



American Legion  
Rhein Main Post GR05  
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Rhein Main / Berlin Airlift Memorial, or Luftbrückendenkmal

**Jan 2019**

Rhein Main Post GR05 received Temporary Charter on Oct. 18, 1972 then received their permanent charter on Apr 6 1973 in the German State of Hessen. GR05 has contribute various Donations to Organizations such as Fisher House, CWF and Legacy Fund. Also, our Past Cdr Ron Moore had ridden the Legion Riders Run held in the United Sates.

**Post Commander: Santos Alvarado, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander: Quincy Foster, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander: Empty Adjutant: Lewis Pullum, Finance Officer: Santos Alvarado (Appointed), Service Officer: Quincy Foster (Appointed), Chaplain: John Jones, Historian: Empty, Sergeant of Arms: Juan Barrenchea**

**Executive Committee  
Ron Epps, Ernie Cojoe, Michael Blood, Dallas Smith, Walter Becker**

### COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

If you have not renewed your 2019 membership dues, please pay them as soon as possible. 3 options are available online by going to [mylegion.org](http://mylegion.org), setup an account using your Membership number, by check mailed to our address or bank transfer to the Post account. We prefer payment by [mylegion.org](http://mylegion.org).

Welcome 2019, I hope everyone enjoyed the Holidays with their Family and Friends, cherish the good times that you had and memorize them. This year brings a future for the Post, we have many new Legionaries that joined, many bring good ideas they are willing to share. This year we want to get involved in the local community, this will be discussed at the Meetings.

This month we also celebrate the birthday Martin Luther King, an American Baptist minister and activist who became the most visible spokesperson and leader in the civil rights movement from 1954 until his death in 1968. Born in Atlanta, King is best known for advancing civil rights through nonviolence and civil disobedience, tactics his Christian beliefs and the nonviolent activism of Mahatma Gandhi helped inspire. Here is a short video, thanks to Comrade Krueger  
<https://youtu.be/x06dBu5MKC8>

The Women's Auxiliary meeting will be having theirs at 1 pm.

Post meeting will be held on Saturday @ 2 pm, 12 Jan 19 at the Bistro Blitz on Am Oberwald.2  
64546 Walldorf

All members are asked to arrive at least 30 mins early for social hour, as the Meeting starts promptly at 2 pm.

If you intend to be late call me at 015114959970 , also will available by Skype on [rheimaingr05](https://www.skype.com/join/05rheimaingr).  
Please RSVP your intentions

### Calendar of Events/ This Day in History

Jan 19

1 Jan: Happy New Year Welcome 2019

1 Jan 1863: President Abraham Lincoln issues the Emancipation Proclamation, calling on the Union army to liberate all slaves in states still in rebellion as "an act of justice, warranted by the Constitution, upon military necessity."

10 Jan 1923: Four years after the end of World War I, President Warren G. Harding orders U.S. occupation troops stationed in Germany to return home.

15 Jan 1943: The Pentagon, headquarters of the U.S. Department of Defense, was dedicated.

21 Jan Martin Luther King Jr Day; commemorates the birthday of American civil rights leader Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. (Federal Holiday)

24 Jan 1908: Lieutenant General Robert Baden-Powell publishes "Scouting for Boys" as a manual for self- instruction in outdoor skills and self-improvement. The book becomes the inspiration for the Boy Scout Movement.

27 Jan 1973: The Paris Peace Accords are signed by officials from the United States and North Vietnam, bringing an official end to America's participation in its most unpopular foreign war.

31 Jan 1865: The U.S. House of Representatives passes the 13th Amendment to the Constitution, abolishing slavery in the United States.

Rhein Main Post GR05 Son's of the American Legion



Coming Soon

American Legion's Auxiliary



American Legion's Rider



**In the News**

**We welcome our newest Members to GR05**

**Comrade Stacey Krueger  
Comrade Steven Swiger  
Comrade Joseph Davis  
Comrade David Cobb  
Comrade Albert Puhmann**

**TAPS/Injuries**

**Comrade Joe Davis: Rehab clinic**

**Comrade David Cobb: Rehab Clinic**

**Post Adjutant Lewis Pullum: Recovering from knee surgery replacement**

**Please submit any announcements or items for the newsletter to Stacey Krueger, Editor.  
Request must be submitted no later than by the 20th of the month for the next Edition  
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