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PUBLICATION: JULY - AUGUST 2022 (Have a Safe summer & NO meetings)

July	26	2 pm	Tribute For Fallen Soldiers Ride-VMC, at VMC's Location
	27	2 pm	National Korean War Veterans Armistice Day
August	1	8:30am	HAV at Zaloga American Legion Post 1520 = Ronald Smith, US Army
	7		Purple Heart Day
	8	8:30am	HADV for Renss. Cty. at Troy's LOB (DMV Bldg.) = Samuel Abate, US Navy
	14	Noon	CHINA BEACH
	16	10:30 am	TCCVEV's Board Mtg at Catherine Street's Office
	17	Noon	Labor Dept.'s Annual "Hot Dog" Event for TCCVEV at NYS Campus Building 12
	17	Open-Close and at 2 pm	Altamont Fair's Armed Forces Day - Veterans attend FREE (Wednesday ONLY)
	17		Military Presentation at the STAGE
	27	5:30	Blue Jean Ball at Zaloga Post 1520
September	5		LABOR DAY
	6	8:30am	HAV at Zaloga American Legion Post 1520 = Henry Rosenzweig, US Army
	6	7 pm	TCCVEV's General Mtg, first one since June - at Zaloga Am Legion Post 1520
	11		Patriot Day
	12	8:30	HADV for Renss. Cty. at Troy's LOB (DMV Bldg.) = Dale "Dick" French, US Army
	18		Air Force Birthday
	16	5:30 pm	40th Annv Dinner-Century House (MUST PAY IN ADVANCE - NO PAYING at the door)
	20	10:30 am	TCCVEV's Board Mtg at Catherine Street's Office
	25		Gold Star Mothers and Family DAY
October	3		HAV, location TBD for Constantine Koutsakis, US Navy
	4	7 pm	TCCVEV's General Mtg, first one since June - at Zaloga Am Legion Post 1520
	9	Noon	Please Remember Me's 1st Annual "Walk of Honor" at "The Crossings of Colonie"
	10		Christopher Columbus Day
	11	8:30am	HADV for Renss. Cty. at Troy's LOB (DMV Bldg.) - Honoree = TBD
	13		Navy Birthday
	18	10:30 am	TCCVEV's Board Mtg at Catherine Street's Office

PRESIDENT Joe Pollicino's Column: Remember, (1) China Beach is our Primary Fundraiser - if, anyone would like to help TCCVEV sell China Beach tickets at work, organizations you belong to or even your friends & family, CALL Darlene Stanton at (518) 470-7310 or Al Diacetis (518) 466-8771...WE appreciate your help. (2) on Wednesday, August 17th, our 2nd important Fundraiser, the Annual NOON "Hot Dog" Lunch Event, at Labor Dept.'s Bldg. 12, NYS Campus & (3) for our 40th Anniversary Dinner (at Latham's Century House) on FRIDAY, September 16th; when paying, please, enter in "Memo": (Annv. Dinner). The DEADLINE is September 1st. Please, SEND your payments to: TCCVEV, P.O. Box 11100; Albany, NY 12211.

Chaplain's Column

by

Rev. Charlene "Char" Robbins GSM

"Heavenly Father, help us to walk in the Light, as you are the Light. So incline us as You are Perfect Law to perfect our laws, and as You are Love, so inspire us to cultivate Love to the end that we may be good citizens of our beloved country and bring blessings to our fellow Americans." AMEN



TAPS: Our sympathy to ALL families that have experienced the passing of loved ones. May God Bless all.

China Beach LZ-29

For Tickets Call
Darlene - (518) 470-7310
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To benefit returning Veterans & Veterans of all eras and their families
Drawing held Sunday - August 14, 2022 at the Polish American Citizens Club of America
 110 Commerce Avenue, Albany, New York - 12 Noon - 5 PM (Rain or Shine)
 Tickets \$25.00, (kids 6-12) \$13.00, Kids 5 and under free (includes food and beverages).
 Food Served from 1pm to 4pm
\$10.00 Per Raffle Ticket - Only 4,000 Tickets Available
1st Prize - \$5,000.00 2nd Prize \$2,500.00 5-3rd Prizes \$500.00 ea.

Membership News: 40 PAID Members for 2022 (New = Tracy Dushoff & Col. Christine Rahm). Also, 188 Life Members. Membership is opened to Vietnam Era Veterans (1 May 1957 - 7 May 1975).

ALSO, anyone who served SINCE, 7 May 1975 or is still serving on Active Duty in the US Military.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS are **NOT** Required to have Served in the Military

CIRCLE ONE: NEW RENEWAL ASSOCIATE LIFE MEMBERSHIP \$150

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE (Home) _____ (Work) _____ DATE _____

Branch & Period of Service _____

Military Unit Served With _____

MOS (Military Occupational Specialty) _____

Date & Type of Discharge (Include DD214) _____

Referred By _____

COMMENTS _____

Email Address _____

Complete & mail the above application; with your **DD214**..... (NOT for Associate Mebrs) & your \$15 or \$150 ck, to:
TCCVEV, P.O. Box 11100, Albany, NY 12211 *God Bless America!* **Remember OUR Veteran!**

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