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First Edition
First Capitol Det.
York, Pennsylvania



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of York County, PA**
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The next **scheduled** meeting of 1st Capitol Detachment is **1930 Wednesday, 12 August** at Shiloh American Legion Post #791, 1490 Poplars Road, York, Pennsylvania. **Items for publication** should be submitted in writing to the editor at P.O. Box 7313, York, PA 17404; or by email to mcl521.yorkpa@gmail.com.

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Commandant's Report

Commandant Matthew Corwin

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What an amazing Detachment we have, so proud to be your Commandant. It takes a family and a village to do what we do. Congrats to the award winners and scholarship winners.

We are having a Detachment Picnic on Aug 29th with the Dallastown JROTC and Dallastown American Legion and Aux, this is to say goodbye to Major White as the JROTC SMI and Welcome 1st Sgt Buch as the new SMI. Thanks to Wes for spearheading this, but he needs some assistance, if interested contact Wes Iler. (See page)



Outstanding Job to Jimmy Fissel and Alex Daoularis for last year's ticket sales. This effort needs to be more than just two people. Carol and I will be getting 500 tickets and setting up our own sale locations. I encourage everyone to at least sell tickets with Jimmy and Alex one time or more. If you have a favorite location, like Carol and I at Tractor Supply, set up your own opportunity. We cannot extend our budget by giving without more ticket sales or more fundraising. If you have a fund-raising idea, present it and lead it.

Now is the time we need to start preparing for next year. Leadership growth and fundraising opportunities, this starts with everyone's involvement. I see the same people at the meetings doing everything. If you can't make the meetings try getting involved in the York Fair Events and our Picnic, the more the better!

SCHOLARSHIPS!

We are succeeding with Scholarships. 3, Detachment and Department scholarships with 3 at National waiting for approval. With this success, I'd like to plant the seed for an increase in next year's budget for scholarships to \$1,500. Congrats to this year's awardees Addison Reustle, Nickolas Snyder, and Kennedy Snyder. Thanks to Addison Reustle for attending our meeting and being presented her award.





Dept. Awards

Congratulations to **Erika Garcia**, selected as **Department of Pennsylvania Associate Member of the Year** at the 2026 Convention.



First Capitol took **FIRST PLACE** in many categories of Department annual awards: **Membership, VVS, Website, Facebook, Newsletter, Toys for Tots and Matthew Corwin for Recruiting!**



Upcoming Detachment (& other) Activities

- July 24 - Aug 2** Fundraising & Outreach at **York State Fair** (p.4)
- Aug 1** **MC Ball Reservations** open to members (insert)
- Aug 1** **Sgt. Denig Remembrance @ Prospect Hill** (p.6)
- Aug 1** **Cpl. Pete Arnold Det. Picnic** (p. 15)
- Aug 2** **Downtown's Birthday @ WellSpan Park** (p. 12)
- Aug 9-15** **MCL National Convention** (p. 6)
- Aug 12** **Detachment Meeting @ 7:30**
MC Ball Committee meets about 6:45 (p. 8)
- Aug 29** **First Capitol Det. Picnic w/JROTC** (p. 5)

Jr. Vice Commandant

Alex Dauolaris, JVC
alexjarhead@gmail.com
Jim Fissel, Past JVC
717-846-3943

First Capitol thanks everyone who helped with last year's Veteran & Youth ticket sales - which netted us \$3,900!

We are already out and about with 2027 tickets. We have sold out of **2027 Daily Number Calendars**, but have reached out to the Department for more. Please join us at the locations below!

2027 Raffle Ticket Sales & Outreach

July 17-18 Markets @ Shrewsbury (9a-3p)
July 24-Aug 2 York State Fair (see below)
Aug 4 **National Night Out** @ Sunset Lane Park (5-8pm) (p. 19)
Aug 7-8 Saubel's Market, East York (9a-3p)
Sep 4-5 Saubel's Market, East York (9a-3p)
Sep 5 York County Veterans Outreach Car Show
Sep 26 Shiloh Legion Riders Car Show
Oct 31-Nov 1 York Gun & Knife Show - York Expo Center
Sat 9a-5p Sun 9a-3p

This schedule subject to change



All are invited to participate in one of our largest outreach & fundraising activities of the year: The **2026 York State Fair** - July 24-August 2. **Adjutant Erika Garcia** is taking point on this activity to schedule participants. Please contact her promptly so that we can arrange for the necessary passes. (717-654-5646 or engarcia86@gmail.com) We have a particular need over the weekends. It's a great opportunity to get ourselves out in the community. Look for us in the **Hall of Heroes** for the duration of the event.

First Capitol Color Guard

Commander Matthew Corwin
mccorwinmcl@comcast.net
856-906-0007

Aug 19th York Revolution - we are presenting the Colors for **Salute to Service**

night. Reach out to the Revs to get **free tickets** and let's wear red!

We'll also have outreach tables for the Detachment, Toys for Tots *and* Veterans Lake Fishing.

Sept 13 Court of Valor @ Prospect Hill we need folks for escorts. Red Blazer is preferred but red polo will suffice.

Sept 16th Color Guard for York County Outreach Golf Tournament

DETACHMENT PICNIC

JA Wes Iler is on point for planning a picnic on **Saturday, August 29** at **Lions Park in Dallastown**. Contact him to help!

The event will help kick off the academic year for the USMC JROTC and welcome **Christopher Buch** as the new **SMI**.

Additionally, he would like to know how many folks to plan for. Please reach out to him if you expect to be able to attend

Contact Wes at **717-415-1849** or wesleyiler@yahoo.com

Paymaster's Report

Dave Brady, Paymaster
mcl521.yorkpa@gmail.com

Thank you to all who have already responded to our 2027 dues notice! If you haven't, please return by 31 August and YES, we can accept online payments!

You may want to consider going LIFE! **LIFE member-**

ships are available to Regular **and** Associate members. The amount depends on your age, as shown. And, yes, you **must** also pay the \$30 Annual Dues for the current year.

LIFE MEMBER RATES

\$1000.00 – 35 years of age and lower
\$ 800.00 – 36-50 years of age
\$ 600.00 – 51-64 years of age
\$ 400.00 – 65-84 years of age
\$ 100.00 – 85 years of age and higher

DONATIONS APPROVED IN 2026

\$100 to **York County Veterans Outreach** - car show sponsorship
FYI - The Car Show has been **RESCHEDULED** for Saturday, September 5!
\$500 to **Veterans Lake Fishing** - Event and Activity support
\$750 to **Four Chaplains Memorial of York County** - Prayer Breakfast
\$100 to **West York Area HS NJROTC** - Support for unit guidon
\$100 to **Gold Star Garden** - Support for Memorial Day 5K+
\$500 to **Toys for Tots** - Golf Balls for YCVO Tournament (warehouse)
\$150 to **YCVO Golf Tournament** - Hole Sponsorship
\$150 to **Etters VFW Golf Tournament** - Hole Sponsorship
\$500 to **Shiloh American Legion** to support Military Share (from VVS)
\$500 to **Hearts4Veterans** to support Military Share (from VVS)
\$100 to **Indiantown Gap National Cemetery Memorial Council**
\$150 to **Prospect Hill Cemetery** - Court of Valor sponsorship.

DONATION REQUESTS (Ref: FCD AP#1): Requests for monetary donations from FCD shall be communicated to the Commandant by the first day of the month. Provide name, address, and valid EIN of the non-profit organization. Requests for emergency expenditures will be considered on a case-by-case basis and are not subject to AP#1.

MARINES REMEMBERING MARINES

Saturday, August 1 we will honor **Sgt. J. Henry Denig**, a recipient of the Medal of Honor for action during the **Battle of Mobile Bay** August 5, 1864. The York native is interred at Prospect Hill Cemetery, 700 North George Street. The ceremony will be held graveside beginning at 10am, with the assistance of the **Color Guard** from the **79th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry**. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend. If we experience **steady** rain, the event will not be held.

York County Veterans Honor Guard

The participation by Detachment members in the **York County Veterans Honor Guard** earns us VVS points. Thank you for continuing your service!

The Honor Guard turned out for 18 details in June and members of 1st Capitol Detachment participated in many of those details:

Mike Davila (14); Spencer Lynch (12); Dave Brady (11); Phil Frigm (3); Roger Miller (1) & Matthew Corwin (1)

This service to all Veterans cannot happen without those willing to volunteer their time. No one is expected to turn out for every detail. Uniforms are provided for all members along with a mileage reimbursement. Contact those mentioned for info and see

<https://veteranshonorguardyorkpa.com/>

Veterans in Voluntary Service (V V S)

PLEASE submit your monthly VVS hours to **Carol Corwin** (mccorwinmcl@comcast.net) at least one week before the next Detachment meeting. As a member of this Detachment, your time in volunteer service performed in direct support of any veteran, is certainly appreciated, but is also a credit to this Detachment and reported accordingly to the Department of PA, MCL. Submit each member's name, activity (eg. Military Share, Canine Six, etc.), and number of hours/month.

UPCOMING GATHERINGS

2026 National Convention at Wyndham Indianapolis Airport Hotel August 10-14. Details are at <https://www.mcleaguelibrary.org/convention/>. That same link takes you to **33 proposed amendments** to the National Bylaws and Administrative Procedures.



Yvette Wertz, 2026 LCO Chair
Dave Brady, Vice Chair

THANK YOU

To all who turned out to make quick work of our warehouse relocation! We had enough determined folks that allowed us to complete the job in just two days. A follow-up work party is planned for July 14 at 701 Hay Street (at Mulberry). All are welcome to lend a hand!

Yvette: 717-424-4080 Dave 717-600-6329

york.pa@toysfortots.org

<http://york-pa.toysfortots.org>

<https://www.facebook.com/yorkpatoysfortots>

<https://www.instagram.com/toysfortotsyorkpa/>

First Capitol Detachment and CommunityAid are Partners!

The Detachment, its members, family and friends may donate appropriate items using our Partner Number (**50300**) for credit to the Detachment, which will support our Toys for Tots activity! We get **11 cents per pound!** The approved items list was updated on July 1 - MORE items are being accepted. Get the updated list at this link:

<https://shorturl.at/038Ke>

PARTNERSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT

The graphic features the CommunityAid logo (three hands in red, green, and blue) with the tagline "NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS". To its right is a blue ampersand (&). Further right are two circular seals: the "1ST CAPITOL DETACHMENT" seal (established Sept. 30th, 1982) and the "MARINE CORPS LEADS" seal. Below these is the text "USE OUR PARTNER NUMBER WHEN YOU DROP OFF DONATIONS AT THE DOOR:". At the bottom center is a white hand icon with radiating lines. To the right of the hand is a large black box containing the number "50300" in white. At the bottom left, it says "NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS TOGETHER". At the bottom right, it says "LEARN MORE AT COMMUNITYAID.ORG/PARTNERS".

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2001 Springwood Road
York, PA 17403
(717) 412-7706

HANOVER
793 Baltimore Street
Hanover, PA 17331
(717) 412-7706

2026 Birthday Ball

Todd & Marie Hyson
tchyson@gmail.com
Cell phone: (717) 650-7835

Planning is well underway for this year's Marine Corps Birthday Ball, which will be held on **Saturday, November 14, 2026**, at Heritage Hills Resort. As we celebrate the 251st Birthday of the United States Marine Corps, we look forward to an evening of camaraderie, tradition, and honoring the legacy of Marines past and present.



We are pleased to announce that our Guest of Honor this year will be **1st Sgt Christopher Buch**. His participation will help make this year's celebration especially memorable.

Ticket sales will open to Detachment members and their guests on **August 1**, with sales opening to the general public on **September 1**. Ticket prices are **\$60** for adults and **\$35** for students.

We strongly encourage Detachment members to take advantage of the early purchase opportunity. The Birthday Ball has sold out each of the past two years, and once tickets are gone, we cannot guarantee additional seating. The member pre-sale period is intended to ensure that our Marines, Associate Members, and their guests have the first opportunity to attend this special event before tickets become available to the public. If you plan to attend, don't wait until the last minute—secure your tickets early and avoid the disappointment of being shut out.

The next Ball Committee meeting will be held on **August 12 at 1845**. Anyone interested in helping plan and execute this important event is encouraged to attend. New volunteers are always welcome, and there is still plenty of work to be done as we prepare for another outstanding celebration.

As we look ahead, we will also be seeking a volunteer to assume the role of Ball Committee Chairman for next year's celebration (11/6/2027). This is an excellent opportunity to help preserve one of our Detachment's most important traditions and ensure its continued success. Those interested should contact Commandant Corwin or either of this year's co-chairs for additional information.

We hope to see everyone on November 14 as we gather to celebrate 251 years of Marine Corps history, service, and tradition. If the past two years are any indication, tickets will move quickly—so don't delay in reserving your place at this year's Ball.

Semper Fidelis.

Todd and Marie Hyson

Marine Corps Birthday Ball Committee Chair

LINK TO ROOM RESERVATIONS - <https://rb.gy/fvwhzm>

MARKSMANSHIP!

Devin Fink, Commander
717-688-9343

fink.b.devin@outlook.com

“Message from Coach’: The Precision Mindset”

Every Trained Shooter knows that marksmanship isn’t just a skill - it’s a mindset. The target never lies. It reflects your focus, your discipline, and the choices you make in the seconds before the shot breaks. That’s why the strongest shooters aren’t the ones with the steadiest hands, but the ones with the clearest minds - Devin

Upcoming Opportunities*

Training & Workshops

- **Skill Development Session:** TBD
- **Safety & Equipment Refresher:** Recommended for all members. Working on dates now, so kindly reach out if interested. Devin 717 688 9343

Looking for shooting ranges for Marksmanship training – Currently have members a part of the **York Rifle range, FOP, Dillsburg Range, Littlestown Fish and Game.** More diverse locations can create more opportunities for the detachment, as not everyone is necessarily local to these ranges.

FIND ADDITIONAL MATCH INFORMATION AT

Competitions & Events

<https://pamcleague.com/marksmanship/>

Local Match:

September 12th PISTOL SHOOT @ FOP

October 24th RIFLE SHOOT @ York Rifle Range (DATE has been requested, Pending Approval)

Volunteer Opportunities: Range set up, scoring, support roles, Range Safety Officers, and recruitment of new members. **We can't do this alone!**

Marksmanship Committee Members* ***Devin Fink** ***Randy Wildasin** ***Matthew Wonders** ***James Schrieber**

NOTE: We’re looking for **two motivated shooters** to join our Detachment’s marksmanship committee. We’re building a roster that brings **experience, diversity, and long-term growth**, and we want teammates who are ready to train, compete, and represent our unit with pride.

Looking Ahead*

Upcoming: Working on establishing some Shooters Training dates for those interested, in the meantime, while working out the match schedule, to brush up on critical safety practices and marksmanship skills.

Point of Contact*

(P) Devin Fink (717) 688-9343 Fink.b.devin@outlook.com

(A) Randy Wildasin (717) 433-3568 camillapug2@comcast.net

MARINE OF THE YEAR Nominations

A tradition at our annual Birthday Ball is recognition of the Marine of the Year. Nominations are due NOW. Here's what you do:

All nominations must be submitted **in writing** to the Marine of the Year committee, by way of the Commandant no later than the end of the **SEPTEMBER** Detachment meeting. Nominations may not be submitted anonymously, i.e. **the nomination letter must be signed.**

Put the written nomination in an envelope and seal it. Address that envelope to the Marine of the Year Committee. Put the first envelope inside a second envelope which may be hand-delivered to the Commandant by the end of the **SEPTEMBER** meeting, or sent by mail. If sent by USMail, please note that the nomination must be in the hands of the Commandant by the end of the **September** meeting. Here's the address (**be sure you put ALL of this on the envelope**):

Marine of the Year Committee
c/o Commandant Matthew Corwin
1st Capitol Detachment, MCL
P.O. Box 7313
York, PA 17404

ASSOCIATE OF THE YEAR Nominations

Beginning in 2019, the Detachment began recognizing the participants of non-Marine members with a similar award. Nominations are now being accepted in the same manner as the Marine of the Year:

All nominations must be submitted **in writing** to the Associate of the Year committee, by way of the Commandant no later than the end of the **SEPTEMBER** Detachment meeting. Nominations may not be submitted anonymously, i.e. **the nomination letter must be signed.**

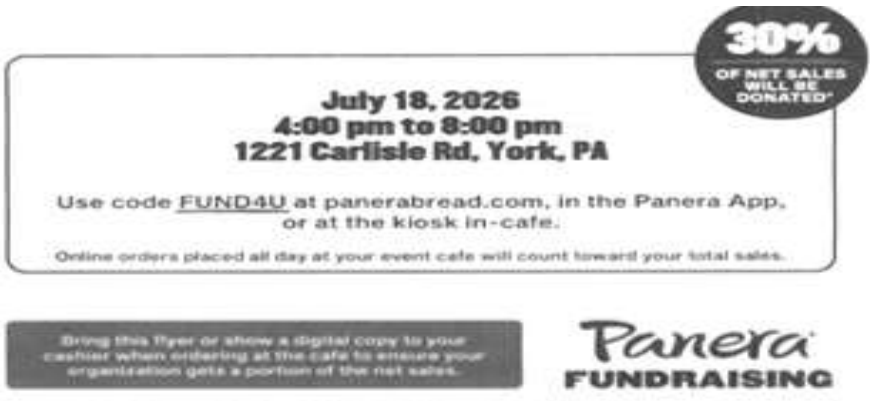
Put the written nomination in an envelope and seal it. Address that envelope to the Associate of the Year Committee. Put the first envelope inside a second envelope which may be hand-delivered to the Commandant by the end of the **SEPTEMBER** meeting, or sent by mail. If sent by US-Mail, please note that the nomination must be in the hands of the Commandant by the end of the **September** meeting. Here's the address (**be sure you put ALL of this on the envelope**):

Associate of the Year Committee
c/o Commandant Matthew Corwin
1st Capitol Detachment, MCL
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York, PA 17404

The **MARINE & ASSOCIATE OF THE YEAR SOCIETIES** (past recipients) will meet following the **September** Detachment meeting to select the respective recipients for 2026.

Veterans Lake Fishing

See the enclosed flyer (on the back of the MCBall reservation) for information on the **2ND ANNUAL VETERANS FUN in the SUN DAY on AUGUST 30**. Additionally, all are invited to a fundraiser on Saturday July 18 at Panera Bread:



Deadline for Next Issue Items to be included in the next issue are to be submitted no later than NOON **15 August**, the Saturday after the Detachment meeting. Send your items by Email (preferred) to mcl521.yorkpa@gmail.com -- or by snail mail (if you must) to P.O. Box 7313, York, PA 17404. **You may also use this email address to report errors and omissions! Thank you!**

York County Veterans Assistance

The York County Office of Veterans Affairs is available to offer assistance to ALL veterans in York County. Call 717-771-9218 or email yorkvet@yorkcountypa.gov

The Office is at **2401 Pleasant Valley Road in East York** (off Whiteford Road near York Toyota) with lots of free parking!

Find more information through **York County Veterans Outreach** at <https://www.yocoveteransoutreach.org/>

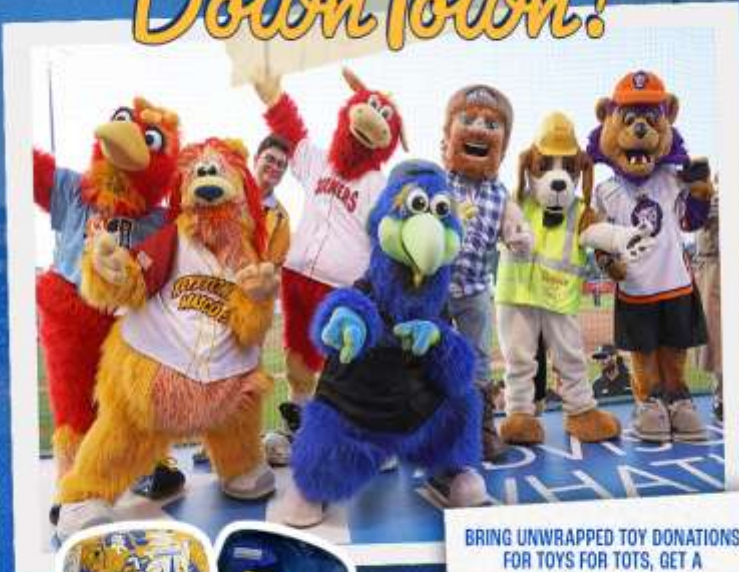
Are you confused when and why folks put their flags at half-staff? Get the straight scoop from the American Legion by texting the word 'flag' to **35893** That will put you on an alert list and you will be notified by text each time the **President** issues a half-staff proclamation. Don't want a text? Get an email by subscribing at <https://www.legion.org/flag/notification>





SUNDAY, AUGUST 2

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Many of you are receiving the weekly First Capitol Update via email. If you are not, please reach out, via email, and we'll try to fix that. Perhaps the message is going into your SPAM folder? Or, we may have an old or incorrect address. Contact us, as always, at mcl521.yorkpa@gmail.com

MilitaryShare

YORK COUNTY FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM *a Fresh Express Program*

This program provides food security assistance to veterans and their families. **Any veteran** is eligible for aid in this program administered by the Central Pennsylvania Food Bank. Among the programs in York/Adams County:

2nd Tuesday at **Hampton Fire Co.** 5371 Carlisle Pike, New Oxford; sponsored by **Roots for Boots** (call 717-316-0155).

4th Tuesday at York Vets Helping Hand 412 West King Street (call 717-900-4742).

4th Thursday at Shiloh Legion, 1890 Poplars Road, administered by the **Auxiliary** of the **Shiloh Legion** (call 717-586-6526).

4th Tuesday at Church of the Open Door 4075 East Market St. a service of **Hearts 4 Veterans** (call 484-894-3724).

VOLUNTEERS are needed to make this happen. Report time at East York is 7:30am (distribution 10a-1p); [You are asked to call ahead if you intend to turn out at East York.] Report time at Shiloh is about 11:15a (distribution 2-4pm).

This month's distribution at Shiloh is on July 23.

This month's distribution at COD is on July 28.



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THE DEVIL STOOD AT ATTENTION...



VET★FEST

VetFest 2026 is our largest outreach event of the year! This is a family friendly event for Veterans and their children loaded with activities for everyone! Representatives from the Veterans Benefit Administration and the National Cemetery Association, as well as, our own enrollment and eligibility staff will be available to assist Veterans. Tours of the facility and information on VA services and other benefits will be provided. Community partners and Veteran-owned businesses will also be on-site.

Planned events include:

- Kids Klub with games and events
- Displays of Military Helicopters
- Food trucks
- Car show
- Job fair
- Health fair
- Craft fair
- Live music and entertainment
- Enrollment opportunities for Veterans not receiving VA care
- And much more!



Saturday, August 8,
2026

11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

VA Lebanon Main Campus
1700 South Lincoln Ave.
Lebanon, PA 17042

VA



U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
Veterans Health Administration
Sik Lebanon Health Practice System

Uniform EXCHANGE

Ken Welsh, Quartermaster
flintlock1969@gmail.com

First Capitol's **Uniform Exchange** has outgrown this space. Find it on the Detachment website <https://marinesofyorkpa.org/>
RECENTLY UPDATED!



Marine Corps League PICNIC

**ALL Marines & FMF Navy
Personnel Invited**
Associates, too!
1300-1700

1 August 2026



Cost: FREE

HOSTED BY:

Cpl Pete Arnold Detachment 1198

Location: Jarrettsville VFW Post 8672

1714 Morse Rd. Forest Hill, MD 21050

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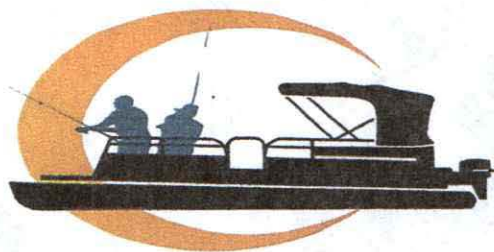
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National Night Out is an outreach and fundraising event! Contact the JVC or Paymaster if you can be there!



VETERANS LAKE FISHING

2ND ANNUAL VETERANS FUN IN THE SUN
Sunday August 30, 2026 – 10:00AM – 4:00PM

Veterans and their families are invited to come out to Lake Marburg (Codorus State Park) in Hanover and enjoy a day in the sun!
FREE FOOD, GAMES, PRIZES, LOTS OF FUN

Map on reverse side
Pavilion
#3– Bandshell

*SORRY BUT DUE TO INSURANCE RESTRICTIONS, WE WILL NOT BE
BOATING OR FISHING AT THIS EVENT*

Games

50/50 Drawings

Raffle Drawings

Alcohol not permitted

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Call 717-659-4630

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York Vet Network

Other Charities



Veterans Lake Fishing is a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that has been proudly serving veterans and their families since 2020. Our mission is to provide veterans with the opportunity to relax, reconnect, and enjoy fishing or sightseeing on beautiful Marburg Lake—at no cost to them.

Our programs are completely free and designed to promote relaxation, camaraderie, and the sharing of fishing skills among veterans. All necessary equipment is provided, including fishing rods, bait, lures, drinks, snacks, sunscreen, and access to restrooms located throughout the lake area. Life jackets for both adults and children are also available with advance notice so appropriate sizes can be provided.

Veterans can choose from a variety of vessels based on comfort and experience level, including a pontoon boat, a Tracker bass boat, and kayaks. Accommodations can be made to assist individuals of all skill levels, ensuring a safe, enjoyable, and memorable experience on the lake.

Please note that a valid fishing license is required for those who wish to fish.



For details or to get involved, scan the QR code or visit www.veteranslakefishing.org. To participate, call **717-659-4630** or use the email contact listed on the website. Please also follow us on Facebook at **Veterans Lake Fishing**. Monetary donations may be mailed to **Veterans Lake Fishing, P.O. Box 101, Dover, PA 17315**. Equipment donations are welcome, and pickup arrangements can be coordinated upon request.

Veterans Lake Fishing is a member of the **York Vet Network** and can assist veterans by connecting them with county resources and support services.



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Address Service Requested

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8/26

Join Us at the York State Fair!