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"Donut Dolly Holley"

Holley Watts is a Lifetime Honorary member of Chapter 1061. She served in Vietnam with the American Red Cross. Be sure to come to the March 11th Membership Meeting to hear Holley's story.

Hey, no matter which picture you look at, she's a hubba-hubba good lookin' lady!



An essential part of the success of our chapter is our fundraising efforts. 2017 begin in late March and continue through December. You will hear more details about these fundraisers at the February meeting.

Donut Friday at the Harrisonburg VA Clinic is still on hold. Hopefully we'll be able to reach out to non-members at a future date.

Check out our chapter Face Book at Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter #1061, and our website at <http://www.vva1061.org>



Photo from previous JMU Veteran's dedication

You're invited to the 3rd Annual Vietnam War Commemoration Luncheon hosted by James Madison University (JMU) at their campus Festival Ballroom & Conference Center on Friday, February 17 from 1045 –2 PM. The Luncheon was initiated by former chapter member LTC Rick Showalter during his tour with the JMU Duke Battalion as Professor of Military Science (PMS). The tradition has been continued by LTC Tom Tolmon, the current PMS. Guest speakers will be LTC (Ret) Jerry Martin and CPT (Ret) Joel Chase. The event includes a free lunch and guest speakers dedicated to honoring and remembering veterans. Free to ALL veterans. RSVP is requested to Greg Lawson at (540) 568-6573.



"You are not forgotten!"



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Chapter Bulletin Board

+ February 11th: Membership Meeting. Breakfast at 8:00 AM. Business Meeting at 9:00 AM.

+ February 17th: 3rd Annual Vietnam War Commemoration Luncheon, 10:45 AM - 2:00 PM

+ March 3rd: Board Meeting for all officers/directors, 8:00 AM at Golden Corral.

+ March 11th: Membership Meeting. Breakfast at 8:00 AM. Business Meeting at 9:00 AM. "Donut Dolly Holley" Member Holley Watts will be our guest speaker.

+ March 25th: Fund-raising Spring Dinner March 25.
More to follow.

+ June 17th: Trip to VN Wall. More to follow.

Birthday Greetings!

We wish Happy August Birthdays to Junior Showalter, Larry Turner, Julia Orebaug, Bonnie Snook, and Gary Burner.

We wish Happy February Anniversaries to Bruce & Julia Orebaugh.

If your Febraury birthday or anniversary information doesn't appear above, we don't have it!

Chaplains Corner

by Ern Grover

Have you already fallen on your face with your New Years Resolutions? Get back on the horse.

Even when we make mistakes, the Lord is always ready to forgive us. He's in the forgiving business. Just remember, He always loves you!

Contact me if you have any personal concerns, need prayer or even a helping hand.
433-3925



"Going my way?" If you have an appointment at VA Martinsburg and are willing to help another member with a lift, let me know.

I have room for two on May 5th (appointment time 10:00 AM. Anyone?