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4/21 - National: Regular monthly meeting, Manville, VFW, 1PM



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Mission Statement

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Rolling Thunder[®], Inc. is a non –profit organization and everyone donates his or her time because they believe in the POW-MIA issue. All meetings must be orderly and every member must be heard. Everyone is as important as the next. Everyone has different views and we must all work together in an orderly manner.

Every Chapter must have an agenda to run a meeting. Everyone must get their turn to talk about any issue that concerns Rolling Thunder[®], Inc. and its members

The Constitution and By-Laws of Rolling Thunder®, Inc. will not be changed or altered by any Chapter and everyone must abide by this constitution.

Meetings are held on:

3rd Sunday of every month at 1:00PM **Meeting Location:** VFW 600 Washington St. Manville, NJ (unless otherwise indicated in the events section)

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To offer information to the newsletter it must be submitted by the 15th of the month to get in the next month's newsletter.

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IN MEMORY OF

Dave Nordlund 80, passed away October1, 2023. Dave was a was a Full Bird Col In the U.S.M.C. for 28 years. He was a Vietnam Veteran. He was a member of Rolling Thunder Chapter 1 South Dakota for over 19 years. He was a very active member and served as a Board member, was on the POW/MIA committee getting the POW/MIA Flag at every rest stop in the state, was on the committee for our city Sioux Falls. He will be missed by everyone. May he rest in peace and may he ride free in the Heavens above.

Gregory Pugh 68, passed away December 4, 2024. He was a Vietnam Veteran served in the U.S.A.F. for 6 years during the Vietnam War. He was a member of Rolling Thunder Chapter 3 Florida for over 13 years. He was very active at events and taking care of the Chapter web site. May he rest in peace and may he ride free in the Heavens above

Ron Speel 74, passed away January 27, 2024. He is a Vietnam Veteran served in the U.S.M.C. for 6 years. He was a member of Rolling Thunder Chapter 3 Florida for over 7 years. He was very active at events and will be missed by all. May he rest in peace and may he ride free in the Heavens above.

James D. Sheets 68, passed away February 9, 2024. James was a member of Rolling Thunder Chapter 2 Ohio for 20 years. He was a board member for 4 years and was very active. He will be missed by everyone. May he rest in peace and may he ride free in the Heavens above.

Dennis Kinney 92, passed away February 22, 2024. He was a Korean/Vietnam Veteran that served in the USA/USAF for 30 years. He was a member of Rolling Thunder Chapter 3 Wisconson for over 16 years. He was always active and will be missed by all. May he rest in peace and may he ride free in the Heavens above.

Roswell T. Echols 79, passed away February 27, 2024. Ros was a Vietnam Veteran served in the U.S.N. for 20 years. He was a member of Rolling Thunder Chapter 4 Florida for over 19 years. He was very active and helped wherever he could. He will be missed by all. May he rest in peace and may he ride free in the Heavens above.

Dennis Moore 76, passed away February 26, 2024. He served in the U.S. Army. He was a member of Rolling Thunder Chapter 5 North Carolina for over 14 years. He was a Board Member of the Chapter 5 N.C. He was very active and will be missed by all. May he rest in peace and may her ride free in the Heavens above.

Anthony Hilinski 75, passed away August 27, 2024. Tony was a Vietnam Veteran serving in the U.S.M.C.. He was a member of Rolling Thunder Chapter 3 NY for 21 years. He served on the Board of directors, the executive board. He served on many committees. He was always their to help and will be missed by all. May he rest in peace and may he ride free in the Heavens above.

DONATION: In Memorial of Stefan Maca / from Kim & Jason Dubiel

Our respect to all family & friends. May our Brothers and Sisters be at peace with the Lord. May those who served Honorably Rest in Peace in the soil they fought for Freedom for all. Those who remain Prisoners of War/Missing in action, body not recoverable, we will never forget you.

Let us remember those who have given their lives for our Freedom in the War against Terrorist and Operation Iraq Freedom (Gulf War II). May God Keep our Troops safe.

When one American is not worth the effort to be found,
We as Americans have lost.
Remember our Troops Killed in action and those serving.

2024 Chapter Events Calendar Form

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If you prefer to send by email, contact rtnj1@att.net

Please make sure the following information is included:

Chapter State

Event Contact Person

Telephone

Event Name

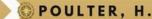
Day/Date of Event

Time of Event

Event Location

Other Pertinent Information

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The DPAA recently announced the accounting of U.S. Army Pvt. Harold O. Poulter, aged 23, from Charleston, Illinois, was killed during World War II.

Poulter, serving with Company G, 2nd Battalion, 318th Infantry Regiment, 80th Infantry Division, was reported killed in action by small arms fire on Feb. 8, 1945, near Biesdorf, Germany. Despite multiple recovery attempts, his remains were not recovered during or after the war due to intense fighting against heavily facilities. intense fighting against heavily fortified German forces.

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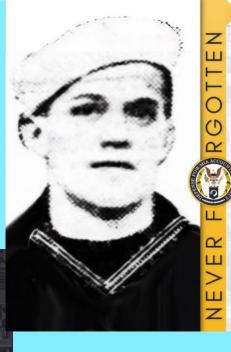




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AIRMAN ACCOUNTED FOR FROM WWII

The Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency (DPAA) announced today that U.S. Army Air Force 2nd Lt. Robert L. E. Porter, 23, of Chicago, Illinois, killed during World War II, was accounted for Dec. 20, 2023.



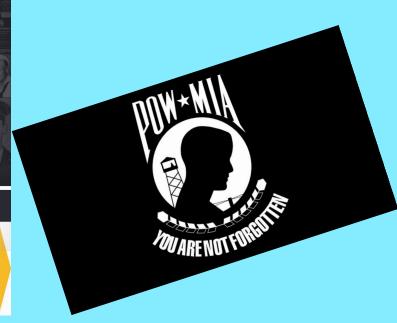
USS Oklahoma Sailor Accounted for MALEK, M.

December 7, 1941: Michael Malek was on the battleship USS Oklahoma at Pearl Harbor when it was attacked by Japanese aircraft. The ship capsized, resulting in the deaths of 429 crewmen, including Malek.

September 1947: The American Graves Registration Service (AGRS) disinterred remains from cemeteries in the Pacific Theater. Only 35 men from the USS Oklahoma were identified.

June to November 2015: DPAA personnel exhumed the USS Oklahoma Unknowns from the Punchbowl for analysis.

Identification Process: Scientists used dental, anthropological, and mitochondrial DNA analysis to identify Malek's remains.



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Event Contact Person John M= Kendree (National)

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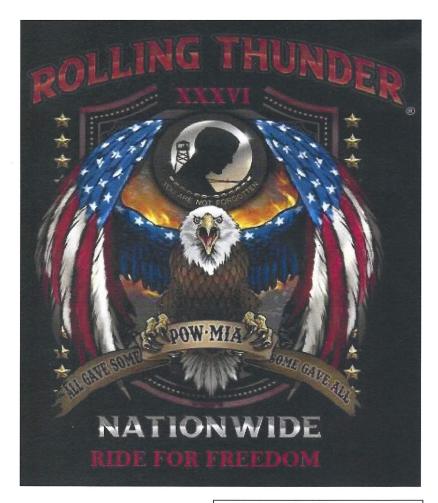
Time of Event Set by Chapters

Event Location set by Chapters

Other Pertinent Information All Details discussed when John MEKendree is contacted.

Contact John McKendree Directly

DO NOT CONTACT NATIONAL OFFICE



NEW JERSEY WE WILL NOT FORGET

WWI 4,422 WWII 72,255
COLD WAR 126 KOREA 7,517
VIETNAM 1,581
IRAQ-PERSIAN GULF-LIBYA 6

POW PRISONERS-OF-WAR / MIA MISSING-IN-ACTION

More than 80,000 American Service Personnel are missing from previous conflicts and wars.

This year is the 36th Anniversary Ride and Demonstration in support of POW/MIA and Veterans' Issues. In 2024, the priority remains the same:

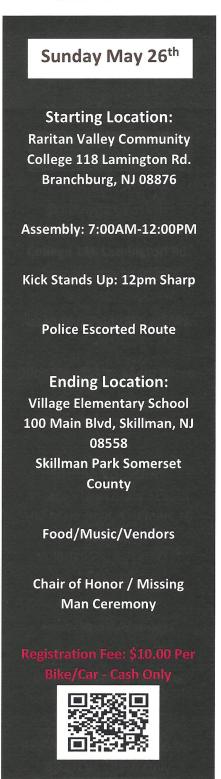
We seek accountability - the return of living POW's and when that is not possible – the repatriation of their remains. We further advocate the same for all MIA.

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DEMONSTRATION





Event Sponsor Since 2001

MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND 2024 ITINERARY





SATURDAY MAY 25th

• NJ Vietnam Veterans Memorial -Flame of Freedom-Wreath Presentation

Assemble at the Memorial at 10AM

1 Memorial Lane, Holmdel, NJ 07733 (Exit 116 on NJ Parkway

• East Brunswick Community Arts Center - The Traveling Vietnam Wall Tribute

Assembly at the Arts Center at 1PM

721 Cranbury Rd, East Brunswick, NJ, United States, New Jersey 08816

SUNDAY MAY 26th

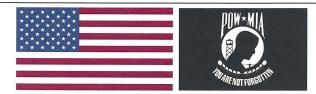
• ROLLING THUNDER®, INC. NATIONAL XXXVI NATIONWIDE RIDE FOR FREEDOM

Assemble at Raritan Valley Community College 118 Lamington Rd. Branchburg, NJ 08876 Time: 7:00am to 12:00pm Kick Stands Up: 12PM Sharp Media Contact

Nicole Chati

646*331*1969

No Attitudes Please! Everyone must wear a helmet! No Alcoholic Beverages are permitted!



Rolling Thunder® Inc. is a 501(c)(4) organization established to seek accountability for all POW/MIA from past wars and to promote the needs of Veterans.

Rolling Thunder Charities[®], Inc. is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization with 95% of all funds going to Veterans and our Troops in need of help.

RIDE FOR FREEDOM



www.rollingthunder1.com

Veterans Crisis Line is here for all Veterans

Life is unpredictable and full of ups and downs that can affect your well-being. As a Veteran, you face unique and difficult challenges due to your experience in the military. If you're dealing with a crisis or thoughts of suicide, it can feel like you're carrying the weight alone.

While support may seem out of reach or difficult to find, it's only a phone call away. Regardless of your age, gender, rank, branch, tenure, discharge status or job in the military, the <u>Veterans Crisis Line</u> is a free and accessible resource for all Veterans.

Help is always available, day or night - Some Veterans may question if they're allowed to call the Veterans Crisis Line. One might think this resource is only meant for Veterans who served in combat, were injured through their service, were deployed overseas or are currently enrolled in VA health care and benefits. None of this is true. Spreading the word about the Veterans Crisis Line is a high priority for VA, not only because we want to save lives but also because we want all Veterans to know support is available 24/7, 365 days a year.

You can Dial 988 then Press 1 to be connected to a compassionate and trained responder ready to listen and help with any challenges you're facing. There are also chat (VeteransCrisisLine.net/Chat) and text 838255 options. Even if you don't know what you need or how to explain it, our responders are here for you. After making sure you have the resources you need, they can connect you to one of the 165 suicide prevention coordinators located across the country for continued, local support.

Take the first step to healing - Reaching out might be the last thing you want to do. You might be nervous and anxious, or you might think no one can help. Healing can be a difficult journey and it's hard to not focus on the negatives especially if you've been suffering in silence. But consider the ways that support could change your life. Since the Veterans Crisis Line launched in 2007, we have fielded more than six million contacts from Veterans and their loved ones. With one call, you'll be connected to accessible resources and people who want to help. You also decide how much information you want to share with our responders. You don't have to share any personal details like your name.

Veterans have told me they would feel more comfortable contacting the Veterans Crisis Line if they knew more about what to expect. Here's a step-by-step guide to what happens when you call the Veterans Crisis Line (Dial 988 then Press 1):

- 1. A recording will alert you that you've reached the Veterans Crisis Line.
- 2. There will be a brief pause while the call is connected to a qualified responder ready to listen and help.
- 3. The responder will ask a few questions, such as whether you or the Veteran or service member you're concerned about may be in immediate danger or at risk for suicide.
- 4. Your call is free and confidential, and you decide how much information to share.
- 5. If you or the Veteran or service member you're concerned about is in danger, the responder will help you get through the crisis and then connect you with the services you need, either from your local VA medical center or elsewhere in your community.
- 6. If you or the Veteran or service member you're concerned about is in crisis but not at imminent risk for injury or suicide, the responder will listen, offer support and help you make a plan to stay safe.
- 7. Afterward, you may be connected with a local suicide prevention coordinator who will contact you the next business day for continued support.

For information on what happens when you chat or text the Veterans Crisis Line, visit our How It Works page.

Be prepared in case you need support

During a crisis, every second counts. Making sure you're prepared with how to find immediate support is critical and can potentially be lifesaving.

Even if you don't need support today, <u>saving the Veterans Crisis Line number</u>—Dial 988 then Press 1—can give you peace of mind knowing a trusted caring responder is waiting on the other end.

https://news.va.gov/122599/veterans-crisis-line-is-here-for-all-veterans/



If anyone deserves recognition and appreciation for their selfless service, it is military children. Born in military hospitals around the globe, they will learn far too young goodbyes will be frequent and difficult. At some point in their toddler years, they inevitably will hug a camouflaged leg of someone other than their uniformed parent by mistake. They will move repeatedly, usually at the precise point in time when they feel most settled.

-April Military Officer magazine



Month of the Military Child

CAPTAIN FORD SHAW

February 9, 1984 to March 10, 2015

You are cordially invited to attend the naming of the road connecting the Municipal Complex and Ridge High School as Captain Ford Shaw Way.

Capt. Shaw was a Bernards Township Resident, 2002 Ridge High School graduate and a 2006 United States Naval Academy graduate. He was a decorated commissioned Marine officer who served two tours in Iraq and one tour in Afghanistan. Capt. Shaw's personal awards include Bronze Star (awarded posthumously), Navy-Marine Corps Commendation Medal, Navy-Marine Corps Achievement Medal, Navy Unit Commendation, Navy Meritorious Unit Commendation, National Defense Service Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, and the Sea Service Deployment ribbon (with two stars).





AT THE ROADWAY CONNECTION FROM THE MUNICIPAL COMPLEX LOCATED AT L COLLYER LANE, BASKING RIDGE

FRIDAY, APRIL 12TH, 2024 AT 3:00PM March 22, 2024

Rolling Thunder Inc. Attn: Elaine Muller Post Office Box 216 Neshanic Station, NJ 08853

Dear Friends,

The Food Bank Network of Somerset County offers our sincere thanks and appreciation for your extremely generous donation of 1,710 pounds of food items, \$175 in ShopRite gift certificates and \$65 in cash received on March 17, 2024 through your Food Drive. Your contributions will make an immediate impact in our community.

The number of people we serve continues to be unusually high, especially families with children. Meeting these needs has become more difficult than ever due in part to inflation and significantly higher food prices. However, with support received from all sectors of our community, like yours, we've been able to meet the needs of our neighbors in Somerset County. During the course of 2023, The Food Bank received 26,788 client visits across our network, more than doubling since 2021 and we added 2,251 new clients. In 2023, we distributed almost 2 million pounds of food.

The Food Bank Network continues to provide essential food assistance at no cost to any county resident in need directly from our warehouse in Bridgewater and from our satellite pantries located in Bound Brook, Manville, North Plainfield, Somerville and on the VA Campus in Lyons, NJ. The VA Pantry is available to any Somerset County Veteran.

Our Back Pack Program which provides supplemental weekend take-home meals for elementary school students at risk of hunger has also grown considerably. At present, we're delivering weekly food packages to 1,250 Somerset County students attending nineteen schools. There's a good chance we'll be up to 1400 students before the end of the 2024 school year.

Thank you again for what you've done to benefit the lives of others, for your on-going community partnership and support of our mission as we work together to help our Somerset County neighbors facing food insecurity.

Sincerely,

Steve Katz Executive Director

Steven D. Lat

Andy Kerr: 908-380-9116 Rolling Thunder FOOD BANK NETWOOK

> Hunger doesn't take a vacation.

Food Bank Network of Somerset County

P.O. Box 149 Bound Brook New Jersey 08805

732-560-1813

New Jersey HCS Dept of VA is having a BABY SHOWER FOR OUR WOMEN VETERANS

Saturday

14 women

June 22, 2024 1:00PM—3:00PM LYONS CAMPUS, Bldg 143 MPR

FOR VETERANS WHO WILL BE IN 2ND-3RD TRIMESTER, ENROLLED IN WOMEN'S HEALTH MATERNITY CARE. AT VANJ.

BABY ITEM DONATIONS NEEDED*:

\Diamond	Diap	ers,	wipes	and	oint-ment
(var	iety	of s	izes)		

- Orib & Crib mattress
- ♦ Swing/ bouncer
- ♦ Changing table

♦ 6-8 bodysuits/onesies (long & short-sleeved) 4-6 side-snap tees

- sleep & play clothes
- ♦ pull on pants
- ♦ Socks/ footed pajamas
- ♦ Activity mats
- ♦ Books
- ♦ gowns
- 2-4 of each caps, mittens, booties
- ♦ Developmental toys (no stuffed animals pls)
- ♦ Changing table pad and covers
- ♦ Fitted crib sheets
- A Receiving or swaddling blankets
- ♦ Wearable blankets
- ♦ Waterproof mattress pads
- ♦ Crib Mobile
- O Diaper pail/refills
- Diaper caddy
- ♦ Wiper warmer
 - Diaper stacker/organizer

 Nursing pillow & cover
 - Nursing pads, soothing ointments and gel pads

 - breast pump) ◊

 Breast milk storage containers ◊
 - ♦ Diaper Bags
 - ♦ Cradle or bassinet
 - ♦ 2-3 cradle or bassinet sheets
 - Baby bathtub

Sound & light soothers

- hooded towels
- baby washcloths.
- ♦ Shampoo, body wash, lotion
- Brush and comb
- Burp cloths
- Bottles and nipples
- Bottle warmer
- ♦ Hamper
- Hangers
- Bottle cleaning supplies
- ♦ High chair
- Bath toys and storage
- ♦ Bathtub spout cover
- Bibs
- Baby plates, bowls, utensils
- 2-4 sippy cups 4-6 Pacifiers
- ♦ 2-3 Teethers
- ♦ Car accessories & toys
- Car seat protector mat
- O Baby wrap and/or carrier
- Lightweight stroller
- ♦ Stroller accessories & toys
- ♦ Shopping cart cover
- ♦ Baby monitor
- ♦ Grooming kit
- Nasal aspirator
- First aid kit & infant medicines
- Dental toothbrush
- Digital Thermometer
- ♦ Humidifier
- Piggy bank
- Photo albums and frames
 - Keepsake memory book

Also accepting:

⇒ \$25 GIFT CARDS (Visa, Walmart, Target, Amazon)

Pls send all donations to:

Dept of VA NJHCS Center for Development & Civic Engagement 151 Knollcroft Road (135LY) Lyons, NJ 07939

Phn: 908-604-5814

Deadline: by June 15, 2024

*new & unused items only please

2024 Rolling Thunder® National Inc. Lyons VA Hospital Visits

6:30 pm~Community Living Center ~ 2nd Fl.

January 18
March 21
May (none)
July 18
September 19
November 21

7:00 pm ~ PTSD Ward
Bldg. 143~ 2nd Fl.
(Please bring a dessert)

February 15
April 18
June 20
August 25, Sunday (VA Picnic) 11:00am
October 17
December 4, Wednesday (Holiday party)

Recreation Dept. (908) 647-0180 Ext. 4327(Days)
Please obey speed limits on VA grounds

Directions

From Route 78:

Exit 33, head North to Valley Road (Approx 1 mi) Right on Valley Road. Go approx. 3 miles. Hospital entrance on left.

From Route 22:

At Bound Brook, take Warrenville Road north. Approx. 8 mi. take Valley Road **left.** Hospital ½ mi. on right.

To CLC (Nursing Home):

Pass thru security gate. Follow signs for Community Living Center. Take next left. Nursing Home is a free-standing building on the right just beyond the parking lot.

To PTSD:

Pass thru security gate. Take second right, then quick left. Bldg. 143 is directly ahead, use parking lot to the right.

Speed limit on hospital grounds strictly enforced!

ROLLING THUNDER®, INC. NEWSLETTER



POW/MIA "We Will Never Forget" WWI 3,343

WWI 3,343 WWII 72,254 Cold War 126 Korea 7,514 Vietnam 1,581

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