

The Military Order of the World Wars



Lieutenant General Troy H. Middleton Chapter - Baton Rouge
Louisiana Military Order of the World Wars Patriotic Education Foundation

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"It is nobler to serve than to be served"

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"Serving Youth, Community & Nation"

MOWW Programs Participation Suggestions. Join us!

The Military Order of the World Wars (MOWW) needs your support. Nationally, we are in danger of losing our Federal tax designation as a Veteran Support Organization. The requirement is to maintain a membership with 75% veterans. As of August 2019, our membership is 75.4% veterans. As you know, our members' ages range from 60s – 90s, with most in their 80s. Some of membership and recruitment issues come from a lack of awareness. At the Baton Rouge chapter level we would like to improve awareness by increasing our service in the community. We need you. Here are some ways you can help bring greater awareness of MOWW in Louisiana.

-Write an article.

-Be aware of scouts in your church or neighborhood and attend Eagle Courts of Honor.

-Offer support to your nearby High School.

-Offer support to your nearby Fire Station and Law Enforcement Substation.

-Offer support to your local charitable or community organization.

-Other opportunities: Massing of the Colors, LSU ROTC Awards, Youth Leadership Conference

-Become a project officer for a national award

-Offer support to your nearby Fire Station and Law Enforcement Substation. If you live near a station, introduce yourself to the local commander and let them know what MOWW offers to develop ways we can collaborate.

-We offer the First Responder of the Year award in January which includes a free dinner for the First Responder and spouse. The Fire Chief or Law Enforcement Chief is also invited to introduce the First Responder. This is a good opportunity for the rank and file to have dinner with their chief. Our chapter annually rotates the recognition between the Baton Rouge Fire Department, the Baton Rouge Police Department and the East Baton Rouge Parish Sheriff's Office.

-You may also honor your neighborhood first responder by inviting them to a free lunch at anytime during the year. You may also present a certificate or memento from MOWW. Attend the police academy and fire academy graduations, take pictures with the graduates and write an article or a short note.

-If you live outside the Greater Baton Rouge Area, we especially would like to honor those first responders in your area and look forward to a lunch or dinner in your area with you and the local First Responders and Law Enforcement. (We have MOWW members in Cottonport, Lafayette, Hammond, Ethel, Prairieville, Plaquemine, Bastrop, Walker)

-- To increase awareness this task allows us to honor first responders and post a plaque of support in their common area. We are generating word of mouth promotion. We would post on social media, send to local, regional and national media outlets and send to the Officer Review.



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January – First Responder/Law Enforcement of the Year

First Tuesday 6:30pm, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

February – Guest Speaker, First Tuesday 11:30 am, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

Junior ROTC Accreditation Inspections

March – Guest Speaker, First Tuesday 11:30 am, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day

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April – Guest Speaker, First Tuesday 11:30 am, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

LSU President's Parade, ROTC Change of Command and Awards Ceremony

Southern University Naval ROTC Awards Ceremony

Region VII Convention in Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi or Missouri

May – Spring Fling at a community venue, First Tuesday 6:30pm

LSU Army and Air Force ROTC Commissioning Ceremony

Southern University Naval ROTC Commissioning Ceremony

LSU Memorial Day Celebration

June - Installation of Officers, First Tuesday 11:30 am, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

Youth Leadership Conference, USS Kidd Veterans Museum, 305 S. River Road, Baton Rouge 70802

July - Passing the Flag, Baton Rouge reception and send off

August – National Convention, first week Tuesday-Saturday

September – Senior ROTC Update, First Tuesday 11:30 am, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

Youth Leadership Conferences in Region VII

October – Guest speaker, First Tuesday 11:30 am, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

November – Youth Leadership Conference student reports, First Tuesday 6:30 pm, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

MOWW Massing of the Colors, 9 am Wednesday before Nov 11th, Parkview Baptist High School gym, 5750

Parkview Church Road, off Jefferson & Airline

Veterans' Day Ceremonies around Baton Rouge

December – Christmas Party, First Tuesday 6:30 pm, Café Americain, 7521 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge 70806

Wreaths Across America

National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

Coast Guard Cutter White Alder Memorial