



## The Next Meeting Will Be on Saturday, 21 May Assemble at 1130; meal at 1200

at

### Clarksville Regional Airport (Outlaw Field)

200A Outlaw Field Road (GPS: 36°37.304'N 87°25.177'W)

### Speaker: Mrs. Mary Collier

Former attorney and researcher, now a legal broker and a  
Subject Matter Expert on the  
**Number 1 crime in the USA - Identity Theft.**

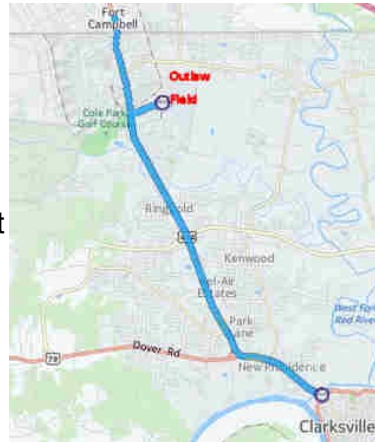
**Directions from Clarksville:** From the intersection of N. 2nd Street. and Riverside Drive, follow Providence Blvd / Ft. Campbell Blvd. northward for 6.7 miles to Airport Rd

**Option from the North:** Follow Fort Campbell Blvd southward 2.5 miles past Gate 4 to Airport Rd.

**Both Options:** Follow Airport Rd. for 0.7 miles to the Airport. The meeting will be in the Terminal building, upstairs in Conference Room A. An elevator is available

**Meal:** Margie Crain Buffet—Menu Details not Available

**Cost:** \$18 per person, includes gratuity



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[Chair, Personal Affairs Committee]

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### Chapter Policy on Luncheon Reservations

When reservations are made for Chapter meetings, commitments are made to the restaurant/meeting place to pay for the number of reservations reported. If you make a reservation and then later determine you cannot attend, please call your reservation chairperson as soon as possible. **If you are unable to give sufficient notice of your cancellation, please send a check for the appropriate amount to P.O. Box 3569, Clarksville, TN 37043-3569.**

## PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS



President Ivan Adames

Winston Churchill said, ***“Success is not final, failure is not fatal: It is the courage to continue that counts.”*** The continuing efforts following the Consolidated Veterans Coalition Day on Capitol Hill in Nashville, has succeeded in repealing the Income-Cap portion of legislation for disabled veterans on property taxes. We, along with the Montgomery County Veterans Coalition, are setting plans for a 2<sup>nd</sup> Consolidated Veterans Coalition Day on **February 8, 2017**.

In May, we are continuing to present MOAA Awards to ROTC and JROTC cadets at Murray State University and several local High Schools. During Memorial weekend, the Chapter is supporting the **Vietnam Veterans Candlelight Vigil** and two **Memorial Day Wreath Ceremonies**. See the website for details

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee met at Shoney's on Wilma Rudolph Blvd. Major topics of discussion included: venues and speakers for upcoming meetings, the menu for the May meeting, new members and the need to recruit more, ads for the next Member Directory, plans for upcoming Memorial Day activities, the donation of water in support of the JROTC 5k run, the presentation of MOAA Awards to ROTC and JROTC Cadets, the next ladies' luncheon (see below), transportation to upcoming State Council meetings in Lebanon, TN and Ft. Knox, KY. MAJ Fivecoat reminded the Committee that we need to find a replacement Secretary soon. COL **Borlund** gave an update on the Chapter project to seek funding for the *Wings of Liberty* Museum, and Maj **Summers** reported on the results of the effort to repeal the property-tax relief changes.

## Officers and Committees

**President:** CDR Ivan Adames, USN (Ret).  
**1st Vice President:** CW5 John Schuler, USA (Ret).  
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**ROTC Liaison:** LTC James Huggins, USA (Ret)  
**Veterans Coalition Liaison:** MAJ Vivian Fivecoat, USA (Ret)  
**Newsletter and Webmaster:** Lt Col J.T. Smith, USAF (Ret)  
**Scholarship Committee:** COL Jeff Yaeger, (Chn), COL Natalie Shriver, LTC Dave Marr, & CW4 Howard French—all USA (Ret)  
**Directory Committee:** CW2 Warren Evans (Chn), USA (Ret)  
**Recruiting Team:** CW4 Howard French, MAJ Bob Posley—both USA (Ret) & Capt Eldon Pontius, USMC (Ret)

Our speaker at the May 21st Chapter meeting at **Outlaw Field** is **Mrs. Mary Collier**, former attorney and researcher, now a legal broker, and Subject Matter Expert on the **Number One Crime in the USA, Identity Theft**. She will discuss what it is; the methods used to accomplish it; how it harms the victims and their lives; and what to do when it happens—a way to **“Worry less, Live more”**.

Looking ahead to June: see the **United State Navy's BLUE ANGELS Flight Demonstration Team** on the 4th & 5th at the Smyrna TN airport (or watch them practice on Friday the 3rd—use the Military Reserve gate); Flag Day and the Army's Birthday on the 14th; and our Chapter meeting at the Oakland Manor in KY on the 18th.

**Be safe, recruit a new member, and “Never Stop Serving.”**

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We are pleased to welcome one new member joining in April:

2LT Lorenzo **Peterson**, USA

Let's continue to focus on recruiting.

## WEBSITE UPDATE

### Change address, phone, email?

You can **use the new form** on the Chapter website to update your Directory information. Under “About Us” find “Member Directory” and pick “Changes Form.” Just fill out the form and click the “Submit” button. That's it.

At the May Council of Chapters meeting in Ft. Knox, CDR **Adames** and Lt Col **Smith** will be accepting the **MOAA Five-Star Award** for the Chapter Website.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

### CREDIT UNION ACCOUNT BALANCES as of May 1, 2016

Shares	\$	70.37
General Fund		1,393.59
Scholarship Fund		<u>2,547.00</u>
Total		<u>\$ 4,010.96</u>

## PREVIOUS MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Fifty-one chapter members and guests gathered at Sportsman's Lodge on Saturday, 21 April. CDR **Adames** introduced special guests COL Telita Crosland and Ruth Gallagher; welcomed new member 2LT Lorenzo **Peterson**; and welcomed back Alan **Brister**, Anderson **Grant**, Joe **Shakeenab**, Natalie **Schraver**, Rich **Stevenson**, and honorary members Mr. Gery **Ezell** and Ms. Barbara **Salerno**. CDR **Adames** then gave a 1-minute history lesson for April on Paul Revere's Midnight ride and Doolittle's Raid.



Guest speaker COL Telita Crosland, Commander of Blanchfield Army Community Hospital (BACH), was introduced and discussed BACH's responsibilities; its medical services and support; and its working relationship with active soldiers, the Warrior Transition Command, and the military veteran community. CDR **Adames** presented a Certificate of Appreciation, a MOAA coin, and a MOAA pen to COL Crosland as tokens of our gratitude and esteem.

CDR **Adames** then presented a Certificate of Appreciation and the BRAVO ZULU Award to LTC Dave and Jean **Marr** recognizing their generous contribution to the Chapter's scholarship goals.

Surviving Spouse Chair, Mrs. Nancy **Evans**, announced that the next ladies' luncheon would be on Friday 13 May at Logan's Roadhouse. Legislative Chair, Maj Bill **Summers**, updated everyone on the continuing lobbying efforts in regard to the disabled-veterans property-tax relief and next year's Veteran Coalition Legislative lobbying effort on 8 February 2017.



## LADIES' ACTIVITIES

**The Next Ladies Luncheon Will be on Friday, 13 May at 1130  
at Logan's Roadhouse, 3072 Wilma Rudolph Blvd, Clarksville**

GPS: 36° 35.735' N 87° 15.254' W

Please join us for good food and fun conversation. Let's get better acquainted, and bring a guest or two--even a relative. We will order from the menu and pay individually.

**R.S.V.P. by noon on Monday, 9 May**

Use the website form at <http://ftcky-moaa.org/Ladies-Reservations.php>

or call or email one of the following:

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### Who Can Join?

**You can!** We welcome active duty, former, retired, Reserve and National Guard commissioned and warrant officers and cadets and midshipmen of the uniformed services—Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard, Public Health Service, and National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration—and their surviving spouses.\*

Our members are friends, and we have a great time when we get together. Our common interest is to support the Military Mission and those soldiers, sailors, marines, and airmen protecting our nation.

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**YES! Sign me up as a BASIC MOAA Member.**

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Status:  Active  Retired  Former  Reserve  National Guard  Surviving Spouse

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