



VVA Chapter 528

Plymouth-Canton, MI

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VVA 528 Member of the Year, John Fleming being presented the plaque for Member of the Year by President John Spencer. See page 9 for our other two Members of the Year.

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Welcome Home!

**"Never Again Will One Generation
of Veterans Abandon Another"**

President's Corner

Congratulations to Chapter Member of the Year John Fleming, Board Member of the Year Dick Waldecker and Dave Henwood AVVA Member of the Year. They were selected from a list of several members for their dedication to Chapter activities. The Agent Orange Town Hall meeting on May 21st was excellent with lots of good information presented. I wish more people had attended to receive this important information. Thanks to Bob Dew and the committee for the work they put into this event.

The Memorial Day Parade and Service will be held on Monday May 30th. Parade line up at 8 AM on Wing Street. Parade starts at 9 AM and Memorial Day Service at 10 AM Veterans Park in Plymouth. There will also be a Memorial Day Service at Canton's Veterans Memorial at 1 PM on Monday May 30th.

The United States Army birthday is June 14th, so there will be cake and song at our June 13th meeting. See you there.



John Spencer, President

U S Army 1965-67
 123rd Transportation
 Company (Longshoremen)
 Cam Ranh Bay, RVN
 1966 (01/05/66-01/05/67)





Digger's Desk

EUCHRE

Wednesday Euchre has concluded for the season but we will play on the first Saturday of each month for the summer. That will be June 4 at 7:00PM. As always, it will be first come first served to get an even number of players so you should aim for a 6:30PM show up time. The cost is \$10 per person.

MONDAY GOLF

Our all member (VFW/Auxiliary/VVA/AVVA) Monday golf scramble is well underway and will continue through the Fall. If you are interested, let me know and I'll keep you on the weekly notification list.

POPPY SALES

2016 poppy sales set an all time record. These dollars go toward member relief. Thanks to all who helped out. Without you we couldn't do it.

AGENT ORANGE TOWN HALL

The town hall took place on Saturday May 21 at Schoolcraft College. The speakers from Vietnam and British Columbia (via Skype) and Wisconsin were very well informed and informative. The speaker panel was active. Even the snacks were good. The only thing lacking was a decent sized audience. There were around 60 attendees. Apparently every Veteran within driving distance that didn't make it already knows everything there is to know about agent orange and its effect on us and our children. To say the attendance was disappointing is an understatement. Congratulations to chairman Bob Dew and committee for a well put together event. The Chapter may have to rethink this issue.

UPCOMING

Coming up every Wednesday is our Car Show, Memorial Day Parade and Ceremony on May 30, followed by the Fishing Derby on June 11.

I'll see you at the June meeting. It's a great time to be a Veteran and member of VVA Chapter 528.



Don Dignan
D/2/16 "Rangers"
1st Inf. Div.
1967-1968



Members hard at work counting the money collected for the annual Poppy Sales. *Photo by Dennis Bielskis*



Frank Gilbo and Gene Spurgess cooling off at our Cruz'n 528 Car Show. *Photo by Dennis Bielskis*



Odds & Ends

Membership

We had 1 application for membership this past month. Chris Pope has joined our associates. Welcome Chris to Chapter 528. Our current membership stands at 275 individual and 77 associate members. Of these we have 215 life VVA and 37 life AVVA members.

Lapsed Members: As of May 22, 2016 the following individuals have not renewed their membership:

VVA: Bob Cohen, Roger Ratkowski, Pete Reckinger

AVVA: Sandy Bazman, John Buford, Scott Gaines, Vikki Plagens, Jeff Rousseau

Dropped from Roster: none

June VVA Renewals: Austin Bronson, Fred Hanna

June AVVA Renewals: Clint Dorey, Joe Radachy
If you have already renewed thank you. If you have not, please do so before the end of the month to keep your membership current.

Plymouth Fall Festival

The chapter will again have a booth at the Fall Festival. We will sell pop, water and chapter merchandise. Because the festival was so successful last year we received a 50% rebate on our lot fee so this year's fee will only be \$300 instead of the normal \$600. We will also man the admission table to the beer tent on Friday and Saturday night. In addition, the VFW will host the car shows at the festival.

Chapter Raffle

Congratulations go to Dan Droz the latest winner of the chapter raffle. There will be another drawing at next month's meeting. There are only about a dozen names in the drawing so if you want a good opportunity to win a life membership all you have to do is be an annual paid member, attend the monthly meetings and put your name on the sign-in sheet. Over 70 life memberships have been given away since the raffle was started.

July 4th

The chapter will participate in the Plymouth fourth of July parade this year. The parade starts at 9:00 and we meet at Bode's Restaurant on Main Street near the railroad tracks. Since we switched from marching to walking in the parade participation has greatly increased. It is a great event and is open to all. There is usually a vehicle or two available for those unable to walk. More details at next month's meeting. The VFW will also be selling chicken dinners starting at noon.



Bob Lamoureux
Co. C, 3/47, 9th Inf. Div.
"Mobile Riverines"



Cruz'n 528 Car Show 2016 *Photos by Dennis Bielskis*





Gary Estermyer
Michigan State Council News
Delegate

President John Riling called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM on April 17, 2016. Howell Chapter 110 again hosted us. All the officers were present except for 2nd VP Tom Meinhardt who was excused. Eighteen chapters were represented including two from the U P!

1st VP Tim Driscoll reminded the delegates about Veterans Night at Comerica Park, Aug. 3, 7:10 PM, vs. Chicago White Sox. Tim also mentioned that VVA & AVVA continues to volunteer at the AAVA hospital to the tune of 2,338 hours. Tim suggested that members wear their military hats and shirts as often as possible to get VVA exposure and an occasional atta-boy, thanks for your service compliment. Keith King from Detroit Chapter 9 continues to advocate for veterans and their programs.

Secretary Ray Essenmacher reminded the delegates to mail copies of their election report to him and VVA National. Ray is patiently waiting for registration forms for the upcoming State Convention in Saginaw at the Four Points by Sheraton. It is scheduled for June 3 - 5, 2016 and will include a Hep C seminar. AVVA will be participating at the convention also. Ray has worked hard on this event and he hopes for a large turnout.

Treasurer Dennis Cohoon reviewed our finances, deposits and expenses. All is good and the delegates voted to approve the annual report.

President John then began his report. He had attended the State of Michigan legislative breakfast in February where there was a movement to consider canceling the property tax deduction for 100% disabled veterans. After discussion it was decided to stop that consideration, at least for now. John also headed up a Commander's Group meeting at the Grand Rapids Veterans Home. The Group was able to get first hand updates on their progress to

improve conditions for those residents. They also met Jim Redford who is the new MVAA director. On April 2 John and I drove up to Great Lakes National Cemetery where we met up with Tim Driscoll. Joe Mishler of Flint Chapter 175 was the volunteer coordinator for the GLNC 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War ceremony. Job well done, Joe. On April 6 John traveled to DC to attend the State Council Presidents meeting and the National VVA Board meeting. John met with the Ambit Foundation to reaffirm our commitment to their program. The Ambit group is working closely with the US Air Force at Selfridge AFB and when they get the contract ironed out they will begin moving forward which will include placing 8 veterans and 4 families into their program. The VVA website has been updated, modified, changed and guess what ... they have some kinks to work out, please be patient. Phil Savage from Chapter 313 has volunteered to be our VAVS rep at the Battle Creek VAMC. The Leadership Conference will take place in Tucson, AZ from July 19-23. Bring your boonie hat.

Some announcements included: Dearborn Chapter 267 is holding their "Help A Veteran Dance" on May 14. Chapter 154 remains active with the Veterans Treatment Court project. Flint Chapter 175 is hosting an Agent Orange Town Hall on May 14 at Swartz Creek Methodist Church in Swartz Creek. Plymouth - Canton Chapter 528 is also staging an A.O. Town Hall meeting on May 21 at Schoolcraft College.

I then opened the final round of nominations for State Council offices with the following results:

PRESIDENT - John Riling, accepted and Dennis Cohoon, declined
1st VICE PRESIDENT - Ken Rogge, accepted
2nd VICE PRESIDENT - Tom Meinhardt, accepted
SECRETARY - Ray Essenmacher, accepted and Gary Estermyer, accepted
TREASURER - Frank Carmichael, accepted
ELECTION COMMITTEE CHAIR - Phil Smith, accepted and Gary Estermyer, declined

Dennis Bielskis, Finance Chair, reported that

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the submitted committee budgets have been reviewed and forwarded to the Executive Board for consideration. The Agent Orange budget request needs further review.

Ray reported that he continues to visit the incarcerated veterans at Saginaw and St. Louis facilities. Those veterans crave contact with the outside and news about the veteran community. A Coldwater facility wants to start a chapter, John will investigate. Ray also reported that as of March 2016 VVA membership had reached 78,816 of which 4,556 were Michiganders. National VVA is also working to develop an online web roster which would eliminate the paper trail. Ray stressed the use of the consent calendar for all committee chairs.

John announced that Chris Franklin, Chapter 154, has volunteered to chair the Minority Affairs committee.

Joe Mishler, Flint Chapter 175, reported that GLNC is planning a Memorial Day ceremony and all the flags will be flying. Great Lakes is now in the top 10 for fastest growing cemeteries with close to 30,000 burials. They are planning a Korea veteran ceremony on July 23, 2016. In August they are looking to stage a MASH type play.

Frank Carmichael, Fort Custer National Cemetery rep, reported there have now been almost 34,000 burials there.

Joe also reported there are currently 1,621 still POW-MIA from the Vietnam war.

John announced that the Product Sales crew will set up at the Agent Orange Town Halls and he's talking with the Detroit VA facility to come in there on special occasions. He also plans to set up at the military reenactment event in Benton Harbor the 3rd week in June. Also at Selfridge ANG and the Leadership Conference in Tucson in July.

Phil Smith, Service Office Director, reported that scanning documents into the different programs is an on-going project. When the VSO and VA get all scanned in the appeals process will go much smoother. Phil currently has over 7,000 case files in his office with the number growing as new claims are

taken. The Service Office has lost another employee to the Purple Heart group who could offer benefits. Phil will present a seminar at our State Convention in June.

Ray referred the delegates to his consent calendar Health Care report. He also announced that Sandie Wilson is the new VVA National chair for Veteran's Health Care.

Betty Pike, AVVA President, reported that she needs every chapter election report. AVVA National has a new VP, Elayne Mackey. A new Agent Orange brochure will be coming out soon. They will be working a fundraiser called Project Friendship to benefit a veteran transitional housing program. They have also streamlined their membership fees; \$175.00 for those 59 and younger and \$100 for those 60 and up.

Phil spoke about the possibility of staging an M1 or M14 rifle raffle. After discussion the delegates voted to approve. I was appointed chairman.

Vic Romback, Chapter 380, spoke about the upcoming Habitat For Humanity house building trip to Danang from September 1 - 11, 2016. They currently have 12 committed to go and he's looking to take 24. Not counting airfare the cost will be \$1,850.00 per person. Get your passport and shot card updated if you want to go.

The Annual meeting will take place on June 5, 2016 in Saginaw.



Gary Estermyer
USARV
58th Field Depot
Qui Nhon
May 68 - May 69





Chaplain's Corner Can't Die But Once

From Our Daily Bread, by
Tim Gustafson

*"Do not be afraid of those who kill
the body but cannot kill the soul."
Matthew 10:28*

Born into slavery and badly treated as a young girl, Harriet Tubman (c. 1822-1913) found a shining ray of hope in the Bible stories her mother told. The account of Israel's escape from slavery under Pharaoh showed her a God who desired freedom for His people.

Harriet found freedom when she slipped over the Maryland state line and out of slavery. She couldn't remain content, however, knowing so many were still trapped in captivity. So she led more than a dozen rescue missions to free those still in slavery, dismissing the personal danger. "I can't die but once," she said.

Harriet knew the truth of the statement: "Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul" (Matt. 10:28). Jesus spoke those words as He sent His disciples on their first mission. He knew they would face danger and not everyone would receive them warmly. So why expose the disciples to the risk? The answer is found in the previous chapter. "When we saw the crowds, [Jesus] had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd" (Matt. 9:36).

When Harriet Tubman couldn't forget those still trapped in slavery, she showed us a picture of Christ, who did not forget us when we were trapped in our sins. Her courageous example inspires us to remember those who remain without hope in the world.

Chaplain's notes: Prayers for the family of VVA member Ron Dillingham who passed away on May 17 after a long fight with cancer. Prayers also requested for Dayle Agius (digestive system). Prayers of praise for: Rick Popa's wife, Tina, that was involved with a four car accident and sent to the hospital and was released with no serious injuries; my wife, Karen, after I phoned 911, was sent to the hospital and diagnosed that there were some small blood clots in both lungs (could have been more serious); and Don Dignan finding out a mass taken from his body was benign!

Memorial Day is in our midst. As veterans and American citizens, let us be solemn for those that never came back from

the war. I hope to see you at the Plymouth Memorial Day Parade!



Rich Whipple
Chapter Chaplain
(A sinner saved by God's Grace)
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HHC/2/503d Infantry
173d. Airborne Brigade
1968-1969



The Bear's Den

The best car at the show on May 18th was a 1932 Hot Rod Lincoln. It really looked great. Hopefully, it will be back again so more can see it. Remember, you have to fill out an entry form to win the \$500 gift card from Belle Tire. You can do this each Wednesday through August 31st when the winner will be pulled. Enter each week, it is free and you can see me in the barn until 7PM. I will also have the tickets for a week in a 2 bedroom condo.

Marathon Key would be a nice place to have a whole week for only \$10. In the Lounge, we now carry TITO'S VODKA. Those who had a free sample really liked it.

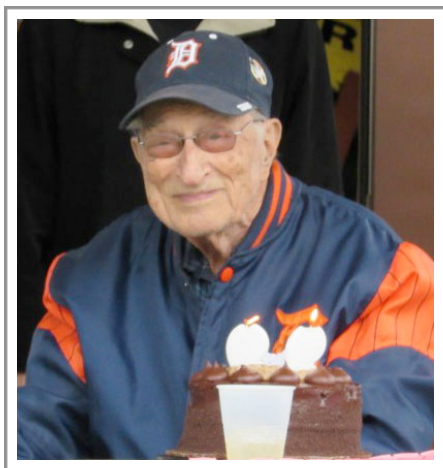
Plans are being made to have entertainment each Friday without a cover charge. The "Flat Rockers" will be back again and I am always in the market for other entertainers. How about some good accordion music. I bet a lot would come to see and hear that since some of us know a really good great example.

Stop by with that old cell phone or to trade in an old flag. See everyone at the fishing derby on Saturday, June 11th.



Gary "Bear" Kubik
TM2 (SS)
USS Gudgeon SS567
USS Diodon SS 349
Sub Sq. 5





Mr. Clare Hein

It is not often that one has the privilege to meet a member of our Greatest Generation, but I was honored to be able to do that today. I met Mr. Clarence "Clare" Hein of Canton today, and was able to wish him a Happy 99th Birthday as he celebrated it with his fellow veterans at the Plymouth VFW Post.

Mr. Hein was born in Detroit, and enlisted in the Army shortly after his 21st birthday. Just as his obligation was ready to end, the United States entered into WWII, and at the age of 26 he was sent to France as a member of the US Army Air Corps. He served as a gunner on a B17 Flying Fortress, flying bombing sorties all over Europe.

When the war was won in Europe, Mr. Hein, who was a Sergeant, was sent back to Wisconsin for a period of time, and then to California, where he was to be deployed to the Pacific for action against Japan. It was while waiting in California to be deployed, that Hiroshima, and Nagasaki were bombed, thus ending the war.

When I asked Mr. Hein what it feels like to be a member of America's Greatest Generation, and to have been a part of such a heroic effort, he simply smiled, and said, "I wouldn't want to do it again, but I am thankful for the experience I got out of it."

This was the tone of our conversation. Clare never wanted to talk of the dangers of being a gunner on a B17, he never wanted to discuss being a hero, or anything like that. He spoke of the funny things that happened along the way.

One story that stood out to me was when they were marching one place to the other, as happened throughout the war. He ended up befriending a Dachshund along the way, and this dog actually followed him from Holland to Bavaria. He fed the dog

his C Rations, which Clare said was basically Spam, and took care of the dog along the way.

Unfortunately, Clare was not able to take the dog home with him, which he would have loved to do, but it sparked a love of Dachshunds with him that lasts to this very day. He has owned Dachshunds throughout his life, and during our conversation, his Dachshund Gracie sat on his lap the whole time.

After the war, Clare went home to Detroit, where he took a job as a motorman on a streetcar. It was at this job that he met the woman he would eventually marry. It turns out that Irene missed her streetcar, and ended up on his. They chatted for awhile, and he ended up asking her for a date right on the spot. She accepted, and they ended up married for over 50 years until she passed away in 2001. Incidentally, Irene was part of the Rosie the Riveter effort, working on the war effort at home while her future husband was fighting the Germans in Europe. Clare and Irene bought a house in Detroit, and between them, had three children, 9 grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren. Clare lived in this same house in Detroit until just 4 years ago, when he moved in with his daughter Leslie, who is a member of the Ladies Auxiliary at the Plymouth VFW Post.

I asked Clare about his hobbies, and his favorite things to do are follow the Tigers, and our other sports teams. When asked what he'd like to do on his 100th birthday, he smiled, thought about it, and decided he'd like to just sit down and watch a Tiger game. Well that sounds like a pretty good idea to me.

In closing, I'd like to thank Sgt. Hein for his time, and his wonderful stories, and on behalf of a whole lot of proud Americans, Thank You for your service to our great nation...



The Bentley Blog

Bryan Bentley
AVVA Representative

Members of the Year



John Fleming receiving Chapter Member Of The Year Plaque from President John Spencer at our May 9th General Membership Meeting. Congratulations John! *Photos by Tom Brown*



President John Spencer presenting Dick Waldecker Board Member Of The Year Plaque during the May 9th General Membership Meeting. Congratulations Dick!



AVVA Representative Bryan Bentley awarding member Dave Henwood his plaque for AVVA Member Of The Year. Dave was not present at our General Membership Meeting on May 9th so Bryan presented Dave his award at our first Car Show of the year. Congratulations Dave!



Chapter 528 Secretary **Dennis Bielskis**, receiving a special Award during our May General Membership Meeting. Dennis was being recognized for his involvement with helping veterans. From left to right: Wally Dixon, Pam Paxton-Keehner Congratulations Dennis!

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JUNE 2016



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			1 CAR CRUZ 5-8	2	3 KARAOKE 8:00	4 EUCHRE 7:00
5	6 GOLF	7 VFW AUX MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7:00	8 CAR CRUZ 5-8	9	10 LIVE BAND 8:00	11 FISHING DERBY 8:00 AM
12	13 GOLF VVA MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7:00	14 FLAG DAY VFW MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7:00	15 CAR CRUZ 5-8	16 VFW MEN'S AUX MEETING 6:30	17 KARAOKE 8:00	18
19 FATHER'S DAY	20 GOLF	21 VFW HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING 7:00	22 CAR CRUZ 5-8	23	24 LIVE BAND 8:00	25
26	27 GOLF	28 VVA BOD MEETING 7:00	29 CAR CRUZ 5-8	30		



Calendar by
Nancy Dignan
AVVA & Ladies
Auxiliary

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

David Banks, Thomas Brisbin, Bill Browning, George Bruder, Roger Buelow, David Codd, Gary Estermyer, Dennis Fago, Robert Garrett, Harold Hachigian, Frank Jaskula, Roger Kehrier, Charlie Kotcher, Jack Massarello, Don McLane, Dennis Mozdzen, Zoltan Nagy, David Perez, John Peterson, William Power, Dave Randall, John Riling, Richard Sander, Art Sawyer, Mark Shemanski, Dennis Shrewsbury, Alice Thomas, Casmer Zarosley and Daniel Zedan.



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Tom Brown, Editor
2nd Missile Battalion
44th Artillery Pershing
HHD III Corps
Ft. Sill, OK



Wayne County Parks proudly presents

21st Annual Fishing Derby

Saturday, June 11, 2016
 Waterford Bend Park
 8:00 – 11:00 am

- The Middle Rouge River will be stocked with 10"- 12" rainbow trout. Prizes will be given away in a variety of categories. Three fish will be tagged for prizes.
- All anglers need to bring their own equipment and bait.
- There is a three fish limit.
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Schedule of Events

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8:00 – 10:00 am	Children 12 years old and younger can fish and participate in the casting contest
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10:30 am	Presentation of prizes to children

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Zip _____

Branch of Service _____

Date of Birth _____

email _____

\$20.00 Annual Dues Enclosed _____

_____ I am a Vietnam Era Veteran and would like to be a member
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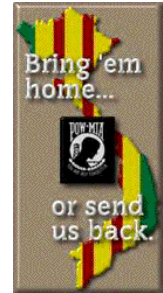
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