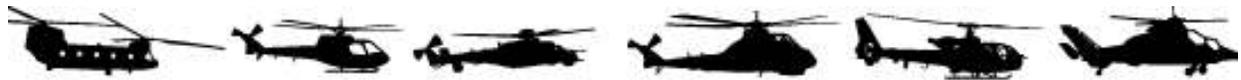


MUSEUM OF THE FORGOTTEN WARRIORS NEWSLETTER # FEBRUARY 2019



Hello, Everyone,

The month has passed quickly as usual, and we are almost into March. February at the museum was busy and fun. Saturday the 2nd was local Museum Day, and we were busy!

Thank you to everyone who has been a part of the crew on Saturdays and extra help on other days when needed. Lindhurst High School ROTC cadets spent Saturday the 9th working for us. If you want to see a picture, check out the website. The kids worked hard, and we appreciated their help. They also drank a lot of hot chocolate!

The new brochures were picked up and should last a long time. Last year was unusual, and we passed out a lot of them. They are a great way to spread the information about the museum.

My best friend, Denise Hawkins, (her husband is a Vietnam Vet) came to babysit me last weekend, and she had fun with all of the crew. Bert and Tony had a little jam session, and it was a fun day.

We are continuing to clean and organize the upstairs storeroom. Needless to say, Dann never said no to anything, and the stuff is in a tote somewhere, if not in a case. On a personal note, a lady came to the museum right after Dann died and wanted her husband's jacket. I am sure I gave her a blank stare, as I had absolutely no clue. We looked as best we could and just couldn't find it. I knew it was here somewhere but no idea where. Well, we found it in a tote in the storeroom! I called Ron Russel because he had her contact information and that very day we were able to return the jacket to her. That made me very happy. Dann knew all of the donations, where they were stored or displayed, and the story

behind them. I simply do not have Dann's knowledge but Ceder and I persevered and found her jacket. Yea!

This Saturday, March 2, we will gather again. If you don't have anything to do, come out and hang around. Our hours are still 9-2 p.m. until summer hours start the first Saturday in June.

Our next quarterly board meeting is March 9 at 9 a.m. in the library. We have some exciting events coming up in the next few months, and you will want to be a part of them. Bert is finishing up the second blade, when he can, and we aren't talking to him. The last scene will be the woman's statue from D.C. Thanks to Cory for a great print for Bert to work off of.

I don't know if you realize it, but we passed a year on 2-22. No more firsts . . .

For Dann,

Roberta