



The Eagle



February 2022

Eastern Nebraska Veterans' Home, 12505 Harrison Tull Dr., Bellevue NE 68123 402-595-2180



Valentine's Day King and Queen



Congratulations to the King and Queen:

Phyllis and Philip W.



Welcome to the Eastern Nebraska Veterans' Home



Admit Date

Name

Feb 01

Jimmy A.

Feb 01

Dixie D.

Feb 16

Edward H.

Feb 22

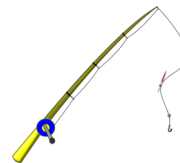
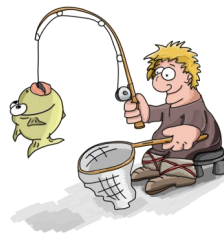
Merlene M.

Feb 24

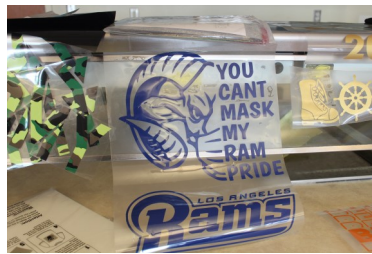
LeRoy J.

Feb 28

John Z.



Ice Fishing Tournament: Activity staff created an indoor ice fishing pond with a lot of fish! Members could sit in comfort and aim for as many fish as they could reach. The winner: 20+ fish. Congrats to Perry K. for being the best ice fisherman!



Project:

Super Bowl
Shirts

Recreation staff
helped members
choose a graphic
design to have
heat pressed
onto a new
T-shirt or sweat-
shirt .





Certificates of Appreciation were presented to our World War II Veterans on February 9th. Interim Administrator, Josh Stafursky proudly handed each veteran a certificate and a lapel pin. The certificates were signed by Nebraska Department of Veterans Affairs Director, John Hilgert and ENVH Administrator, Josh Stafursky.

The certificates were created in recognition of the veterans' honorable service in the United States Armed Forces during World War II.





The Military Order of the Purple Heart and Auxiliary volunteers are back! They held an ice cream social which included three different flavors of ice cream, a variety of cookies and a couple of drawings for either a cash prize or a flower arrangement. We appreciate their efforts and welcome them back!



Veteran's Memorial Garden Brick Form Eastern Nebraska Veterans' Home

Now is the time to purchase your brick to be installed in the Veteran's Memorial Garden at the Eastern Nebraska Veterans' Home.

Bricks may be purchased in honor or memory of a loved one, the name of your organization or business, or you may simply want to thank a veteran!

You may purchase your brick donation using the form below for \$100. There are 14 characters on each line and there are 3 lines on each brick.



Name of person donating brick: _____

Email address: _____

Phone number: _____

Make checks payable to: **American Legion Benson Post 112/Memorial Brick Fund**

Please provide the exact wording you would like on the brick:

Bricks may be purchased by mailing a \$100 check or money order per engraved brick to:

Benson Post 112, American Legion, P.O. Box 4084, Omaha, NE 68104.

Contact Bruce Husted at 402-981-6820 with any questions.



Carroll R.
David W.
Jean J.



Chaplain's Corner

Chaplain
Dale Powell

All Weekly Services have changed due to COVID as noted below

Sundays:
9:45 am All Faith Service.....Chapel
10:30 am All Faith Service.....Allegiance

Mondays:
9:30 a.m. Devotional ReadingService

Thursdays:
9:30 am Bible Study.....Service
9:45 am Bible Study.....Motivation
10:00 am Bible Study.....Allegiance
10:15 am Bible Study.....Dedication

For those of us who work in the healthcare industry (especially in caring for the elderly), we deal with death and end of life issues a lot more than the average person. Sometimes people might comment about how hard it must be to do this type of work because so many people that we work with and learn to love will die over the course of our work with them. That is a very significant issue that we deal with. We average about 35 deaths a year here at Eastern Nebraska Veterans' Home, and about 45-50 of the hospice patients that I serve as chaplain will die each year. In my experience, I find that the joy I receive in loving and caring for another person is greater than the grief that I experience when they die. When that is true, it makes it easier to reach out to love and care for yet another person. I pray that you can experience that also as you seek to reach out to love and care for others, even after significant losses in your life.