

# Memorial Day

Monday, May 27, 2024

## 2024 RIDE TO REMEMBER HALL OF HEROES

SGT Keith



SGT Faulkner



SGT Deckard



Sgt. Mennemeyer



PFC Seig



SSgt. Montgomery



SGT Booker



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SPC Wilcox IV



SGT Peney



SPC Salmon



CPL Turpen



CPL Bishop



LCPL Hogan



CPL Spears



LCPL Koenig



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Army SGT Chad L. Keith, 21 Batesville, IN • 07/07/2003  
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Army SGT Matthew L. Deckard, 29 Corydon, IN • 09/16/2005  
Army SGT Steven Mennemeyer, 26, Granite City, IL • 08/08/2006  
Army PFC Anthony P. Seig, 19 Sunman, IN • 09/09/2006  
Army SSGT Robert J. Montgomery, 29 Scottsburg, IN • 05/22/2007  
Army SGT Kenneth "KR" Booker, 25 Vevay, IN • 11/14/2007  
Army NG SPC Jonathan D. Menke, 22 Madison, IN • 08/04/2008

NG SPC Carlos E. Wilcox IV, 27 Cottage Grove, MN • 07/16/2009  
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Army SGT Jonathan K. Peney, 22 Ft. Lauderdale, FL • 06/01/2010  
Marine CPL John C. Bishop, 25 Columbus, IN • 09/08/2010  
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Marine LCPL Hunter "HD" Hogan, 21 Norman, IN • 06/23/2012  
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## 2024 MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES

### Versailles Area Services:

On Saturday, May 25 at 11:00 a.m., the Versailles American Legion will gather at the Post Home and then proceed to Cliff Hill Cemetery to place flags on the graves of all veterans. Anyone who would like to help is welcome.

On Sunday, May 26, they will meet to schedule a series of honor activities at several local cemeteries commencing at 9:15 a.m. on Sunday. The schedule is as follows: Elrod – 9:15 a.m.; Marble Corner – 9:30 a.m.; Tanglewood – 9:45 a.m.; Holton – 10:00 a.m.; New Marion – 10:15 a.m.; Shelby – 10:30 a.m.; Benham – 10:45 a.m.; Olean – St. Paul’s – 11:00 a.m.; Olean – St. Peter’s – 11:15 a.m.; Akers – Friendship – 11:30 a.m.; Dewberry - St. Paul’s Lutheran - 11:45 a.m.; Cross Plains – 12:15 p.m.; Salem – 12:30 p.m.; Westfork – 1:00 p.m.; Grandview Memorial Gardens – 1:15 p.m. In keeping with tradition, all veterans are encouraged to join in the annual parade through town, which will begin at 10:00 a.m. on Memorial Day, Monday, May 27. Transportation will be provided from the legion to the cemetery. Following this service there will be a march to the Ripley County Veterans Memorial for service honoring our veterans. At 1:00 p.m. a picnic will be held at the American Legion Park for all Legion Members and their families.

Memorial Day holds a special place in the hearts of all veterans and their families especially in these turbulent times, and we encourage all of you to be a part of these ceremonies.

### Sunman Area Services:

The members of the Kenneth L. Diver Post #337 of Sunman will meet at the post home on Monday, May 27 at 7:45 a.m. Grave site memorial services will be held at the following cemeteries: 8:00 a.m. St. John’s Lutheran (Hubbles); 8:15 a.m. St. John’s Church of Christ (Penntown); 8:30 a.m. St. Stephens Lutheran (Spades); 8:45 a.m. St. Nicholas Catholic; 9:15 a.m. Little Memory Cemetery; 9:30 a.m. Adams Lutheran; 9:45 a.m. St. Pius Catholic; 10:15 a.m. Zion Lutheran - (Manchester); 10:30 a.m. St. Stephens Cemetery (Busse); 10:45 a.m. Seig Family Memorial; and 11:00 a.m. St. Paul United Methodist (Sunman).

### Osgood & Napoleon Area Services:

Commander Dustin Peetz of the William A. Gilland American Legion Post #267, Osgood, has announced the schedule of services at area cemeteries on Sunday, May 26. The first stop will be at the St. John’s Catholic Cemetery, Osgood, at 7:45 a.m.; Perseverance at 8:00 a.m.; Delaware at 8:15 a.m.; Mud Pike at 8:35 a.m.; Finks at 9:00 a.m.; Booker Napoleon at 9:20 a.m.; County Line at 9:30 a.m.; Napoleon Lutheran at 9:50 a.m.; Napoleon Catholic at 10:10 a.m.; Millhousen Catholic at 10:30 a.m.; Flat Rock at 10:50 a.m.; Hopewell at 11:10 a.m.; Dabney at 11:20 a.m.; Otter Creek at 11:40 a.m.; and Greendale at 11:50 a.m.

### Milan Area Services:

The commander of the American Legion Post #235, Milan, gives the following schedule for Memorial Day, Monday, May 27, for the visits to the cemeteries in the Milan community: Pleasant Hill, 10:30 a.m.; Stringtown, 10:45 a.m.; New Cravens 11:00 a.m.; Milan Flag, 11:30 a.m.; Col. Canfield (Buddy) Boone Memorial - Darren Baker Park 11:45 a.m.; Old Milan, 12:00 p.m.; Old German Lutheran, 12:15 p.m.; Prattsburg, 12:30 p.m.; St. Paul’s - Stumpke’s Corner, 12:45 p.m.; Pilgrim Home Church (Franklin Cemetery) 1:00 p.m.; and Ripley Crossing, 1:15 p.m. Participants meet at the Legion Post at 10:00 a.m. Following the services the Legion Auxiliary will serve lunch.

### Batesville Area Services:

Batesville Veterans of Foreign War Post #3183 and American Legion Post #271 Honor Guards will hold Memorial Day Ceremonies at local cemeteries on Monday, May 27. The schedule is as follows: 8:00 a.m. – Holy Family Cemetery, Oldenburg; 8:30 a.m. – St. Anthony Cemetery, Morris; 9:00 a.m. – St. Marks Cemetery, Batesville; 9:30 a.m. – St. Johns Cemetery, Huntersville; 10:00 a.m. – St. Louis and Methodist Cemeteries, Batesville; 11:00 a.m. – Liberty Park Pavilion, Batesville. The Community Event is following at Liberty Park at 11:00 a.m. All Veterans and families are welcome to attend the luncheon at the VFW Post #3183 after the community event at the park





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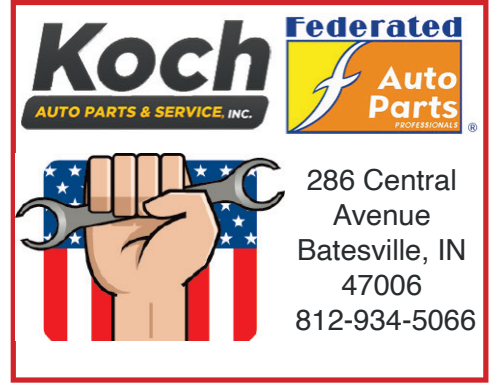


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- 1:30PM **LUNCH AT VARIOUS FAST FOOD**  
MADISON- DEPART AT 2:15
- 2:45PM **ARMY NATIONAL GUARD SPECIALIST JONATHAN D. MENKE**  
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