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Dr. Chris Kuehl Too Provide Update On The Economy



Dr. Chris Kuehl will update us on the present and future state of the US and International Economy. Chris is Managing Director of Armada Corporate Intelligence, a firm that provides a wide variety of international consulting services for companies interested in the

global market place and is one of the best informed analysts in the Kansas City area. He was previously a Political Science Professor at Baker University. Armada Corporate Intelligence, the local company Chris co-founded, conducts detailed analysis and assessment of their clients' business environments and competition. Their client list has included YRC Worldwide (formerly Yellow Roadway), Hallmark International, Spencer Fane Britt and Browne, U.S. Engineering, the Greater Kansas City Chamber of Commerce, Brotherhood Bank, and the World Trade Center. He has frequently represented the United States State Department and several Fortune 500 Corporations in their efforts to establish businesses in foreign countries. There will be time for questions after his presentation. Our Meeting will be held May

28, 2022 at the new DAV Hall located at 14605 East Hwy 40, Kansas City, MO 64136. The Auxiliary Luncheon begins at 1145 hours with the MOAA Luncheon beginning at 1215 hours. Cost of the lunch is \$15.00. To get to the DAV Hall from Independence, Missouri, exit off I-70 onto Noland and go south for 1 mile to E Hwy 40. Turn left and drive one-half mile. The DAV Hall is on the south side of E Hwy 40. Meal reservations must be made by Monday of the week before the luncheon. Substitute meals must be made at the time of reservation. Cancellations must be called in by 9:00 a.m. on the Saturday of the luncheon. To make reservations, contact Emma or David Toops by telephone at 913-967-9745 or by e-mail at info@toopsconsulting.com by Monday, May 23rd

Meeting Information

TOPIC; The Economy
SPEAKER: Dr. Chris Kuehl
Saturday, May 28 2022
TIME: 1030 Executive Board Meeting
 12:15 p.m. - MOAA Lunch
MENU: Robin's Famous Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes/
 Gravy, Vegetable, Salad, Roll/Butter, Coffee/Tea,
 And Dessert

(Substitute Meals of Baked Chicken Breast or Hamburger Steak must be requested at Time of Reservation)

LOCATION:
 Disabled American Veterans 14605 .
 Highway 40 Kansas City, Missouri
 64136

2022 Meeting Calendar,

22 January*	No July Meeting
26 February	27 August*
26 March *	24 September
23 April	22 October* (4th Sat)
28 May *	19 November* (3rd Sat)
25 June (Chapter Picnic)	3December (Holiday Party)

NOTE: All Meetings are on the 4th Saturday EXCEPT as indicated. They vary according to a holiday or available date.

* (Exec Council meets at 10:30)indicated

Notes From The President



Jerry Magliano

President's Message

May is the gateway to Summer and is the month during which we stop complaining about the cold weather and start complaining about the hot weather. On a more serious note, May is also the month during which we remember and honor both our mothers on Mother's Day and those who have made the ultimate sacrifice serving our country on Memorial Day. Our thoughts and prayers especially go out to our Gold Star Mothers and their families who have lost a child in service to our country. In May 1868, General John A. Logan, the commander-in-chief of the Union veterans' group known as the Grand Army of the Republic, issued a decree that May 30 should become a nationwide day of commemoration for the more than 620,000 soldiers killed in the recently ended Civil War. On Decoration Day, as Logan dubbed it, Americans should lay flowers and decorate the graves of the war dead "whose bodies now lie in almost every city, village and hamlet churchyard in the land." In 1968, the name was officially changed to Memorial Day and in 1971 was made a Federal holiday. All Americans are encouraged to pause for a moment of remembrance at 3 pm local time on Memorial Day. Given our inflation and energy issues, exacerbated by the Ukraine War, as well as an anticipated Recession, I have arranged for Dr. Chris Kuehl to be our speaker to give us an update on the economy at our May 28th luncheon meeting. Thanks to all who have contributed to our Scholarship and Family Assistance Programs. They are both great examples of how we can NEVER STOP SERVING. Hope to see you all on the 28th.

Jerry Magliano

President

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Unlike many veteran's organizations, National MOAA and Local Chapters collect yearly dues independently. Chapter Dues are due in January and are currently \$25 The Auxiliary Dues are \$10. If there is an "" after your last name in the address bar, we have not received your dues for the current year. Please send your Dues payment to TREASURER, Vic Christianson, 10635 Hwy D, Napoleon Mo 64074. Thank you for continued support!*

MARY TREU PRESIDENT AUXILIARY HEART OF AMERICA CHAPTER MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

Welcome to May, arriving with lots of leftover April Showers. Moms, our wishes for a Happy Mother's Day on May 8th. An interesting note, the Friday before Mother's Day is set aside as Military Spouse Appreciation Day. Thank you, spouses, for all your love and support! Memorial Day, the last Monday in May, we honor all the servicemen who have given their lives to preserve our great country. Many of us will visit and place flowers on the graves of our loved ones. A weekend to remember with gratitude, and a time to gather with families and friends. Enjoy!

The Ladies Auxiliary is so appreciative of the donations we are receiving for the Bake-less Bake Sale. As of our last meeting in April, \$1635.00 has been received!

We thank Ann Rizzi , our April hostess, for a beautiful set of Wind Chimes. Our hostess for May is Helen Hudgins. Looking forward to seeing you at our meeting on May 28.

Mary Treu

APRIL MEETING PICTURES





Heart of America Chapter (HOAC) Chapter and Auxiliary Membership Application or Renewal

Date: _____ (Circle one) RENEWAL or APPLICATION

NAME: OFFICER _____ PRIMARY PHONE: Cell or Home or Work (circle one)

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Chapter Dues are \$25/yr (January to December) Auxiliary Dues are \$10/Yr Checks payable to HOAC-MOAA

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