

American Legion Riders

The Spartanburg American Legion Post No. 28 is proud to announce the presentation of a State charter to their Post which establishes a new chapter of the American Legion Riders (ALR). Post No. 28 is the thirteenth American Legion Post in South Carolina to receive this charter.



The American Legion Riders is an association of men and women Veterans and other Patriots who wish to continue the special bond which is shared by those who serve their country. The ALR are members of the American Legion who are also motorcycle enthusiasts. They can be found participating in parades, taking part in motorcycling events and supporting the communities in which they live, work and play. Members of the ALR come from the Legion, the Legion Auxiliary and the Sons of the American Legion. The American Legion Riders were formed to:

- Participate in parades and other ceremonies that are in keeping with the aims and purposes of the American Legion
- Provide motorcycle safety programs to the public and provide a social atmosphere for American Legion members who share the same interest in riding motorcycles
- Use our Association to promote and support programs of the American Legion
 - The American Legion Riders is not a motorcycle club (M/C) and we do not practice M/C rules or regulations
 - The American Legion Riders is family-oriented, just as is it's parent organization, the American Legion

American Legion Riders chapters are well known for their charitable work, which has raised hundreds of thousands of dollars for local childrens hospitals, schools, veterans homes, severely wounded service members and youth scholarships. Annually, since 2006, Riders nationwide have participated in the Legion Legacy Run to raise money for The Legacy Scholarship Fund. The fund was established to provide scholarships to children of U.S. military personnel killed in action since September 11, 2001.

Post No. 28 American Legion Riders membership is open to any Legion member, regardless of Post affiliation. The eligibility requirements are as follows:

- Members must hold membership in and be in good standing with the American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary or Sons of the American Legion
- Members must be legally registered motorcycle owners or be the legally registered owners spouse within the state of registration
- All operators must be properly licensed and insured per state laws
- All members must obey motor vehicle laws in the state in which they are operating the motorcycle or riding as a passenger