Congratulations to Chapter 20’s newly elected 2nd Vice President & Board Members!

Top Row (L to R): Bruce VanApeldoorn, Joe Harkness, Jack Madigan; Bottom Row: Dick Oleksyn, Joe Peck, & Pat Pudetti.

PG. 14

25th Anniversary Trip to the Wall

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Wilder Road Dedication

TOGETHER THEN...TOGETHER NOW
I would like to start by congratulating all who ran for election and were elected to serve the Chapter. I would also like to thank those who served last year and helped us through a tough time. A year ago we faced some difficult times with funding for chapter activities drying up. We made some drastic cuts in spending in the budget like eliminating our chapter administrative assistant and reduction of some chapter activities. As we prepared for the 2007 budget we reduced spending to the bare necessity and with much thanks to our Finance Committee led by Bruce VanApeldoorn, Joe Peck and Fred Elliott we came up with a balanced budget. The LLC Thrift Store and Car Business were also facing the same concerns as to the budget process, but thanks to Rich Isaman and his board they also made some hard choices that resulted in a budget they could work with. With the addition of Beth as store manager and Cindy handling the Car Business things have turned the corner, we hope. In saying all that, thanks to all on the Chapter side and those at the LLC for all the hard work.

We also moved the Chapter office to Ira Jacobson post. A group of volunteers also decorated the board room with some of the great memorabilia we have accumulated over the past 25 years so that all could see. I ask that all of you stop up and see the office and board room and give us your thoughts.

As of this reading I’m sure all have enjoyed the Annual Dinner, and thanks to our “Mouse” Dick Oleksyn and all those who helped him make this a great success.

This past year has brought home our brother MIA James Widener, and in May another brother, Francis Graziosi, will also be returned home. It is of the utmost importance that we show our support for this return-
Marching Unit
Ray Melens, Commander

First things first! I am not the Voracious Veteran, at least not the one that wrote the article in the BTL with my picture. Somebody set me up, folks. I was just minding my own business and sampling all the dishes that evening. They told me that was what I was supposed to do. As you all know, who am I not to obey an order?! Especially when it comes to taste sampling. It must have been Ralph Pascale that wrote that article. After all he was in Daytona chasing beautiful women (didn’t catch any, though) instead of being here to sample all those great dishes. So, I think he’s trying to set me up to try and call attention to some one else. That rascal Pascale! Wait till parade season starts.

Now for some real Marching Unit business - our first parade of the season is the Lilac Parade. This year it will be on Saturday, May 12th with a start time of 10:30 AM. Formation will be in the usual area on Science Pkwy. Our next parade will be on Sunday, May 27th in Irondequoit with a 5:30 PM start time. Formation will again be somewhere in the area of Titus and Hudson. The next day we will be marching in the annual Downtown Memorial Day parade. Start time is 10:30 AM in the East Ave. and Strathallan area. Right after the parade we head to the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Highland Park for our annual 1:00 PM service. Any Marching Unit member that has not let me know they are going to partake in the ceremony is asked to please contact me right away and let me know. Any one wishing to read names is urged to please let my wife, Gail, know right away also. Any other parades that we may be attending in May will have to be announced at a later date seeing as we have not voted on this year’s parade schedule as of this writing. So if there are any others I will email those dates.

Please remember also that this year we want to get a Marching Unit picture again. We will try and get one after the Lilac parade and at the Memorial after our Memorial Day ceremony. We also want to get a group picture of all the Honor Guard members. That will be scheduled for some time in the summer when we can get all the HG members in one place and in uniform. These pictures will get enlarged, framed and hung up in the meeting room upstairs at Ira for all to see. If anyone wishes to volunteer to take these pictures we would appreciate it. We’re hoping to get some quality pictures to choose from. If any Chapter photographer hobbyist is interested, please let me know as soon as possible.

As of this writing, I understand that the repatriation services for Ssgt. Frances Graziosi will take place on Friday, May 18th and Saturday, May 19th. Our Honor Guard will proudly represent Chapter 20. I do not have all the exact details as of yet but I’m sure I will get them after this issue has gone to press. When everything is finalized and I know exactly what will be going on, I will email all Honor Guard members to get a detail together. For sure we will be at the cemetery on Saturday morning with the Color Guard. I’m not sure yet what is going to take place at the funeral home on Friday. As I said, I will be emailing info to the Honor Guard when I get it.

The Marching Unit was holding their annual meeting on Saturday, April 28th, so at this time I do not have the exact parade schedule for this year yet. Watch for it on the Chapter’s web page and in the next issue of the BTL. Any MU member with email will receive the schedule as soon as it is available.

I’m looking forward to another great parade season and, hopefully, so are all the MU members. I enjoy everyone’s friendship, and the great times we share after every parade. So if you haven’t joined the Unit yet and you wish to, just get in touch with me and I’ll help you get started.

I will need members of the Marching Unit to start thinking about volunteering some time in September when the Dignity Memorial Vietnam Wall is here. Yes, that’s the name for this traveling wall. To us, though, it is still THE WALL. We will need many volunteers for ceremonies, set up, tear down, and security. I’m mentioning this now so you can start to plan accordingly to help out. Remember, this is a way for all of us to come together with one common goal in mind. Pay HONOR and RESPECT to our 58,000+ Brothers that gave the ultimate sacrifice for us and our great country. We will be needing volunteers for the week of September 4th – 9th.

The Honor Guard will meet again at 7:00 PM on the night of the
regular May membership meeting. We will meet again upstairs at IRA before the membership meeting. If any members of the Chapter are interested in joining the HG, they are encouraged to attend as well.

Until next month……..AT EASE!!!!!!!

POW-MIA
Gail Bologna-Melens, Chairperson

At the time of this writing there are 1,787 people still missing and unaccounted for from the Vietnam War.

Four servicemen have been identified, they are:
• Colonel Norman D Eaton, USAF, Oklahoma - Missing in action 1/13/69 in Laos. His remains were recovered 12/16/05 and identified 11/20/06.
• Lt Colonel Paul E Getchell, USAF, Maine - Missing in action 1/13/69 in Laos. His remains were recovered 12/16/05 and identified 11/20/06.
• Major Benjamin F Danielson, USAF, Minnesota - Missing in action 12/5/69 in Laos. His remains were recovered 11/12/03 and identified 8/6/06.
• Sergeant First Class Lewis C Walton, Rhode Island - Missing in action 5/10/71 in South Vietnam. His remains were recovered 10/19/04 and identified 10/23/06.

Tentatively, the arrangements for Francis George Graziosi, Army, who has been missing in action in South Vietnam since January 10, 1970, have been made. Friday, May 18th, will be the calling hours. On Saturday, May 19th will be the burial. As I know more, I will let you know. I’m sure that the Graziosi family would gladly receive any bracelets that have been worn for Francis at the calling hours.

With the return of so many remains of our missing in action, I will explain what to do with the bracelet of a returned POW-MIA.

Traditionally a POW-MIA bracelet is worn until the man, named on the bracelet, is accounted for. Whether it be 25 days or 25 years, the bracelet is worn and the man remembered.

After Operation Homecoming, those who wore bracelets with the names of returned POWs began to send the bracelets to the men and their families. Unfortunately, only 591 men returned and thousands of men remained Prisoner or Missing with tens of thousands of bracelets still being worn.

Once Homecoming was completed, the repatriation of remains began. It was during this time that the tradition of returning a man’s bracelet to his family began. Throughout the years the remains return program has met with varying successes and dismal failures, yet, remains continue to be repatriated. Some identifications are accepted by the families, some are challenged. Nonetheless, the tradition of returning bracelets remains a part of the POW-MIA history.

The following is the correct procedure for returning a POW-MIA bracelet to the family of an accounted for POW-MIA.

1. Write a letter to the family of the POW-MIA service member. Please make sure to include all contact information in the event the family chooses to contact you.
2. Place the letter to the family and the bracelet in a padded envelope. Write your return address and simply address the envelope: To the family of (Serviceman’s name).
3. Place the appropriate postage on the envelope and seal it.
4. Write a letter to the Defense Prisoner and Missing Personnel Office (DPMO) and in the letter explain that this is a bracelet return and request that the contents be forwarded to the family.
5. Place the DPMO request letter and the To The Family Of envelope inside another large envelope and address it to: Department of Defense Defense Prisoner of War/ Missing Personnel Office 2400 Defense Pentagon Washington, DC 20301-2400 Attention Mr. Chuck Henley/ POW/MIA Bracelet Return.

I sent my bracelet back to the family of Gene P. Clapper of Altoona, Pennsylvania when he was accounted for, but I did not hear back from them. But, I let them know that I had worn his bracelet for 20+ years. I had the bracelet replaced many times as it wore out and in some instances broke. But, I kept my promise and wore it until he came home. I did REMEMBER as we all do.

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13th Annual VOC Golf Tournament

Saturday, June 25, 2007
at Penfield Country Club

Have a ball while raising funds for the VOC at one of Rochester’s premier private golf clubs, Penfield Country Club. Registration and lunch begin at 11:00 a.m., followed by a shotgun start at 1:00 p.m. Sign up to golf, sponsor the event, or donate raffle prizes.

14th Annual VOC Flag Day Campaign

Thursday, June 14, 2007
(June 9 & 10, too!)

Join volunteers from throughout the Greater Rochester community to distribute hand-held, made-in-the-USA American flags in exchange for contributions to the VOC.

Volunteer by yourself, or gather a group of friends or coworkers and make it a day of fun in honor of the Flag, as it was meant to be!

Proceeds from these events support vital programs and services offered by the Veterans Outreach Center to our veterans and our returning servicemen and -women. The VOC is the nation’s oldest community-based outreach effort serving veterans and their dependents. We strive to improve their quality of life by offering free, veteran-specific services through a seamless continuum of care designed to nurture individual potential and provide support in building a better future. For more information about these events, please call Alisa Parmiter at 585.546.1081.
Wednesday
August 22, 2007
at Greystone Golf Club

Your entry fee of $100 includes 18 holes of golf with cart, lunch, dinner, prizes and LOTS OF FUN

9:30am to 10:15 am - Registration
10:30am - Presentation of Colors (US Marines of “A” Co. Anti-Terrorism Bn. 4th Marine Division)
11:00am - Shotgun start,- Four-person scramble
4:30pm - Cash bar
5:15pm - Dinner and Awards

(Time subject to change depending upon number of players)

For additional information please contact: Len Benedict at 585-750-7099 or Visit our web site and register online at www.mcccrochester.org then click on MCCC events.
Memorial Day Family Picnic

Monday, May 28 • 3:00 P.M.
(after ceremony at Vietnam Veterans Memorial at Highland Park)

Ira Jacobson American Legion Post 474
90 St. John Park (off Lake Avenue in Charlotte)
Open to all Chapter members and their families. Please email the
Chapter office, bdvico@vva20.org, or call 482-7396 with a count of
attendees no later than WEDNESDAY, MAY 23.

The Chapter will provide hot dogs and hamburgers, potato and
macaroni salads, beans and beverages. Please bring a snack or
a dessert for the picnic. Bar will be open. Together,
we will have a great day. See you there.

Veterans Outreach Center
presents Veteran’s Stand Down
Wednesday, May 16, 2007 in Canandaigua
For information, call 585.546-4250 or 1-866-906-8387

Can You Help?

The New York State Veterans’
Home at Batavia needs your help!

Chapter 20 is planning to help out at
the Restaurant Nights on
May 1 and 2, 2007, from 4:00 P.M.
to approximately 7:00 P.M.
Help will also be needed on June 23
for a picnic for the residents.
For more information or to volunteer,
contact Dick Oleksyn, 585-663-5255.

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June 24

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Member in the News
Chapter 20 member Dick D’Imperio recently was featured in a news story as he helped set up the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Replica Wall in Cape Coral, Florida. Good work, Dick!

Volunteers Needed!
A traveling, three-quarter-scale replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington, D.C., is coming to Gates Memorial Park, 150 Spencerport Rd.
September 7-9, 2007, and we NEED YOUR HELP preparing for its arrival!

A tribute to all U.S. veterans and dedicated to Vietnam veterans, the Wall is a powerful and emotional experience. Show your support and patriotism by helping plan for the three-day exhibition of

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Who Is the Voracious Veteran?
Despite the picture in the April issue, the Voracious Veteran is NOT Ray Melens. It isn’t Ralph Pascale, either. Any other guesses?

Help Build The Veterans Walk at the Rochester Vietnam Veterans Memorial
Any past or present member of the United States Armed Services, Active or Reserve, is eligible for an engraved paver brick. For information and an order form, please contact the Chapter 20 office at 482-7396.
# Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 20

## Membership Application

Return this application, *along with a copy of your DD214*, to:

Vietnam Veterans of America, P.O. Box 12580, Rochester, NY 14612

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I am not a Vietnam veteran, but I want to help Vietnam veterans and their families. Please accept my donation: __________________

- $10
- $20
- $50
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- 1 year ($20)
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- $175 (ages 61-65)
- $150 (ages 66 and over)

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The deadline for submissions intended for a particular month’s issue is the 5th of the preceding month. If the 5th falls on a weekend or holiday, the deadline is the first business day following the 5th.

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Wouldn’t it be great if you could donate to two different organizations with the same money?

Now you can!

A dual fundraiser is available in May only...

For the month of May, we are sponsoring a fundraiser for VVA/AVVA by offering Pampered Chef products. Several items have the additional benefit of a contribution to the American Cancer Society.

The items shown below will result in a $1 donation to the American Cancer Society for each item purchased.

In addition, ALL orders will result in a donation directly to VVA/AVVA Chapter 20 of at least 15%. You can order online (www.pamperedchef.biz/skendrick), or by calling Kathy Gleason at 978-1331. The higher the total sales, the higher the percentage donated to the Chapter.

Stephanie Kendrick, the Pampered Chef representative, will be at our meeting on May 10th with some of her products and catalogs and will be glad to answer your questions and/or take your order.

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Monroe County Executive Maggie Brooks and Monroe County Legislator Richard Yolevich (R-Parma) recently dedicated a stretch of Wilder Road in Parma in memory of residents who died while serving our country in Vietnam. They were joined by members of the Vietnam Veterans of America, including Chapter 20 President Ken Moore.

“Monroe County is grateful for the sacrifices that our veterans have made, and continue to make, in the name of freedom and democracy,” said County Executive Brooks. “I want to thank County Legislator Yolevich, the Vietnam Veterans of America – Chapter 20, and County Department of Transportation for spearheading this effort.”

As part of the dedication, two signs were placed so that motorists can see them when they are traveling east or west on Wilder Road.

“Our community has a deep appreciation of the sacrifices made by our men and women who have served in the armed forces and their families,” said County Legislator Yolevich. “As a Vietnam Veteran, I am proud to recognize these young men for their service to our nation and I thank Chapter 20 President Ken Moore and County Executive Maggie Brooks for their efforts in support of this tribute.”

“As veterans of the Vietnam War we feel that it’s important that the residents of Hilton and Parma remember the sacrifice that these three young men made fighting for this great country in Vietnam,” said Moore. “David Lemcke, Gerry Wilson and John Waugh will forever be remembered by their fellow veterans of the Vietnam War. God Bless them forever.”
VVA Chapter 20 Bus Trip
25th Anniversary of “The Wall”

November 9-early AM November 12, 2007
Washington, D.C.

Save the dates for a National VVA happening! Call those with whom you served and have them meet you in D.C.! All Chapter 20 members (as of April 2, 2007), their families/friends will have first chance at seats/rooms. After August 15, 2007, remaining available seats will be open to others. More details to come.

Transportation
- Bus paid for by VVA Chapter 20
- 56 seats available
- Rest room on board
- No smoking on board (stops will be made for food, etc.)
- Soda/water provided on board

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- TENTATIVE $250/room (2 nights/taxes/baggage/handling—one price/room—1-4/room)
- 1/room $ 250
- 2/room $ 125 each
- 3/room $ 83.33 each
- 4/room $ 62.50 each
- (Included is an evening guided bus tour of Washington, monuments, memorials, etc., including guide’s gratuity)

Meals
- At your pleasure and expense

TOTAL ROOM RESERVATION AND PAYMENT PAYABLE TO VVA CHAPTER 20 MUST BE IN TO VVA CHAPTER 20, P.O. Box 12580, Rochester, NY 14612, BY AUGUST 1, 2007. All names going must be listed for each room and given to Dick Oleksyn with reservation.

If any seats/rooms remain available, August 2-September 30, 2007, all others will be free to reserve seats. Vietnam veterans will have first choice.

As soon as possible, give Dick Oleksyn, 585-663-5255 or roleksyn@yahoo.com, your names for the reservation list—first come, first served. Let’s all make this a wonderful happening. Together then, together now.
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Vietnam Veterans Memorial at Highland Park:
www.vietnamveterans.org

Operation Welcome Home:
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www.nyvietnamvets.org

Region 2 Director:
www.region2vva.com

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Vet Center: 232-5040
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Nat’l Lge. of Fam. MIA/POW Updates: 202-223-6846
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The Resource Center: 546-4250
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