

AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS

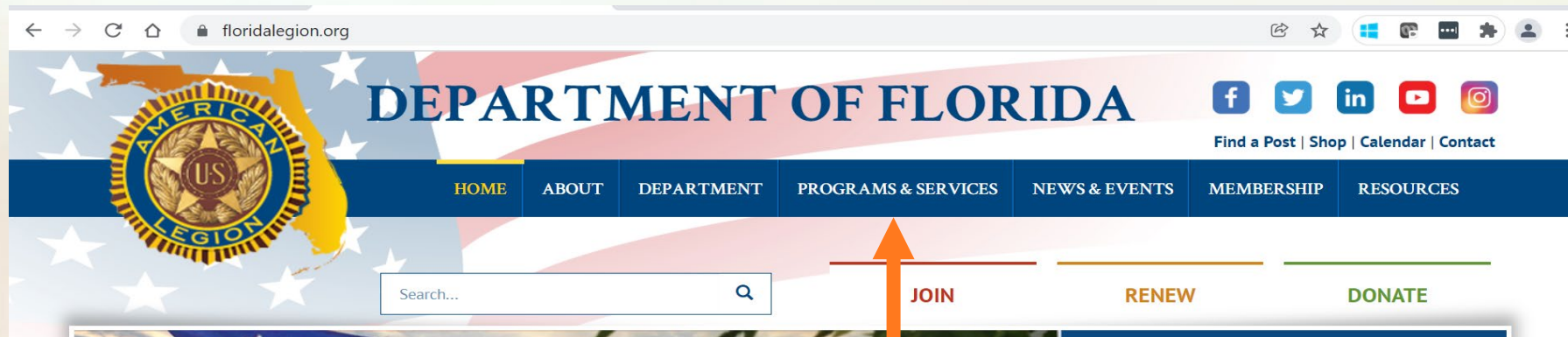
Navigating the ALR Website

Virna Luke, 5th District Social Media Chair



American Legion Riders Website

- Search for website – floridalegion.org
- Under “Programs & Services” select “American Legion Riders” from the dropdown list – You are now on the Riders home page!



American Legion Riders Web Page

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Make your selection!

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Department ALR Committee

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Contacts

The individuals below are volunteers dedicated to the success of the American Legion Riders program. Their contact information has been provided, and they are eager to help and increase involvement. Please be respectful and considerate of the time these volunteers offer to make this program successful.

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+ Area Chairmen

+ District Chairmen



HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS

Highlighted Events

Legacy Ride

POW/MIA Ride

Merry-go-Round

Five State Fun Run


Conference


In-State Unity Ride


Summit & Expo


Round Robin


Convention


 National Legacy Ride
August 20-24, 2023
[View Event](#)


 POW/MIA Ceremony & Ride
September 16, 2023
[View Event](#)

 Merry Go-Round (C&Y)
October 1 – 31, 2023
[View Event](#)

 Fall Conference
November 17-19, 2023
[View Event](#)

 Summit
January 31 – February 3, 2024
[View Event](#)

 Round Robin (PVR/SPI)
April 1 – 30, 2024
[View Event](#)

 In-State Unity Ride & Rally
April 21-27, 2024
[View Event](#)

 Department Convention
June 15-18, 2023
[View Event](#)



CAPTURE THE PLAQUE

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Capture the Plaque

Rules

1. Chapters **MUST** have their own Plaque and in their possession to play the game. (example: If another chapter has your plaque, you may NOT capture another chapter's until you retrieve your own)
2. Chapters **Must** have a minimum of 5 ALR Members to retrieve or capture the Plaque. Riders are not required to be on a motorcycle to participate in the game.
3. The Plaque may not be hidden from potential captures
4. Plaque must be protected while in transit to avoid abrasions
5. There is no limit as to how many plaques can be captured in a single day
6. Once a Chapter retrieves their Plaque from the Captor, Your Plaque is safe from your Captor for 24 hours...BUT can be taken from another Chapter!
7. You may not retrieve YOUR plaque and take the capturing Chapter's plaque on the same day
8. You Must leave some type of notification that Your Chapter has Captured their Plaque. Example:



Your Plaque has been Jacked by
Chapter XXX

Register! Let everyone know you're playing the Game!
Helps to know where to ride next!

Participants - listed by District, Chapter #, & City



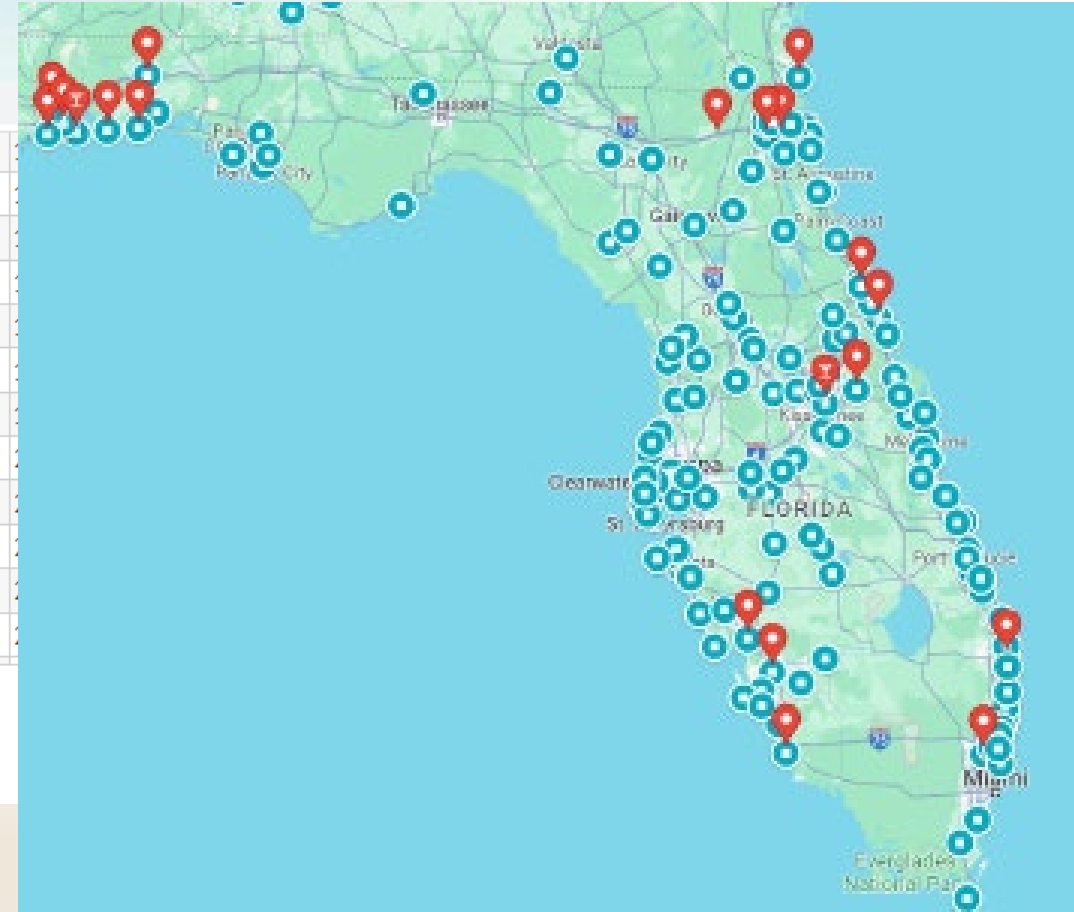
CAPTURE THE PLAQUE

Updated Map!

- Click Participants
- Scroll down
- Click View Map

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View Map



IN-STATE UNITY RIDE



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IN-STATE UNITY RIDE

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The Ride

Supporting **PROJECT: VetRelief Suicide Prevention Initiative**

 **Next Ride** April 21-27, 2024

Join us for the In-State Unity Ride by choosing one of the three routes below. All routes end in Clearwater, FL for our State Rally at OCC Roadhouse & Museum.

[Pensacola Route](#)

[Kissimmee Route](#)

[Jacksonville](#)



Round Robin /Merry-go-Round

**Registration
Made Easier!**

Round Robin

Register

Report Totals

Support Us

Register

Registration for 2022 Round Robin, supporting PROJECT: VetRelief Suicide Prevention Initiative.

Find your District: [Download District Map](#)

How are you registering? *

- ☐ As an Individual
- ☐ As a Group

Register



OFFICER REPORTING

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Officer Reporting

Reporting for Officers of the American Legion Riders only.

Chapter Information

Please complete this form. This information will be placed in a database and accessed to pass on vital information to all ALR Chapters. If an Officer does not have an email please leave blank.

Chapter #: *

District *

City of: *

Number of Riders: *

Chapter Mailing Address

Street Address

DUE BY CONVENTION



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Your Contact Information

Name of person completing form *

First

Last

Your Title

Email *

Phone *

Chapter Information

What is your Post Name? *

What is your Chapter Number? *

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The following resources are the American Legion Riders

▶ 2023 ALR Summit Resources

▶ Rider Manual

▶ 2022 ALR Fall Conference Resources

▶ 2022 ALR Convention Resources

▶ General Resources

▶ Scholarships

Click arrows to expand
for more info



CHAPTER OF THE YEAR

Chapter of the Year



No action is required by individual Chapters to qualify for The Chapter of the Year. Data will be gathered based on the Key Elements shown below. The ALR Adjutant will utilize data reported by individual Chapters through the EOY Reporting, Officer Reporting and by other reports gathered throughout the year. The ALR Adjutant will utilize the Calculation Spreadsheet Tool to determine the winner. The Chapter of the Year will be announced at the ALR General Session on June 18th during Convention.

CPR/Addendum details (Miles & Donations) must be submitted to your Post Adjutant by May 1, 2024.

Your Chapter of the Year Winners:

- 🏆 **Small (6-30 Members)** Chapter 43, Homestead
- 🏆 **Medium (31-60 Members)** Chapter 101, Bushnell
- 🏆 **Large (61-100+ Members)** Chapter 237, Beverly Hills

Attend the Reporting
Procedures Class to
Learn More!



ALR Website



CALENDAR

SUN
16

■ **Featured** April 16 - April 20

ALR: In-State Unity Ride & Rally

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Subscribe to calendar ▾

If you would like to post an event, please [click here](#). All events are subject to approval. To change details or remove an event, please email changes to webmaster@floridalegion.org.

Scroll to bottom and click to submit your event



CALENDAR

EVENT CATEGORIES

All Categories

Auxiliary Events

Commanders

Department Events

District Events

Legion Riders

Membership

National Events

Other Events

Post Events

Program Events

SAL Events

Special Olympics

More selection of categories,
choose all categories, or
select one(s) for your event.
NO LIMIT!



**To
advertise
your
Event!**





WEB



Lamar Camacho, Web Master District 8 Chair



CYBERSECURITY AWARENESS

WHAT IS CYBERSECURITY

Cybersecurity focuses on protecting computers, networks, and information from unauthorized access or attack. Essentially, if a device connects to the Internet, it is vulnerable to attacks and needs protecting. Creating awareness regarding the threats are important in this digital age.

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How do you use the Internet?

What are your main concerns about using the Internet?

Have you ever had your identity stolen?

Do you have antivirus software on your computer and update it on a regular basis?

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Many scammers target Americans ages 55 and older via emails and websites for charitable donations, online dating services, online auctions, buyer's clubs, health insurance, prescription medications, and health care.

At home, at work, and in the community, our growing use of technology, coupled with increasing cyber threats and risks to our privacy, demands greater security in our online world.



IDENTITY THEFT

Identity theft is the illegal use of someone else's personal information in order to obtain money or credit.

Tips

- Don't use the same password twice.
- Choose a password that means something to you and you only; use strong passwords with eight characters or more that uses a combination of numbers, letters, and symbols.
- Do not reveal personally identifiable information online such as your full name, telephone number, address, social security number, insurance policy number, credit card information, or doctor's name.
- Avoid opening attachments, clicking on links, or responding to email messages from unknown senders or companies that ask for your personal information.
- When making online donations, make sure any charity you donate to is a legitimate nonprofit organization and that you type in the web address instead of following a link.
- Be sure to shred bank and credit card statements before throwing them in the trash; talk to your bank about using passwords and photo identification on credit cards and bank accounts.
- Check your bank and credit card statements monthly for unusual charges.



FRAUD & PHISHING

Fraud is the intentional perversion of truth in order to induce another to part with something of value or to surrender a legal right.

Phishing is a scam by which an email user is duped into revealing personal or confidential information that the scammer can use illicitly or fraudulently.

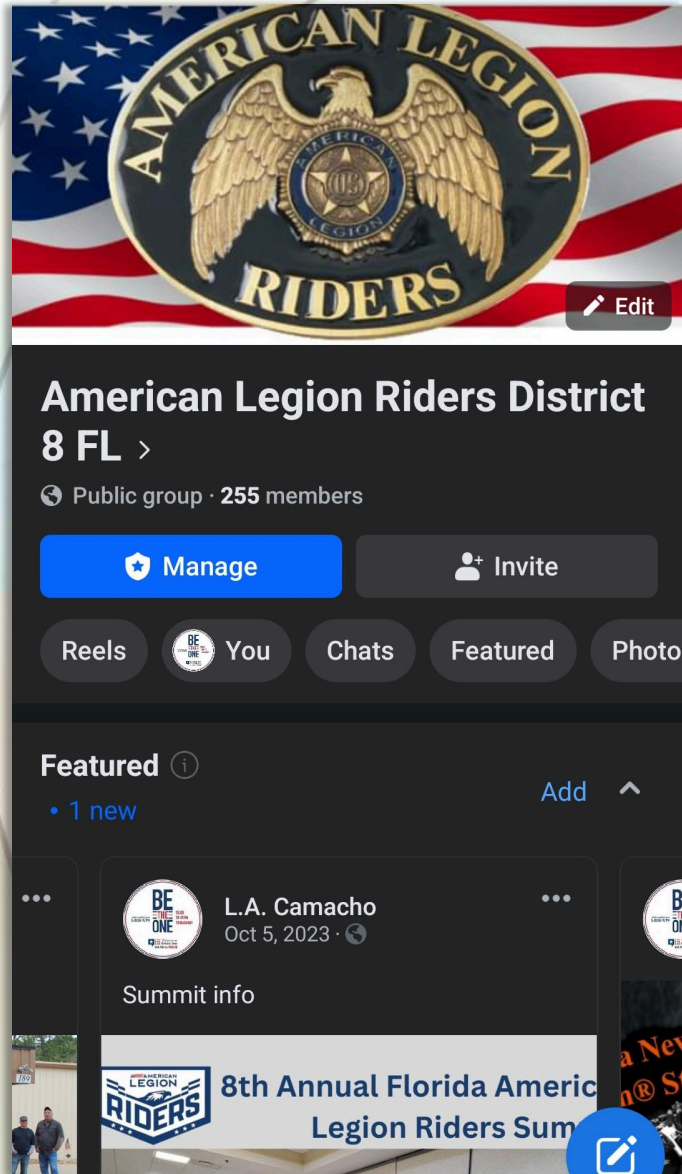
Tips

- Most organizations – banks, companies, etc. - don't ask for your personal information over email. Beware of requests to update or confirm your personal information.
- Do not open attachments, click links, or respond to email messages from unknown senders
- Don't access your personal or banking accounts online from a public computer or kiosk.
- Beware of “free” prizes; if you think an offer is too good to be true, then it probably is.
- Make sure you change your passwords often and avoid using the same password for multiple accounts.
- Install and regularly update software firewall, antivirus, and anti-spyware programs. These programs can help to protect the data on your computer.



Facebook Presence

- Utilizing Social Media via a 'Public' Facebook Group can facilitate an easy access site for members.
- Offers the opportunity to reach out to potential donors and engage with the community.
- An easy and cost-effective way to spread awareness and build a support base.

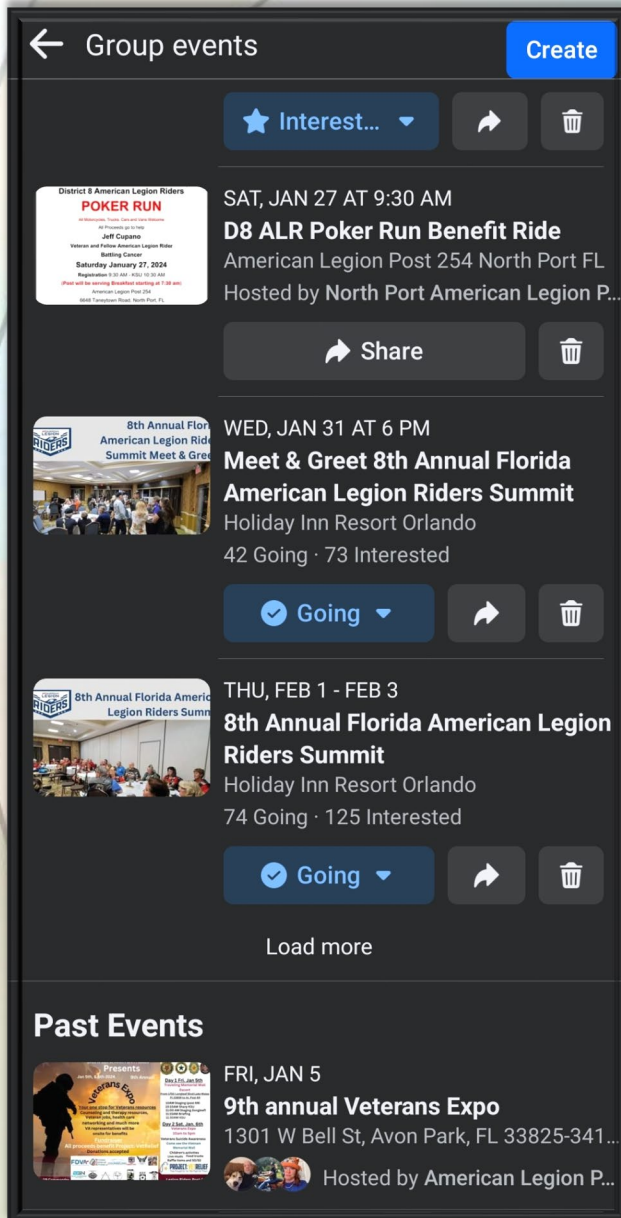


- ✓ Chats
- ✓ Featured News
- ✓ Photos
- ✓ Events
- ✓ Files
- ✓ 'Live' Page



Facebook Events

Creating Events

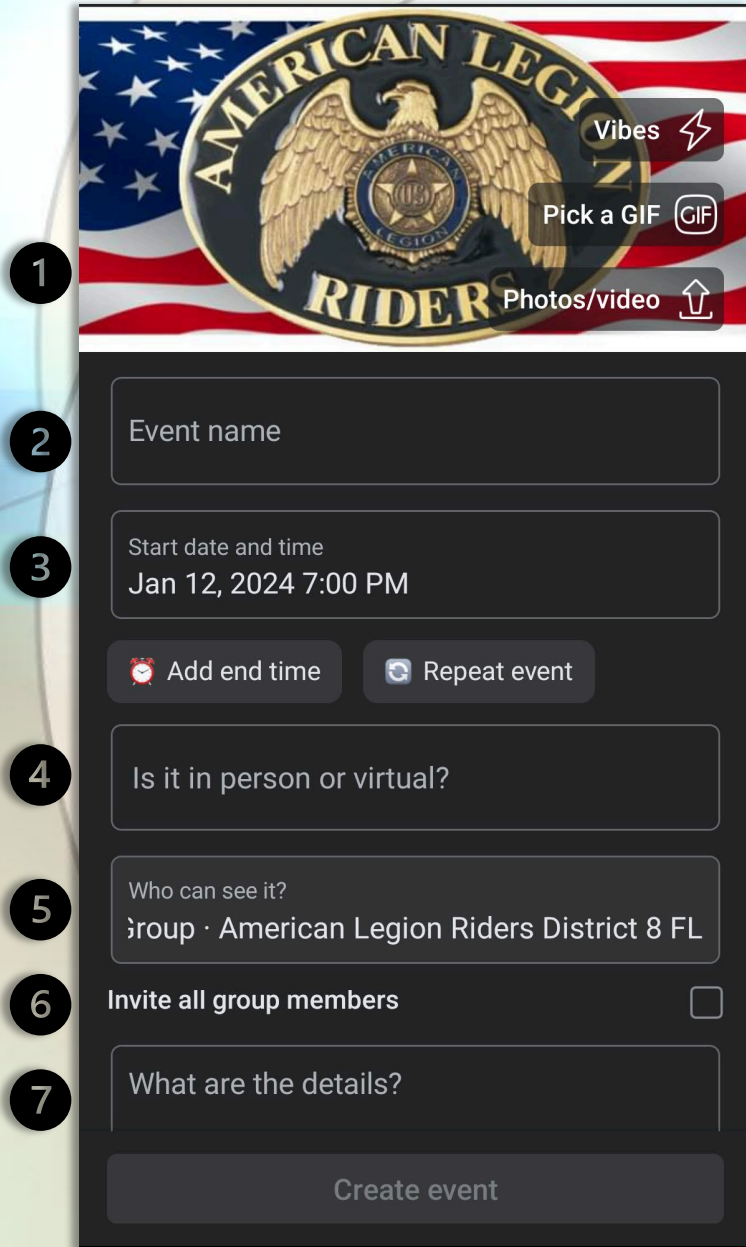


- Events created in the Group are easy to set up
- Provides detailed info about the event
- Flyer is used as the main picture- can print or email
- Provides a sequential order of events for that group
- Events can be shared between groups
- ***Corrections and updates are instant***
- Can show an expected number of participants
- Allows for discussion within the event page
- The event is just as important as setting it up!



EVENT CREATION

- Once you click 'Create Event', the basic information page comes up:
 - Photos/Video – This is where a **DIGITAL** copy of the flyer should be used, allowing anyone to print, download and distribute it.
 - Event Name – Enter as it appears on the flyer.
 - Start Date and Time – Add End Time
 - If it repeats, you can enter that here
 - Is it in person or virtual - Enter the Address of the event! **(Important!)** This will create a map link on the event page.
 - Who can see it? Populates from your group automatically
 - Invite all group members (tick box)– Sends invite once complete.
 - What are the details? – This is where to enter as much information about the event as needed. This helps in case a change needs to be made, edit it here, and wherever it was shared it will be updated as well. One time operation!



The screenshot shows the 'Create Event' form for the American Legion Riders. It features a header with the organization's logo and an American flag background. Below the header, there are seven numbered steps corresponding to the form fields:

- 1** Header area with the American Legion Riders logo and options for 'Vibes', 'Pick a GIF', and 'Photos/video'.
- 2** 'Event name' text input field.
- 3** 'Start date and time' section showing 'Jan 12, 2024 7:00 PM' with buttons for 'Add end time' and 'Repeat event'.
- 4** 'Is it in person or virtual?' dropdown menu.
- 5** 'Who can see it?' dropdown menu showing 'Group · American Legion Riders District 8 FL'.
- 6** 'Invite all group members' checkbox.
- 7** 'What are the details?' text input field.

At the bottom of the form is a 'Create event' button.



VISIT THE WEBSITE AND GROUP PAGES OFTEN!



*If your District has a Website, or FB page, submit the links to
ALR8thDistrict@legionmail.org and we will process adding them
to the Department site*

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QUESTIONS????

