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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 GOUVERNMENT

Greetings,

I hope everyone enjoyed a safe and relaxing Fourth of July. Again this year, Norfolk Veterans Home was treated to a wonderful aerial display of bombs bursting in air and rockets red glow. We celebrated the fourth on the evening of June 27, and Heroes Park served as the venue for the event. Many thanks to our fine group of pyrotechnic experts from the American Legion Riders and volunteers from the Big Bang Boom Committee for donating their time and talents to delight members, teammates and families. There is a lot of planning and prep work that goes into this event. Many thanks to our wonderful activity and nursing departments for all of their assistance getting our members to and from Heroes Park.

Fourth of July celebrations also offers us another opportunity to reflect upon the many freedoms and privileges we enjoy as Americans. That freedom has been and continues to be protected by the selfless service of men and women in uniform. We have learned throughout our history that we can depend upon young Americans to step forward when our country calls.

Nebraska Department of Veterans' Affairs Director John Hilgert along with several members of our agency staff paid a visit to NVH on June 29 and 30 to conduct what is called an "Employer in Residence" tour. The purpose of their visit was to meet with teammates on all three shifts and gather feedback regarding their overall work experiences from onboarding to present.

The activities department has been busy with offsite outings and our members have been able to enjoy many opportunities for food and fellowship already this summer.

Heroes Park is "open for business" and you are encouraged to visit and take your loved one out to enjoy this wonderful venue! Please remember when taking a loved one out on one of our many hot, humid days that everyone drinks plenty of water and have applied sunscreen.

Sincerely,

Jerry Eisenhauer Administrator

HOME HAPPENINGS



Unit E members enjoy some outdoor patio time and planted petunias in their Pod planter.









Members enjoyed a beautiful morning at Skyview lake in Norfolk, fishing with JOOI students.









HOME HAPPENINGS



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

Maxine H.U.S. Army Veteran

Arleigh P. U.S. Navy Veteran Richard S.
U.S. Marine Corps Veteran

Danny K. U.S. Navy 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 are \$2.50 per ticket.



CNA WEEK



June 15 through 21st was Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA) week. During this week CNA's were treated to a meal, veggie trays and some sweet treats. Their profiles were also displayed at the front of the building for all to get to know them all a little better. "#wereunstoppable"

SALUTE OUR NEW MEMBERS

NORFOLK VETERANS HOME WELCOMES YOU

Gail H.

U.S. Army Veteran

Ronald K.

U.S. Army Veteran

James L.

U.S. Army Veteran

Ronald K.

U.S. Army Veteran

Donald B.

U.S. Navy Veteran

Mary B.

Spouse of a U.S. Navy Veteran

Russell S.

U.S. Army Veteran

<u>Joan S.</u>

Spouse of a U.S. Army Veteran

NEW TEAMMATES



Sandra Pendergast RN



Morgan Beeson LPN



Marisela Mora Staff Care Tech II



Samantha Underwood Food Service Asst.



Allison O'Connor Staff Care Tech II

Please welcome the following new teammates to NVH.





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