

February 21, 2023

VFW DEPARTMENT OF SC DISTRICT 5 - MEETING AGENDA
SATURDAY March 4, 2023, - Indian Land Post 12136

- **OPENING COMMENTS:**

1. Welcome - D5 Membership and Department Rep. Dept. QM Ella Calvert
2. Housekeeping Items: Silence Cell Phones/No Personal Conversation Focus on Presenter
3. Sign Meeting Attendance Sheet
4. Host Post 12136 - THANK YOU
5. Safety Briefing - Personal Surroundings Awareness

- **DISTRICT 5 MEETING OPENING CEREMONY**

1. **Meeting Script**

2. **Old Business**

Summarize and Approve D5 Minutes from 12-3-22 Mtg. QM - Ending 2nd Qtr.2023
Obtain New 2023 Revised Podium Books (suggested min no. - Cmdr/Ad)
Complete and Submit annual 990-N or 990 EZ and SC Public Charity renewal forms
Follow up of IRS forms 8718 and 1024 to reinstate Post Tax Exempt status

3. **New Business**

As Needed

- **Good of the Order**

1. Department Representative Comments
2. Conduct Second D5 Round Table Discussion Reporting - See Discussion Outline

- **Closing Ceremony**

1. Next D5 Convention/Meeting - May 6, 2023, at Post 2889, Rock Hill, SC
2. Dept of SC Convention - June 16-19 at Embassy Suites, Columbia, SC.
3. Nat'l Convention in Phoenix, AZ, July 22-27, See Nat'l web site for agenda

ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION OUTLINE - Second

- Monthly Post Activities
- Current membership percentage - recruitment - retention
- Planned Post Activities for Memorial Day period
- Post Nominations and Election Process
- Post Delegate Strength and Dues to Dept.
- 2023 Podium Book Change – Post Chaplain is now an appointed vice elected position

SC District 5 as of Thursday, February 23, 2023

State	Post	Dst	Life	New	Reinst	Cont	Total	Adjusted Prior Year	Percent	Div	RS	City	State	N/R LM	Prior Annual	Retention	N/R %
42	2889	5	225	2	2	26	255	274	93.07%	4		ROCK HILL	SC	1	49	55.10%	1.82 %
42	3746	5	89	11	0	71	171	169	101.18%	6		ROCK HILL	SC	5	96	87.50%	9.47 %
42	5928	5	36	0	0	4	40	42	95.24%	11		CAMDEN	SC	0	7	57.14%	0.00 %
42	5936	5	35	0	0	2	37	39	94.87%	11		LANCASTER	SC	0	5	40.00%	0.00 %
42	6381	5	16	0	0	2	18	20	90.00%	11		HICKORY GROVE	SC	0	4	50.00%	0.00 %
42	6732	5	34	1	0	11	46	46	100.00%	11		CLOVER	SC	1	12	100.00%	4.35 %
42	8990	5	32	0	0	4	36	37	97.30%	11		WESTVILLE	SC	0	5	80.00%	0.00 %
42	9138	5	105	0	2	20	127	133	95.49%	7		FORT MILL	SC	1	29	68.97%	2.26 %
42	12136	5	123	2	0	27	152	178	85.39%	6		INDIAN LAND	SC	1	60	51.67%	1.69 %
District Total			695	16	4	167	882	938	94.02%	5				9	0		3.09 %

ANNUAL MILITARY HISTORICAL COMMEMORATIVE TRIBUTE DATES

- Jan 27 Vietnam Peace Accord signed, 1973
- Feb 15 USS Maine Sinking, 1898
- Feb 28 Operation Desert Storm - Liberation of Kuwait begins, 1991
- Mar 24 Kosovo Campaign begins, 1999
- Mar 31 Operation Restore Hope in Somalia ends, 1995
- May 01 Loyalty Day
- May 08 VE Day - German Unconditional Surrender signed. 1945
- May 30 Memorial Day
- Jun 06 D Day Allied Invasion of Europe, 1944
- Jun 14 Flag day
- Jul 04 Independence Day
- Jul 27 Korean Armistice signed, 1953
- Aug 27 Operation Iraqi Freedom ends, 2010
- Sep 02 VJ Day Japan Surrenders , 1945 WWII fighting ends
- Sep 11 Patriots Day
- Sep - 3rd Fri POW/MIA Recognition Day
- Oct 09 Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan begins, 2001
- Oct 18 Recognition Day for Women in Military Service
- Nov 11 Veterans Day - World I Armistice signed , 1918
- Dec 07 Pearl Harbor Day, 1941

NOTES: Highlighted dates are the more well-known and celebrated ones

Other lesser-known dates can be established on Wikipedia

Write up information for some of these commemorative dates are provided on VFW National Web site