

Treasurer's Financial report for Dec. 31, 2022: *Any unsolicited donations out there?*

Bank Ending Balance: **\$ 20,164.87** ****Looking Good on funds folks. ****

Ending Balance CD Account: \$ 5,841.62 Looking Good on funds folks.

Number	Date	Description of	C L R	Debit (-)	Credit (+)	Balance
						\$19,934.65
Deposit	12/1/22	Robert Covington Donation	C		\$ 200.00	20,134.65
Deposit	12/5/22	William "Billy" Smith Donation	C		\$ 500.00	\$ 20,634.65
Deposit	12/8/22	Frank Moore 100 Donation & Barbara Erwin in 25 in memory of William "Bill" Wall	C		\$ 125.00	20,759.65
Deposit	12/12/22	Gene Ray Donaton	C		\$ 2,105.00	\$ 22,864.65
Auto	12/12/22	Valdese Water Bill	C	\$ 36.65		22,828.00
2274	12/12/22	Timberwoods - Christmas dinner	C	\$ 895.95		\$ 21,932.05
Credit Card	12/12/22	Capital One: 141.95 Spectrum 77.97/Sirius 23.32/DAV 132.05/Credit 91.39	C	\$ 141.95		21,790.10
2273	12/14/22	Bumgarner Oil Co	C	\$ 1,464.08		\$ 20,326.02
Notice	12/14/22	Safety deposit box rent next month \$30.00	C	\$ -	\$ -	20,326.02
Deposit	12/19/22	J Cline 300/Tropeano 100/Phil Smith 120/D.Buff 80/Bpollard 10/C.Davis 40	C		\$ 650.00	\$ 20,976.02
Deposit	12/21/22	K.Draughn in honor of Phil Smith	C		\$ 30.00	21,006.02
Bank	12/21/22	Service Charges	C	\$ 4.00		\$ 21,002.02
Credit Card	12/23/22	Capital One: 1169.83: 1087.86 Paramount repair & 81.97 gas	C	\$ 1,169.83		19,832.19
Auto	12/29/22	Electric Bill - Rutherford EMC	C	\$ 107.32		\$ 19,724.87
2275	12/30/22	DAV /Fidelis Tropeano 100 / Charles Davis 40/ Johnny Cline 300	C		\$ 440.00	20,164.87

Balance of CD Account

Number	Date	Description of	C L R	Debit (-)	Credit (+)	Balance
						\$5,841.62

Legislative Report: These representatives are the ones who we write to or call-in hopes of getting support.

<p>Senator Thom Tillis 113 Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510 Phone: (202) 224-6342 https://www.tillis.senate.gov/public/index.cfm/email-me</p>	<p>Senator Ted Budd PO Box 97127 Raleigh, NC 27624 Phone: (202) 224-3154 Home - Senator Budd (senate.gov)</p>	<p>Representative Patrick McHenry Post Office Box 1830 Hickory, NC 28603 Phone: (828) 327-6100 Phone: (800) 477-2576- https://mchenry.house.gov/</p>
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JOBS A DAV CHAPTER #43 MEMBER COULD HELP WITH:

Driver Coordinator: A person who will be the central focal point for trips to Oteen and Hickory and schedule Drivers to take the trips as they come up. Riders would call with scheduled appointments with the VA. You verify the appointment, find the driver, and then you are done.

Kitchen Helpers: Second pair of hands can make lighter work. You would need to show up a little bit earlier to assist with this task. Anyone interested see Terri Capitano? You can earn a lot of LVAP credits for this.

Drivers Needed: A person who can transport Veteran's to Oteen and Hickory for their Appointments.

Yard Sale Helpers: Need help preparing, executing the yard sale, and to assist with the cleanup and pack-up afterwards.

Historian: Someone to keep files for the history of the Chapter. Gathering and condensing information.

Chapter/Unsolicited Donations: Items needed: Yard Sale Donations. NOTE: * If for whatever reason, whatever the cause, maybe as a memorial for a departed loved one, you can always donate to our chapter by mailing a check made out to “DAV Chapter #43”, PO Box 572, Morganton, NC 28680-0572. You will receive recognition in our newsletter (this one) and a thank you letter from the Treasurer should follow quickly unless you ask us not to. We have been working hard improving our infrastructure and shall continue to do so. Give what you can as it all goes to the Chapter expenses. Our next main goal is to put in the pipe by the road and then plant bushes there.

LVAP Hours for December 2022:

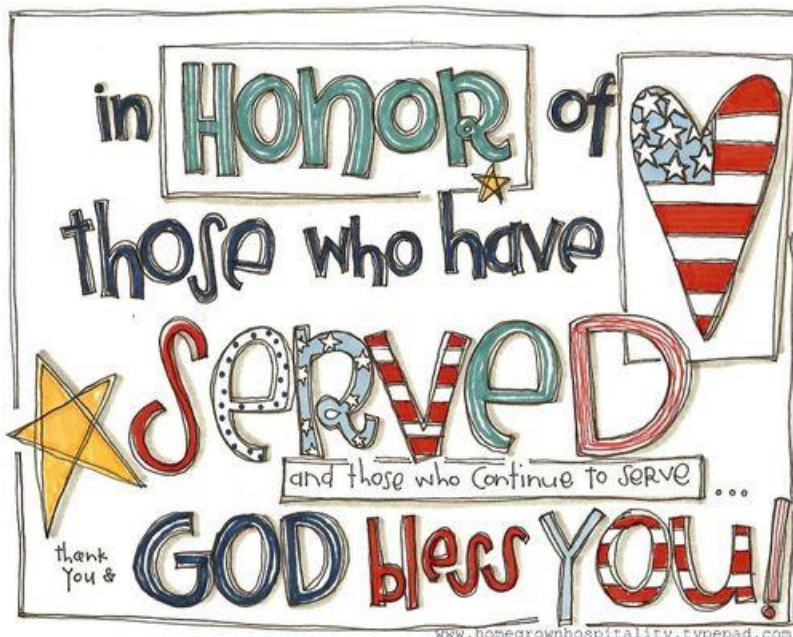
Special thanks to **Terry and Vince Capitano, and Judy Elkins**, for last Month’s dinner and tonight Salisbury Steak mash potatoes veggies dinner. Thanks to our Building Manager: **Ken Bolick for his outstanding support building maintenance** and the Auxiliary for your support at the DAV meeting and Saturday coffee calls. If you know of a Veteran who needs a spiritual visit please notify **James Howell, 828-448-0182**. An incredibly special **THANK YOU** goes out to **Linda McIntosh** for the Saturday donuts and Coffee. Thank you for the service officers, **Dave Tubergen, John Widener, James Howell and Bobby Ledford**. Thanks to the comrades who come in on Saturday Mornings, Salute. Next project is the ditch, looking for donations. (**A copy of LVAP is available, see Adjutant**). Thanks to all the new member’s support

VA VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION:

<http://www.asheville.va.gov> Click on “Volunteer or Donate” Go to the “Volunteer Handbook” to read and then at the end there are forms to print and sign and a 2- page application to complete and sign. You can give the Signed Forms to Dave for the next trip to Oteen or you can scan the signed items and e-mail the work to Volunteer Services. All done on the computer these days.

Driving Summary

Month	Trips	Passengers
July 2022	20	23
Aug 2022	20	23
Sept 2022	30	41
Oct. 2022	22	22
Nov. 2022	18	24
Dec. 2022	21	26



DAV CHAPTER 43 PRAYER LIST

sickness and distress

Billy and Shelby Bryant, Mr. & Mrs. John Lefeber; Linda McIntosh; Ken & Jessie Bolick; Champ & Shirley Ray, Gary Ledford; Franklin D.R. Moore; Gene Ray; Bill Buster; Erika Dietrich; Donald Paff, John Alspaugh; Claude Huffman; Rex and Peggy Shuping; Martin Braswell; Margaret Saunders; Charlie & Robert E Miller; Donald Herman; Bill Smith; Ed Yoder, Billy Smith, Cristy Bost; Charleen McConnell; Jack and Maxine Carroll; Roy Ray Willis; Tommy Branch. Please keep these folks in your daily prayers, it works.

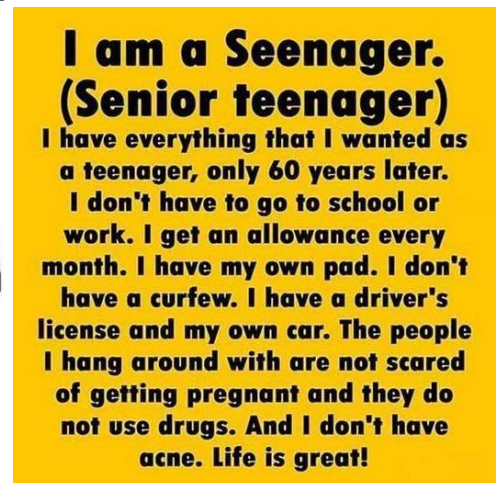
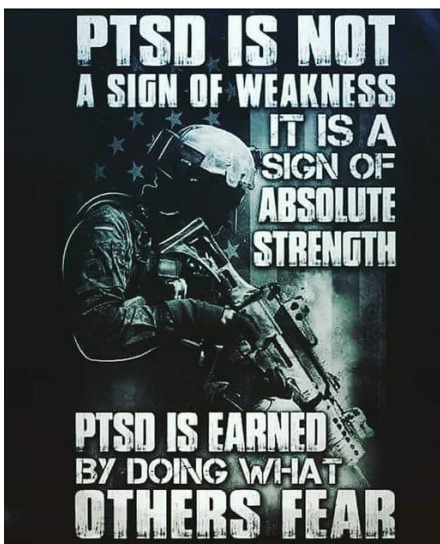
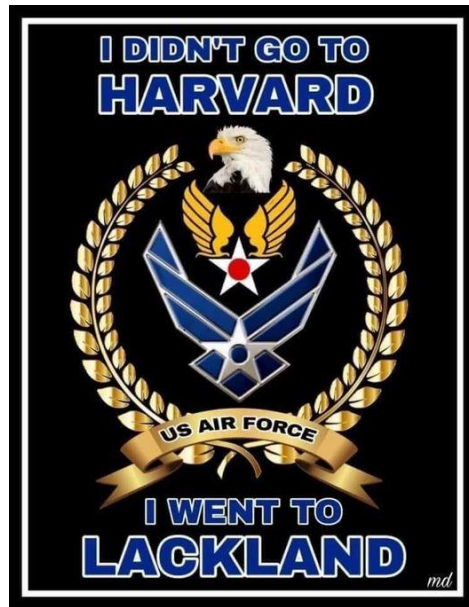
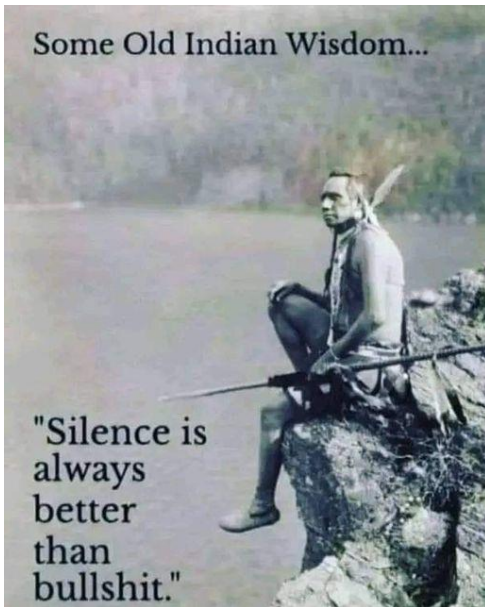
Call 1-844-724-7842
within 72 hours to
report Non-VA
Emergency or
Hospital
Admission

If you get a moment, please send an encouraging card to:

- *John Lefeber*, (*Autumn Care of Drexel*)307 Oakland Ave., Morganton, NC 28655
- *Frank Moore* 2601 Garden Hill Dr. #110 Raleigh NC 27614-6518
- *Billy & Shelby Bryant* PO Box 1 Drexel, NC, 28619
- *Erika Dietrich* 103 Glasbrook St Morganton, NC 28655-6922



Jan 1 - Lilly Gettys; Beth Herman; Jan 23 - Delores Gettys; Feb 6 – Terry Capitano



**DAV #43 – Best Chapter east of Raleigh and probably all of the state.
We challenge all chapters for Membership, we are 22 over goal.**

For Planning Purposes

Feb 02, 2023: Groundhog Day

Feb 14, 2023: Valentine's Day

Feb 21, 2023: BINGO at the CLC in Oteen, CANCELLED UFN

Feb 20, 2023: Presidents Day

Feb 23, 2023: Chapter #43 – 1700 Social / 1800 Dinner / 1900 Meeting / 2000 Going Home

Mar 12, 2023: Daylight Savings Time Begins

Mar 17, 2023: St Patrick's Day

Mar 20, 2023: Spring Begins

Mar 23, 2023: Chapter #43 – 1700 Social / 1800 Dinner / 1900 Meeting / 2000 Going Home

Apr 9, 2023: Easter

Apr 27, 2023: Chapter #43 – 1700 Social / 1800 Dinner / 1900 Meeting / 2000 Going Home

May 25, 2023: Chapter #43 – 1700 Social / 1800 Dinner / 1900 Meeting / 2000 Going Home

Jun 22, 2023: Chapter #43 – 1700 Social / 1800 Dinner / 1900 Meeting / 2000 Going Home

Important Contact Information:

DAV43 Chapter Commander Bobby Ledford: 828-292-5746

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DAV43 Chapter Junior Vice Commander- Vincent Capitano: 828-448-8789

DAV43 Chapter Adjutant John Widener: 828-640-5605

DAV43 Chapter Treasurer Dave Tubergen: 828-437-0177 or 828-475-9994

DAV43 Chapter Chaplain James Howell: 828-448-0182

DAVA Unit 43 Chaplain Karen Widener: 828-929-9255

NC Department Headquarters: 919-833-5567 or 1-888-432-8838

DAV National Service Officer: 336-631-5481 or fax: 336-724-2101

NC State Veterans Home, 62 Lake Eden Road, Black Mtn., Phone: 828-257-6800

Change Your Appointment: 828-298-7911 (option 3) 1-800-932-6408

Pharmacy Refill: 828-298-7911 (option 2) 1-800-932-6408

VA Benefits Office at Winston-Salem NC: (800) 827-1000

Primary Care 1 @ CGVAMC: 828-298-7911ext. 4422

Primary Care 3 @ CGVAMC: 828-298-7911 ext. 4442

DAV Office at Winston Salem NC (336) 631-5481



NEXT DAV & AUX. MEETING:

February 23, 2023, at the "Chapter #43 Service Center. Social hour starts at 1700hrs; Dinner will be served at 1800hrs; and with meetings to follow, about 1900hrs, meeting generally over by 2000hrs, and home by 2030hrs." If you cannot drive at night; come at least for a great dinner.

