



# NORTH TEXAS CHAPTER 234 The Military Order of the World Wars

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Companions,

I know that many of you were unable to attend this years 2022 MOWW National Convention. As a companion lucky enough to go, I just wanted to share with you my personal perspective. I encourage each of you to review the online 2022 MOWW Almanac as this was the basis "tool" used to formulate the various Convention discussion topics.

It was crystal clear to me that the existing MOWW leadership team recognizes that the Order has become one of the "best least known Veterans Service Organizations (VSO)" in the United States. The leadership team has spent the past year developing an executable organizational Re-branding Plan to remedy this. In conjunction with the Re-branding Plan , the leadership team is re-addressing the 2020-2025 MOWW Strategic Plan to better focus efforts and ways to improve the organization. For the first time since 1946, the MOWW has elected a Commander in Chief (CINC) for a second term. It was recognized that it was critical to the Order to allow the CINC to continue the path to have a solid Strategy and implementation plan in place in 2023. As a way to communicate this, The CINC intends to conduct outreach seminars, town halls and webinars this year.

During Youth Leadership Conference (YLC)

and Seminar (YLS) discussions I had one of those "Aha" moments. It is clear to me that we as a Region are doing extremely well at executing YLCs. We have created a Region -level approach that takes a great deal of burden off the backs of the individual Chapters. That said, I wonder if it also makes the individual Chapter companion less involved. I believe that each Chapter has an opportunity to deepen their community engagement through a "theme based" one-day YLS.

To me, one of the highlights of the Convention was the presentation by the Strategic Planning Conference Committee. This committee was re-constituted in June 2022 as they had all agreed that they needed outside consultancy assistance to lead them through a process to develop unbiased vision and mission statements. This process is anticipated to complete by spring 2023. Key discussion points to date are: why does MOWW exist? What is our unique Value proposition? What is our greatest weakness? What is working well and what is not?

We need to have a healthy discussion about "where do we go from here". As a Chapter we have been VERY successful in a short period of time. That said, we will do our youth, community, and our nation a disservice if we rest on our laurels.

Very Respectfully,

Jacques Loraine, Commander  
MOWW North Texas Chapter 234



## Companion Birthdays

**15 September**— Capt. Keith Barrett USAF (Fmr)

**23 September** — LTC Thomas Galli USA (Ret)

**26 September** — Ms. Emily Smith HPM



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## MOWW Special Presentation to Wylie TX City Council — 23 August 2022




**Who We Are**

MOWW membership eligibility is open to active duty, retired and former commissioned or warrant officers of the uniformed services of the United States: U.S. Army, U.S. Navy, U.S. Marine Corps, U.S. Coast Guard, U.S. Air Force, and U.S. Space Force. It also includes the United States Public Health Service (USPHS) and the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA). Priority membership may also be granted to eligible officers with two regions of responsibility (i.e., spouse, dependent, grandchild/granddaughter) who are eligible as Honorary Members.

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A Congressionally Chartered Patriotic, Non-Partisan, Veterans Service Organization (VSO) dedicated to promoting the welfare of our Nation, its Veterans and Youth.

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National Website is: [www.moww.org](http://www.moww.org)

North Texas Chapter Website is: [www.northtexasmoww.org](http://www.northtexasmoww.org)



On 23 August, the North Texas Chapter of the MOWW provided a Presentation to the City of Wylie, TX City Council about “The MOWW — who we are and what we do”. The full recorded video presentation can be found at: <https://wylietx.swagit.com/play/08242022-600>. Representing the North Texas Chapter of the MOWW were: MG Gary Bunch USA (Ret), LTC Robert Welch II USA (Ret) and CWO4 Jacques Loraine USA (Ret)

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## 2022 MOWW National Convention Highlights



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# **Chaplain's Corner**

## ***Wisdom, Understanding, and Knowledge***

by **Pastor Chuck Swindoll** /Scriptures: Proverbs 16:16, 22

Solomon and the wise men of Israel regarded wisdom, understanding, and knowledge as worthy pursuits in life. In fact, given the choice between wisdom and material wealth, they opted for wisdom, hands down. For them, clear thinking held the key to success in all areas of life.

How much better it is to get wisdom than gold!  
***The lips of the righteous feed many,  
But fools die for lack of understanding. (10:21)***

Let's review the definitions of wisdom, understanding, and knowledge. For the Hebrews, wisdom (hakam) and its derivatives are the most commonly used terms denoting intelligence. This kind of wisdom describes perception with discernment. The original Hebrew word emphasizes accuracy and the ability to sense what is beneath the surface. This virtue represents a manner of thinking and an attitude that result in prudent, sensible living. "The wisdom of the OT, however, is quite distinct from other ancient world views. . . . Reflected in OT wisdom is the teaching of a personal God who is holy and just and who expects those who know him to exhibit his character in the many practical affairs of life."

The Hebrew term for "understanding" is tebuna, which denotes intelligence or discernment. This word describes our ability to observe, gain insight, and then discern in order to devise a plan or make a decision. To

gain this kind of mental capability, we do our homework, investigate, seek multiple perspectives, use logic, and formulate ideas. We might call this "experiential wisdom," the kind of savvy that older people gain from the school of hard knocks.

The Hebrew term for knowledge is based on the verb yada, "to know." This is understanding with insight. This kind of knowledge is based on personal experience with a matter. The Bible uses this of God's all-knowing familiarity with each individual and his or her mannerisms (Genesis 18:19; Deuteronomy 34:10; Isaiah 48:8; Psalms 1:6; 37:18). In many contexts, it denotes the ability to discern, based on past experience, the difference between two things (Genesis 3:5, 22; Deuteronomy 1:39; Isaiah 7:15), an ability that "little ones" lack. Knowledge, therefore, is learning with perception. It includes things like a teachable spirit, a willingness to listen, a desire to discover what is really there. Knowledge forever pursues the truth.

Solomon and the wise men of Israel prized wisdom, understanding, and knowledge as crucial to living prosperously, safely, and effectively. Even so, they recognized the limits of human thinking:

***Trust in the LORD with all your heart  
And do not lean on your own understanding.  
In all your ways acknowledge Him,  
And He will make your paths straight.  
Do not be wise in your own eyes;  
Fear the LORD and turn away from evil. (3:5-7)***

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## **From the Adjutant — CWO5 Quint Avenetti**



I recall with great fondness, my years working with our youth as a Scoutmaster for a local Boy Scout Troop. In the summer of 2015, I along with two other adults accompanied six senior Scouts (15 – 17 yrs. of age) to Philmont for a 70-mile trek lasting 10 days and elevations ranging from 6000 ft. to 11,700 ft. Everything we needed would come from our backpacks aside from re-provisioning every 3rd day. Water was retrieved from streams and purified to

potable standards (or close enough). Many of you no doubt have similar memories and I'll bet you still remember your Scoutmaster and hopefully the many lessons he taught you.

On day five of our trek, we were to summit Mt. Phillips at 11,700 ft. elevation and bivouac for the night. Thin air, an excruciatingly steep climb in the midst of a thunderstorm, and no fresh water supply on top so we had to carry our purified stream water up from 6,500 ft. base camp. This builds character I kept telling the boys, really trying to convince myself this torture served a purpose. Alas, we reached the summit and snapped pictures before going about setting up bivouac for the night (still raining of course). Once camp was established, and all "smellables" were hoisted a safe 20 ft. high into the pines in bear bags, the

boys went off to find adventure. About 2000, the rain turned to a steady light drizzle and I drifted off to sleep.

About 2200 I woke to the frantic shouts of one of the Scouts, "Mr. Avenetti wake up, wake up, it's my Dad!" I jumped up and the young lad explained that his dad was having a "low spill," his blood sugar levels had dropped dangerously low and he was delirious, did not know his own name, nor his son's name. Our medical supplies consisted of fairly well stocked first aid kits, but nothing close to treating diabetic shock. We had no phone service and no vehicle access; we were on our own with a man's life at stake. The Scout was experienced in this sort of thing and I told him you take lead and tell us what he needed. He sent one Scout to bring down the bear bags, another to search for something sweet, meanwhile he kept him talking. About an hour later the young Scouts had successfully brought the adult out of his diabetic shock.

My point here is; we have the very important mission of helping form the next generation of our nation's leaders. The MOWW while not backpacking across the Rockies (although I'd love to see that) does play an important role in developing the civic education, and character in our youth through our Youth engagement programs, notably our contribution and support to the Youth Leadership Conference (YLC). What a great opportunity we have, and if we let it pass us by, we have no one to blame for our failures but ourselves. Our commander likes to brag that "we punch way above our weight." My challenge is to rededicate and re-energize ourselves to this very important mission. Truly, our future depends on it. "It is nobler to serve, than to be served."

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# “Serving Youth, Community, and Nation”



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### Historical US Military Events

**September 2, 1945** - President Harry Truman declared V-J Day (Victory over Japan Day) commemorating the formal Japanese surrender to the Allies aboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo Bay.

**September 11, 2001** - The worst terrorist attack in U.S. history occurred as four large passenger jets were hijacked then crashed, killing nearly 3,000 persons

**September 13, 1814** - The Battle of Fort Henry in Baltimore Harbor occurred, observed by Francis Scott Key aboard a ship. He watched the British attack overnight and at dawn saw the American flag still flying over the fort, inspiring him to write the verses which were later coupled with the tune of a popular drinking song and became the U.S. National Anthem in 1931.

**September 15, 1944** - The first entry of American troops into Hitler's Germany occurred as elements of the U.S. 7th and 5th Corps reached the southwestern frontier of Germany.

**September 17, 1862** - The bloodiest day in U.S. military history occurred as General Robert E. Lee and the Confederate armies were stopped at Antietam in Maryland by General George B. McClellan and numerically superior Union forces. By nightfall 26,000 men were dead, wounded, or missing.

**September 29, 1789** - Congress created the United States Army, consisting of 1,000 enlisted men and officers.

**September 30, 1949** - The Berlin Airlift concluded after 277,264 flights carrying over 2 million tons of supplies to the people of West Berlin, who were blockaded by the Soviets.

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# Our National Anthem

Crafting a concise history of how the United States' National Anthem came to be is a bit of a daunting task. The U.S. national anthem is as old as the nation itself, and describing its origins goes hand in hand with the origins of America.

The melody for The Star-Spangled Banner was written around 1775, about a year after the U.S. declared itself a nation, by a London composer named John Stafford Smith. His original tune, named Anacreon in Heaven, was often described as an old English drinking song. In later years when debates arose as to whether The Star-Spangled Banner should be the national anthem, many argued against the original melody, stating that its foreign and disreputable origins didn't make it worthy of the new nation.

Regardless of where the melody came from, American-born lyrics were written in the same century, the 18th century, by Francis Hopkinson. Hopkinson was one of America's pioneering composers and a man who also signed the Declaration of Independence. The lyrics did not yet speak directly about the flag or the country, but the lyrics did speak about the American character that was in the midst of being shaped, one that values person-centered education and self-improvement.

In the early 1800s, around 20 years after the Declaration of Independence, tensions between the newly formed nation and the nation from whom the U.S. had become independent, England, continued. The British were imposing blockades to restrict American trading ventures, they were impressing American sailors into the British Royal Navy, and they were supporting Native American tribes who opposed American westward expansion.

These tensions resulted in the war of 1812, a war that lasted three years. During this conflict, the British controlled key American waterways and burned Washington D.C., the capital. The British were set on taking Baltimore in late 1814. There was a 25-hour bombardment, but Fort McHenry in Baltimore Harbor was in the end not taken by the British. Against all odds, Americans were able to defend it.

Francis Scott Key, an American lawyer, saw a waving flag above the fort and was driven to write a poem inspired by this event. His poem was published in September of 1814 and was set to the music of Anacreon in Heaven. The poem became hugely popular and

American composers were soon looking to create a better and American-made melody. In 1817, composer James Hewitt created The Star-Spangled Banner. Nearly 50 years after, The Star-Spangled Banner rose to prominence during and after the Civil War. Across the Union, the song was played to try to lift America's spirit as this crisis of national identity unfolded. After Abraham Lincoln's assassination, the song emerged as the uniting symbol. The Civil War ended and the country remained one.

As the world broke into war in the early 20th century, American leaders felt it important to officially declare a national anthem to help Americans stay united at home and to represent the nation abroad. President Woodrow Wilson promoted The Star-Spangled Banner as the possible national anthem. And at last, in 1931, a Congressional Resolution named the song the official national anthem of the United States.

With World War I, the Great Depression, World War II, the Cold War and the many other war that followed, all of the last century was marked by global conflicts in which the United States rose to become a world power. Its national anthem became a representation of the young country with the largest ambitions. Today The Star-Spangled Banner is an iconic song known all around the world. It's been sung and interpreted by some of the best talent America has ever seen. Artists ranging from Jimi Hendrix to Jose Feliciano, from Whitney Houston to Lady Gaga, have all contributed to the popularity and status of the anthem as The Star-Spangled Banner continues to represent the ever-evolving nation that is the United States.



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## **Veterans Service Organization of the Month**

**[www.patriotpaws.org](http://www.patriotpaws.org)**



My name is **Lori Stevens**, and I am the Founder and Executive Director of Patriot PAWS Service Dogs. In 2005, I was working as a professional dog trainer when I was asked to help a group of disabled veterans train their dogs. After working with these veterans and visiting the VA Hospital in Dallas, I realized just how many of our disabled veterans are in desperate need of assistance dogs and I knew I had to help. With the help of a few friends and family, I started Patriot PAWS Service Dogs in a small storefront in Rockwall, TX, training only about 8 dogs at a time. Patriot PAWS has long since outgrown that little storefront and our Rockwall campus now includes administrative, training, and kennel facilities where we are able to train and house as many as 25 dogs. Working with our volunteer puppy raisers and our innovative Prison Training program at the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, we are able to train an additional 45 dogs in other locations

and place about 35-41 Patriot PAWS Service Dogs with disabled veterans each year.

It has been an exciting journey! But with over 50 disabled American veterans waiting for a Patriot PAWS Service Dog, there is still much work to be done and we need your help. Please consider donating your time, money or resources to help us help those who served.



Patriot PAWS Service Dogs is dedicated to providing highly trained service dogs to disabled American Veterans. Each dog trained at Patriot PAWS is customized to the individual needs of the Veteran with the goal of increased independence. Our dogs are trained to assist Veterans with both visible and invisible disabilities, and can help with many tasks that would otherwise be difficult or impossible. It takes about 2 1/2 years to train one service dog at a cost of approximately \$35,000, but we provide these dogs at no cost to the Veteran. If you are a Veteran who wants more information about our Service Dog application process, please contact our Veteran Coordinator office at [veterans@patriotpaws.org](mailto:veterans@patriotpaws.org).

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## Chapter Meeting Location Map



**Bavarian Grill location address is :**  
**3425 Premier Drive, Plano TX 75023**

## Chapter Meeting



### BAVARIAN GRILL

Tuesday, 20 Sept 2022—1130-1300  
Tuesday, 18 Oct 2022—1130-1300  
Tuesday, 15 Nov 2022—1130-1300  
Tuesday, 19 December 2022—1130-1300  
Tuesday, 17 January 2023—1130-1300  
Tuesday, 21 February 2023—1130-1300

### Region VIII Officers ([mow-regionviii.org](http://mow-regionviii.org))

**Vice CINC**, CAPT. Deborah Dombeck, USCG (Ret)

**Commander**: LTC Donald Willhouse, USA (Ret)

**Vice Commander**, CWO4 Jacques Loraine, USA (Ret)

**Adjutant/Treasurer/Editor of "The Bridge" Newsletter**, HPM Patricia Williams

**Treasurer Patriotic Education Committee**, COL Robert Gehbauer USAF (Ret)

**Chaplain**, CPT James M. Malakoff, USA (Fmr)

**Judge Advocate**, LTC David J. Green, USAR

**Chair of Patriotic Education Committee**, MG Gary Bunch, USA

### Meeting Agenda

**20 september 2022**

- ◆ Call to Order
- ◆ Invocation
- ◆ Pledge of Allegiance
- ◆ Reading of Preamble
- ◆ YLC Awards &
- Recognition Ceremony
- ◆ Retirement of Colors and Adjournment

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### Our Chapter Core Values

**ATTITUDE** – We maintain a courteous, enthusiastic, friendly, positive, professional and teachable mindset at all times.

**COMMUNITY/VETERANS FOCUSED** – Everything we do as Officers of the Military Order of World Wars is aimed at meeting and exceeding the expectations of the MOWW Keys to Success: supporting veterans, military and military families in our community”, and “MOWW Principles of Excellence action plan”, helping to ensure that our community, veterans and their dependents successfully thrive in the nation, state, community and our region.

**TEAMWORK** – We pull together with cooperation, respect and support toward our common goals; we put the good of the Chapter and Order, and the good of an individual or group of individuals in our nation, state, communities and our region.

**INTEGRITY** – We always do what is ethical and honest as we strive to be dependable, fair, reliable and trustworthy with our Chapter, Order, veterans, communities, region, and each other.

**ONE HUNDRED PERCENT** – We consistently give a maximum effort every day with our Chapter and Order; we go the extra mile to achieve personal and Chapter and Order success with our Companions, veterans, communities, and region.

**NOTHING BUT THE BEST** – We will not be satisfied, neither individually nor as a Chapter and Order as we provide the absolute best service and experience possible for every Companion, veterans, our communities, and region.

### Our Mission Statement

To be the Chapter and Order, companions and veterans are satisfied being a part of an exceptional experience through every stage of our fellowship and community engagement. To continually improve our North Texas Chapter and Order through growth, teamwork, and shared vision for the good of the Chapter and Order. To create a professional and positive chapter community environment, where companionship and excellence is recognized and rewarded with successful, chapter growth. Inspiring our chapter to give 100% daily to living, achieving, and believing in the Military Officers of the World Wars, ethos:



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## The Military Order of the World Wars

The Military Order of the World Wars (MOWW) is the premier Veterans Service Organization (VSO) whose motto is, "It is nobler to serve than to be served." MOWW was founded at the suggestion of General of the Armies John J. "Blackjack" Pershing 1919 to promote good citizenship, patriotic education, and military and public service. The purpose of our Order is found in the 9 tenets described in our Preamble.

MOWW chapters provide opportunities to support veterans of all ranks and service, youth



patriotic education, college ROTC and high school JROTC, Scouting, monuments and memorials, law and order, national and homeland security programs, and inculcate and stimulate love of our country and flag.

If you qualify, we want you serving alongside us. Eligibility is open to active duty, retired and former commissioned or warrant officers of the uniformed services of the United States: U.S. Army, U.S. Navy, U.S.

Marine Corps, U.S. Coast Guard, U.S Air Force, and U.S Space Force. It also includes the United States Public Health Service (USPHS), and the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA). Family members who are directly related to eligible officers within two degrees of consanguinity (i.e., spouse, son/stepson, daughter/step-

daughter, grandson and/or granddaughter) are also eligible as Hereditary Members.

The motto of MOWW is "It is Nobler to Serve than be Served." This

sums up the commitment of MOWW to our Veterans, families, youth, and our country. If you want to continue to serve our nation in a meaningful and impactful way, consider joining our Order.

**If you have any questions about MOWW, or want to join us, please go to our Website Homepage Address at [www.northtexasmoww.org](http://www.northtexasmoww.org).**

### Our Preamble

To cherish the memories and associations of the World Wars waged for humanity; To inculcate and stimulate love of our country and flag; To promote and further patriotic education in our nation; Ever to maintain law and order, and to defend the honor, integrity, and supremacy of our national government and the Constitution of the United States; To foster fraternal relations among all branches of the armed forces; To promote the cultivation of military, naval, and air science and the adoption of a consistent and suitable policy of national security for the United States of America; To acquire and preserve records of individual services; To encourage and assist in the holding of commemorations and the establishment of memorials of the World Wars; and To transmit all these ideals to posterity; under God and for our country, we unite to establish The Military Order of the World Wars.... HERE, HERE!

### Humor in Uniform



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# MOWW® | Membership Application

**MAIL COMPLETED FORM & PAYMENT TO:**

HQ MOWW/DA (Membership)  
435 North Lee St.; Alexandria, VA 22314-2301

**HQ MOWW USE ONLY:**

\* Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Date Received by HQ: \_\_\_\_\_; Date HQ Processed: \_\_\_\_\_

### A. APPLICANT'S INFORMATION

- Full Name (First, Middle, Last, Suffix): \_\_\_\_\_
- Mailing Address (street, apartment, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_
- Mailing Address (city, state, ZIP Code): \_\_\_\_\_
- Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_
- Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_
- Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- Birthdate (Day, Month, Year): \_\_\_\_\_
- Spouse's/Partner's Full Name / "Go By" Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Applicant's Service Branch (circle):  

USA	USMC	USN	USAF	USCG	USPHS	NOAA
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- Applicant's Veteran Status (circle/fill in):  

ACTIVE DUTY	RESERVE	NATIONAL GUARD/	RETIRED	FORMER
		STATE		
- Applicant's Dates of Service (MM/YY)  
From: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_; Highest Federal Rank Held: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hereditary Membership Linkage (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_
- How did you hear of MOWW:  
Referral (rank, name): \_\_\_\_\_;  
Facebook: \_\_\_\_\_; MOWW website: \_\_\_\_\_; Chapter Website: \_\_\_\_\_;  
Other (e.g., event): \_\_\_\_\_
- Membership Categories: | \* NOTE: Applicant pays chapter dues (if any) directly to their chapter treasurer

<input type="checkbox"/> Veteran Perpetual @ 1 x \$350.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Hereditary Perpetual (age 18-20) @ 1 x \$200.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Veteran Perpetual @ 4 x \$87.50 qtrly	<input type="checkbox"/> Hereditary Perpetual (age 18-20) @ 4 x \$50.00 qtrly
<input type="checkbox"/> Veteran Perpetual (1 <sup>st</sup> year commission/warrant) @ 1 x \$200.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Veteran Regular @ \$40.00/year (one-time payment)
<input type="checkbox"/> Vet Perpetual (1 <sup>st</sup> year commission/warrant) @ 4 x \$50.00 qtrly	<input type="checkbox"/> Hereditary Regular @ \$40.00/year (one-time payment)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hereditary Perpetual (age 21+) @ 1 x \$350.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Memorial Perpetual (Veteran & Hereditary) @ 1 x \$200.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Hereditary Perpetual (age 21+) @ 4 x \$87.50 qtrly	

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- Requested MOWW Chapter of Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_
- Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### B. APPLICANT'S CREDIT CARD INFORMATION (Optional initial payment method; applicant may also pay by check)

- Credit Card Type:  MasterCard  VISA  Discover  American Express
- Cardholder Name (as shown on the credit card): \_\_\_\_\_
- Card number: \_\_\_\_\_; Expiration Date (MM/YY): \_\_\_\_\_  
Card Verification Number (on back of card): \_\_\_\_\_; Cardholder ZIP Code (from credit card billing address): \_\_\_\_\_
- I, \_\_\_\_\_, authorize The Military Order of the World Wars to charge my credit card above for the agreed upon purchases. I understand that my credit card information will **NOT** be saved.
- Cardholder's (Customer's) Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(MUST BE AN ORIGINAL SIGNATURE (NOT REPRODUCED))

### C. RECRUITER-SPONSOR'S INFORMATION

- Recruiter-Sponsor's Full Name, Rank, Service: \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_
- Recruiter-Sponsor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(SEE SPONSOR ONLY: MUST BE AN ORIGINAL SIGNATURE (NOT REPRODUCED))

CHAPTERS MUST MAIL FULLY-COMPLETED INITIAL APPLICATIONS WITH CHECK PAYMENT/CREDIT CARD INFORMATION TO: HQ MOWW/DA (MEMBERSHIP); 435 NORTH LEE STREET; ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314-2301. SUBSEQUENT DUES PAYMENTS MAY BE MADE ONLINE AT: [www.moww.org](http://www.moww.org)

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