

AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS

Navigating the ALR Website & Web Development



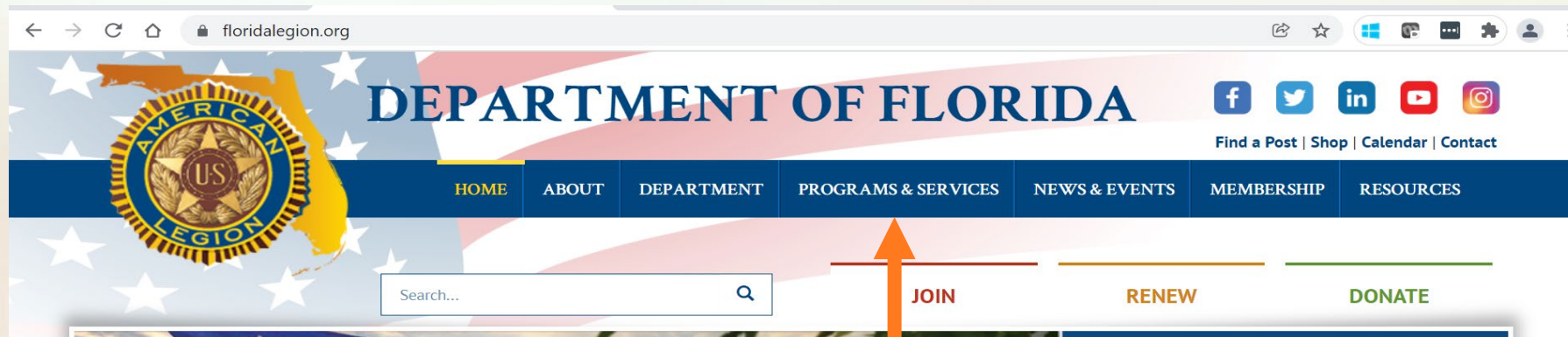
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American Legion Riders Website

- 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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HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS

Highlighted Events

Legacy Ride

POW/MIA Ride

Merry-go-Round

Conference

In-State Unity Ride


Summit & Expo


Round Robin


Convention


Highlighted Events


 **National Legacy Ride**
August 18-22, 2024
[View Event](#)


 **POW/MIA Ceremony & Ride**
September 21, 2024
[View Event](#)


 **Merry Go-Round (C&Y)**
October 1 – November 3, 2024
[View Event](#)

 **Fall Conference**
November 22-24, 2024
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 **Summit**
February 12 – 15, 2025
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 **Round Robin (PVR/SPI)**
April 1 – 30, 2025
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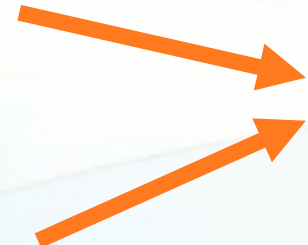
 **In-State Unity Ride & Rally**
April 6-12, 2025
[View Event](#)

 **Department Convention**
June 12-15, 2025
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CAPTURE THE PLAQUE

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Capture the Plaque

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Rules

If you have any questions or concerns, please email to ctp@floridalegion.org. [Click here](#) to download rules.

1. Chapters **MUST** have their own Plaque to play the game.
 - You cannot play "Capture the Plaque" if you do not have your own plaque. You must also register online with the Department, so everyone knows which Chapters are playing.
2. Chapters **MUST** have possession of their plaque to be able to capture another Chapter's plaque.
 - Retrieving your plaque counts as possession.
 - Once you have retrieved your plaque, you must bring it back to your post. You can capture plaques while in transit to your post.
3. Chapters **MUST** have a minimum of 3 ALR Members to retrieve or capture the Plaque.
 - This will allow smaller chapters the opportunity to play.
4. Riders are not required to be on a motorcycle to participate.
 - Cages are always welcome.
 - Weather may present a safety factor.
 - Supporters & Future Riders do not have motorcycles.
5. The Plaque cannot be hidden from potential captures.
 - Once your plaque is on your wall, it must remain there until another Chapter captures it.
6. Plaque must be protected while in transit to avoid any damage.

- **Register your Chapter!**
- **Let's see who's playing the Game!**
- **Helps to know where to ride next!**
- **Participants - listed by District, Chapter #, & City**



CAPTURE THE PLAQUE

Updated Map!

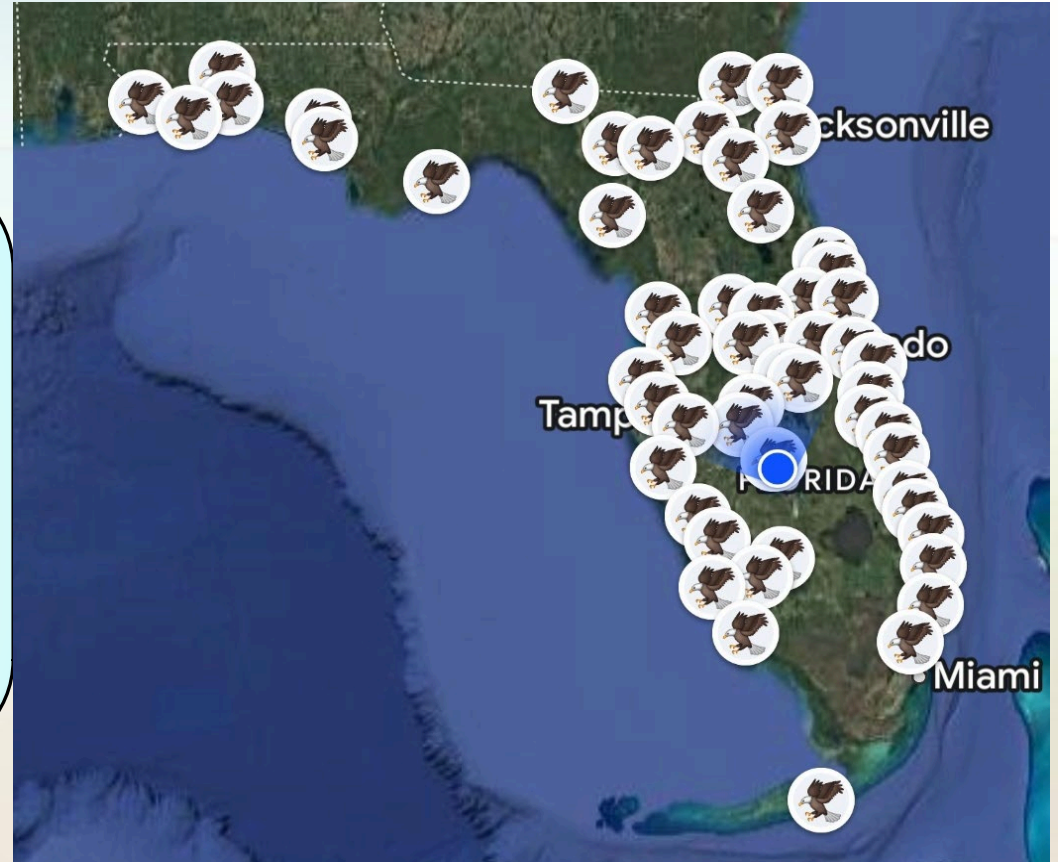
Click on Participants:

Participants

[Register](#) | [Participants](#) | [Participants Map](#) | [Facebook Group](#)

Plan a ride, Capture a Plaque

Post your prize on the 'Capture The Plaque – Florida' FB group.



IN-STATE UNITY RIDE



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The Ride

Supporting *PROJECT: VetRelief Suicide Prevention Initiative*

 **Next In-State Unity Ride & Rally is April 6-12, 2025**

The Florida American Legion Riders will join forces for the In-State Unity Ride from April 7th – 11th. This motorcycle ride will raise awareness and collect donations for PROJECT: VetRelief's Suicide Prevention Initiative.

Routes:

- **The routes have not yet been determined.**

All routes will include a Meet & Greet on Sunday, April 6th. The ride will officially begin the next day (April 7th). Riders will stop at American Legion Posts along the way to collect donations and pay their respects at Veteran Memorial sites to honor our fallen.



Round Robin /Merry-go-Round

**Registration
Made Easier!**

Round Robin

Register

Report Totals

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



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Officer Reporting

Reporting for Officers of the American Legion Riders only.

Chapter Information

Chapter #: *

District: *

Chapter Mailing Address:

Enter a location

Street Address

Address Line 2

City

ZIP Code

Florida

State

Chapter Membership

DUE BY CONVENTION



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End of Year Reporting

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? *

Due May 31, 2025



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Resources

The following resources are the American Legion Riders Program and are subject to change.

▶ 2024 ALR Convention Resources

▶ 2024 ALR Summit Resources

▶ Rider Manual

▶ General Resources

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, 2025.

Attend the Reporting Procedures Class to Learn More!

Your 2023-2024 Chapter of the Year Winners:

- 🏆 Small (6-30 Members) Chapter 157, Margate
- 🏆 Medium (31-60 Members) Chapter 10, Kissimmee
- 🏆 Large (61-100+ Members) Chapter 129, Jacksonville Beach



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← **Capture the Plaque**

← **Get Your Summit Shirts Here!**

← **How to start a Chapter!!**

← **Resources**

← **Photos - submit to: ckolze@floridalegion.org**

← **FL American Legion Calendar**



CALENDAR

SUN
16

■ **Featured** April 16 - April 20

ALR: In-State Unity Ride & Rally

< Previous Events

Next Events >

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!



CYBERSECURITY AWARENESS

WHAT IS CYBERSECURITY

Cybersecurity is the practice of protecting computers, networks, and data from unauthorized access and attacks.



How do you use the Internet?

Have you ever had your identity stolen?

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



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, use of technology, coupled with cyber threats and risks to 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 only; use strong passwords.
- Do not reveal personal information online.
- Avoid opening attachments, clicking on links, or email messages from unknown senders.
- When making online payments, make sure any business you use is legitimate.
- Check your bank and credit card statements monthly for unusual charges.



FRAUD & PHISHING

Fraud is the intentional perversion of truth to induce you to part with something of value.

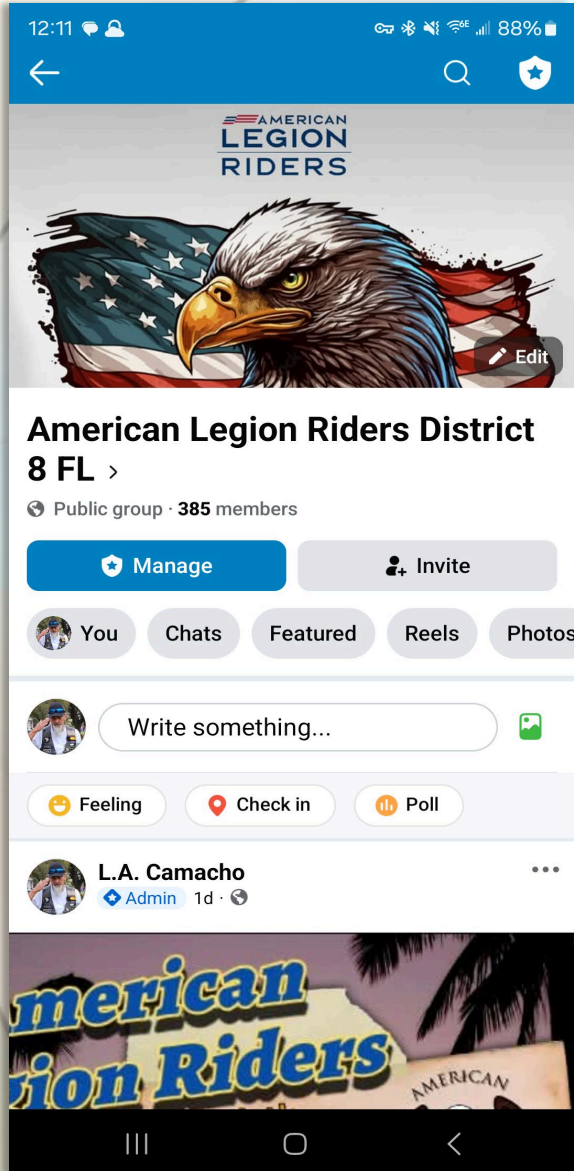
Phishing is a scam where the user is duped into revealing personal or confidential information that can be used illicitly or fraudulently.

Tips

- Most organizations – don't ask for your personal information over email.
- Do not open attachments, click links, or reply 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.
- Change your passwords often and avoid using the same password for all accounts.
- Update software firewall, antivirus, and anti-spyware programs to protect the data on your computer.



Facebook Presence



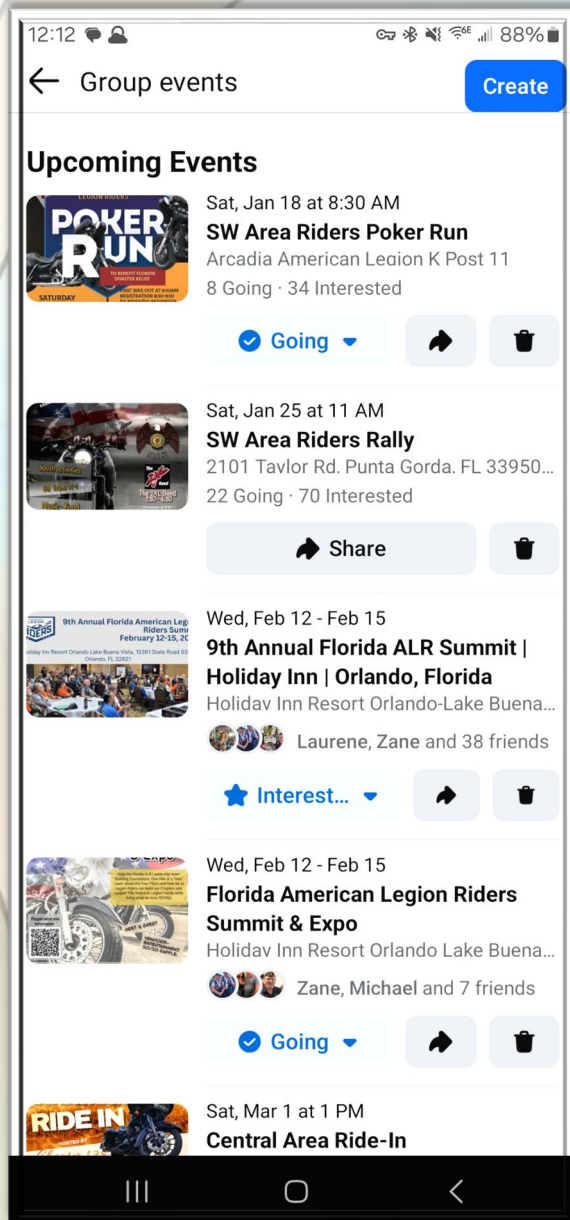
- Utilizing Social Media via a 'Public' Facebook Group can facilitate an easy access site for members.
- Offers the opportunity to reach out to potential donors and engage with the community.
- An easy and cost-effective way to spread awareness and build a support base.

- ✓ 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:
 1. Photos/Video – This is where a **DIGITAL** copy of the flyer should be used, allowing anyone to print, download and distribute it.
 2. Event Name – Enter as it appears on the flyer.
 3. Start Date and Time – Add End Time
 - If it repeats, you can enter that here
 4. Is it in person or virtual - Enter the Address of the event. **(Important!)** This will create a map link on the event page.
 5. Who can see it? Populates from your group automatically
 6. Invite all group members (tick box)– Sends invite once complete.
 7. 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 a mobile app interface for creating an event. At the top, it says 'LEGION RIDERS' next to a bald eagle with an American flag. Below this are three buttons: 'Pick a GIF', 'Gallery', and 'Upload'. A large '1' in a black circle is on the left. Below the image area is a text input field for 'Event name' with a '2' in a black circle. Underneath is a date and time selector showing 'Jan 12, 2025 1:00 PM EST' with a '3' in a black circle. Below that are three buttons: 'Add end time', 'Repeat event', and 'EST'. A text input field for 'Is it in person or virtual?' has a '4' in a black circle. Below that is a dropdown menu for 'Who can see it?' showing 'Group · American Legion Riders District 8 FL' with a '5' in a black circle. Below the dropdown is a checkbox for 'Invite all group members' with a '6' in a black circle. At the bottom is a text input field for 'What are the details?' with a '7' in a black circle. A large 'Create event' button is at the very bottom.



VISIT THE WEBSITE AND GROUP PAGES OFTEN!



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



QUESTIONS????

