

TO: DIANNE HENRY, COMMANDANT
DEPARTMENT OF PA

NATIONAL CEMETERY OF THE ALLEGHENIES – REPORT FOR JUNE 2025

MOMENTS OF REMEMBRANCE HELD THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH ALWAYS HAS A GOOD TURN OUT. THIS YEAR WE HONORED 352 VETERANS. OF THAT TOTAL 29 WERE MARINES.

11/11/24 – VETERANS DAY PROGRAM – KEYNOTE SPEAKER WAS COLONEL DOUGLAS A. STOUFFER, US AIR FORCE COMMANDER, 911TH AIRLIFT WING. EXCELLENT PROGRAM WITH GREAT ATTENDANCE.

03/28/25 NATIONAL VIETNAM WAR VETERANS DAY – RECOGNIZING ALL VIET NAM VETERANS IN ATTENDANCE. SADLY, NOT A VERY GOOD TURN OUT.

05/17/25 – BUGLES ACROSS AMERICA. PROGRAM WELL RECEIVED.

05/26/2025 – MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES – KEYNOTE SPEAKER WAS ROCKY BLEIER, FORMER PITTSBURGH STEELER AND VIETNAM VETERAN. WASHINGTON COUNTY DETACHMENT 1138 WAS THE HONOR GUARD. GREAT ATTENDANCE AND EXCELLENT PROGRAM

EXPANSION PROJECTS:

THE NORTH PORTION OF THE EXPANSION PROJECT IS NOW IN USE.

EXPANSION PROJECT FOR THE SOUTH SIDE OF CEMETERY IS SCHEDULED TO COMMENCE IN THE FALL OF 2026. THIS WILL ADD 14,220 GRAVESITES. INCLUDES 6,000 PRE-PLACED CRYPTS. 4,500 IN-GROUND CREMATIONS, 3,520 CREMATION NICHES AND 200 TRADITIONAL SITES.

TOTAL BURIALS AS OF 05/30/2025 – 28,373: FISCAL YEAR AS OF 5/30/2024 – 1,119

CASKET BURIALS 48% - CREMATION BURIALS 52%

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

SANDY YOUNG, LIAISON

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