



# ROLL CALL

## January 2021 Newsletter



### A Message from our President

Since our December luncheon there have been a lot of changes. As most of you all know, we held our elections in December. Your input was taken into consideration as we want to continue to grow Roll Call. The way we do that is to include new ideas and some new board members and new roles for board members. I am grateful for the opportunity to serve as your President for the next 2 years.

I believe we all agree that 2020 was not a great year and we are not off to a great start in 2021. Covid has ramped up its attack and we have lost several of our precious vets. Our country is divided and each side is dug in. Politics is affecting our mighty military members. I could go on but we all get it. BUT—DON'T LOSE HOPE! The sun will come out and there will be healing! I believe that God is still in control!

**DUE TO THE INCREASED SPREAD OF COVID 19 WE HAVE DETERMINED THAT WE OWE IT TO OUR GREAT VETERANS TO CANCEL THE JANUARY LUNCHEON. DURING THIS TIMEFRAME, IT IS OUR GREAT HOPE THAT THOSE WISHING TO RECEIVE THE VACCINE RECEIVE IT. WE WILL PLAN TO HAVE THE FEBRUARY LUNCHEON AS PLANNED (26 FEB).**

### VACCINATION INFORMATION

VA and covid vaccines: The VA is working with the CDC and other partners to provide the vaccines. They have a site vets can sign up at to stay informed and get all the latest information. Please go to <https://www.va.gov/health-care/covid-19-vaccine/>

The VA plans to vaccinate all veterans living in VA long-term care facilities and VA health care personnel first. After that, they will begin vaccinated those vulnerable populations. According to their site, they will begin contacting vets (assuming you are registered with the VA) to get a date to come in for the vaccine. If you are concerned, please DO NOT wait for a call from the VA. Contact your county and reserve an appointment time.

#### Information to schedule vaccines:

Tarrant County—<https://www.tarrantcounty.com/en/public-health/disease-control---prevention/COVID-19/COVID-19-Vaccine.html>

Dallas County—<https://www.dallascounty.org/covid-19/covid-19-vaccination.php>

Collin County—[https://www.collincountytx.gov/healthcare\\_services/Pages/COVID19vaccines.aspx](https://www.collincountytx.gov/healthcare_services/Pages/COVID19vaccines.aspx)

Johnson County—<http://www.cleburne.net/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=561>

Parker County—<https://www.parkercountytx.com/456/COVID-19-Update>



## Roll Call Board Elections

Elections were held in December for board positions. In addition, we adjusted titles to eliminate “Board Member at Large” and adjusted them to be more specific to the work they are doing. They may still change a bit but are a work in progress.

Following is the Jan 2021-Dec 2023 Board:



President—Mary Staffeld, USAF



Vice President—Mark Donahew, USN



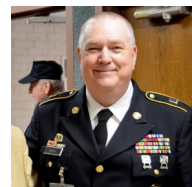
Secretary—Steve Weaver, USAF



Treasurer—Dana Link



Fundraising—Dan Duda, USAF



Military & Veteran Liaison—Roy Davis, USA & USN



Reception & Outreach—Judy Choate



Grants & Gifts—Missy Roth



Merchandizing & Promotion—Dave Warwick, USAF

### MOBILE MUSEUM FEATURING YOU! OUR ROLL CALL VETERANS!

Our mobile museum is a work in progress. The idea is to showcase the stories of our veterans (along with the uniforms and tools used in your service) with the local community. What we need from each of you is pictures of you then and now. We need the details (when, where, etc.) of the service pictures to properly label them. We also need a brief narrative (1-2 pages) of your story. Any details you feel comfortable sharing. History is being erased and not taught. We need to be the teachers of our stories!



The Liberty Jump Team took 3 Roll Call Vets up for a ride on Dec 12th! Barney Baker, Al Chatwin and Cliff Stump! They had a great time!



Tippy Foster celebrated her 100th birthday (12/23) with a birthday parade on Dec 20th! It was a surprise! Thanks to her daughters and the Weatherford VFW for partnering on this great event!



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