War Museum Hours:
Saturday - 10AM to 1PM or 1PM to 4PM
Sunday - 1PM to 4PM
A husband/wife team or friends can work together for a 3-hour period once a month.
Contact Travis Galloway 864-395-1117

Color/Honor Guard:
Chuck Rouse, Commander

American Legion Post 3 Color / Honor Guard
Post 3 Color / Honor Guard upcoming activities:

July:	3	Clan McAlister Reunion
	4	David Thomas Veterans Gala 1030 hrs.
	11	Drill Post 3 0930 - 1200 hrs.
August:	1	Drill Post 3 0930 – 1200 hrs.
September:	4	Fountain Inn Football 1830 hrs.
	5	Drill Post 3
	18	Fountain Inn Football 1830 hrs.

For information regarding membership and participation in the Post 3 Color / Honor Guard contact Chuck Rouse c.rouse@earthlink.net **864-423-5372**

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Dinner at 6PM Hamburgers

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Please visit our FaceBook page: **@talpost3,** then **bookmark** and **like** our page.
Post 3 On the web: ***www.talpost3greenvillesc.org***
Information: Post 3, The American Legion Post home is now opened at, 430 N Main Street, Greenville, SC. Our new post email address is **newtalp3sc@outlook.com**
Membership goal for 2025-2026 is 627, we have 557 paid. **We only need 70 renewals or new recruits to reach our goal of 100%.** You may mail your **2025 or 2026 American Legion dues of $60.00** to,

American Legion Post 3
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American Legion Chaplain:
Ric Barnett

Romans 8:28 And we know that all things work together for good for those who love God and are called according to His purpose.

O God, the strength of the weak and the comfort of sufferers, mercifully accept our prayers on behalf of our comrades and loved ones who are ill or shut in. We pray your Spirit visits each need to give comfort and healing.

SICK/INJURED: David Andrews, John Bryant, James Martin, George Chastine, Alfred Zimmerman, Sam Clark, John Vinskus, John Collins, Robert Anderson, Alex Ming, Joe Wood, Garry Tucker, Mason Young, Randal Rainey, Sharon Riley, Thomas G. Smith, Randall Andrews, Travis Galloway, Carol Galloway, Regis "Frenchie" Pontiere, Anne Shafer, Duane Stenzinger, Joseph Cole, John Duncan, Danny Burdette, B. K. Sutton in and out of the hospital.

ASSISTED LIVING: Gilbert Scales, Bobby S Jones

HOME BOUND: Walter Devore, Edward Floyd, Johnny Mitchel, Billy Reynolds, Thomas F Jones, Eddie Saucier, Jeff Taylor, Mike Breland

NURSING HOME: Alvin Johnson, James Binder, Douglas Thomas

Post Everlasting: Leroy Herbert

Supreme Commander of the Universe, this evening as we remember our brother who has transferred to your Holy Post Eternal. We thank you for your immeasurable mercy and grace. We pray that you have welcomed them who served into the realm where there are no more tears, sickness or sorrow. And all of God's soldiers say… AMEN.

Psalm 116:15 Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his faithful servants.

We read these names every month so that we can be a blessing to those who need it most. For those on the lists above, please call them, visit them, and pray for them. If you personally know any of these brothers and sisters in arms, I ask that you give them a call or visit. Contact from a friend is much more impactful than from a stranger… even a strange chaplain. BE THE ONE!

If there are any updates or additions to these lists, please contact a Chaplain:
Ric Barnett – Chaplain – (864) 477-8225
Ed Brannen – Assistant Chaplain – (864) 970-9934

American Legion Auxiliary Flag Memorial – The Original Entrance to Camp Sevier

American Legion Auxiliary:
Beth Bryant, President

Greetings,

Carol Burrell has stepped down as Unit 3 President after being elected 2026–2027 Junior Vice President for the Department of South Carolina and Department Leadership Chairman. Thank you, Carol for your six years of service as president of Unit #3. Great job!

I have accepted the role of your president. I am looking forward to a busy and productive year.

June was a busy month. We had the concession stand at the Warbirds games, Palmetto Girls State, National Veterans Creative Arts Festival and National President, Pam Ray's visit. We have a couple of weeks to catch our breath, then we start July off with Operation Homefront Dollar Tree school supply drive.

Have a happy and safe 250th 4th of July.

We have our Auxiliary Pillow Party on July 12th at 2:30 at post 3.

For Service Not Self, Beth Bryant, President, Unit 3 Greenville, Contact info 941-258-5886, email, e_abrams_98@yahoo.com

Please like us on our Facebook page at Unit #3 -American Legion Auxiliary-Greenville, South Carolina

Donate directly to the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 3 in Greenville, SC using VENMO. Via VENMO: look for charities and enter @post3-auxiliary or use the QR code.

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American Legion Rider

Kevin Smith, Director

I want to welcome two new members to our august Band of Brothers and Sisters. Everyone please welcome Don and Rhonda, both post 3 members.
In June, Rocky, our road captain, not the flying squirrel, took the crew on a ride for lunch and wind (in our hair) at Lake Greenwood. Our FB page has pics.
There is a Warbirds baseball appreciation effort from the Riders at the Furman field. Try to attend the games to support our team and admire the shiny motorcycles.
Remember to be safe out on the road, motorcycles are everywhere.
We meet the first Thursday of each month at a different restaurant venue around the upstate. We have done this since Covid, to support local businesses, for the camaraderie (and the food), and to enable riders that cannot always ride long distances to meet up locally.
Kevin R. Smith, Director, 954-701-4897, The American Legion Riders, Chapter 3, Greenville, SC

Ways to Help

- Work a shift at the Post 3 Museum (contact Travis)
- Call a fellow Vet (Be The One)
- Recruit a veteran to Post 3
- Collect soda (or beer) pull tabs for the Ronald McDonald House

Sons of the American Legion (SAL):

Jimmy Kruse, Commander

Hello again. I hope everyone is doing well. We are planning a flag retirement prep party very soon. We will be taking the flags apart and getting them ready for retirement. Please watch your email and American Legion Facebook page. I would also like to start the 3rd Sunday of each month and have the SAL take care of the museum. Think it would be great to greet people and represent the SAL. Please let me know if you have an activity you would like to do that will help the SAL grow and get reengaged. Thanks, Jimmy Kruse SAL Commander, (864)561-8939, kruse199@hotmail.com

Happy Birthday to *our members with Birthdays in July*

Most Senior Member James Counts 95 years old
Youngest Member Richard Silva 47 years old
TAL: *Edward Butler 7/2, Philip DeCallejon 7/2, David Clark 7/3, William Watson 7/5, Bill Fessenden 7/5, Thomas Gibbons 7/5, John Rice 7/6, Thomas Dowell 7/7, Lewis Baker 7/8, John Davis 7/8, William Walker 7/8, Carl Melton 7/9, Stephen Stucker 7/9, James White 7/11, Larry Day 7/13, Newman Massey 7/13,Daniel Wilson 7/14, Waco Childers 7/15, Henry Harris 7/15, Rob Clayborn 7/15J. Ron Campbell 7/15, Samuel Jones 7/16, Richard Silva 7/16, O. Frank Kirkman 7/17, John Riley 7/17, Alan Dabney 7/17, Gerald Molis 7/17, William Browning 7/18, James Vest 7/20, Thelmus Rhodes 7/21, David Rogers 7/22, David Willett 7/22, Clare Bush 7/23, James Hicks 7/23, Ira Williams 7/24, Raymond Salinas 7/24, Gilbert Willard 7/25, John Bryant 7/25, Thomas Shaw 7/25, Walter Wysko 7/26, Greg Castle 7/26, Norman Cox 7/28, Walter Devoe 7/28, Lynn Lenoir 7/28, James counts 7/29, Greig Bacsal 7/29, Duane Stenzinger 7/30, Paul Graner 7/31, and Debra Wilfong 7/31.*
SAL: *Craig Patterson 7/24.*
ALA: *Edith Crouch 7/1, Charlotte Haas 7/3, Michelle Vlaich Lee 7/4, Lennox Jacobs 7/8, Sophia Collins 7/9, Marjorie Davenport 7/9, Suzanne McRae 7/10, Billie Pearson 7/10, Louise Few 7/14, Kathleen Hills 7/19, Emily Smith7/20, Jaylynn Davis 7/21, Evelyn Rasha 7/23, Verna Morrow 7/24, Katherine Pepper 7/25, and Bobbie Anderson 7/28.*
These are all the birthdays we have on file for the month of July.

Coming Events

The Blake retirement home, on Woodruff Road, on the 4th Tuesday of each month for coffee and donuts
07/02/26 - 6:00 pm Legion Riders Meeting
07/04/26 - Happy 250th Independence Day
07/07/26 - 7:00 pm Warbirds vs Greenwood at Furman University
07/12/26 - 2:30 pm Auxiliary Pillow Party, Post 3
07/14/26 - 6:00 pm TAL Executive Committee
07/21/26 - 6:00 pm Legion Family Dinner
7:00 pm American Legion Meeting
7:00 pm American Legion Auxiliary Meeting
07/28/26 - 2:30 pm The Blake to visit Post 3
08/08/26 - 9:00 am Litter Pick up
08/06/26 - 6:00 pm Legion Riders Meeting
08/11/26 - 6:00 pm TAL Executive Committee
08/15/26 - 9:00 – 11:00 am Legion Family Breakfast
08/21/26 - 6:00 pm Legion Family Dinner
7:00 pm American Legion Meeting
7:00 pm American Legion Auxiliary Meeting
08/25/26 - 2:30 pm The Blake
09/03/26 - 6:00 pm Legion Riders Meeting
09/08/26 - 6:00 pm TAL Executive Committee
09/15/26 - 6:00 pm Legion Family Dinner
7:00 pm American Legion and Auxiliary Meeting

From the Command Corner

Commander - Rebecca Conover (gvlscp3@gmail.com / 443-745-3097)
1st Vice Commander - Lee Ervin (doervin@gmail.com / 864-569-2183)

Happy 250th Independence Day! Thank you for the opportunity to lead the Post. We begin this year with the move to our new location drawing nearer. By this time next year, we expect to be in our new building. Your leadership team will keep you informed as much as possible. We will be working on updating our by-laws and other changes for the betterment of the post. Our membership year begins in July, so get your memberships in as early as possible. Your membership helps make it possible for the American Legion to have a strong voice on behalf of all veterans at the federal level.

At the June meeting Post 3 recognized Kirk Conover as our Legionnaire of the Year. We are grateful for all his hard work and dedication to the Post and American Legion baseball. Go Warbirds! Our thanks to District Commander Rick Gibson and his wife for attending our meeting. Commander Gibson gave the oath of office to our new leadership team for 2026/2027.

James F. Daniel Post 3 was established on 30 July 1919. This is our 107th year.

Join us at Post on the 4th of July at 2:50pm to ring bells to celebrate the nation's 250th Independence. Bring your own bell! Bells will ring across the nation to honor our nation's founding. If you cannot make it to post, step outside and listen for the bells!

Our next Hat Rally will be at Stax near Cherrydale, 1704 Poinsett Highway, Greenville 11:30 on 7 July. Wear your Legion cover or shirt and bring your stories!

We will welcome the Warbirds team and coaches at our July meeting. Please take time to meet them during dinner and thank these young men for their good sportsmanship and for representing Post 3.

**District 13 Commander Rick Gibson Installing New Leadership,
Commander Rebecca Conover and 1st Vice Commander Lee Ervin for 2026-2027.**

**Pictured left to right Jeff Crouch, Adjutant, Mac McKinney Outgoing Post Commander
and Kirk Conover Legionnaire of the Year for 2025-2026**