

In Memoriam



Jim Jolly
On Saturday, September 5, 2020, we lost a US Marine Corps Veteran, a volunteer, and member from MacArthur Hall. Jim was one of the Korean War's "Chosin Few". He was the recipient of three purple hearts, his first coming from the battle of the Chosin Reservoir. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all his fellow Marines and his many friends and family.

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"Pete" Morgan
L.I. "Pete" Morgan, age 79, of Almond, passed away unexpectedly on Monday, September 7, 2020 at home. Pete brought his therapy dog Dusty to King for visits, having over 700 hours since 2013. Even though Dusty passed away this past April, Pete had a new puppy in training, Toby. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all his fellow Marines and his many friends and family.

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Theatre in Stevens Point in a heavy rain with wife Lynda as the volunteer. Highway 10 was under construction, so I took Highway 66 into Stevens Point. Just West of Rosholt a loud scraping sound was heard. The wheelchair lift had drifted down causing the skirt to drag. The problem was fixed the next day by a cleat being welded on the lift to stop the drifting. After we returned to King, I was informed a few members had taken their nitro glycerin tablets!

In 1999 I was elected AMVETS National Commander. I

also served as National Saddest for the fun and honor group of AMVETS, Sad Sacks.

I was a member of the Lions Clubs International for seventeen years where I served as club president, zone and region chairman. I am the International President's Leadership Medal and am a Melvin Jones Fellow.

We've been 'snowbirds' migrating to our winter home in Zapata, TX for fourteen years now. I miss Ice fishing and plowing snow with my pick-up, not the cold.

We like traveling with our 5th wheel travel trailer. Hunting, fishing, and boating are favorite things to do when I'm not volunteering at King.



Stepping Back in Time



Getting to Know our Team...



Hi, I'm Chuck Taylor. I retired from the US Navy in March of 1986. Shortly after, I joined AMVETS Post 13 of Redgranite, it being the only veterans organization in town and because the post's auxiliary sent me a Christmas

Chuck Taylor

card every year where I was on active duty, regardless of where we were stationed.

In 1987 I learned the veterans' home was celebrating its centennial year. AMVETS was donating fifty flags for an avenue of flags. Rupe Stripe, John Schmidt and I made the fifty poles and attached the flags for the celebration. Besides AMVETS, I am a life member of the VFW and the Fleet Reserve Association located in Flour Bluff, TX and the DAV Chapter 51.

I drove school bus for the School district of Wild Rose. Between routes I would volunteer at King. In the late 80's I became an LTE driver and did the driver scheduling for recreational transportation.

On the maiden trip of the King Koach I drove to Century

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Message from your Volunteer Coordinator

Fall is in the air! I am sure our snowbird volunteers will be taking flight shortly to head down south soon. I would like to give our snowbirds a special thank you for all the hours of assisting and visiting with our members during your time up North but unfortunately due to the pandemic, this was not the case! But know we are doing well with all our precautionary measures we are taking at King. I do wish everyone will have a safe & healthy time away from the cold weather and we look forward to seeing you soon.

With fall brings flu vaccine season right around the corner. As we enter the cold and flu season during this pandemic, we should still be aware and familiar with our infection control procedures. If you are heading to your doctor to get your flu shot, please send me a copy of the record of this vaccine to the Volunteer Office. Not knowing when King will be opening to volunteers, we can still prepare ourselves for that day. Once I get the approval and flu stickers, I will send them back to you so you can put it over last year's sticker on your I.D. card.

Finally, enjoy our fall days in October before the cool weather starts creeping in. Get some fresh air while observing fall color leaves, pumpkins, apples and of course watching all the squirrels running around gathering up at least three years' worth of food while they curl up cozy in their dens so they can nap and snack through the winter months.

Terry Heschke, Volunteer Coordinator

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday from the Staff of King

May your day be wonderful and richly blessed!

October 5 Glen Pilgreen	October 12 Gene Kelley	October 20 "Duffy" Replogle
October 6 Susan Brandl	October 13 Richard Dill	October 24 "Helen" Wilson
October 7 Gerald Ruelle	October 14 Henry Fries	October 28 Diane Riley
October 10 Vicky Scherck	October 15 Danny Robinson	October 30 Randall Boehme
October 11 Ron Hackbarth	October 16 Edward Christman	October 31 Jan Miller
October 18 Jakob Koran	October 18 Phil Zubella	October 31 "Terry" Callahan
		October 31 Ron Reynolds

If you have a birthday this month and your name isn't listed, please contact the volunteer office: 715.258.4247 volunteerservices@dva.

Thank You Wisconsin VFW & Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary Wisconsin for thinking of our members



The Scheibe-Munro VFW and VFWA King Day was cancelled this year because our campus being closed to visitors. But that did not stop the VFW and VFWA from sponsoring a special luncheon just like they do every year during their King Day! The lunch menu for the day was prime rib, corn on the cob, salad, dinner roll and butterscotch pie for dessert.ry year during their King Day! The lunch menu for the day was prime rib, corn on the cob, a salad, dinner rolls, and butterscotch pie for dessert.