

For All Who Wore the Uniform: Sponsored by the
9/4/13 Phillipsburg Area Veterans

Events and Activities for 2013

Post on Fridge

- **September 27, 2013, Veterans Reunion** on the front lawn of Phillipsburg HS Complimentary supper for Veterans + 1 guest-supper provided by Phillipsburg HS FFA chapter, Shop Rite of Greenwich and the Phillipsburg Area Veterans. An Empty Chair Ceremony conducted by Rolling Thunder Chapter III NJ, following the ceremony; everyone attending the reunion is invited to attend the football game compliments of the Phillipsburg HS Athletic Dept. Members of the Red Ball Military Transport Club (Restoration of Military Vehicles) will be on the property, Come out and meet some of your comrades. Food will be served at 4:30 pm. Live music by: 2+1 band, Ceremony at 5:45 pm, game at 7 pm. Veterans recognized at half time on the field.
- **November 10, 2013, William L Nixon Veterans Day Tribute**, Honoring All Who Served, Phillipsburg HS Gymnasium, Activities begin on the property at 11:30 am, Doors Open at 12 noon. Tribute begins at 1 pm., **everyone is invited**, all veterans and those serving will be honored. Seats with backs on the floor, and seating on the bleachers. Plenty of handicapped space. 13th consecutive year at Phillipsburg HS, 17 consecutive years in the school district.

***Featured Speaker-Brigadier General Linda Urrutia-Varhall, Senior Military Assistant to the Director of National Intelligence, Pentagon.**

On the property; Red Ball- Military Vehicles Restoration Club, Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Musketeer Junior Fife and Drum Corps, Navy Veteran Bagpiper, Exchange Club-distributing flags, Student Greeters-Escorts. Boy Scout Troop #54. programs.

Participating in the tribute-Warren County Community Singers, Bryn Holdsworth-vocalist, Navy Veteran Bagpiper, Colonial Musketeer Junior Fife and Drum Corps. A live video conference somewhere in the world with our Phillipsburg Veterans-now serving, MIA/POW Empty Chair Ceremony, A Tribute to our 13 Sons, Graduation for Veterans who served our country and did not receive their high school diploma, Several Veteran Color Guard Units, LV Sea Cadets, Honor Guard-50th Battalion-Recruiting and Retention Soldiers.

- ****We are searching for veterans who left a NJ school, entered the military and did not receive their high school diploma. Please contact Bill Nixon, 908-319-2800 immediately if you are aware of a veteran who may fit this profile. Family members of deceased NJ veterans who qualify are eligible to apply, and NJ veterans with a GED are eligible to apply.**
- ****We are searching for veterans who have never visited the war memorials in Washington DC, an all expenses paid trip is being planned for the future, please contact: Bill Nixon, 908-319-2800. **This trip is for Veterans ONLY**, tentative date-April 5, 2014.**

September 21, 2013 (Saturday), 7-10 pm-Bernardine May Legion, Phillipsburg, NJ-Coffee House, Live Music with Ed Saultz-Irish Contemporary and Traditional Music. Singer/Guitar/Drum. Light Fare/Snacks-\$10.00 per person, cash bar. Tickets can be purchased by contacting the Legion Commander at 213-1608. Or by contacting Kristina Robb, 908-319-9892

Tentative:

October 31-Nov. 1, 2013-Fleet Reserve Assoc. Branch 115, Lehigh Valley sponsoring a trip to Cape May, NJ overnight to visit the Coast Guard Station-Boot Camp Graduation and a tour of the facility. Hotel on the beach. Contact: Bill Nixon, 908-319-2800

November 9, 2013, 7-10 pm-Bernardine May Legion, Phillipsburg NJ-Coffee House with “Dave and Claire” (4 piece band-Contemporary music, folk tunes, a bit of jazz and original music as well). \$10 per person., light fare-snacks, cash bar. Tickets can be purchased by contacting the Legion Commander at 213-1608 or by contacting Kristina Robb, 908-319-9892, Bill Nixon, 908-319-2800

December 7, 2013 (Pearl Harbor Day)-Benefit Concert to support the Phillipsburg Area Veterans; **The Vince Pettinelli Orchestra**, music thru the decades dating from the Civil War through Most Recent. Special emphasis on the war eras; with a patriotic atmosphere. Phillipsburg HS Auditorium, 2-4 pm. Tickets available at the door \$10 per person, Tickets in advance- contact: Bill Nixon, 908-319-2800. Everyone Invited!

May 24, 2014 (Oldies Dance)-Benefit for the Phillipsburg Area Veterans, Palmer Fire Hall. Proceeds will be used toward our DC trip for Veterans, Veterans Reception on the front lawn of the HS and Our Annual Veterans Tribute, Honoring All Who Served and Are Serving. Inch and the Echoes-live music. Tickets will be available, April, 2014.

*Phillipsburg is being considered by the United States Navy Band, Washington DC- to perform a FREE concert, 2014 (on their tour).