



**UPCOMING EVENTS FOR NKY CHAPTER 5
AND PARTNERING ASSOCIATIONS**

April 27, 2010.....meeting with City of Florence 7 p.m. to greet and welcome five military personnel from the City's adopted unit through America Supporting Americans. The military group is B company, 101 Airborne Division, 2nd Brigade, 502nd Infantry Unit. The unit consist of 134 male soldiers out of Ft. Campbell, KY and will be deployed to Afghanistan late spring for 12 months.
We (BSM) will be presenting the five military personnel with our "BSM In Service to Country Pin". RSVP sent to Lorene are very important.

April 28, 2010....meeting with City of Florence 9:30 a.m.

April 28, 2010..... fundraiser to be held at Maxs & Erma in Crestview Mall, must have a coupon to present to your server in order for our local chapter to receive any funds from the fundraiser

MAY IS MAD MONTH.....Military Appreciation Month

The entire month of May is National Military Appreciation Month. Armed Forces Day is celebrated annually on the third Saturday of May. Armed Forces Week begins on the second Saturday of May and ends on the third Sunday of May, the day after Armed Forces Day. The Friday before Mother's Day (May 7, 2010) is Military Spouses Day... Military Spouses Day is a day to recognize and honor the spouses of our soldiers. This day recognizes the contributions made by military spouses to the spirit and well being of soldiers and military communities. This year, unfortunately, it is especially appropriate as so many have a spouse serving in the war.

May 1, 2010..... KY Derby Party sponsored by Chapter 2 BSM in Lexington. \$5.00 per person, RSVP is necessary. Call Lorene for more details, deadline is April 27.

May 8, 2010.....Gold Star Mother Memorial Unveiling, Union Township, Clermont County 1 – 3 p.m. Several of us will be going in a group, please join us!

May 15, 2010....Armed Forces Day, letters will be mailed out to each veteran, military son, daughter, and/or husband that Lorene has an address for. As always, if you pass a soldier on the street take a moment to thank him for your freedom.

May 31, 2010.....MARK YOUR CALENDAR, BIG BIG DAY, DETAILS COMING

June 14, 2010.....Military Burial and ceremony at Kentucky Veterans Cemetery Central in Radcliff, KY. God bless the MAIP Investigators & Volunteers for finding and recovering the 32 abandoned veterans & 9 veterans wives cremated remains.
Please join with the NKY BSMA Chapter 5 and many other organizations as we pay homage to this event. For more info contact Lorene.
THEY WERE LOST, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN.

June 14, 2010.....Flag Day
August 00, 2010.....Purple Heart Day
August 00, 2010....Candlelight Vigil @ Florence Government Center
November 00, 2010.....tentatively scheduled for the week prior to or the week after November 11th. Chapter 5 will participate at the Florence Golden Corral in honoring and serving our military.
November 11, 2010.....
December 12, 2010.....Ceremony and laying of the Wreaths Across America at the VA Cemetery North, Williamstown, KY