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Chapter News – August 2008

CHAPTER 649 TO BE RECOGNIZED!

Awards were presented on June 21, 2008 by the Vietnam Veterans of America, Buckeye State Council to VVA 649 was awarded Chapter of the Year, Cliff Riley - Veteran of the Year, Diane Sears - Associate of the Year and Ron Miller for holding the position of Second Vice President on the Buckeye State Council for years 2006-2008. It is truly an honor for our chapter to have been presented with these awards.

THE BUCKEYE STATE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The award was presented to John Osterling III. He sent a special thanks and is planning to use the scholarship to further his education in Construction Management.

UNION TOWNSHIP VETERAN'S PARK

Our efforts to keep the park "Dog Free" were successful. The Union Township trustees voted in our favor. Thanks to all who responded and a special thanks to Tom Hesler for his work collecting petition signatures.

IN MEMORY OF

It is with deep sadness we report the passing of Regina Herbolt's father. You are in our thoughts and prayers. The VVA Bible was presented to Regina at the visitation by Conni Lillis.

UPCOMING NEWS

VVA Chapter 649 Board of Directors Meeting will be held on Tuesday August 5 @ 6:30 p.m.

The 1st Annual Southwest Ohio Veterans Bike Show - Sunday, August 24th from 10:00 a.m. to 4 p.m. @ the Clermont County Fairgrounds.

Volunteers are needed for Saturday the 23rd and Sunday the 24th. If interested call Ron Miller @ 478-8919 (C) or 831-6018 (H).

3rd Annual Golf Outing is Saturday September 6th. For information call Jack Haigwood at 503-8980 or visit the chapter website: to download an entry form. We still need hole sponsors and prizes for the drawing, so please contact businesses in your area and ask for a donation to this event.

CHAPTER NEWSLETTER

The Chapter Newsletter has changed hands. Items for the newsletter are encouraged and greatly appreciated. Please send contributions via e-mail to or mail to 5814 Karen Lane Milford, OH 45150.

VVA Chapter 649 General Membership Meeting will be Thursday August 14 @ 7:30 p.m. Union Township Civic Center on Aicholtz Road.

VIETNAM "MOVING WALL" VISITS MIAMISBURG, OH

American Legion Post 165, Rolling Thunder, Inc, and Star City Classic Parts will sponsor a visit to Miamisburg by The Moving Wall, a half-size replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial on the Mall in Washington DC. The Moving Wall will arrive September 25, 2008, and be in place in Library Park, Miamisburg Ohio, for public visits until September 29th.