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We enjoyed wonderful music by the Sierra Vista Community Chorus at our December Dinner Meeting

CORONADO CHAPTER, MEMBERSHIP AT THE END OF DECEMBER 2019

200 Total Chapter Members

170 Regular Members

29 Surviving Spouse Members

Let us all work to grow the Chapter in 2020!



PRESIDENT'S NOTES

CHAPLAIN (COL) TOM DAY, USA (RETIRED)

Happy New Year! We all want to thank the Sierra Vista Community Chorus for a wonderful concert at our December meeting. Last year was fantastic and this year was even better. We have pictures in this Heliogram.

Our members showed their great appreciation by giving them a tip of \$242.50 to help them with purchasing music and expenses.

Our hearts are saddened at the passing of Sam Rummore on December 11. Sam always had a cheerful word and he will be missed dearly. He served in WWII, Korea and Viet Nam and he served more than 31 years. He received a field commission to Second Lieutenant at the age of 19, in 1946. He was a member of many organizations, but we are honored that in his obituary it said the Coronado Chapter of MOAA was the one of which he was the proudest.

The Veteran of the Year is Judy-Ann Carroll, COL, USA (Retired). The Celebration will be at VFW Post 9972, 549 W. Veterans Drive, Sierra Vista at 11:30 on 16 January. We have the flier and RSVP information in this Heliogram.

We welcome our newest officer, Samantha Carlson, who is our Database Administrator or, as MOAA has renamed the position, Committee Module Administrator. I want to give a "shout out" to Duane Brofer who has performed those duties for many years and did a great job of keeping our membership files accurate. Thank you, Duane.



We had a lot of raffle items and Bruce Judson won the 50/50 and donated his \$104 to the Scholarship Fund. Thank you, Bruce. Mayor Rick Mueller will be our January 16 Dinner speaker. Come and join us as we hear what is going on in Sierra Vista. We will also swear in our newly elected officers. Have a great New Year and see you at our January meeting. Remember also, **time to renew your dues**, see page 6.

NEVER STOP SERVING

Tom

We Need Your Help!

We need a treasurer! Our treasurer, Bob Abney, has been taking care of our finances for many years and would like to retire. I encourage you to consider becoming our treasurer. Bob will be glad to train and assist as necessary to assure your success. Talk to Bob Covalucci or call Bob to see what the position entails.

We need a Membership Director. This person would help generate ideas for recruiting new members, work with the Membership Chair to form a committee that would help gain new members, and coordinate programs for reaching new members.



Thanks to all who helped pick up trash on Wednesday, December 18! We had more trash than normal and it was a chili day. Thanks to Joe Puett, Tom Day, Jim Clenney, Merle Kilpatrick, and Ron and Ruth Beer!

Correction! I missed getting Gene Manring's plaque in the Heliogram last month. Congratulations, Gene Manring for being honored on the Veterans Wall Of Honor at Canyon Vista Medical Center.

GENE MANRING



Gene Manring entered the United States Army in 1954 at Columbus, Ohio and retired at Ft. Huachuca, Arizona in 1975 as a Lieutenant Colonel. His primary military specialty was Field Artillery including qualification as a nuclear weapons officer. He served in the US Army Europe, US Army Pacific and the Republic of Vietnam. He commanded at several levels and was the Team Chief of the inspectors of nuclear units in Germany.

Since his retirement from active duty, Gene has worked in many paid and volunteer activities that had a significant impact on the quality of life in our community and the State of Arizona. Some of his accomplishments and contributions include: Executive Director, Greater Sierra Vista Chamber of Commerce; Member, Cochise College Governing Board; Chair of the Advisory Committee for The San Pedro National Riparian Conservation Area; Supervisor, Cochise County Board of Supervisors; Member, Arizona Supreme Court Foster Care Review Board; Member, Sierra Vista Regional Health Center Foundation Board; and President, Arizona Community College Association. For more than 20 years, Gene has been serving as an Officer and Director of the Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative Board of Directors. In this capacity he has been President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Gene is a charter member of the Fort Huachuca 50, and in 2008 he was inducted into the Arizona Veterans Hall of Fame.




**PICTURES FROM
OUR DINNER
MEETING**





**MORE
DINNER MEETING
PICTURES.**



The Sierra Vista Community Chorus performed marvelously singing Christmas songs and songs of the season. Below are the small groups, band, and the chorus!



Treasurer's comments:

It's almost 2020 and time to renew our chapter memberships.

Payment for those needing to renew, is due on January 1, 2020 and delinquent after March 1, 2020. Fees remain \$15.00 for regular members and \$10.00 for surviving spouses.

You can pay your annual fees by using the Chapter Membership Application form in the monthly Helio-gram newsletter and including the form and payment with your January dinner reservation **or** if not attending the January dinner, by mailing the form and your check to:

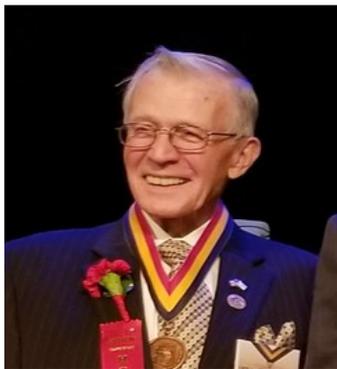
Treasurer - Membership
 Coronado Chapter MOAA
 P.O. Box 1685
 Sierra Vista, AZ 85636-1685

Please make your checks payable to Coronado Chapter, MOAA

I would appreciate your prompt payment using one of the options above. This reduces the high postage expense of a general membership mailing and preserves the chapter operations fund for other necessary purposes. It costs the chapter roughly \$150.00 in printing and postage for each mailing to remind members to renew. Please help us reduce this cost.

Have a happy, healthy and prosperous New Year and remember to pray for our military folks stationed around the world.

Bob



**TRANSITION
 LIAISON
 COORDINATOR**

**CW3 HARRY E.
 BOWEN, USA (Ret.)**

16 October 2019 to 16
 December 2019

Jobs: During this report period, 59 new jobs within the State of Arizona and 1 job posted for California. These opportunities included opportunities Blackwater, Casa Grande, Chandler, Flagstaff, Gilbert, Glendale, Mesa, Phoenix, Scottsdale, Tempe, Thatcher and Whittmann in Arizona; and opportunity for Los Angeles, California.

Expos/Career Fairs: There two job fairs posted during this report period, one in Flagstaff and 1 at Fort Huachuca.

Links: There were no new links added to the website during this report period.

Employer Support to the Guard and Reserves (ESGR): This was a very short two month period for support to ESGR. There was one job fair, held at Fort Huachuca, during this report period which we supported.

We are still awaiting the new SOS forms so that we can start back up with the Bi-annual updates. There were no awards or other activities

Cochise Serving Veterans (CSV) and the Resource Fair: Resource Fair: Planning for the upcoming Veterans Resource Fair continues. The date of the fair is 21 August 2019, from 0900 to 1400 hours. Current planning is to host the event at the Rothery Education Center; however, due to questions about the gymnasium being available, we have commenced looking at other possible sites. Plans are to solidify the location by early January 2020.

Social Services Support: The Social Services Committee has become quite busy since we have joined the Warrior Healing Center group. The WHC is forwarding more referrals to the committee almost daily. We have been involved in 17 in just the past few days asking for groceries, utility bill payments, yard work, and other assistance. This is great but it uses up monies quickly. Now we are going to have to get more aggressive in our fund drives.

More importantly though, the WHC has provided a venue for collaboration with even more volunteer organizations and is paying dividends especially in the physical plant areas of yard work, minor repairs, etc.

Harry



PERSONAL AFFAIRS

Jim Clenney

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER JAMES CLENNEY, USN (RETIRED)

Legal support seems to come in as many different forms as there are special situations. It seems that if there is a law to be interpreted, there is an

attorney who is willing to do that. In my last communication, I introduced the two primary sources of attorney support; Staff Judge Advocates and Civilian Attorneys. This article will introduce several free or reduced cost support organizations which either assist in informing of our rights or assist in acquiring legal support.

Lawyers for Heroes – <http://www.lawyersforheroes.org/> is the outcome of a partnership between the Elizabeth Dole Foundation, Military Officers Association of America, the Public Counsel Law Center, and the American Bar Association. The primary purpose is to provide a package of legal resources for military caregivers.

Disabled American Veterans/Arizona Department of Veterans Services/Arizona Disabled Veterans Foundation holds regular (monthly) legal clinics on topics including; **Divorce/Custody/Child Support, Debt Counseling/Bankruptcy, Real Estate/Housing Issues, Landlord/ Tenant Issues, Basic Estate Planning Documents (including Simple Wills, Medical or Financial Powers of Attorney).** The primary point of contact for Arizona is John Tokarz (480)-363-6880 or at vetlegalclinic@gmail.com.

<http://www.statesidelegal.org/> provides a nicely formatted website that includes information on veteran and rights such as Benefits, Housing and Real Estate, Education and Employment, Immigration, Discharge Upgrades and Service Record Correction, Health and Safety, and other hot legal topics. Their search engine can aid in finding legal help for any of these matters.

VA Disability, Benefits, and Claims – If your question is in regards to VA disability benefits or claims, the following links may be of assistance: **VA Board of Veterans Appeals** (<https://www.bva.va.gov/index.asp>) – While the vast majority of appeals considered by the board involves claims for disability compensation, the board also reviews appeals involving other types of veteran benefits, to include insur-

ance benefits, educational benefits, home loan guaranties, vocational rehabilitation, dependency and indemnity compensation, health care delivery, burial benefits, pension benefits, and fiduciary matters. **National Organization of Veterans’ Advocates, Inc.** (<https://www.vetadvocates.org/cpages/veterans-help>) – NOVA is a national organization of attorneys and other qualified members who act as advocates for disabled veterans.

Veterans Justice Outreach – Every Veterans Affairs Medical Center in the country now has a Veterans Justice Outreach (VJO) Specialist whose job is to liaise with veterans involved with the local criminal justice system. The mission of the Veterans Justice Programs is to identify justice-involved Veterans and contact them through outreach, in order to facilitate access to VA services at the earliest possible point. You can contact the VJO through the Tucson, Southern Arizona VA Health Care System. The primary POC is Steve Wenzel at steven.wenzel@va.gov.

Justice for Vets – www.justiceforvets.org is the National Clearinghouse for Veterans Treatment Courts. Their comprehensive website explains how they serve veterans struggling with addiction, serious mental illness and/or co-occurring disorders.

National Veterans Legal Services Program – www.nvlsp.org. NVLSP is an independent, nonprofit, veterans service organization dedicated to ensuring that the U.S. government honors its commitment to veterans. Upon review, I recommend this as a source of educational information regarding your benefits and rights. I recommend using the Arizona Bar Association’s attorney search engine from last month’s article (<https://azbar.legalserviceslink.com/>), rather than this site’s attorney search.

Military Pro Bono Project – <https://www.militaryprobono.org/> The ABA Military Pro Bono Project—managed by the ABA Standing Committee on Legal Assistance for Military Personnel (LAMP)—accepts case referrals from military attorneys on behalf of junior-enlisted, active-duty military personnel facing civil legal issues, and it works to place these cases with pro bono attorneys. These are only a few of the offerings that are available out there. As you can see from this short list, there is probably an attorney or counselor out there that can help with your specific need. As with many other issues in our society, you often only need to ask.

Jim



LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Commander Merle L. Kilpatrick, USNR (Retired)

**Army Recommends
Arlington National Cemetery
Eligibility Changes**

The Army announced its recommendations in late September for eligibility changes at Arlington National cemetery (ANC) in Virginia – changes that would alter those eligible for belowground burials and aboveground inurnment of cremated remains.

In addition to preserving 1,000 gravesites for current and future Medal of Honor recipients, the proposed revisions for those who honorably serve are as follows:

For belowground internment:

- Killed in action, including repatriated remains of servicemembers
- Award recipients of the Silver Star and above who also served in combat
- Recipients of the Purple Heart
- Combat-related service deaths while conducting unique military activities
- Former POWs
- Presidents and vice presidents of the U.S.
- Veterans with combat service who also served out of uniform as a government official and made significant contributions to the nation’s security at the highest levels of public service

For aboveground inurnment:

- World War II – era veterans, including legislated active duty designees
- Retirees from the armed forces who are eligible to receive retired pay but are not otherwise eligible for internment
- Veterans who have served a minimum of two years on active duty and who have served in combat
- Veterans without combat service who also served out of uniform as a government official and made significant contributions to the nation’s security at the highest levels of public service

Spouses of qualifying members or those who have predeceased a spouse will continue to be eligible for burial space in the same gravesite.

These proposals follow months of deliberation and input from veterans’ service organizations like MOAA and two independent surveys with more than 250,000 responses.

MOAA President and CEO Lt. Gen. Dana T. Atkins, USAF (Ret), expressed appreciation for the Army’s efforts to preserve the cemetery’s future use but also stressed the importance of the upcoming public comment period. “While the changes do accommodate aboveground inurnment, we will need to assess the impact to all previously eligible servicemembers and take advantage of the public comment period under the Federal Registry to share the results of that assessment,” Atkins says.

According to ANC officials, a federal rule can take up to nine months before being enacted and will include a public comment period, during which any concerns and questions would be addressed. Once the final rule, with any potential changes, is published in the Federal Registry, there will be an “as of” effective date. This will not affect any planned burials in the queue at that time.

Regardless of any changes at ANC, veterans and their families still have multiple options in planning for their burials. The National Cemetery Association oversees 138 national cemeteries and plans to activate several more cemeteries across the country by next year, ensuring their vision that “No Veteran Ever Dies”.

Merle L. Kilpatrick
CDR USNR (Ret.)

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2LT Madeline B. Suba receives the MOAA Distinguished Honor Graduate Award for the Military Intelligence Basic Officer Leadership Course at Fort Huachuca from Colonel (Retired) Robert Covalucci.



WO1 James W. Pass receives the MOAA Distinguished Leader Graduate Award for the Warrant Officer's Basic Course 19-005 at Fort Huachuca from Colonel (Retired) Robert Covalucci.

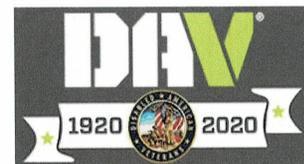


CPT Christopher T Haley receives the MOAA Distinguished Honor Graduate Award upon completion of the Military Intelligence Captains Career Course at Fort Huachuca Arizona from Colonel (Retired) Robert Covalucci .

2020 GSVUVC Veteran of the Year Celebration



2020 GSVUVC Veteran of the Year Recognition Luncheon
January 16, 2020 at 11:30 a.m.



Honoring:
Judy-Ann Carroll
Colonel, USA (Retired)

Price: \$16 per person
Reservations and payments must be made by 11 January

Location:
VFW Post 9972
549 Veterans Dr.
Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

Make Checks Payable to:
DAV, Fry Chapter 14
P.O. Box 1014
Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

For more information contact
 Glenn Hohman at
glenn.hohman@gmail.com

Menu:
Roast Beef
Potatoes
Glazed Carrots
Salad



HISTORIAN'S REPORT

Susan Atchison-Day,
Ed D.

On the morning of December 8, 1944, Chaplain O'Neil, the Third Army Chaplain, received a phone call. "This is General Patton; do you have a good prayer for weather? We

must do something about those rains if we are to win the war."

Failing to find a good-weather prayer anywhere, the Chaplain sat down and composed the following prayer: "

Almighty and most merciful Father, we humbly beseech Thee, of Thy great goodness, to restrain these immoderate rains with which we have had to content. Grant us fair weather for battle. Graciously hearken to us a soldiers who call upon Thee that, armed with Thy power, we may advance from victory to victory, and crash the oppression and wickedness of our enemies and establish Thy justice among men and nations.

This done, the Chaplain reported back to General Patton, who read the prayer, then returned it to the chaplain once more with the directive, "Have 250,000 copies printed and see to it that every man in the Third Army gets one."

On the other side of the card General Patton's signed greeting to the troops was added. To Chaplain O'Neil he emphasized his belief in the power of prayer and passed on the directive to all chaplains that their job was to pray. All men in the Third Army were urged to pray, not only in church but everywhere: while driving or fighting, alone or with others, and by night and day. The results were seen days later.

On December 19th, as General Patton led his divisions to relieve the bogged-down men in Bastogne, the foul weather that had plagued the allies lifted, much to the surprise and delight of the American Forecasters. For much of the week, skies became clear and bright - perfect flying weather for knocking out enemy tanks and troops. Patton wrote in his journal on Christmas day, "dawned clear and cold; lovely weather for killing Germans."

General Patton believing the power of prayer, engaged prayer as a weapon and the results are history.

Susan

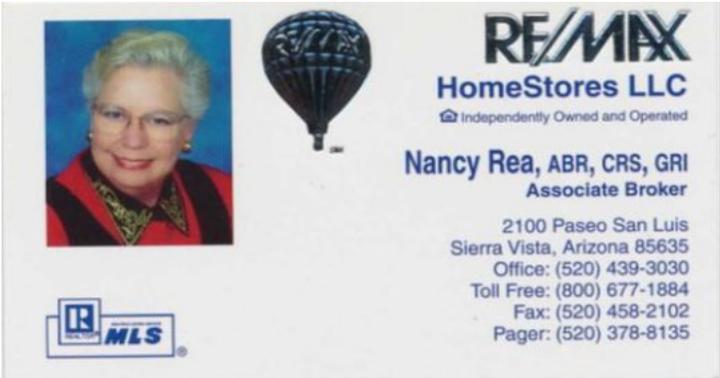


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'We Did It': Military Widows, Supporters Celebrate After Senate NDAA Vote
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Tom Hessler

2-VP

News you can use

Coronado Chapter Website: <http://moaacoronado.org/>

Coronado Chapter Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/MOACoronadoChapter/>

MOAA: TAKE ACTION <http://takeaction.moaa.org/home?1>

Spouse Issues: MOAA http://takeaction.moaa.org/spouse_issues

Arizona Department of Veteran Services Update <https://dvs.az.gov/legislative-updates>

Surviving Spouse Corner: Making the Best of the Holidays After Loss <https://www.moaa.org/content/publications-and-media/news-articles/2019-news-articles/surviving-spouse-corner-making-the-best-of-the-holidays-after-loss/>

DID YOU KNOW: Present day cell phones have more computing power than the computers which put Apol-

Upcoming Programs

16 JAN '20 Mayor Rick Mueller

Update of Local Happenings

Also the induction of new officers/directors!



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20 FEB '20 Dave Santor, former Sierra Vista Chief of Police and the City's Historian

The exciting History of Sierra Vista



19 MAR '20 Honoring our Surviving Spouses

Jennifer Venola will arrange this special event where we honor our Surviving Spouses.



16 APR '20 Honoring our Scholarship Recipients

Susan Day will orchestrate this program

that invites our scholarship recipients and their family to dinner in their honor.



21 MAY '20 Sherriff Mark Dannels

County and Border Happenings



No Dinner Meetings in JUN, JUL or AUG! See everyone in SEP!

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2VP Tom Hessler
Programs Guru

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Email Address _____ Phone _____

Date of Birth MM ____ DD ____ YYYY _____

National MOAA Number _____ Life Member Y/N

Please Circle all that apply:

Status: Active - Former - Retired - Auxiliary/Widow – Surviving Spouse

Service: NOAA – Army – Air Force – Coast Guard – Marine Corps – Navy – USPHS

Branch: Active – Guard – Reserve –

Spouse Full Name _____ Date of Birth MM ____ DD ____ YYYY _____

Signature _____ Date _____

The cost of membership is: Regular \$15 annually; Surviving Spouse \$10 annually. **The remainder of your first calendar year is free to NEW members.**

Make your check payable to: Coronado Chapter, MOAA, P.O. Box 1685, Sierra Vista, AZ 85636-1685

**For further Membership questions contact:
Membership Director Jim Clenney at 520-234-5286, j2k2c4@cox.net
Tom Day at 915-588-9281, tday500@yahoo.com.**



THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 2020 DINNER RESERVATION FORM

Pueblo Del Sol Country Club, 2770 South Saint Andrews Drive, Sierra Vista

Social Hour 1800 - Dinner 1830

My Name _____ Guest Name(s) _____

Check Information: Make checks payable to Coronado Chapter, MOAA and mail to: Reservations, Coronado Chapter, MOAA, P.O. Box 1685, Sierra Vista, Arizona, 85636-1685

Amount for meal at \$26.00 each _____

Amount for Operating Fund _____

Amount for Scholarship Fund _____

Check total _____

Number of vegetarian meals desired (if any) _____

Reservations must be postmarked by JANUARY 2, 2020

Please change the following information for me: Address _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

For more information about reservations contact Tom Hessler at 459-0093, tjhessler@cox.net**A note about reservations.**

We **MUST** give a final reservation count to PDS 5 days before the dinner. Your reservation should be post-marked 14 days prior to the dinner to be sure we receive it in time.

If you even think you will be coming, you should make your reservation as early as convenient. We can take cancelations up to 8 days before the dinner. We can either return the check, destroy it or credit it toward the following dinner.

If for some reason you missed the deadline, give me a call (459-0093) or email me (tjhessler@cox.net) to be placed on a waiting list. We sometimes have an unavoidable last-minute cancellation.

FUTURE MEETING DATES

Board of Directors Meeting: Landmark Café January 15, 2020, 1130

Dinner Meeting: January 16, 2020 at the Pueblo del Sol Country Club, at 2770 S. St. Andrews Drive, Sierra Vista, Arizona

Social Hour - 1800 Dinner - 1830

January Buffet Dinner

SALAD: Dinner Salad preset on tables. Salad with grapes, apple slices and candied walnuts Served with Garlic Bread

ENTRÉE: Meat Lasagna, Roasted Red Potatoes & Mixed Vegetables

DESSERT: Boston Cream Pie

Vegetarian option available if requested

PROGRAM: Mayor Rick Mueller

Also the induction of new officers/directors

Board of Directors Meeting: Landmark Cafe, February 19, 2020, 1130

Dinner Meeting: February 20, 2020, at the Pueblo del Sol Country Club, at 2770 S. St. Andrews Drive, Sierra Vista, Arizona

Social Hour - 1800 Dinner - 1830

February Buffet Dinner

SALAD: Dinner Salad preset on tables. Wedge Salad with Bacon Crumbles and Bleu Cheese Dressing Served with Fresh Rolls & Butter

ENTRÉE: Honey Glazed Ham, Wild Rice and Green Beans

DESSERT: Cherry Pie or Apple Pie

Vegetarian option available if requested

PROGRAM: Dave Santor, former Sierra Vista Chief of Police and the City's Historian

The exciting History of Sierra Vista

SUICIDE PREVENTION

The Coronado Chapter has added “Support the United Arizona Veterans in helping to find ways to reduce veteran suicides in Arizona” as one of our five Chapter Goals. Below are ways we can help:

Publicize “Be Connected,” a program “Connecting Arizona service members, veterans, families & helpers to information, support and resources.” Their website is <https://beconnectedaz.org/> or call 1-866-4AZ-VETS (429-8387).

Support “22 a Month to End 22 a Day.” At the Warrior Healing Center, they are fighting this problem innovatively to restore hope. You can get more information at <https://chuffed.org/project/22-a-month-to-end-22-a-day>.

Emory Healthcare Veterans Program, free to qualified post-9/11 military servicemembers and Veterans. This program is designed to treat conditions such as **post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)**, **traumatic brain injury (TBI)**, **military sexual trauma (MST)**, **anxiety**, and **depression** related to past military service. More information can be found at <https://www.emoryhealthcare.org/centers-programs/veterans-program/index.html> .

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