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CORONADO CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP

Life Members:	71
Basic and Annual Members:	67
Surviving Spouse	39
Honorary Members:	1
Total Chapter Membership:	**178**

2026 CORONADO CHAPTER GOALS

1. Support the 2026 MOAA National Advocacy in Action priorities through their widespread publication via Legislative Updates to all veterans; focused articles in the monthly newsletter; and engagement with elected officials as evidenced by registration in and use of MOAA's Legislative Action Center.

2. Continually encourage our members to "Never Stop Serving" by providing avenues for their active involvement with both MOAA efforts and priorities as well as in support of organizations and groups share common goals in concert with MOAA's mission.

3. Actively **engage** all surviving spouses on a routine and individually tailored basis; **support** each surviving spouse with appropriate assistance as each member may require; and **prepare** our members, as early as possible, for the point when life transitions as a surviving spouse.



PRESIDENT

Edward A. Wozniak, LTC, USA (Ret)

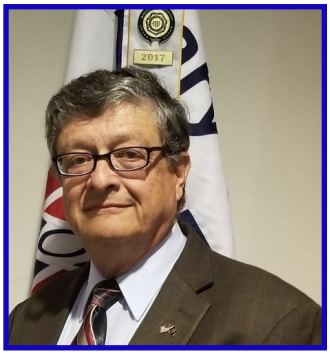
First of all and before I forget (which happens more often than I'd like to admit), there is one item of note occurring this month that is of the utmost importance and significance (to some of you folks anyway). For those of you who kept both feet on dry land during your military service and may not realize it, the United States Navy was established 251 years ago on 13 October 1775 and I would be remiss if I didn't at least acknowledge that fact in my official capacity with a great big **HAPPY BIRTHDAY NAVY!**

As I mentioned in last month's newsletter, in addition to electing your national, state, and county officials, November is also the month where you get to elect your Chapter officers for the upcoming term. I may sound like a broken record on this one however if you're not as busy now as you were when you were working full time we'd like to change that. To their great credit all of our incumbent officers have stepped up and volunteered to serve yet another term in office, however we still have a number of positions critical to the Chapter that are currently unfilled. As Clint Eastwood said, "Don't let the old man in", and one way to do that is to get off the couch and get active in the chapter, the sofa will still be there when you get old and gray. You can find a ballot on Page 17 which are due NLT 19 Nov 26 and can be mailed or brought to the 19 Nov luncheon.

And last but certainly not least, each year the Arizona Veterans Hall of Fame Society meets to review the nominations of numerous veterans from across the state that are recommended for induction into the Arizona Veterans Hall of Fame. The purpose of the Society is to recognize the contributions made by veterans to their communities outside of and beyond their military service. The Coronado Chapter has a long history of current and former members being so recognized and this year is no exception so without further ado, please join me in congratulating Randall "Randy" Groth for being among this years inductees. The formal induction ceremony will be conducted at the Talking Stick Resort in Scottsdale on Friday, October 23rd. Tickets for the event can be purchased via the Arizona Veterans Hall of Fame Society Website or by clicking **HERE**. **Congratulations Randy!**

And as always. . .

"Never Stop Serving".
Ed Wozniak, Chapter President



IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT

James Clenney, LCDR, USN (Ret)

Strengthening Our Community Together

For over four decades, the **Coronado Chapter** has partnered with local business leaders to build a stronger community. Our long-standing membership in the local Chamber organization continues through its successor, the **Sky Island Regional Partnership (SIRP).**

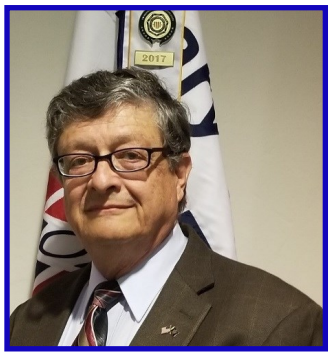
Through our seat on SIRP's **Military Community Alliance (MCA),** we collaborate, advise, and help administer the **Sierra Vista Veteran of the Year** recognition. With Sierra Vista boasting the 5th largest veteran population per capita in the nation, we have a profound number of brothers and sisters who continue to serve long after hanging up their uniforms.

While the 2027 nomination window has officially closed, please keep future candidates in mind for next year. In the meantime, we invite you to join us for the **2026 Bring a Vet to Lunch** event on **November 4, 2026**. Please contact me directly if you would like to attend.

MCA Opportunities & Calls to Action:

- **Guest Speakers Needed**: We are actively looking for veterans from different combat eras—including the Korean War, Desert Storm/Gulf War, and the Global War on Terrorism—to share their experiences with our luncheon attendees on November 4th.
- **Chapter Representative Wanted**: The Coronado Chapter is seeking a dedicated member to serve as our representative on the MCA. Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of every month at 0830, with options to attend in person or via video conference. If you are ready to serve, please contact me or President Ed.
- **Essential Viewing**: As stated in the Surviving Spouse article below, I highly recommend that you and your spouse watch MOAA Board Member, Gold Star mother, and surviving spouse Gail Joyce's moving presentation, "Every Life Needs a Battleplan." Her profound life lessons and insights are invaluable for every military family

"Never Stop Serving"
James Clenney, Immediate Past President



LEGISLATIVE DIRECTOR

James Clenney, LCDR, USN (Ret)

Standing Up for Our Benefits

With Arizona's congressional representatives back in Washington, MOAA's Summer Advocacy campaign has successfully shifted toward targeted digital and telephone outreach. National MOAA and our own Coronado legislative updates deliver crucial information directly to your inbox so you can take quick action on items that affect you. A recent look at our chapter's data showed that 333 advocacy emails were delivered to our members, with about one-third opening the updates. Interestingly, 109 members opened these updates exclusively on their mobile phones.

If you read these updates on your phone, consider marking them as "unread" so you can review them more thoroughly on a desktop or laptop when you have a moment to act. If an issue doesn't impact you directly, feel free to read and close. But if you are ready to support our collective mission, please raise your voice. Your input makes a measurable difference in Washington.

Key Legislation to Support:

- **SAFEGUARD Veterans Act of 2026**: Please advocate for this comprehensive package. It combines more than 20 new and previously introduced standalone bills designed to secure veteran resources and protect your hard-earned benefits.

"Never Stop Serving"
James Clenney, Legislative Director



JROTC DIRECTOR

Lori Wysong, CW3, USA (Ret)

The Buena JROTC is off to another good year. On Wednesday, 16 September 2026 there was a Buena CTE (Career and Technical Education) Fall Advisory Council meeting for Industry Partners, Buena Administrators and Community members. The focus of the meeting was to review program goals, accomplishments and needs. The Buena HS JROTC senior instructors, CPT (Ret) Don Gregory and SFC (Ret) Centoria Louden as well as CPT Kevin Lewis from the NG ROTC program in Tucson along with Warren Evans and myself were present for the JROTC segment. The meeting was primarily a brainstorming session of how to enhance the JROTC program. CPT Gregory and SFC Louden assured me they would keep us informed of activities the students would be participating in throughout the year and make us aware of any support we could provide their program which I will surely pass along to our membership.

One topic of conversation that did come up was the fact that JROTC enrollment has been steadily decreasing over the last several years as has been student enrollment in general so if you ever have the opportunity, encourage those students to take a look at the program. A gentle nudge from you may be all that's needed to send a student on a career path to success.

"Never Stop Serving"
JROTC Affairs Director



CHAPLAINS CORNER

Chaplain Scott Dalrymple, LCDR, USN (Fmr)

Please keep the following members in your prayers. If you're able to, please call or even pay them a short visit. I know it would be appreciated.

Special Prayers & Concerns

Betsy Carver	Barbara Hall	John Peele	Joan Bates
Ann Lander	Theresa Walsh	Margie Gomez	Jennifer Venola
Evelyn Schock-Hicks	Bob Abney	Diane Munroe	Tom Hessler
Marianne Newcomer	Ron & Cindi Lotero		Rhonda Garwood

Please notify me or any of the Board members of anything happening with our members or spouses. We have members who are willing and able to assist no matter what it may be. Don't hesitate to reach out.

And as always, pray for the safety our leaders and for them to make wise and just decisions. Pray for our military members and their families for their continued safety as they serve around the globe.

"Never Stop Serving"
Scott Dalrymple, Chaplain



ACTING SURVIVING SPOUSE DIRECTOR

James Clenney, LCDR, USN (Ret)

A Legacy of Mutual Support

Our surviving spouses remain a steadfast, deeply connected group, always attentive to one another's needs. Yet within our ranks, there are always individuals navigating tough times who need information, advice, or a helping hand. Spouses are invaluable partners in everything our chapter accomplishes. They bring a hard-earned wisdom to dealing with life's challenges, and they truly embody the devotion behind MOAA's motto, "Never Stop Serving"—inspiring all of us to carry that same legacy forward.

I urge all surviving spouse members to connect with chapter leadership. Share your talents, make recommendations, and help us expand our network of support.

Crucial Legislative Updates for Spouses & Caregivers:

- **The GRACE Act (H.R. 9489):** This bipartisan bill—Granting Rollover Access and Contribution Extensions for Military Survivors—seeks to extend the timeline from one year to three years for surviving spouses to contribute military death gratuities and SGLI payments into Roth IRAs or Coverdell Education Savings Accounts without penalty.

- **Veteran Caregiver Reeducation:** Reemployment, and Retirement Act (S. 879 / H.R. 2148): This legislation focuses on caregivers who step away from the workforce to care for wounded, ill, or injured servicemembers, protecting their long-term retirement and financial security. The companion bill has been officially reintroduced to the full House Veterans' Affairs Committee.

As a final note, several of our members have had the honor of meeting Gail Joyce and hearing her presentation live. Please take some time with your spouse to watch her presentation, "**Every Life Needs a Battleplan**," for critical guidance on navigating the unexpected.

"Never Stop Serving"
Jim Clenney, Acting Surviving Spouse Director



SCHOLARSHIP DIRECTOR

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- RAFFLES

11 AM – 6 PM
11TH NOV. 2026

DEADLINE TO REGISTER NOV. 4

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SIERRA VISTA, AZ 85650

11 AM REGISTRATION BEGINS
PATRIOTS AND PUTTERS LUNCHEON
12 PM SHOT GUN START
AWARDS FOLLOWING TOURNAMENT

ALL FUNDS WILL GO TOWARDS THE CORONADO CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP FUND.



SCHOLARSHIP DIRECTOR

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And don't forget to join us for the ultimate sporting event of the year!!!



"Never Stop Serving"

Kathy Youngblood, Scholarship Director

HELIOGRAM SCHOLARSHIP DONORS LIST 2026

2026 SUSTAINING LEVEL (Cumulative Donations of $300 or more)

Kilpatrick, Merle

2026 GOLD LEVEL (Cumulative Donations of $200 to $299)

Puett, Joseph & Margaret
Courtney, Nyles & Dixie
Bobar, Janet
Gromek, Patrick & Agnes

2026 SILVER LEVEL (Cumulative Donations of $100 to $199)

Beer, Ronald & Ruth

2026 CHAPTER DONORS (Cumulative Donations Up to $100)

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Chinneth, Lumi & Edward
Flynn, Joseph & Karen
Nickels, Dennis & Cheryl
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Fredrick & Julie March
Ament, Nancy
Monken, George
Chun, Merton & Neva
Hill, Gay
Rea, Nancy
Molloy, Kyle & Jean
Holston, Christopher & Kristina

TOTAL TO-DATE: $2,694.00 **GOAL: $10,000.00**



MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR

Allen Goodman, CW2, USAR (Ret)



In November I'm planning our annual wine tasting tour to choose our 2027 Chapter wine. Last year we went to Los Millic's Vineyard in Elgin. This year I'm asking for suggestions from all our chapter wine aficionados as to where we should go this time. If someone has first hand knowledge it may also be worthwhile to make a trip to Wilcox. Anyway, give it some thought as to where we should go and drop me a line via phone, text, or email. All suggestions welcome!





As you're all aware, our merchandise store is up and running on our website. Not that we want you to be a walking billboard however you'd be surprised how effective a logo shirt or baseball cap can be in publicizing the existence of the Chapter (there's a reason why folks running for office put signs out everywhere). That being said, show your pride in membership by placing an order for some of our Coronado Chapter merchandise, we have logoed Ball Caps, Polo Shirts, Women's Blouses (even two styles), Sun Visors, Dress Shirts, Vests, Bumper Stickers you name it. You can place you order on moaacoronado.org or contact me directly and I'll place your order myself!





As a reminder, if you believe in the mission of MOAA and our Chapter's community support to our veterans and their families, don't be afraid to ask your fellow officers to join. Remember our motto; "Never Stop Serving" so keep a few tri-folds handy to give out and just in case you don't have any just ask me the next time we see each other.

"Never Stop Serving"
Allen Goodman, Membership Director

"Hail, New Members!"

None for September

October Birthdays

William Bates (9)
Jim Clenney (13)
Arlene Ehrenberger (29)
Barbra Hall (6)
Jo-Anne Heinz (12)
Merle Kilpatrick (25)
Adelle Moore (14)
Dolores Soto (28)
Jody Mendez-Barvick (25)
Chloe Brown (1)
Marjorie Conroy (13)
Donna Goodman (18)
Joe Harris (25)
Janice Hurd (9)
John Konugres (16)
Michael Munroe (8)
Billie Stockl (13)
Kathleen Cammack (6)
Reid Culton (18)
Midge Grieshop (21)
Gail Harris (15)
Matthew Ingerson (24)
Lanny Kope (29)
Nobuko Otsuka (26)
Sherry Noone (11)



MOAA CORONADO CHAPTER

CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL

Last Name _____ First _____ Initial_____ Rank _____

Address _____ City_____

State _____ Zip _____

Email Address: _____ Phone:_____

Date of Birth: MM _____DD _____YYYY _____ National MOAA #_____

Circle All That Apply

MOAA Life Member? Y/N

Branch: Army Navy Air Force Marine Corps Coast Guard Space Force NOAA USPHS

Component: Active Guard Reserve

Status: Active Former Retired Surviving Spouse

Spouse's Full Name _____ Date of Birth MM_____DD_____ YYYY_____

Circle Membership Term

Regular members:	$20/year	$80/five years	$180/Life Membership
Surviving Spouses	$10/year	$40/five years	$100/Life Membership

Voluntary Scholarship or Operations Donation:

Scholarship $_____

Operations $_____

Total Enclosed $_____

Signature _____ Date _____Ck Nbr: _____

Make check payable to: **Coronado Chapter, MOAA**
P.O. Box 1685, Sierra Vista, AZ 85636-1685
Or Join/Renew Online at **https://www.moaacoronado.org/join**

For any Membership questions, contact:
Allen P. Goodman at (719) 440-1105 or agoodman0663@yahoo.com

A few facts about MOAA:

MOAA is the nation's largest and most influential association with over 350,000 military officers and surviving spouses belonging to 380+ chapters.

MOAA is Co-founder/Co-chair of The Military Coalition; composed of over 32 national veterans' organizations (representing over 5 million people).

A few facts about Coronado Chapter:

Coronado Chapter received its charter in 1973, starting with 47 members.

Our Chapter has received the MOAA 5-Star Level of Excellence Award (the highest rating awarded by National MOAA) for over a decade.

The Heliogram newsletter, sent to Chapter members has consistently been recognized as a MOAA 5-Star communication publication.

Chapter dues: $20 annually for officer members and $10 for surviving spouse members.

Why join Coronado Chapter?

Make Yourself Heard – Coronado Chapter provides grassroots coordination and support for MOAA's national legislative agenda. MOAA is in the fight to preserve our benefits. Chapter members let their legislators know what's on their minds with the strength of MOAA developed data behind us.

Give Back to the Community – We serve as MOAA's ambassadors in local communities. Members continue "officership" service and are giving back in the truest sense.

Expand Social Opportunities– Coronado sponsors programs and opportunities to interact with civic, political, military, and business leaders.

Network With Fellow Officers– Our membership includes second-career members in the work force and retired service members who have contacts in their communities that can be valuable to transitioning officers.

Stay Informed – Our newsletter (Heliogram), website http://www.moaacoronado.org/, and meetings provide you with the latest information on local, state, and national issues and changes to military benefits.

Influence State Legislation– Arizona's Council of Chapters unites our chapters to lobby for and pass state level legislation that affects military members and their families, such as exempting military retired pay from Arizona income tax or increasing funding for Arizona's veterans' programs.

For over 50 years, the membership of Coronado Chapter has made a lasting difference in Cochise County. Throughout our history, the leadership team has guided vital veteran support services, funded community programs, and recognized outstanding citizens. Now, it is time to choose the leaders who will carry this legacy forward.

We are currently looking for members to fill several vacant leadership roles for the coming years.

All of our current incumbents have agreed to stand for re-election, but we need new voices and fresh perspectives on our Board to help us grow. If you want to have a greater say in our chapter's direction, please consider adding your name to the list. Please consider serving in a position that would benefit from your knowledge and experience. All position minimum requirements are described in the **Arizona MOAA Chapter Position Responsibilities Guide.**

Please submit your names by the November 19 deadline by contacting either President Ed Wozniak or Past President Jim Clenney. Together, we can keep our chapter strong!

Ballot: Coronado Chapter MOAA 2027 Election of Officers

Vote by either circling the candidate's name or writing in a candidate for the following positions. Elections are for a 2-year term of office beginning in January 2027.

Position	Nominee	Write-In
First Vice President	Vacant	_____
2nd Vice President	Vacant	_____
Secretary	(I) Joe Puett	_____
Dir Public Affairs	Vacant	_____
Dir Personal Support	(I) Theresa Walsh	_____
Dir Transition/ESGR	(I) Ed Wozniak	_____
Dir Scholarships	(I) Kathy Youngblood	_____
Dir Membership	(I) Allen Goodman	_____
Dep Dir Webmaster	Vacant	_____
Historian	(I) Bud Meador	_____
Surviving Spouse Liaison	(I) Jim Clenney	_____
Chaplain	(I) Scott Dalrymple	_____
Heliogram Editor	Vacant	_____

(I) = Incumbent

The deadline for receipt of ballots is 19 November 2026. Ballots may be brought to the 19 November Member Meeting, sent to: Coronado Chapter MOAA, Box 1685, Attn: Elections, Sierra Vista, Az. 85636, or Emailed to: coronadomoaa@gmail.com

Help Us Lead the Coronado Chapter into Its Next Chapter

Dear Coronado Chapter Members,

This holiday season, we invite the members, families, and guests of the MOAA Coronado Chapter to join us in honoring our fallen comrades, service members, and their family members. We are gathering to participate in **Wreaths Across America**, laying remembrance wreaths on gravesites to ensure that their service and sacrifice are never forgotten.

Event Details

Date: Saturday, December 19, 2026

Location: Southern Arizona Veterans Memorial Cemetery

Address:1300 S. Buffalo Soldier Trail, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

Time: Ceremony begins at 10:00 AM, followed immediately by wreath placement. *(Please arrive early for parking).*

Chapter Participation & How You Can Help

Volunteer to Place Wreaths: Join fellow chapter members, families, and local civic organizations. Volunteers of all ages are welcome to lay wreaths and read aloud the names of the honored laid to rest.

Sponsor a Wreath: Help ensure every grave is honored by sponsoring a wreath for $17 through the Southern Arizona Veterans Memorial Cemetery Foundation.

Event Information & Expectations

Attire: Dress in comfortable layers and wear walking shoes suitable for cemetery terrain.

Weather: Sierra Vista mornings in mid-December can be chilly; please check the forecast and bring gloves or a warm jacket.

Community Engagement: Members are encouraged to bring family members and youth to participate in this meaningful tradition.

Registration & Sponsorship

To assist with cemetery logistics and wreath allocation, please register online prior to the event: **Official Event Page:** Search for location code **AZSAVC** on Wreaths Across America or click **HERE**

Thank you for your continued leadership, service, and dedication to our veteran community. We look forward to standing together on December 19th.

Thursday, October 15th, 2026, Luncheon Reservation Form

Sierra Vista Golf Center at Pueblo Del Sol , 2770 South Saint Andrews Drive, Sierra Vista, AZ

Pre-Meeting Social 1130 — Luncheon 1200 — Program 1230

My Name_____ Guest Name_____

Make checks payable to Coronado Chapter, MOAA and mail to: Reservations, Coronado Chapter, MOAA, P.O. Box 1685, Sierra Vista, Arizona 85636-1685. Mailed Reservations should be postmarked **NLT 2 OCT 26** to ensure timely receipt **OR RESERVE ONLINE NLT 9 OCT 26** at

MOAACORONADO.ORG/MONTHLY/DINNER

This Month's Speakers

Mr. Chuck Potucek & Ms. Victoria Yarbrough

Sierra Vista City Manager & Deputy City Manager

Total Meal(s) at $35.00 each _____

Vegetarian Option _____

Gluten Free Option _____

Dairy Free Option _____

Donation to Operating Fund (Optional) _____

Donation to Scholarship Fund (Optional) _____

Check Total _____

BUFFET MENU

Teriyaki Chicken w/Broccoli

Vegetable Fried Rice

Mixed Green Salad

Dessert: Tapioca Pudding w/Fresh Fruit

VEGETARIAN & VEGAN MENU

Teriaki Bowl over Steamed Rice

GLUTEN FREE MENU

Buffet Items

DAIRY FREE MENU

Buffet Items

A Note about Reservations.

We MUST give a final reservation count to the Sierra Vista Golf Center at Pueblo del Sol seven days before the dinner. If reserving via snail mail, your reservation should be postmarked 14 days prior to the event just to be sure we receive it in time.

If you think you may be coming, make your reservation as early as possible. We can take cancelations up to eight days before the dinner and we can either return your check, destroy it or credit it toward the following dinner. If for some reason you miss the deadline give me a call at (719) 440-1105 or email me at agoodman0663@yahoo.com to be placed on a waiting list. We often times have last minute cancellations. Looking forward to seeing you there!

SUICIDE PREVENTION

The Coronado Chapter supports the United Arizona Veterans in helping to find ways to reduce veteran suicides in Arizona. Below are ways we can help:

Publicize "Be Connected," a program that connects Arizona service members, veterans, families & helpers to information, support and resources." Their website is https://beconnectedaz.org/ or call 1-866-4AZ-VETS (429-8387). We are now "Be Connected" Partners.

Support "22 a Month to End 22 a Day." At the Warrior Healing Center, they are fighting this problem innovatively to restore hope. You can get more information at https://chuffed.org/project/22-a-month-to-end-22-a-day.

Emory Healthcare Veterans Program, free to qualified **post-9/11** military servicemembers and Veterans. This program is designed to treat conditions such as **post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)**, **traumatic brain injury (TBI)**, **military sexual trauma (MST)**, **anxiety**, and **depression** related to past military service. More information can be found at https://www.emoryhealthcare.org/centers-programs/veterans-program/index.html.

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MOAA SIGNATURE GROUPS

Join MOAA Leadership and your fellow MOAA members on these hosted cruises and land tours.

AFFORDABLE TRAVEL — Every MOAA Signature Group is a negotiated special which is not available to the general public – only MOAA members and their guests can attend. You can, however, bring as many friends and family members with you as you like.

EASIER, SAFER TRAVEL — Vacations are meant to be an escape. It is your time to relax and unwind, explore, and discover. So, let us take care of the details. This is valuable time that doesn't have to be spent worrying about how you're going to get there or, what you're going to do when you get there

INCREASE THE FUN FACTOR —Being surrounded by like-minded people offers you the chance to share experiences and make new memories together. Group travel can give you the chance to meet people and make new friends. You'll meet individuals who are also passionate about travel and have experiences that are similar to your own. With shared military backgrounds and values, camaraderie forms naturally and often leads to lasting friendships.

2026 & 2027 SIGNATURE GROUPS

July 12-21, 2026	**Highlights of Eastern Europe River Cruise**	9-nights from **$3,999**
October 1-10, 2026	**Western Europe Yacht Cruise**	9-nights from **$4,999**
April 25-May 2, 2027	**Castles Along the Rhine River Cruise**	7-nights from **$4,199**
July 19-27, 2027	**France & Spain Yacht Cruise**	8-nights from **$5,799**
September 14-25, 2027	**Circle Iceland Yacht Cruise**	11-nights from **$8,999**
Sept. 25-Oct. 4, 2027	**Battlefields of WWI & WWII Tour**	10 days from **$6,495**

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