



# THE NVH OBSERVER

N O R F O L K V E T E R A N S H O M E

STATE OF NEBRASKA - DHHS

## From The Desk of Jerry Eisenhauer, NVH Administrator

Greetings,

The annual tradition at NVH of celebrating summer and the upcoming harvest season, dubbed "Corn Days," took place once again. Several members participated in corn shucking and enjoyed the fruits of their labor with delicious donated sweet corn. Many thanks to teammate Angie Janssen for donating the corn. There was also a watermelon feed with donated melons from an anonymous source (thanks to the mystery couple), yes, we know who you are! And of course, the finale for the week with the wildly popular "Corn Auction" event. All members get a set number of points that they can use to bid on several donated items ranging from shampoo to handmade quilts. I think there were more items on auction this year than ever before. This event is hosted by real auctioneers from the Bill Blank Agency. The Blank Agency has been coming to NVH for several years to "call out" the items which is a real treat for our members! Thank You!

I think we are all hoping that the record-breaking heat wave is behind us, and a long and pleasant fall season lies ahead to enjoy the great outdoors, and of course college football and volleyball!

Hope you enjoyed a great Labor Day Holiday and stay safe.

Sincerely,

Jerry Eisenhauer  
Administrator

**GOVERNOR:  
JIM PILLEN**

**NEBRASKA  
DEPT. OF VETERANS'  
AFFAIRS DIRECTOR:  
JOHN HILGERT**

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STATE OF NEBRASKA VISION:  
GROW NEBRASKA

STATE OF NEBRASKA — MISSION:  
CREATE OPPORTUNITY THROUGH MORE  
EFFECTIVE, MORE  
EFFICIENT,  
AND CUSTOMER FOCUSED  
STATE GOVERNMENT

# HOME HAPPENINGS



Janet Ries, a Yankton South Dakota musician entertains the members in Heroes' park.



Members on Pod F painted bird houses.



# HOME HAPPENINGS CONTINUED



Members shucked corn for their grilled hamburger and sweetcorn feed.

## UPCOMING EVENT: CAR SHOW

Tuesday, September 19th  
6:30pm– 8:00pm  
North Parking Lot  
Live music featuring Stone House



## IN REMEMBRANCE

### *In Remembrance of Those Members Who Have Passed.*

No person was ever honored for what they received. Honor has been the reward for what they gave. ~Calvin Coolidge



**Alan B.**

U.S. Army Veteran

**Darlene B.**

Spouse of a U.S. Army Veteran

**George H.**

U.S. Army Veteran

**Ivan B.**

U.S. Army Veteran

**Ray H.**

U.S. Army Veteran

**Dee L.**

U.S. Navy & U.S. Air Force Veteran

### Norfolk Veterans Home Gift Cards

**Available in any amount from  
\$1 to \$25**

**May be used to purchase any item sold in the Canteen including meal tickets**

**Available for staff & members  
convenience**

**Meal tickets can be purchased in the canteen or NVH Accounting Window and will be \$3.00 per ticket starting on October 1st, 2023.**

## HOLIDAY ROOM AND MEAL RESERVATIONS

The holidays are approaching fast!

The Activity Dept. will be taking room and meal reservations for Thanksgiving and Christmas beginning October 1, 2023

Contact Stephanie Eckert at 370-3110 for reservations

As a reminder the number of guests a member can have for holiday meals is limited to four (4). Requests for more than the 4 guests must have the Food Service Director approval prior to the meal. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Dani Fischer, Food Service Director  
Jerry Eisenhauer, Administrator



# SALUTE OUR NEW MEMBERS

NORFOLK VETERANS HOME WELCOMES YOU

Dwain K.

U.S. Army Veteran

Richard L.

U.S. Air Force Veteran

Pastor Delano C.

U.S. Army Veteran

Vernon W.

U.S. Air Force Veteran

Donna W.

Spouse of a U.S. Air Force Veteran

Ernest M.

U.S. Navy Veteran

Leroy R.

U.S. Navy Veteran

## NEW TEAMMATES



Armani Gotschall  
Staff Care Tech II



Judith Jaquez  
Staff Care Tech II



Sarah Ackerman  
Staff Care Tech II



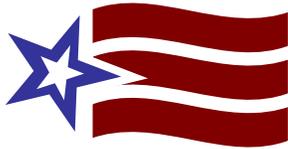
John Thramer  
Custodian/Housekeeper

Please welcome the following new teammates to NVH.

**WELCOME**



**NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS**  
EOE/AA/ADA  
Norfolk Veterans Home  
600 E. Benjamin Ave.  
Norfolk, NE 68701  
Phone: (402) 370-3330



Norfolk Veterans Home

## Bits & Pieces

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Special Occasion  
Reservations:  
Call Activities @ (402) 370-  
3110

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**THE NORFOLK VETERANS HOME IS A STATE-OPERATED  
FACILITY PROVIDING LONG TERM CARE FOR ELIGIBLE  
NEBRASKA VETERANS, THEIR SPOUSES AND GOLD STAR  
PARENTS.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION REGARDING  
ADMISSION, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR  
LOCAL COUNTY SERVICE OFFICER OR  
DODIE FINKHAUS @ (402)370-3109**

