



THE NVH OBSERVER

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NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS

From The Desk of Jerry Eisenhower, NVH Administrator

Greetings,

Autumn has officially arrived and with the crisp morning air we are gearing up for weather to come and finishing up our outside campus projects.

It goes without saying that in order to carry out our mission and vision we need a dedicated, caring group of individuals. We are very blessed at Norfolk Veterans Home to have such individuals! We continue to add to our staff through the use of our facility sponsored nurse aide class. Our nurse aide class continues to be a great tool to attract new staff members and we continue to chip away at open positions!

We welcome the new staff who have joined our team over the past few months, and wish them the best as they embark on their new career path. I also want to thank our experienced staff for their patience and coaching as they work with our new teammates to help them gain valuable experience.

While our new teammates are a welcome addition to our team, I would be remiss if I did not take this opportunity to mention a teammate that has a few more years of service to our facility, namely 48 years! Deb Becker, our seasoned Activity Supervisor will be hanging up her bingo calling microphone on October 7!

I can only imagine the hundreds of NVH member's whose quality of life has been enriched over the years by Deb. A quality activity program is comprised of much more than bingo, and Deb and her team ensure that each member is able to participate in a wide variety of activities to meet their individual needs.

THANK YOU DEB for 48 years of dedicated service to our members and happy trails!

We were once again able to hold our Pre-Covid "Corn Days" Auction on Thursday, September 29. This annual event is a huge hit with our members and brings hope that things seem to be slowly returning to some sense of normalcy.

We continue to take pride in "Caring for America's Heroes."

Sincerely,

Jerry Eisenhower
Administrator

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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



Top Row: Members attend the Lion's Club Parade. Teammate Christina H. & member Carl B. pose for a picture.



Far left: Mark S. receives a Quilt of Valor.



Left: Black Powder Organization Bench Dedication in memory of Ed (O'L Buffalo) Schlander and Gary (Two Feathers) Miller. The bench was built by Jerry Bauer and is located in the Pod C Gazebo area.

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

Walter Stokes
U.S. Navy Veteran

Donald Will
U.S. Army Veteran

Robert Strong
U.S. Army Veteran



SALUTE OUR NEW MEMBERS

NORFOLK VETERANS HOME WELCOMES YOU

Wayne S.

U.S. Army Veteran

Mary S.

Spouse of a U.S. Army Veteran

NEW TEAMMATES



Madison Howard
Staff Care Tech II



Gil Branch
Staff Care Tech II



Madison Potter
Staff Care Tech II



Evelyn Painter
RN



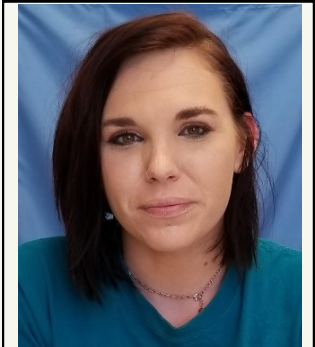
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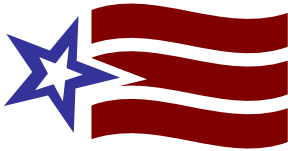
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