National Day of Remembrance For Murder Victims:
September 25, 2019

Tragically, each year an estimated 14,249 persons are murdered nationwide, a murder every 36.9 minutes. The mission of the National Organization of Parents Of Murdered Children, Inc. (POMC) is to make a difference through on-going emotional support, education, prevention, advocacy, and awareness. POMC’s vision is to provide support and assistance to all survivors of homicide victims while working to create a world free of murder.

September 25th is the National Day of Remembrance for Murder Victims. This commemorative day was established as a National Day of Remembrance for Murder Victims as a result of unanimously passed resolutions by the U.S. Senate on October 16, 2007 (S. Res. 326) and the U.S. House of Representatives on May 14, 2007 (H. Res. 223).

POMC believes that honoring the memory of victims who have been killed by violence and acknowledging the resulting long-term trauma for families, communities, and the Nation, is an important way of promoting public awareness of the impact of violent crimes and remembering our loved ones. POMC Chapters and other organizations will be holding events around the Nation to commemorate the National Day of Remembrance for Murder Victims.

September 25th is significant because on that date in 1978, nineteen year old Lisa Hullinger was murdered while studying in Germany. Lisa’s parents, Robert and Charlotte Hullinger, founded Parents Of Murdered Children, Inc. (POMC). POMC provides nationwide assistance to anyone who has lost a loved one to murder and has over 60 chapters and 100 contact people throughout the United States.

On September 25th please take time to remember those who have died by violence in America on our National Day of Remembrance for Murder Victims (DOR).

POMC Chapter DOR Events:

**Arizona**

Valley of the Sun Chapter (602-254-8818)

- **Date:** Saturday, September 28, 2019
- **Time:** 4:30 pm (check-in) 5:00 pm event start time
- **Place:** Enchanted Island Amusement Park
  1202 West Encanto Blvd, Phoenix, AZ 85007
- **RSVP’s required as we have a catered dinner.**

**Arkansas**

Central Arkansas Chapter (501-351-7662)

- **Date:** Saturday, September 21
Time: 10:00 am

Place: Arkansas State Capitol  
500 Woodlane St.  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

**California**  
Greater Orange County Chapter (714-402-3171)

Date: Sunday, September 22

Time: 2:00 – 6:00 pm

Place: Ralph B. Clark Regional Park  
8800 Rosecrans Avenue  
Buena Park, CA 90621  
Picnic Shelter 3

**California**  
Monterey County Chapter (831-214-0499)

Date: Friday, September 27

Time: 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Place: Board of Supervisors' Chambers  
(located in the Monterey County Government Center)  
168 West Alisal St, 1st Floor, Salinas, California 93901

**Florida**  
Fort Myers, FL-Lee County Chapter (239-839 4348)

Date: Saturday, September 28

Time: 5:00 -8:00 pm

Place: Clemente Park  
1936 Henderson Ave  
Fort Myers, FL 33916

**Florida**  
Southwest Florida Chapter (941-916-0677)

Date: Friday, September 20

Time: Candle Light Vigil @ 5:30 pm

Place: Gilchrist Park  
400 W.Retta Esplanade  
Punta Gorda, Fl 33950
Florida
Tri County Chapter (772-882-0755)

Date: Wednesday, September 25

Time: 5:30 – 6:30 pm

Place: MLK Dream Land Park
MLK Drive and Citrus Ave
Fort Pierce, FL 34950

Kansas
Wichita Kansas Chapter (316-722-2907)

Date: Wednesday, September 25

Time: 6:30 pm

Place: POMC Monument
Corner of 10th & Bitting Streets in North Riverside Park,
Wichita, KS 67203

Kansas
Kansas City Area Wide Chapter (816-234-5205)

Date: Saturday, September 21

Time: Registration 6:00 pm/walk 7:00 pm

Place: Kansas City Regional Police Academy
6801 NE Pleasant Valley Rd
KCMO 64119 (athletic track)

Massachusetts
Southeastern MA Chapter (617-947-1639)

Date: Thursday, September 19

Time: 5:30 pm

Place: Garden Of Peace
Somerset St and 100 Cambridge St
Boston, MA

Michigan
Metro Detroit Chapter (313-213-3962)

Date: Wednesday, September 25

Time: 6:00 pm
Missouri
Central Missouri Area Wide Chapter (573-443-7735)

Date: Saturday, September 21
Time: 12:00 pm

Place: McKay Park
1700 Southridge Drive, Jefferson City
MO 65109

- Memorial pot luck picnic starting at 12:00 noon
- Attendees are asked to bring a favorite picnic food dish.
- Dove release after the picnic at McKay Park
- Survivors are encouraged to bring a favorite poem to read before the dove release.

New York
Albany NY Chapter (518-426-2213)

Date: Sunday, September 22
Time: 1:30 pm

Place: Steinmetz Park on Lenox Road
Schenectady, New York 12308

Ohio
Central Ohio Chapter (614-581-5528)

Date: Wednesday, September 25
Time: 7:00 pm

Place: Education Building on 18th St.
 Nationwide Children’s Hospital

Oregon
Greater Portland Area Chapter (503- 656-8039)

Date: Wednesday, September 25
Time: 10:00 am

Place: Mt. View Cemetery, 500 Hilda Street, Oregon City,
OR 97045
• Free Barbeque after the program

**Pennsylvania**
Delaware County Chapter (484-557-1370)

Date: Wednesday, September 25  
Time: 7:00 pm  
Place: POMC Memorial Garden  
Drury Rd and Chichester Ave  
Upper Chichester, PA 19061

**South Carolina**
Sumter Chapter (803-236-9086)

Our theme this year is "Our Unshakable Hope"  
Date: Thursday, September 19  
Time: Walk starts at 5:30 pm from Central Carolina College to old Sumter county courthouse on 141 N. Main Street. Program starts at 6:00 pm.  
Place: Central Carolina College  
133 S. Main Street.  
Sumter, South Carolina 29150

**Texas**
San Antonio Chapter (830-981-9490)

Date: Sunday, September 22  
Time: 6:00 pm  
Place: Chapel Hills United Methodist Church  
4114 SW Loop 410  
San Antonio, TX 78227

**Non POMC Events:**

**Florida**
Palm Beach Victims’ Rights Coalition (561-355-7451)

Date: Wednesday, September 25  
Time: 6:00 – 7:30 pm
Refreshments: 5:30 – 6:00 pm

Place: Palm Beach Shores Community Center
90 Edwards Lane
Palm Beach Shores, FL 33404

**Georgia**
Tapestries Groups (678-499-9587)

Date: Wednesday, September 25

Time: 4:30 – 8:00 pm

Place: Lakewood Church of Hope
1766 Lakewood Avenue
Atlanta, GA 30315

**Texas**
Crime Stoppers of Houston (832-274-8379)

Date: Sunday, September 22

Time: 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Place: Crime Stoppers Of Houston
3001 Main Street
Houston, TX 77002