



# Life Leaders News

Invitations and News to *PLAN and LEAD your LIFE* – 2011, May  
[www.LifeLeadersInstitute.org](http://www.LifeLeadersInstitute.org); [www.PersonalLeadership.org](http://www.PersonalLeadership.org); [www.PatriotismInAction.us](http://www.PatriotismInAction.us)

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## *Memorial Day*

Monday, May 30, 11:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.

(11:30 a.m. opening ceremonies; 1 p.m. wreath laying ceremony)

The American Village\*

and earlier at the Alabama National Cemetery / Highway 119  
Montevallo, Alabama

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Memorial Day Ceremonies this year will start on Saturday, May 28, at the Alabama National Cemetery (ALNC) with the Gravesite Flag Placement Ceremony at 8 a.m. There are almost 900 graves at ALNC so we welcome your help with placing American flags on each grave. A Media Day and Open House at ALNC will be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on May 28.

The ALNC 3rd Annual Memorial Day Ceremony will be on Memorial Day, May 30, starting at 9 a.m. You should plan to be there by 8:30 a.m. because traffic is heavy and we are expecting 1,000 people to attend. After the ALNC program, the 7th Annual Blue Star Salute at The American Village will begin at 11:30 a.m.

\*Events are available 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.--however, if you wish to select a shorter block of time to participate--we recommend you attend the Wreath Laying Ceremony at 1 p.m. as David Dyson and Stretch Dunn will lay our Patriotism In Action Wreath and other PIA members will lay various wreaths. Following, the Gold Star Remembrance Ceremony will honor Alabama's Fallen Heroes who have died while defending America's freedoms since September 11, 2001.

Please contact me if you have questions or need more information.  
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Patriotism in Action

# Actions and Plans

**Personal Leadership/Bobby Watts (chair), David Dyson:** Saturday morning discussion and workshop in remembrance of how we started 20 years ago, August 6.

**Plan for Life/David Dyson:** David lectured at Birmingham-Southern College April 20 to two classes of Dr. Byron Chew to help students write professional mission and vision statements, plus plans for *the 7 areas of life* as college students.

**Patriotism in Action/Col. Bob and Nancy Barefield (Ret.):**

May 30: Memorial Day at Alabama's National Cemetery and The American Village

July 4: Independence Day, The American Village, with Blue Star Salute

November 11: Veterans Day

Information on the book and program: [www.PatriotismInAction.us](http://www.PatriotismInAction.us)

New leadership for National Veterans Day based in Birmingham announced:

[http://blog.al.com/spotnews/2011/05/birmingham\\_veterans\\_day\\_parade\\_1.html](http://blog.al.com/spotnews/2011/05/birmingham_veterans_day_parade_1.html)

**Summer Social/Bonnie Scaro:** Thursday, June 16, Historic Rucker Place.

**Professionalism and Leadership under Stress/Col. Stretch Dunn (Ret.):** Presenting our seminar in October. Information on the book and lessons: [www.ProfessionalismUnderStress.com](http://www.ProfessionalismUnderStress.com)

**Banquet and Party/Bonnie:** Friday, December 2, The Club; host, Dwight Wiggins.

## Sample Seminars and Services

**College:**

- ◆ Lecture on *Life Planning and Leadership* or *Plan for Life*
- ◆ Seminar follows for those who want to learn more
- ◆ Workshop for those who want to take more action on their plans for life
- ◆ Meeting for students, faculty, and administrative leaders who want to continue programs

**Corporation:**

- ◆ Board Leadership, Governance, and Planning advisory services
- ◆ Training on personal leadership and professional development, planning...
- ◆ Coaching for executives, emerging leaders, motivated professionals...

**Coaching:**

- ◆ **Individuals:** members with extra motivation are developing career and/or professional development plans to explore opportunities and make decisions. A menu is available.
- ◆ **Horses and Horsemen:** some executives and others ask for personal and interpersonal leadership coaching related to horses that helps people develop higher-level instincts.

## Sample Seminars Executive Briefing Topics

- Empowering Leadership: how to decide when to Delegate, when to Coach, and when to Direct*
- Developing The 7 Components of Attitude and Ability*
- T.I.M.E. (Time. Inspiration. Money. Energy)*
- 7 Best Practices for Life Leaders [ ]...for True Professionals [ ]...for Best-self Leaders*
- Plan for Life [ ]The 7 Areas of Life [ ]Plan for College [ ]Plan for Profession*
- Professionalism Under Stress [ ]Patriotism in Action*
- Master Your Goliaths: Lessons from David*