

Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter #920

November 2020

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Denton, TX

Meeting Information:

Date: Meet the 4th Tuesday of Each Month Location: 6900 FM 2153, Aubrey, TX 76227 Dinner: At – 6:00PM - Covid-19 guidelines Meeting Start Time: 6:45PM

Officers (2020-2021)

President:	Dan Washburn
Vice President:	Jerry Anderson
Secretary:	Eric Harmon
Treasurer:	Enrique Nater
Director:	Sharon Balsley
Director:	Larry Kellogg
Director:	Gary Raines

Committee Leads

Chaplains - Tom Silva and Bill Coburn Honor Guard - Alan Lessard Membership - Jerry Anderson Motor Pool Sergeant - Bill Roberson Newsletter Editor - Anita Washburn (AVVA) Public Affairs – Frenchy Rheault Quarter Master - Horst Poethke (AVVA) Sergeant at Arms - Randy Grizzle Scholarship – Lloyd Kinnison (AVVA) Steward – Leo Perez Support Services - Sharon Balsley Webmaster - Jim Polozeck

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VVA 920 donated Stuffed **Animals to the Denton County** Sheriff's Office 10-23-2020



"Never Again Will One Generation of Veterans Abandon Another"



Membership Update: (9-30-2020)

VVA-200 AVVA-24 Total-224

President's Corner

Members of Vietnam Veterans Chapter 920,

On October 27 we honored our Fallen Brothers. Also enjoyed a good, hot meal courtesy of Mom's. Thank you all for following the Covid guidelines during our activities. Our Honor Guard has been busy – Thank you for honoring our veterans.

VVA 920 Honor Guard will be at the Denton Courthouse on 11-11 11:00. Join us if you can. The City of Denton will hold a "virtual" Veterans Day ceremony.

We are planning a Stuffed Animal drive in December. Watch your email for details. Remember that we are "dark" in November and December due to our meeting dates falling within the Thanksgiving & Christmas weeks.

Wishing each of you a warm and happy Holiday season.

Thanks, Dan Washburn

VVA 920 President



Fallen Brothers ceremony 10-27-2020

VVA 920 Events

Watch your email for event updates due to Covid-19 restrictions.

November 2020 No Meetings December 2020 No Meetings Stuffed Animal drive - TBD

January 2021 Covid-19 Guidelines 11th – Honor Guard Practice 20th – VVA 920 Board Meeting 26th – VVA Stated Meeting

February 2021 Covid-19 Guidelines 8th – Honor Guard Practice 17th – VVA 920 Board Meeting 23rd – VVA Stated Meeting

Honor Guard Activities: Alan Lessard, SOG

Practice – 2nd Monday

Multiple Funeral requests each month

Contact Alan for Details on each event.

Honor Guard Activities:

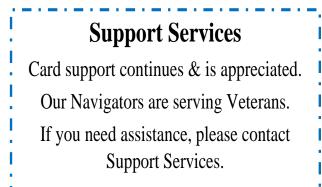
Funeral Old Alton Cemetery 10-16-2020











Veterans Car Show benefitting Green Valley School Historical Society 10-17-2020 @ Cycle Center of Denton



Thank You Annie Kay Palasota - National Anthem.



(Gary Raines' granddaughter)

Around the Chapter

VVA 920 lost a friend 10/17/2020 -



Fred Purser – WWII & Korean Veteran

Flu Shots are currently available at most pharmacies.



Kurt Hyde & his Liberty Bell Bell was cast for the 1976 Bi-Centennial. One bell for each day. Kurt's is #695 in the series. Thank You, Kurt, for sharing this treasure with VVA 920 for our Fallen Brothers ceremony.