be taken from the floor. Our guest speaker is Bob McClain, (Bobby Mac) radio personality with talk radio 106.3. If you listen to talk radio you already know Bobby Mac. If you don't listen to his show, you are in for a treat. Come and invite a fellow vet.

May 19th- A veteran's monument is to be dedicated in Berea. Charlie Porter will have further information on this.

May 25th and 26th- Greenville Scottish Games. Parade is on Friday, downtown Greenville. The games are on Saturday, at Furman University, If you like to hear the bagpipes, this is an event you don't want to miss. Usually on Saturday, they have the massing of the bands. This is always a highlight. Put this on your agendas.

May 27th- Memorial Day-Services will be conducted at Woodlawn Cemetery, beginning at 2:00. Charlie Porter is organizing the event and further details to follow. There will be a main service followed by a memorial service with a laying of a wreath at Major Rudolf Anderson's grave site. We hope many of you will come out and help us commemorate Memorial Day.

At our last General Membership meeting, Doug Greenlaw gave a very informative talk about the new Veterans Park that will be located in the West End, off of Academy street.

Two Legionaires were recognized last month for outstanding service and assistance to the American Legion. These were Bob Dill and Chris Baird. Thank you both for all you do to advance the mission of the American Legion.

Last month, we kicked off our 3rd annual Weapons Raffle. Several books of tickets have been signed out and some money has been received. This is our largest fund raiser of the year and helps with our Post expenses. If you haven't taken some tickets to sell, please consider helping.

We will be setting up at Sharpshooters on Saturdays to sell raffle tickets and other wares. If you can assist, please let Clyde know. All help is appreciated.

If you are interested in serving on our Post Color Guard, please see Charlie Porter.

If you know of a Vet that might be interested in joining our Post, please invite them. We are currently around 158 members and would like to see our Post grow.

Our new website is now up and running. This has lots of good information and has our calendar of events, so please go on line and check out. <https://www.amlegion214.org/>

Also, please check out our Facebook page, You can contact Jamie France at Jamie.france@ge.com for detail on getting onto our Facebook. Again, a lot of good information about Post events and you can post information, as well.

You can also check out our Youtube channel Military History 214. Our latest video is with Alan James, a navy corpsman assigned to a Marine Company, near the DMZ during the Viet Nam War.

We are trying to tape as many of our Vets, as possible, so if asked to participate, I hope you will.

Please try to avail yourself of these resources.

If any one knows of a Vet in need of help, please let our Chaplain, Jack Dorn know. We will try to assist any Vet that needs assistance.

See you at our General Meeting.

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