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Larry Williams, Commander
2021 – 2022

Friday

June 18, 2021

DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA 101st STATE CONVENTION MINUTES
El Conquistador Tucson Hilton Resort

9:00 AM Opening of 2020/2021 Convention

Opening Prayer led by State Chaplain Phil Erickson.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America; Commander Jeff Eiler.

Introduction of Guests; National Insp Gen. Richard Bell, PCIC/PDC Allen "Gunner" Kent, PDC's Betty Gripp, Joe Reagan, Greg Kozakiewicz, Bob Hysko, Lewis Wood, Tom Judd and Sup. Cmdr. of Military order Cootie Darin Combs.

Roll Call of Officers; Adjutant Lewis Wood, All present.

Roll Call of Posts; Post Present 40, 285, 404, 549, 720, 769, 836, 1433, 1677, 1704, 1709, 1760, 2066, 2357, 2767, 3632, 3713, 3715, 4903, 5990, 6271, 6310, 6739, 7690, 7400, 7401, 7507, 7968, 8053, 8242, 8807, 9399, 9400, 9401, 9833, 9907, 9972, 10005, 10015, 10227, 10385, 10386, 11014, 12043. 44 Posts present.

Reading of the 2020/2021, 101st Convention Rules; Bill Schaeffler, Motion to adopt by Mike Kemery, Second by Mark Short, adoption pass.

Credential Report; First Credential report. 9:15 AM: Lewis Wood.

100% Membership Awards to Post and Districts; 40, 404, 541, 549, 769, 836, 1433, 1677, 1704, 1709, 1763, 1796, 2066, 2135, 2190, 2357, 2364, 2555, 2767, 3516, 3584, 3708, 3713, 4903, 5990, 6271, 6306, 6310, 6789, 6790, 7061, 7400, 7401, 7507, 7968, 8053, 8242, 8807, 9399, 9400, 9401, 9632, 9833, 9972, 9977, 10005, 10015, 10188, 10227, 10254, 10385, 11014, 12043, 12128, 12198, D-1, D-2, D-3, D-5, D-7, D-8, D10, 55 Posts, 7 Districts.

Proposed Amendment to the VFW Department of Arizona Bylaws, reading of the proposed changes, by Adjutant Gene Wood, motion to accept and 2nd by Sr Vice Larry Williams, Discussion several areas of concern, verbiage regarding electronic meetings.
Motion tabled by Gene Wood 2nd by Bill Schaeffler, motion to table passed.

Commander appointed committee (Glenn Hohman, Mike Pearson) to assist rewrite concerned areas of the Proposed Bylaws

Convention Committee Reported and made motion that the Convention return to El Conquistador Tucson Hilton Resort 2023

Commander Jeff Eiler Opened Nominations for the 2021/2022 VFW year
Nomination for Department Officers.

Commander Larry Williams - Nominated by Janie Miller

No other nomination at this time, Nominations to remain open until Saturday 19th

Sr, Vice Commander Mike Kemery - Nominated by Joe Reagan

No other nomination at this time, Nominations to remain open until Saturday 19th

Jr. Vice Commander Mark Short – Nominated by Bob Hysko

No other nomination at this time, Nominations to remain open until Saturday 19th

Quartermaster Hope Blood – Nominated by Ruben Quezada

Quartermaster Cliff Brown – Nominated by Leonard Kuczynski

No other nomination at this time, Nominations to remain open until Saturday 19th

Chaplain Phil Erickson – Nominated by Lewis Wood

No other nomination at this time, Nominations to remain open until Saturday 19th

Judge Advocate Bill Schaeffler – Nominated by Betty Gripp

No other nomination at this time, Nominations to remain open until Saturday 19th

Surgeon Jim McCormick – Nominated by A. Gunner Kent

Surgeon Hugues Byrne – Nominated by Joe Reagan

No other nomination at this time, Nominations to remain open until Saturday 19th

4 Year Convention Committee member- Ralph Teagarden – Nominated by Joe Cluck

4 Year Convention Committee member – Greg Harrell – Nominated by Bill Schaeffler

No other nomination at this time, Nominations to remain open until Saturday 19th

All State Posts; 404, 549, 769, 1433, 1677, 1704, 3713, 6310, 7507, 7968, 9401, 9399, 9972, 12043, Captain of the All State team Post 9400.

All State District; D-5, D-6, D-7, D-8, Captain of the All State team District 10.

Awards Presented; Student Award Presented to District 8 Commander, Teachers, Service Officer of the Year Award to Erick Yates Presented to Commander Post 1760, Gold Award Post 10227 presented to District 2 Commander, Diamond Award 7061 Present to District 1 Commander, Diamond Award for Post 7400 Presented to Post Commander
VMS Certificates Presented to 2555, 3632 Aux., 3708, 6306,
Safety Department Chairman Award for Tim Ogden Presented to Post 9400 Commander
Teachers Department Chairman Award to Bobby Jones
Citizenship Ed. Department Chairman Award for Jim Johnson Presented to D-10 Commander
Community Activity Department Chairman Award for Eddie Zazueta Present to D-6 Commander
Buddy Poppies Department Chairman Award to Tom VonAhlefeld
VOD/PP Department Chairman Award for David Price Presented to D-8 Commander

Announcements;

Past Commander's Club information

Charities Meeting Information

Bylaws Committee Meeting ASAP.

Flag Raising , 19th AM

Salute to the Flag

Department at recess until 9:00 AM, Saturday 19th

Saturday
June 19 2021

101st State Convention Continues.

Opening Prayer and Salute to the Flag.

Reading of the Bylaws changes submitted by the committee and motion to approve.
Vote taken, and motion passed.

Legislative Report from Tom Judd on License plate

Reading of Post with Arrears;

10 minutes Break

Final Credentials Report 10:00 AM; Registered 156, C of A 17, PDC 7, Post Cmdrs 33
Number of Delegates 774

Nominations & Elections of Department of Arizona Officers for Year 2021-2022;

Commander Jeff Eiler Opened Nominations for the 2021/2022 VFW year

Nomination for Department Officers;

Commander Larry Williams - Nominated by Janie Miller, Elected Unopposed
Sr, Vice Commander Mike Kemery - Nominated by Joe Reagan, Elected Unopposed
Jr. Vice Commander Mark Short – Nominated by Bob Hysko, Elected Unopposed
Quartermaster Hope Blood – Nominated by Ruben Quezada, Elected Roll Call Vote
Chaplain Phil Erickson – Nominated by Lewis Wood, Elected Unopposed
Judge Advocate Bill Schaeffler – Nominated by Betty Gripp, Elected Unopposed
Surgeon Jim McCormick – Nominated by A. Gunner Kent, Elected Roll Call Vote
4 Year Convention Committee Member – Greg Harrell Nominated by Bill Schaeffler,
Elected Roll Call Vote

Convention meeting recessed 12:30 PM to come back into secession at 3:30 PM for installation.

Convention reconvenes 3:30 PM

Joint Installation of the Department Officers with the Department Auxiliary Officers,
Installing Officers PDC Lewis Wood and PDP Debi Rankin

Commander Larry Williams Closes the 101st Department of Arizona Convention.

Salute to The Flag of the United States of America.

Chaplain Phil Erickson gives Closing Prayer.

Commander Larry Williams, Reminds the Membership the new VFW year starts at 9:00 AM
June 20, 2021, Sunday at the C of A.

Convention Minutes Prepared By
Lewis Gene Wood, Adjutant/PDC
Department of Arizona
Veterans of Foreign Wars

Sunday
June 20, 2021

DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA STATE C of A MINUTES
El Conquistador Tucson Hilton Resort

9:00 AM Opening of C of A

Salute to the Flag of the United States of America; Officer of the Day Deuce Brandt

Opening Prayer; Chaplain Phil Erickson

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America; Commander Larry Williams

Introduction of Guests; National Inspector Richard Bell, Supreme Commander of the Cooties Darren Combs, PDC/Past CIC Allen "Gunner" Kent, PDC's Betty Gripp, Joe Reagan, Greg Kozakiewicz, Bob Hysko, Lewis Wood, Tom Judd, Jeff Eiler

Roll Call of Officers; Adjutant , Lewis Wood, All Present or account for

National Inspector Richard Bell gave words to the membership

Blessing for National Home; Chaplain Phil Erickson

Reports from Committees; Janie Miller Inspector. Tom VonAhlefeld Buddy Poppies, Citizenship Mike Pearson, Convention Committee C. Shorty Larson, Employment Ricky Mindt, Hospital Jim Johnson, Loyalty Day-POW/MIA Bill Schaeffler, Youth /Scouting Derek Hulsebus, Life and Legacy Membership Deuce Brandt, Membership Stephen Franklin, Legislative National Jim Ellars, Legislative State /VMS Tom Judd, National Home Phil Erickson, Riders Jim McCormick, Safety /Diversity Hugues Byrne.

Roll Call of Posts; (CMDR, SV or JV Present). 40, 285, 404, 541, 549, 720, 769, 1433, 1677, 1704, 1709, 2066, 2357, 2767, 3713, 3715, 5990, 6310, 7400, 7401, 7507, 7968, 9399, 9400, 9401, 9907, 9972, 10005, 10015, 10386, 11014, 12043.

Reading of the minutes from previous C of A dated January 9,2021 Motion to suspend reading of the minutes they have be passed out Judge Advocate Bill Schaeffler, second by Sr. Vice Kemery.

Reading of correspondence from candidates running for national offices.

Report from Department Service Officer; Ken Diest reported on the work of the service office, reported that Central Ave office is open

Commander ask about a Comrade or a Family member of a Comrade in distress. Judge Advocate Bill Schaeffler and his Family, Post 2357 Bouse service officer

Reports from District Commanders;

D-1 Commander reported that as the new Commander that he will be reaching out for guidance as the District moves forward.

D-2 Commander reported that as he took over middle of last year. He says he learned the importance of reports and will be working to insure the reports are completed.

D-3 Commander will be working to insure the VFW Programs will be worked, that VOD /PP information has already went out.

D-5 Commander moving forward toward the VFW programs, working with posts that will merge, posts are in final stages of this merge 549 and 10188.

D-6 Commander VFW Programs and membership moving forward.

D-7 Commander congratulated Department on 54 years of 100%. Stated the District will have their first ever VOD/PP banquet in Nogales Post 2066 this year. Also putting into planning stages an Early Bird Membership Program.

D-8 Is hitting the ground running with VFW Programs and recruiting with several events scheduled.

D-10 Goal to have all post at 100% in membership at the end of the 2021/22 VFW Year, with several events being scheduled.

Unfinished Business: Commander asked 3 times, saying hearing none moving forward.

New Business; Quartermaster Hope presented the Budget, discovered C of A had different copy than was being discussed. QM Hope presented the changes and Ruben explained why the changes. Additional changes were required and approved by the C of A . Budget approved pending documented changes required by the C of A. No other new business.

Good of the Order; Commander D-10 Hugues Byrne Announced that he is a candidate for Department Surgeon for 2022/23

D-1 Commander stated nothing more to add

D-2 Commander stated nothing more to add

D-3 Commander stated nothing more to add

D-5 Commander stated nothing more to add

D-6 Commander stated nothing more to add

D-7 Commander stated nothing more to add

D-8 Commander stated nothing more to add

D-10 Commander stated nothing more to add

Chaplain; Phil Erickson stated that he is available anytime.

Jr. PDC; Jeff Eiler thanked the Membership for all the hard work and support provided his year as Commander and reaching 54 years 100% in Membership.

Department Surgeon; Jim McCormick thanked the membership for the confidence in electing him to his position. Looking forward to the coming year.

Department Judge Advocate; Bill Schaeffler Reminded all the Post and District Commanders That the Bulletin is very important tool.

Jr Vice Commander; Mark Short Talked about the partnership that we have with the 4-H and how working the youth programs is also a good tool for working membership. Reminded all that he is still a CNR and will work membership.

Sr Vice Commander Mike Kemery talked about the importance of reporting all that you do and that all the required forms are on the Department website and that the forms have the address's the reports are to be sent .

Quartermaster Hope Blood Reported she will be available for assistance if needed.

Adjutant; Lewis "Gene" Wood Stated, forward all correspondence information to your membership. Even if you don't want or need the information, someone in the organization may need the information. As your National Councilman I will be going to Kansas City, MO. in September 14th-17th, Past Commander-in- Chief Hal has said how proud he is of the Membership for the things that have been accomplished during the past year.

12;00 Closing Ceremonies

Closing Prayer; Chaplain Phil Erickson

Salute to the Flag of the United States of America.

Next C of A Sunday September 25, 2021, Show Low AZ.

C of A minutes prepared by
Lewis" Gene" Wood Adjutant/ PDC
Department of Arizona
Veterans of Foreign Wars

As of: 7/31/2021

Post	City	Dist	QM Bond	Trustee Audit	Buddy Poppy	AZ Cottage	Vets & Military Support	Inspection Report	State Delegate Dues
40	Avondale	3	X	of 4					\$22.00
285	Surprise	3	X	of 4					\$22.00
404	Mohave Valley	8	X	of 4					\$22.00
541	Prescott	2	X	1 of 4					\$66.00
549	Tucson	5	X	1 of 4					\$209.00
720	Phoenix	4	X	of 4					\$55.00
769	Quartzsite	1	X	of 4					\$49.50
836	Bisbee	7	X	of 4					\$27.50
1433	Glendale	3	X	of 4					\$132.00
1677	Casa Grande	10	X	of 4	X	X			PAID
1704	Globe	6	X	1 of 4		X	X		PAID
1709	Flagstaff	2	X	of 4	X	X			\$44.00
1760	Mesa	4		of 4					\$60.50
1763	Yuma	1		of 4					\$55.00
1796	Black Canyon City	4		of 4					\$22.00
2066	Nogales	7		of 4					\$27.50
2135	Peoria	3	X	1 of 4					\$16.50
2190	Chloride	8	X	1 of 4		X	AZ		PAID
2357	Bouse	1	X	1 of 4	X	X	AZ		PAID
2364	Pinetop-Lakeside	6	X	of 4					\$16.50
2555	Golden Valley	8	X	1 of 4					\$27.50
2767	Mammoth	5		1 of 4					\$11.00
3513	Scottsdale	4		of 4					\$71.50
3516	Kingman	8		1 of 4					PAID
3584	Superior	10		of 4					\$11.00
3632	Tempe	4		of 4					\$55.00
3708	Salome	1		1 of 4					\$11.00
3713	Coolidge	10		of 4					\$38.50
3715	Phoenix	3		of 4					\$22.00
4903	Tucson	5		of 4					\$71.50
5990	Marana	5		1 of 4					\$44.00
6271	Benson	7	X	of 4					\$33.00
6306	Golden Shores	8		of 4					\$27.50
6310	Tolleson	3	X	of 4	X	X	X		PAID
6739	Camp Verde	2		of 4					\$27.50
6789	Window Rock	2		of 4					\$5.50
6790	Wellton	1		of 4					\$55.00
7061	Parker	1		of 4					\$33.00
7400	Cottonwood	2	X	1 of 4	X				\$49.50

Arrears 2021-2022

Post	City	Dist	QM Bond	Trustee Audit	Buddy Poppy	AZ Cottage	Vets & Military Support	Inspection Report	State Delegate Dues
7401	Chandler	10		of 4					\$71.50
7507	Fountain Hills	4		1 of 4					\$33.00
7988	Apache Junction	10		1 of 4					\$209.00
8053	Sun Lakes	10		1 of 4					\$33.00
8242	Yuma (Y.P.G.)	1		1 of 4					\$93.50
8807	Tonto Basin	6	X	1 of 4					\$33.00
8987	Eagar	6		of 4					\$22.00
9399	Apache Junction	10	X	1 of 4	X	X			PAID
9400	Sunnyslope	4		of 4					\$143.00
9401	Lake Havasu City	8	X	1 of 4	X	X	X		PAID
9632	Page	2	X	1 of 4	X	X	X		PAID
9833	Dolan Springs	8		1 of 4	X	X	X		PAID
9907	Show Low	6		of 4					\$71.50
9972	Sierra Vista	7		1 of 4					\$423.50
9977	Arizona Sunsites	7		of 4					\$22.00
10005	Bullhead City	8		1 of 4					\$99.00
10015	Tucson	5	X	of 4		X	AZ		PAID
10188	Tucson	5		1 of 4					\$55.00
10227	Prescott Valley	2		of 4					\$71.50
10254	Three Points	5		1 of 4					\$22.00
10385	Thatcher	7		of 4					\$16.50
10386	Kingman	8	X	1 of 4		X	X		PAID
10726	Parker Dam	8		1 of 4					\$27.50
11014	Meadview	8		of 4					\$27.50
12031	Anthem	4	X	1 of 4		X	AZ		\$16.50
12043	Maricopa	10	X	1 of 4					\$33.00
12098	Buckeye	3		of 4					\$16.50
12128	Williams	2		1 of 4	X	AZ			PAID
	District 1			of 4					
	District 2			1 of 4					
	District 3		X	of 4		X	X		
	District 4			of 4					
	District 5			of 4					
	District 6			of 4					
	District 7			of 4					
	District 8		X	of 4		X	X		
	District 10		X	1 of 4		X	X		

QM Bond is \$4.00 per \$1000

Trustee Audits are due 45 days after the end of each quarter

Buddy Poppy - X= Ordered & Paid. Each Post is required to buy a minimum of 500 poppies. Use order form on State website.

AZ Cottage - \$30.00 Voluntary Donation

Vets & Military Support - Any Voluntary Donation will be accepted. \$100 minimum to be considered for All-American

State Delegate Dues - These dues are to help defray costs for 2022 Convention Scottsdale. \$=Money Due

*** Post inspection report must be completed before April 27, 2020

If paying all with one check, please attach a note with a breakdown of how much for each item.

Please make all checks payable to: VFW Dept. of AZ and Mail to:

VFW Dept of AZ, 6423 S. Ash Ave, Tempe, AZ 85283

VETERAN AND MILITARY SUPPORT -2021-2022

Post	District	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
769	1	O	O										
1763	1												
2357	1	X	X										
3708	1		O										
6790	1												
7061	1		O										
8242	1	O	X										

541	2												
1709	2	X	X										
6739	2												
6789	2												
7400	2		O										
9632	2												
10227	2	O	O										
12128	2		O										

40	3												
285	3	X	X										
1433	3												
2135	3	O	X										
3715	3	O	O										
6310	3	X	X										
12098	3												

720	4	X	X										
1760	4												
1796	4		O										
3513	4												
3632	4	O	O										
7507	4	X	X										
9400	4	X											
12031	4	O											

549	5												
2767	5	O	X										
4903	5	O	X										
5990	5	O	O										
10015	5	X	O										
10188	5	X	X										
10254	5	O	X										

Post	District	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
1704	6	O	X										
2364	6	X	X										
8807	6		O										
8987	6	O	O										
9907	6	X	O										

836	7												
2066	7		X										
6271	7	O	X										
9972	7	X	X										
9977	7	O	O										
10385	7												

404	8	O	X										
2190	8	X	X										
2555	8												
3516	8	X	X										
6306	8												
9401	8	O	O										
9833	8	O	X										
10005	8	X	X										
10386	8		X										
10726	8	O	O										
11014	8	O											

1677	10	X	X										
3584	10												
3713	10	O											
7401	10	O	O										
7968	10	X	X										
8053	10	X	X										
9399	10	X	X										
10243	10	X	X										

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3. Block has X = Report is Accepted

Hospital Reports 2021-22 (last updated 7/27/2021 at 9:30 PM)

POST	DIST	Ma	Jun	Jul	Aug	Se	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
769	1	R	R										
1763	1	R	R										
2357	1	R	R										
3708	1	Z	O										
6790	1	R	O										
7061	1	R	O										
8242	1												
541	2												
1709	2	R	R										
6739	2												
6789	2												
7400	2	R	R										
9632	2												
10227	2	R	O										
12128	2		O										
40	3												
285	3	R	R										
1433	3												
1710	3												
2135	3	R	R										
3715	3		Z										
6310	3	R	R										
10695	3												
12098	3												
720	4	R											
1760	4												
1796	4												
3513	4												
3632	4	R	R										
7507	4	R	O										
9400	4	R	R										
12031	4	R	R										
549	5	Z	R										
2767	5		R										
3578	5												
4903	5	R	R										
5990	5	R	R										
10015	5		R										
10188	5	R	R										
10254	5	Z	Z										

POST	DIST	Ma	Jun	Jul	Aug	Se	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
1704	6	R	R										
2364	6		R										
8807	6	R											
8987	6		O										
9829	6												
9907	6	R	R										
836	7												
2066	7	O											
6271	7												
9972	7	O	R										
9977	7		O										
10342	7												
10385	7												
10432	7												
404	8	R	R										
2190	8	R	O										
2555	8												
3516	8		R										
6306	8	L											
9401	8												
9833	8	R	O										
10005	8		R										
10386	8	R	O										
10726	8	R	O										
11014	8	R	O										
1677	10	R	R										
3584	10		L										
3713	10	R	R										
7401	10	R	O										
7968	10	R	R										
8053	10	R	O										
9399	10	R	O										
12043	10	R	R										

Legend:
 R Received and posted on time
 O Old form
 L Received Late
 Z Received with zero data

Want to keep up on your "hospital report" status? Click here https://drive.google.com/file/d/1l2q1DANAVL_e-2ciUmPdoITM6p7QG-n0/view?usp=sharing
 or paste into your browser: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1l2q1DANAVL_e-2ciUmPdoITM6p7QG-n0/view?usp=sharing Hospital Reports

Community Service Monthly Report as of:

Wednesday, July 28, 2021

Legend: Vob (Voice of Democracy); PP (Patriot's Pen); Toy (Teacher of the Year); P/M (POW/MIA); LD (Loyalty Day); BP (Buddy Poppy); VMS (Veterans & Military Support); EMT (Emergency Medical Technician); LE (Police, Sheriff, Border Patrol & USCG Auxiliary);

X = Report Submitted; Blank Field = No Report Submitted or that Item Not Completed;

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Post	City	Dist	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	Vob	PP	Toy	P/M	LD	BP	VMS	EMT	LE	F	Ath	Educ	Reco	Scts	Oth
769	QUARTZSITE	1	X	X	X																								
1763	YUMA	1																											
2357	BOUSE	1	X	X	X																								
3708	SALOME	1		X	X																								
6790	WELLTON	1																											
7061	PARKER	1																											
8242	YUMA (Y.P.G.)	1	X	X	X																								
541	PRESCOTT	2																											
1709	FLAGSTAFF	2	X	X	X																								
6739	CAMP VERDE	2																											
6789	WINDOW ROCK	2																											
7400	COTTONWOOD	2	X	X																									
9632	PAGE	2																											
10227	PRESCOTT VALLEY	2			X																								
12128	WILLIAMS	2				X																							
40	AVONDALE	3																											
285	SURPRISE	3	X	X	X																								
1433	GLENDALE	3																											
2135	PEORIA	3	X	X	X																								
3715	PHOENIX	3	X	X	X																								
6310	TOLLESON	3	X	X	X																								
10695	SUN CITY WEST	3	X																										
12098	BUCKEYE	3																											
720	PHOENIX	4	X	X	X																								
1760	MESA	4																											
1796	BLACK CANYON CITY	4				X																							
3513	SCOTTSDALE	4																											
3632	TEMPE	4	X	X	X																								
7507	FOUNTAIN HILLS	4	X	X	X																								
9400	SUNNYSLOPE	4	X	X	X																								
12031	ANTHEM	4	X	X	X																								

Post	City	Dist	Ath	Educ	Reco	Scts	Oth	Total Vol Hrs	Total \$'s Donated
769	QUARTZSITE	1			X		X	748.00	\$2,555.00
1763	YUMA	1						0.00	\$0.00
2357	BOUSE	1			X		X	21.00	\$250.00
3708	SALOME	1			X		X	0.00	\$0.00
6790	WELLTON	1						0.00	\$0.00
7061	PARKER	1						0.00	\$0.00
8242	YUMA (Y.P.G.)	1			X		X	56.50	\$452.87
541	PRESCOTT	2						0.00	\$0.00
1709	FLAGSTAFF	2			X		X	115.00	\$1,871.86
6739	CAMP VERDE	2						0.00	\$0.00
6789	WINDOW ROCK	2						0.00	\$0.00
7400	COTTONWOOD	2			X		X	305.00	\$2,372.60
9632	PAGE	2						0.00	\$0.00
10227	PRESCOTT VALLEY	2			X		X	204.90	\$0.00
12128	WILLIAMS	2			X		X	100.00	\$521.00
40	AVONDALE	3						0.00	\$0.00
285	SURPRISE	3			X		X	164.00	\$202.23
1433	GLENDALE	3			X		X	5.00	\$108.70
2135	PEORIA	3			X		X	187.00	\$2,071.40
3715	PHOENIX	3			X		X	3.00	\$5.39
6310	TOLLESON	3			X		X	4,698.00	\$15,417.11
10695	SUN CITY WEST	3			X		X	140.00	\$27.16
12098	BUCKEYE	3			X		X	12.00	\$250.00
720	PHOENIX	4			X		X	12.00	\$4,684.00
1760	MESA	4						0.00	\$0.00
1796	BLACK CANYON CITY	4			X		X	7.00	\$2,365.40
3513	SCOTTSDALE	4						0.00	\$0.00
3632	TEMPE	4			X		X	8.00	\$265.00
7507	FOUNTAIN HILLS	4			X		X	146.50	\$406.82
9400	SUNNYSLOPE	4			X		X	1,033.00	\$76,271.95
12031	ANTHEM	4			X		X	279.00	\$444.00

Aux Vol Hrs Aux Total \$'s Donated

Post	City	Dist	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	VOD	PP	Toy	P/M	LD	BP	VMS	EMT	LE	F	Ath	Educ	Recog	Scrs	Oth
549	TUCSON	5				X																							
2767	MAANMOTH	5																											
3578	AJO	5																											
4903	TUCSON	5	X	X	X																					X		X	
5990	MARANA	5	X	X	X																					X		X	
10015	TUCSON	5	X	X	X																					X		X	
10188	TUCSON	5	X	X	X																					X		X	
10254	THREE POINTS	5	X	X	X																					X		X	
1704	GLOBE	6	X	X	X																					X		X	
2364	PINTOP-LAKESIDE	6	X	X	X																					X		X	
8807	TONTO BASIN	6	X																							X		X	
8987	EAGAR	6																								X		X	
9829	PAYSON	6																								X		X	
9907	SILVER LOW	6	X	X	X																					X		X	
836	BISBEE	7																											
2066	NOGALES	7																											
6271	BENSON	7	X	X	X																					X		X	
9972	SERRA VISTA	7																											
9977	ARIZONA SUNSTES	7	X	X	X																					X		X	
10385	THATCHER	7																											
404	MOHAVE VALLEY	8	X	X	X																					X		X	
2190	CHILORIDE	8	X	X	X																					X		X	
2555	GOLDEN VALLEY	8																											
3516	KINGMAN	8	X		X																					X		X	
6306	GOLDEN SHORES	8	X	X	X																					X		X	
9401	LAKE HAVASU CITY	8	X	X	X																					X		X	
9833	DOLAN SPRINGS	8	X	X	X																					X		X	
10005	BULLHEAD CITY	8	X	X	X																					X		X	
10386	KINGMAN	8	X	X	X																					X		X	
10726	PARKER DAM	8																											
11014	MEADVIEW	8	X	X	X																					X		X	
1677	CASA GRANDE	10	X	X	X																					X		X	
3584	SUPERIOR	10																											
3713	COOLIDGE	10	X	X	X																					X		X	
7401	CHANDLER	10	X	X	X																					X		X	
7968	APACHE JUNCTION	10	X	X	X																					X		X	
8053	SUN LAKES	10																											
9399	APACHE JUNCTION	10																								X		X	
12043	MARICOPA	10																								X		X	

Total Vol Hrs	Total \$'s Donated
49.00	\$993.30
0.00	\$0.00
0.00	\$0.00
337.00	\$159.74
989.00	\$4,894.58
29.00	\$84.12
313.50	\$2,263.20
24.00	\$1,822.56
99.00	\$2,813.08
582.00	\$11,538.15
19.00	\$561.40
13.00	\$352.74
0.00	\$0.00
1,616.00	\$18,092.08
0.00	\$0.00
0.00	\$0.00
218.00	\$9,850.00
0.00	\$0.00
519.00	\$0.00
0.00	\$0.00
220.00	\$1,929.90
30.00	\$7.56
0.00	\$0.00
206.20	\$549.24
446.00	\$407.64
243.50	\$624.23
35.00	\$1,250.20
120.00	\$4,983.12
405.00	\$11,551.24
0.00	\$0.00
1,110.50	\$6,123.51
894.50	\$3,510.80
0.00	\$0.00
575.00	\$732.67
244.00	\$15,143.88
488.00	\$5,314.40
0.00	\$0.00
16.00	\$350.00
1,208.00	\$25,440.59
0.00	\$0.00

19,294.10

\$192,643.42

CHAPLAIN REPORTS - AS OF 22 July 2021

POST	DIST	May	June	July	August	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April
769	1	X	X										
1763	1												
2357	1	X											
3708	1	X	X										
6790	1												
7061	1	X	X										
8242	1												

541	2												
1709	2	X											
6739	2												
6789	2												
7400	2	X	P										
9632	2												
10227	2	X	X										
12128	2												

40	3												
285	3	X	X										
1433	3												
2135	3	X	X										
3715	3	P	X										
6310	3	X											
12098	3												

720	4	X	X										
1760	4												
1796	4												
3513	4												
3632	4	X	X										
7507	4	X											
9400	4	X	P										
12031	4	X	X										

549	5	X	X										
2767	5	X	X										
4903	5	X	X										
5990	5	X											
10015	5	P	X										
10188	5	X	X										
10254	5	P	X										

POST	DIST	May	June	July	August	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April
1704	6	X	X										
2364	6	X	X										
8807	6	X	X										
8987	6												
9907	6	X	X										

836	7												
2066	7	X	X										
6271	7												
9972	7	X	X										
9977	7	P	X										
10385	7												

404	8	X	X										
2190	8	X	X										
2555	8												
3516	8	X	X										
6306	8	P	X										
9401	8	X	X										
9833	8	X	X										
10005	8		X										
10386	8	X	X										
10726	8	X	P										
11014	8	X	X										

1677	10	X	X										
3584	10		P										
3713	10	X											
7401	10	X	P										
7968	10	X	X										
8053	10	X	X										
9399	10	X	X										
12043	10	X	X										

Block empty: no report
 Block has X: report received on time
 Block has P: Report received past due date

Summary of Department Inspections
2017 - 2018

**SUMMARY OF DEPARTMENT INSPECTIONS
2021 - 2022**

as of: see date on the bottom of the sheet

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D1	Cdr Robertson/Phillips	17-Aug	Bouse	Gripp
769	Quartzsite			
1763	Yuma			
2357	Bouse	17-Aug	Bouse	Gripp
3708	Salome			
6790	Wellton			
7061	Parker	17-Aug	Bouse	Gripp
8242	Yuma/YPG			

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D2	Cdr Cluck/Nester	17-Aug	Flag	Miller
541	Prescott			
1709	Flagstaff	??		
6739	Camp Verde			
6789	Window Rock			
7400	Cottonwood	17-Aug		
9632	Page			
10227	Prescott Valley			
12128	Williams			

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D3	Cdr Pearson/Mindt	15-Jul	@/C	Miller
40	Avondale			
285	Surprise			
1433	Glendale	20-Jul	✓	Miller
2135	Peoria			
3715	Phoenix			
6310	Tolleson	15-Jul	✓	Miller
12098	Buckeye			

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D4	Cdr ?????????	TBD		Gripp
720	Phoenix			
1760	Mesa			
1796	Black Canyon			
3513	Scottsdale			
3632	Tempe			
7507	Fountain Hills			
9400	Sunnyslope			
12031	Anthem			

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D5	Cdr Gervin/Johnson	24-Jul	✓	Miller
549	Tucson	24-Jul	✓	Miller
2767	Mammoth			
4903	Tucson			
5990	Marana	TBD		Miller
10015	Tucson			
10188	Tucson			
10254	3 Points			

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D6	Cdr Hernandez/Zawacki	23-Jul	@	Gripp
1704	Globe	23-Jul	✓	Gripp
2364	Pinetop/Lakeside	20-Jul	✓	Zawacki
8807	Tonto Basin	28-Jul		Zawacki
8987	Eagar	19-Jul	✓	Zawacki
9907	Show Low	23-Jul	@	Gripp

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D7	Cdr Hohman/Larson	18-Jul	✓	Miller
836	Bisbee			
2066	Nogales			
6271	Benson			
9972	Sierra Vista	2-Sep		Miller
9977	Sunsites			
10342	Hua Cty			
10385	Thatcher			

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D8	Cdr Knock/McDermott	11-Jul	@	Miller
404	Mohave Vly			
2190	Chloride			
2555	Golden Vly			
3516	Kingman			
6306	Golden Sh			
9401	LHC	11-Jul	17-Aug	Miller
9833	Dolan Spr	11-Jul	@	McDermott
10005	Bullhead C			
10386	Kingman			
10726	Parker Dam			
11014	Meadview			

Post	City	Date	Result	Inspector
D10	Cdr Byrne/Sommerfield	18-Jul	@	Gripp
1677	Casa Grande	18-Jul	@	Gripp
3584	Superior			
3713	Coolidge			
7401	Chandler			
7968	Apache Jct			
8053	Sun Lakes			
9399	Apache Jct			
12043	Maricopa	21-Jun	✓	Gripp

NOTE:

@	=	missing items/will reinspect
@/C	=	missing items corrected
✓	=	good2go
BLANK	=	No info received from Districts
	=	scheduled dates

**PLANNING CALENDAR
DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS AND EVENTS**

(Subject to Change)

2021

Sept	18	MOC Stake Dinner	Prescott, VA
	19	District 1 Meeting, 11am	Post 7061, Parker
	24-25	Fall Conference	Show Low Elks
	26	C of A	Post 9907, Show Low
	26	District 1 Meeting, 11am	Post 7061, Parker
Oct	02	District 3 Meeting, 10am	Post 12098, Buckeye
	09	District 6 Meeting, 11am	Post 8987, Eager
	09	Dist 10 Dinner Social	Post 9399, Apache Junction
	16	District 2 Meeting, 11am	Post 10227, Prescott Valley
	17	District 7 Meeting, 10am	Post 836, Bisbee
	17	District 8 Meeting, 11am	Post 2555, Golden Valley
	17	District 10 Meeting, 10am	Post 12043, Maricopa
	23	District 5 Meeting, 10am	Post 10254, Three Points
Nov	4-7	Western Conference	Sparks, NV
	14	District 4 Meeting, 10am	Post 1760, Mesa
	21	District 1 Meeting, 11am	Post 6790, Wellton
Dec	11	District 2 Meeting, 11am	Post 7400, Cottonwood

2022

Jan	7-8	Winter Conference VOD/PP	Sheraton Phoenix Crescent
	9	C of A	Sheraton Phoenix Crescent
	15	District 6 Meeting, 11am	Post 8807, Tonto Basin
	16	District 4 Meeting, 10am	Post 9400, Sunnyslope
	16	District 7 Meeting, 10am	Post 6271, Benson
	16	District 8 Meeting, 11am	Post 10726, Parker Dam
	16	District 10 Meeting, 10am	Post 1677, Casa Grande
	22	District 5 Meeting, 10am	Post 5990 Marana
	22	Dist 10 Dinner Social	Post 3713, Coolidge
	29	District 3 Meeting, 10am	Post 12098, Buckeye

Feb	20	District 1 Meeting, 11am	Post 8242, Yuma
Apr	02	Dist 10 Dinner Social	Post 9399, Apache Junction
	09	District 6 Convention, 11am	Post 1704, Globe
	10	District 10 Convention, 10am	Post 1677, Casa Grande
	23	District 2 Convention, 11am	Post 1709, Flagstaff
	23	District 5 Convention, 10am	Post 549, Tucson
	24	District 4 Convention, 10am	Post 720, Phoenix
	24	District 1 Convention, 11am	Post 2357, Bouse
	24	District 7 Convention, 10am	Post 9972, Sierra Vista
	24	District 8 Convention, 11am	Post 9401, Lake Havasu City
	30	District 3 Convention, 10am	Post 1433, Glendale
May	31-6/4	State Convention	Scottsdale Plaza Resort
June	1-4	State Convention	Scottsdale Plaza Resort
	5	C of A	Scottsdale Plaza Resort
			<u>2022</u>
July	16-21	National Convention	Kansas City, MO
			<u>2023</u>
July	22-27	National Convention	Phoenix, AZ
			<u>2024</u>
July	27-Aug 1	National Convention	Louisville, KY
			<u>2025</u>
Aug	9-14	National Convention	Columbus, OH
			<u>2026</u>
Aug	15-20	National Convention	Salt Lake City

August 20 - 21 National Council of Administration Meeting
Kansas City, MO

September 12 - 15 Fall Legislative Committee Meeting
Washington, DC

November 4 - 6 Eastern Conference
Manchester, NH

2023

July 22 - 27 National Convention
Phoenix, AZ

August 25 National Budget & Finance Committee Meeting
Kansas City, MO

August 26 - 27 National Council of Administration Meeting
Kansas City, MO

September 11 - 14 Fall Legislative Committee Meeting
Washington, DC

2024

July 27 - August 1 National Convention
Louisville, KY

September 6 National Budget & Finance Committee Meeting
Kansas City, MO

September 7 - 8 National Council of Administration Meeting
Kansas City, MO

September 9 - 12 Fall Legislative Committee Meeting
Washington, DC

2025

August 9 - 14 National Convention
Columbus, OH

2026

August 15 - 20 National Convention
Salt Lake City, UT

District Meetings
2021-2022

Dist	Date & Time	Post & Location	Day	C	Sr	Jr	JA	Sur	Chap
1									
a	Sept 19, 11am	Post 7061, Parker	Sun	x	x		x	x	
b	Nov 21, 11am	Post 6790, Wellton	Sun	x	x				x
c	Feb 20, 11am	Post 8242, Yuma	Sun	x		x		x	
d	Apr 24, 11am	Post 2357, Bouse	Sun				x		x
2									
a	July 17, 11am	Post 1709, Flagstaff	Sat						
b	Oct 16, 11am	Post 10227, Prescott Valley	Sat		x		x		
c	Dec 11, 11am	Post 7400, Cottonwood	Sat	x		x		x	
d	Apr 23, 10am	Post 1709, Flagstaff	Sat		x			x	x
3									
a	July 10, 10am	Post 1433, Glendale	Sat						
b	Oct 02, 10am	Post 12098, Buckeye	Sat	x					
c	Jan 29, 10am	Post 12098, Buckeye	Sat		x		x	x	x
d	Apr 30, 10am	Post 1433, Glendale	Sat			x		x	
4									
a	Aug 8, 11am	Post 1796 Black Canyon Cty	Sun						
b	Nov 14, 10am	Post 1760, Mesa	Sun						x
c	Jan 16 10am	Post 9400, Sunnyslope	Sun				x		
d	Apr 24, 10am	Post 720, Phoenix	Sun			x			
5									
a	July 24, 10am	Post 4903, Tucson	Sat						
b	Oct 23, 10am	Post 10254, Three Points	Sat					x	x
c	Jan 22, 10am	Post 5990, Marana	Sat		x			x	
d	Apr 23, 10am	Post 549, Tucson	Sat	x		x	x		
6									
a	July 24, 11am	Post 9907, Show Low	Sat						
b	Oct 09, 11am	Post 8987, Eager	Sat		x		x		x
c	Jan 15, 11am	Post 8807, Tonto Basin	Sat	x				x	
d	Apr 09, 11am	Post 1704, Globe	Sat	x	x	x	x		
7									
a	July 18, 10am	Post 2066, Nogales	Sun						
b	Oct 17, 10am	Post 836, Bisbee	Sun		x		x		
c	Jan 16, 10:00	Post 6271, Benson	Sun	x		x			x
d	Apr 24, 10am	Post 9972, Sierra Vista	Sun		x			x	
8									
a	July 11, 11am	Post 9833, Dolan Springs	Sun						
b	Oct 17, 11am	Post 2555, Golden Valley	Sun			x		x	
c	Jan 16, 11am	Post 10726, Parker Dam	Sun		x			x	
d	Apr 24, 11am	Post 9401, Lake Havasu	Sun	x			x		x
10									
a	July 18, 10am	Post 9399, Apache Junction	Sun						
b	Oct 17, 10am	Post 12043, Maricopa	Sun	x					
c	Jan 16, 10am	Post 1677, Casa Grande	Sun			x	x		
d	Apr 10, 10am	Post 1677, Casa Grande	Sun	x	x		x	x	x
Dist	Date & Time	Post & Location	Day	C	Sr	Jr	JA	Sur	Chap

How do I get a flag from the post office?

Burial Flags

1. Submit a completed VA Form 27-2008 and attach a copy of the veteran's DD-214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty to your local **Post Office**TM
2. Applications can be submitted by family members or a funeral director acting on their behalf.
3. There is no time limit for requesting a **flag**.

Nov 1, 2018

VFW POST 1796

34801 S. VELDA ROSE RD. BLACK CANYON CITY, AZ 85324



CLASSIC CAR SHOW

SATURDAY AUGUST 21, 2021

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

1980 AND EARLIER MODEL CARS & PICKUPS
WELCOME

MUSIC, FOOD AND DRINKS

TO ENTER YOUR CAR OR PICKUP PLEASE EMAIL vfwpost1796@yahoo.com OR
STOP BY THE POST WITH YOUR NAME, CONTACT INFO AND YEAR, MAKE &
MODEL OF YOUR ENTRY

STAGING BEGINS @10AM, JUDGING IS FROM 2 TO 4PM AND AWARDS @4:30PM

ENTRANTS MUST SIGN A LIABILITY RELEASE UPON ARRIVAL

VETERANS!

Saturday August 14, 2021
10AM to 3PM

RE - Center
814 E White Mountain Blvd
Pinetop-Lakeside, AZ 85929

* Proof of military service required *

BARNEY H. KENGLA MEMORIAL
WHITE MOUNTAIN



STAND DOWN

This event is open to all Veterans in the Arizona White Mountains area who are in need of the following resources:

- ~ Free Hot Meal
- ~ Health Services
- ~ Job Services
- ~ Veterans Benefits
- ~ Social Security
- ~ Vocational Rehabilitation
- ~ Pet Supplies
- ~ Hair Cuts
- ~ Other Services

For more information, please contact:

Marty Jarvey

(928) 369-8455

fishersforveterans@gmail.com



DEPT OF ARIZONA VFW & AUXILIARY

FALL CONFERENCE 2021

September 25 & 26, 2021

Show Low Elks Lodge #2090

805 E. Whipple St — Show Low, AZ 85901

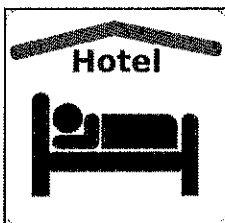


Saturday Agenda

- 9:00 Opening Ceremony and Introductions
9:30 Programs
10:45 15 minute Break
11:00 Continue Programs
12:30 Remarks by National Representative
Closing Ceremony
Lunch on Own
5:00 Dinner at VFW Post 9907

Sunday Agenda

- 9:00 VFW & VFW Auxiliary Council of Administration Meetings



Days Inn Show Low

*480 W. Deuce of Clubs
Show Low, AZ 85901*

Call (928) 537-4356

**** Ask for VFW Rate ****

\$85 for 1 Queen Bed
\$95 for 2 Queens or 1 King

VFW Post 9907

*381 N Central Ave
Show Low, AZ 85901*

Phone:
(928) 537-7511

1.3 Miles from Elks
0.6 miles from Hotel



The Ralph Truax Memorial Tournament
Presented by VFW Post 7507, Fountain Hills, AZ

NOVEMBER 20, 2021

Starfire Golf Club 11500 N Hayden Rd Scottsdale, AZ 85260-8516 (480) 948-6000

The Veterans of Foreign Wars members are all volunteers who have served our country during a time of conflict in a foreign country.

Some of the work that our Post contributes:

Golf Tournament

Fountain Hills Art Fair Beer Gardens

Color Guard leads the Thanksgiving Day Parade

Some of the projects that we contribute to:

National Military Service

The Honor Flight

Veterans in Distress

Both Educational and Community Awards

Please help us support our Veterans!

The tournament includes cart fees, golf, contests, a silent auction with items ranging from golf bags to range finders and more and a live auction with golf at local courses, snacks, lunch and awards.

For more information, please contact

Carl Krawczyk at c.krawczyk@hotmail.com 480-215-3899

2021 Golfer and Sponsor Registration

Your Name _____

Company Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____ Email Address _____

Please circle your selection

Sponsor Packages

Player Package

Platinum Sponsor \$10,000 includes 8 golfers

Foursome \$500

Gold Sponsor \$5,000 includes 4 golfers

Individual \$125

Silver Sponsor \$2,500 includes 4 golfers

Hole In One Sponsor \$1,000 includes 2 golfers

Longest Putt Sponsor \$500

Hole Sponsor \$250

Greens Sponsor \$150

Patron Sponsor \$100

Contributor Sponsor Donation of items

Team Member Names

1. _____ email _____

2. _____ email _____

3. _____ email _____

4. _____ email _____

Registration begins at 7:00AM and Tee time is 8:00

Mail to VFW Post 7507 15707 E Cactus Dr, Ftn Hills, AZ 85268

Shirt Fundraiser for Kim Harney for campaign for National Guard



Ladies Size		Quantity	Size	Price
Small to XL	\$30	_____	_____	_____
2X – 4X	\$35	_____	_____	_____

Men's Size		Quantity	Size	Price
Small to XL	\$30	_____	_____	_____
XXL – 4X	\$35	_____	_____	_____

Totals \$_____

Name: _____ Post / Auxiliary # _____

Email address: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Paid Check #: _____

Send the completed form with payment to:

Kim Harney
2562 San Ysidro Dr.
Sierra Vista, Az 85635

Commander Shirt 2021-22



Size: Small-XL {\$30.00 each} Size _____ Quantity _____ Long sleeve _____ Short sleeve _____

Size: 2X {\$35.00 each} Quantity _____ Long sleeve _____ Short sleeve _____

Size: 3X {\$38.00 each} Quantity _____ Long sleeve _____ Short sleeve _____

Size: 4X {\$40.00 each} Quantity _____ Long sleeve _____ Short sleeve _____

Size: 5X {\$42.00 each} Quantity _____ Long sleeve _____ Short sleeve _____

Name _____ Post/Auxiliary _____

Email address _____ Phone # _____

Paid by check # _____ Paid by cash # _____

Send the form and payment {completed only} to:

Larry Williams

845 W. Taylor Ave

Coolidge Arizona 85128

Please remember to be sure to order before May 1st so you can have your shirt for the Convention in June

Make Checks out to Larry Williams



Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 106

2021 Car Show @ Chuy's 22nd & Kolb

SATURDAY September 25 10AM – 2PM

Trophies at 1:30 pm

SUPPORT OUR VETERANS & raise money for

NAM TO SAND



NAMJAM® CELEBRATING 33 YEARS • October 23 at Reid Park

Food, Drink Specials plus Live Music @ Chuy's

Directions: 22ND STREET AND KOLB in the big parking lot behind Chuy's.

Pre-registration online or mail.

SPECIAL AWARDS INCLUDE:

CHUY'S MANAGER'S CHOICE AWARD & CHAPTER PRESIDENT'S BEST IN SHOW

Trophies, 50/50, Door Prizes, Music by DJ John and Fun!

Registration Fee: \$25.00 advanced (by September 20); \$30.00 at the show. Registration 0800–1000 hrs
Accepting Non-perishable Food Donations

Contact Terry Byron 520-982-0023, VVA106@live.com
Registration forms at www.VVA106.org or See our ad on CruiseAZ.com



WILLAM E. HAMILTON POST NO. 2364
P.O. Box 2198
Lakeside, Arizona 85929

- (2) To highlight the service of the Armed Forces during the Vietnam War and the contributions of Federal agencies and governmental and non-governmental organizations that served with, or in support of, the Armed Forces.
- (3) To pay tribute to the contributions made on the home front by the people of the United States during the Vietnam War.

The purpose of this letter, besides notifying the local Native American Tribes of the upcoming event, is to ask for assistance in identifying any Tribal Vietnam War Era Veterans, Family Members of Deceased Vietnam War Veterans or POW/MIA who would be willing to attend the ceremony on October 30, 2021.

In preparation of the event, we currently only need an approximate number of each group who are willing to attend the event in order to request the necessary presentation materials. Our current deadline for obtaining the information is: September 20, 2021.

Group 1- Living Vietnam War Era veterans who served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces from November 1, 1955 to May 15, 1975, regardless of location (Overseas or Stateside).

Group 2- Surviving spouse at time of death of a veteran who served in the U.S. Armed Forces at any time during the period November 1, 1955 - May 15, 1975, regardless of location of service.

All requested information should be sent to the following address:

John M. Beeler
VFW Post 2364
2578 Pinion Drive
Lakeside, Arizona 85929

Any questions please contact: John Beeler, Co-Chairman at (928) 368-6161

We thank you for any assistance you can give.

Respectively,

Roger Stevens

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Chairman, 50th Vietnam War Commemorative Partner
Pinetop-Lakeside VFW Post 2364

NO ONE DOES MORE FOR VETERANS.



July 15, 2021

WILLAM E. HAMILTON POST NO. 2364
P.O. Box 2198
Lakeside, Arizona 85929

VFW Dept. of Arizona
6423 S. Ash Ave.
Tempe, AZ 85283

The Pinetop-Lakeside Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2364 is contacting the local Native American Tribes to inform you "The Wall that Heals" (Vietnam Veterans Memorial Replica and Mobile Education Center) will be displayed in Pinetop-Lakeside, Arizona from October 28 -31, 2021. The wall is part of the posts 50th Annual Vietnam War Commemorative program.

On October 30, 2021, at 1pm, a ceremony to thank the Vietnam War Era Veterans and Family Members of Deceased Veterans will be conducted by the Pinetop-Lakeside Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2364 at Mountain Meadow Recreation Complex in Pinetop-Lakeside, Arizona. During the ceremony, lapel pins will be distributed to the attending Vietnam Era Veterans and Surviving Spouses of Deceased Veterans.

THE COMMEMORATIVE PARTNER PROGRAM

Mission

In 2008, Congress passed Public Law Section 110-181 SEC.598 authorizing the Department of Defense to establish The United States of America Vietnam War 50th Commemoration to assist a grateful nation in thanking and honoring our Vietnam Veterans and their families. On Memorial Day 2012, at a ceremony held at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington D.C., the President of the United States officially launched the national commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Vietnam War. The program will run until Veterans Day 2025.

In late October of 2012, The United States of America Vietnam War 50th Commemoration established the Commemorative Partner Program, a hometown-centric, veteran-focused initiative designed for federal, state and local entities and communities, veterans' groups, civic groups, industries, businesses, museums, libraries, schools, educational institutions, associations and many other organizations to assist a grateful nation in thanking and honoring Vietnam veterans and their families where they live. The program is the primary vehicle by which the Commemoration achieves the five objectives given by Congress.

Three of the national objectives of the Commemoration are:

- (1) To thank and honor veterans of the Vietnam War, including personnel who were held as prisoners of war or listed as missing in action, for their service and sacrifice on behalf of the United States and to thank and honor the families of these veterans.

NO ONE DOES MORE FOR VETERANS:



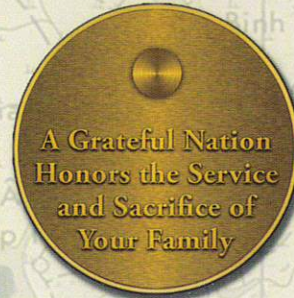
Deceased Vietnam Veteran's Surviving Spouse Lapel Pin



Front



Back



The **Deceased Vietnam Veteran's Surviving Spouse Lapel Pin** is for the surviving spouse at the time of death of a veteran who served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces at any time during the period of November 1, 1955 to May 15, 1975, regardless of location of service. The lapel pin is usually presented with the corresponding DoD Certificate of Honor.

Symbolism:

- **Blue Star** - Symbolic of the Blue Star Family during the veteran's period of service.
- **Red Circle** - Represents the sacrifice of both the veteran and their family in service to our country.
- **Blue Circle** - The color blue matches the canton of the American flag and signifies vigilance, perseverance, and justice.
- **Laurel Wreath** - A time-honored symbol representing victory, integrity, and strength.
- **Message** - "A Grateful Nation Honors the Service and Sacrifice of Your Family" is embossed on the back, closest to the heart of the wearer and is our Nation's lasting message of thanks.



THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA VIETNAM WAR COMMEMORATION



Vietnam Veteran Lapel Pin

“A lasting memento of the Nation’s thanks!”

Front



A Grateful Nation
Thanks and Honors You

Back



Symbolism:

- **Eagle** - The eagle represents courage, honor, and dedicated service to our Nation. As one of the most recognizable and notable American symbols, it is emblazoned on numerous military insignia.
- **Blue Circle** - The color blue matches the canton of the American flag and signifies vigilance, perseverance, and justice. The circle shape and blue color also match the official seal of the Commemoration.
- **Laurel Wreath** - A time-honored symbol representing victory, integrity, and strength.
- **Stripes** - The stripes behind the eagle represent the American flag.
- **Stars** - The six stars represent the six allies who served, sacrificed, and fought alongside one another: Australia, New Zealand, the Philippines, the Republic of Korea, Thailand, and the United States.
- **Message** - “A Grateful Nation Thanks and Honors You” is embossed on the back, closest to the heart of the wearer. The official name of the Commemoration is included to remind each veteran that this is a national initiative.

Join the Nation ... thank a Vietnam veteran!

*Please join us
for the new*

Veterans Memorial Park Dedication Ceremony

August 13, 2021

11:00 am

Light refreshments will be served.

New Location

325 W. White Mountain Blvd.
Lakeside, AZ 85929
(928) 368-8696



POST 2364

SAVE THE DATE

COMING 2021

OCTOBER 28TH - 31ST



THE WALL THAT HEALS
VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL REPLICA & MOBILE EDUCATION CENTER

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THE WALL THAT HEALS

VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL
REPLICA & MOBILE EDUCATION CENTER

The Wall That Heals is a three-quarter scale traveling replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington, D.C. The exhibit consists of the Wall replica and the mobile Education Center. The Wall That Heals exhibit is open to the public day and night throughout the visit.

**We hope that you will be able to join us October 28th through the 31st at Mountain Meadow Recreation Complex. The full event schedule will be posted at www.PINETOPLAKESIDE.com as we get closer to the event date. If you would like to volunteer or participate, please contact :
Tony Alba at 928-368-8696 ext. 240 or at
Talba@pinetoplakesideaz.gov.**

THE WALL THAT HEALS OCT. 28th - 31st 2021 MOUNTAIN MEADOW RECREATION COMPLEX PINETOP-LAKESIDE, AZ

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PINETOP/LAKESIDE

OCTOBER 28 - 31, 2021

EVENT SCHEDULE

Final schedule with additional details will be available at
www.visitpinetoplakeside.com.

DONATIONS & SPONSORSHIPS

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 26, 2021

The Wall That Heals arrival escort.

Time and route to be announced.

WEDNESDAY | OCTOBER 27, 2021

Setup The Wall That Heals

Volunteer Training

THURSDAY | OCTOBER 28, 2021

The Wall That Heals officially opens and will be open 24 hours a day for viewing.

FRIDAY | OCTOBER 29, 2021

The Wall That Heals open 24 hours a day for viewing.

SATURDAY | OCTOBER 30, 2021

The Wall That Heals open 24 hours a day for viewing.

SUNDAY | OCTOBER 31, 2021

**The Wall That Heals closes at 2pm.
Volunteers disassemble The Wall.**

Help us bring The Wall That Heals to Pinetop-Lakeside, Arizona!

Your contributions will help in honoring the service of all, preserve the memory of those who died during the war and since returning home, and educate all generations about the impact of the war through *The Wall That Heals*.

Medal of Honor Sponsor - \$2,500

Distinguished Service Sponsor - \$1,000

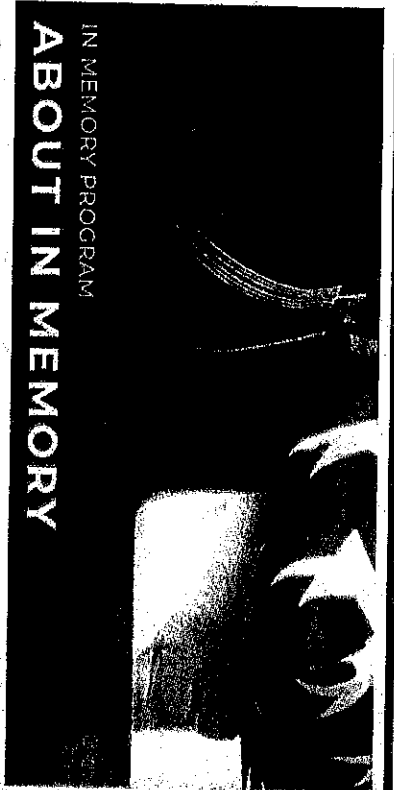
Silver Star Sponsor - \$500

Bronze Sponsor - \$250

For all sponsorship options and sponsor benefits, please visit

www.PLTWTH.com

if you would like to make a donation, please contact **Stephanie Irwin** at (928) 205-8281 or SIrwin@pinetoplakesideaz.gov.



IN MEMORY PROGRAM

ABOUT IN MEMORY

What is In Memory?

The Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund's (VVMF) In Memory program honors those who returned home from Vietnam and later died.

How They Are Honored At This Event: VVMF's mobile exhibit, The Wall That Heals, will include the digital photos of all In Memory honorees from Arizona.

You can view everything that is included in this program at www.vvmf.org/In-Memory-Program/

PINETOP-LAKESIDE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS PINNING CEREMONY



On October 30, 2021, at 1 pm, a ceremony to thank Vietnam War Era Veterans and family members of deceased Veterans will be conducted by the Pinetop-Lakeside VFW Post 2364. The ceremony will be held on the field at Mountain Meadow Recreation Complex, along with The Wall That Heals.

VOLUNTEER

The Wall That Heals Pinetop-Lakeside Planning Committee needs your help to make this event a success. We will need volunteers who can assist with staffing the event by signing up for various shifts. We will also need physically able individuals who can help set up and take down **The Wall That Heals**.

If you would like to sign up to volunteer at **The Wall**, or if you are physically able to help set up on Wednesday morning or disassemble **The Wall**

Sunday afternoon, please contact
Annie DeRosier at (928) 882-2665.

You can also go to
www.pltwth.com
to register online.

Volunteer sign up deadline is 9/30/21



VFW POST 2364 PINETOP-LAKESIDE

will conduct a

Prisoner of War / Missing in Action

National Remembrance Day

September 17, 2021

11:00 AM

The New
Veterans Memorial Park

Pinetop-Lakeside Town Hall

325 W. White Mountain Blvd.

Lakeside, AZ 85929



VFW Post 2364 Pinetop/Lakeside



VETERANS DAY

REMEMBRANCE CELEBRATION

VFW POST 2364 PINETOP-LAKESIDE

will conduct a

Veterans Day Remembrance Ceremony

Nov 11, 2021

11:00 AM

Veterans Memorial Park

Pinetop-Lakeside Town Hall

325 W. White Mountain Blvd. Lakeside, AZ 85929

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Remembrance Day

7 December

VFW POST 2364
PINETOP-LAKESIDE

will conduct a

Remembrance Ceremony

December 7, 2021

11:00 AM

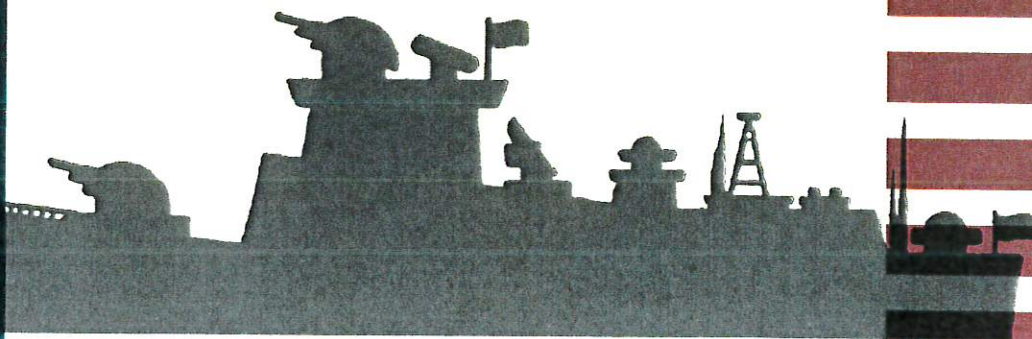
at the

Veterans Memorial Park

Pinetop-Lakeside Town Hall

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Lakeside, AZ 85929



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Entremet

Lemon Sorbet

Main Course

*Chicken Crème Dijon or
Pan-Fried Fish in Butter Sauce
Each served with French Beans & Duchess Potatoes*

Cheese

Selection of Fruit and Cheese

Dessert

*Trio of Chocolate Mousse or
Crème Brûlée*

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People who have served in the United States Military with a discharge status other than dishonorable, who also:

- ✓ Are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless
- ✓ Meet income eligibility requirements (<50% AMI)

Pinal County Veteran Service Office:

501 N. Florence St., Suite 101

Casa Grande, AZ 85122

Phone: (520) 876-0699

Fax: (520) 876-0841

Project Coordinator: Tianna D. Cann

www.nchponline.org



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