



## *Voiture 1379 Communiqué for October 2019*

### **2020 Dues are being collected now! Dues are still only \$25.00**

After the last communiqué I receives several renewals but we are still not at one hundred (100%) percent. We currently have twenty five (25) members paid up for the 2020 membership year.

**Here are the unpaid members for 2020** – Please take a moment and pay your dues today. Larry Allen, Robert Beatty, Paul Bennett, Ray Crestwell. Billie Gammill. Larry Hammes, Joseph Hendrix, Dale hunt, John-Paul Kopp, Dale Moses, Jerry Phelps, Carmen Quintero, Darrell Richards, Judi Samborski, Jake Samborski.

Liberty School District to honor our local veterans with a breakfast on Friday, November 8. This year's breakfast will again be at Discovery Middle School, 800 Midjay Drive, Liberty, and will be from 8-9:00 a.m.

The National Medal of Honor Museum will be built in Arlington, Texas, the museum's foundation announced Tuesday. With nearly 70 recipients hailing from the region and nearly 1.8 million veterans and active-duty military residing in Texas, Joe Daniels, president and CEO of the National Medal of Honor Museum Foundation said in the announcement that Arlington was the optimal location to build the museum showcasing the nation's highest medal for valor. More than 3,500 military service members have received the nation's highest military honor since the first medal was presented in 1863. The National Medal of Honor Museum will offer an experience that draws personal and emotional connections to Medal of Honor recipients and their inspiring stories, according to the foundation's press release. The foundation is also working with the Texas' congressional delegation to create a monument in the nation's capital for Medal of Honor recipients, the announcement states. The museum was supposed to be built in its current location in Mount Pleasant, South Carolina, aboard the USS Yorktown, but Arlington officials made a final pitch to incorporate the museum in the city's growing entertainment district, according to the Charleston Post and Courier. The design for the museum in South Carolina started over last year after the foundation spent \$3.5 million preparing the initial concept of a pentagon-shaped building. According to the Post and Courier, the foundation started a national search for alternative locations last year, citing difficulties with Mount Pleasant officials. Denver was also in the running for the museum's relocation, according to the Colorado Sun. The museum is expected to open in 2024.

This months Promenade will be in Kansas City at Post 61 on October 23<sup>rd</sup> with meal at the Post at 18:00 HRS and Promenade starting at 19:00 HRS.

Thank you for your service to Our Great Nation, your service the 40et8 through Voiture 1379 and Grande du Missouri. If we all work together we can and do make a difference.

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