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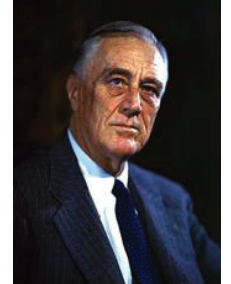
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A look back to Thanksgiving 1944

Proclamation 2629—Thanksgiving Day, 1944

A Proclamation

In this year of liberation, which has seen so many millions freed from tyrannical rule, it is fitting that we give thanks with special fervor to our Heavenly Father for the mercies we have received individually and as a nation and for the blessings He has restored, through the victories of our arms and those of our allies, to His children in other lands.



For the preservation of our way of life from the threat of destruction; for the unity of spirit which has kept our Nation strong; for our abiding faith in freedom; and for the promise of an enduring peace, we should lift up our hearts in thanksgiving.

For the harvest that has sustained us and, in its fullness, brought succor to other peoples; for the bounty of our soil, which has produced the sinews of war for the protection of our liberties; and for a multitude of private blessings, known only in our hearts, we should give united thanks to God. To the end that we may bear more earnest witness to our gratitude to Almighty God, I suggest a nationwide reading of the Holy Scriptures during the period from Thanksgiving Day to Christmas. Let every man of every creed go to his own version of the Scriptures for a renewed and strengthening contact with those eternal truths and majestic principles which have inspired such measure of true greatness as this nation has achieved.

Now, Therefore, I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, in consonance with the joint resolution of the Congress approved December 26, 1941, do hereby proclaim Thursday the twenty-third day of November 1944 a day of national thanksgiving; and I call upon the people of the United States to observe it by bending every effort to hasten the day of final victory and by offering to God our devout gratitude for His goodness to us and to our fellow men.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this first day of November in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-four and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and sixty-ninth.



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

<https://www.presidency.ucsb.edu/documents/proclamation-2629-thanksgiving>

From the Desk of the Editor



Dave Warren
Editor OC

Good riddance October, Hurricane Helene and Milton! To those who got slammed by the back-to-back hurricanes, the membership thoughts are with you as you rebuild your property and lives. Heading into the holiday season, we can all pause for prayer and gratitude that lives lost were few even though property destruction and stress are sky high.

Thanks to all who reached out with feedback about our “new” look Officer’s Call Newsletter. Most feedback was positive as we updated the look and format of the newsletter. Some changes have been made with this issue based up feedback. As we go forward the circulation editor (me) will be reaching out to businesses to advertise to help underwrite the design costs. If you would like to help know of any business that may want to support let me know, I’ll do the ask.

Our publication is always open to articles from the membership. Op-Eds must be non-partisan but can be submitted that is congruent with our MOAA’s and the Chapter’s Mission and Goals. As always if you want to submit an article or write a letter to the Editor or have comment about our publication or content, please forward to editoroc1@gmail.com.

Happy Holidays to the entire Chapter Membership! As we turn the corner to the New Year remember those that are hurting from the double whammy of the hurricane season.

Dave Warren
LTC, USA (Ret)

Wow!

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President's Note



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Since our last newsletter, the September/October issue, our Saint Petersburg area has experienced two devastating back-to-back hurricanes: Helene and Milton, storms that certainly made the history books. These weather events significantly affected the area and its residents, including some of our valued members and, to quite a lesser degree, our chapter business.

To recap: in late September Hurricane Helene pushed a historic storm surge of upwards of seven feet into the Tampa Bay coastline and along the entirety of the barrier islands from Saint Pete Beach through Madeira Beach and townships north. The unprecedented water surge rapidly flooded coastal homes and businesses in the path of its unstoppable rising waters. Then, less than two weeks later on the night of 10 October, Hurricane Milton slammed into the area with winds reportedly as high as 101 mph and a deluge totaling over 18 inches of rain.

Understandably, these storms altered our October chapter business. Here, I want to personally thank our Executive Committee ("EC") group phone text participants who attempted a continuing work around the storms. They included CDR John Rummel, LTC David Warren, LTC Brian Rau, COL Tony Clark, LTC Fran Chancey, CPT Tina Manley, LTC Pauline Mallory, LTC Richard Dusinski, CAPT Jim King, and MAJ Tom Pederson.

Due to activities related to Helene's damage, including loss of electric power and internet service, the text group agreed to move our 2 October EC Zoom meeting to the 9th and then to the 15th but was cancelled entirely for the month as Milton headed to our area. Additionally, it became apparent that the chapter luncheon, scheduled for 18 October, may have been too soon and overly burdensome following these storms, and it was cancelled.

Though the storms touched all our members in the area in some way or another, it was devastating for our chapter 1st Vice President, John Rummel. Helene's storm surge flooded his Shore Acres home with over 3 feet of water, destroying contents including his military memorabilia / records and, tragically, unreplaceable family photos. In a recent conversation, John stated that his home is currently gutted, debris removed, and restoration efforts are moving forward. Unfortunately, this is the second time in the last two years that the Rummel family has been impacted by a natural disaster. His home was previously flooded by Hurricane Idalia and they had just completed the repairs the week that Helene impacted the area. His family has taken up temporary quarters at an Airbnb in Odessa and expects to return to the home sometime in early January. According to John, "Although this experience has been mentally and physically challenging, my family is grateful for the selfless support and generosity of family, friends, and our community. It is difficult times like these that illustrate the true character of our community and inspire us with hope as we rebuild our homes." I also inquired about MOAA's "Crisis Relief." John stated that the process of applying for the grant online was easy and he quickly received the funds to help with short-term lodging.

Finally, I hope everyone got through the storms as best as possible and look forward to seeing you all at our upcoming events. If anyone is in need of assistance, please don't hesitate to reach out. We are here to support our MOAA family.

Co-author and photo credits: Cmdr. John Rummel, USN Ret.; Chapter 1st Vice President



John Rummel's Shore Acres home
Note: waterline across front door



Shore Acres Blvd, Saint Petersburg
post-Hurricane Helene



May 24, 2019; USS STETHEM (DDG 63) Change of Command
Cmdr. John Rummel & family, L-R: Hailey, John, DeLynn, Taylor

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Chaplain's Corner



COL Tony Clark
(USA Ret)

Hurricanes Helene and Milton delivered a one-two punch to Tampa Bay and we all felt the effects. Some lost power for a day or days. Some were flooded out of their homes by storm surge. Some experienced wind damage with downed trees and damaged roofs. Some lost vehicles because of the storm surge. Some experienced trauma by simply seeing house after house after house in a neighborhood with furniture, drywall, carpeting, and appliances piled at the roadside. The damage was widespread and will take weeks, months, perhaps years to fully clear up.

The physical damage to the Sunshine City, Pinellas County, and Tampa Bay is readily apparent. The mental, emotional, and psychological trauma experienced by so many in our area, however, is not readily apparent. Most of us are good at "hiding our crazy" (thank you, Miranda Lambert) and push ourselves through the necessities of work, home cleanup, and life. Hurricane fatigue is a real thing (I saw plenty of it in central Florida after Charley, Frances, and Jean in 2004) and we need to make allowance for it. We know we have to adult and get "back to normal" after storms and part of that adulting and getting "back to normal" is tending to our minds and emotions.

We all have our favorite therapies: walking, fishing, kayaking, music, talking it out, fill in the blank _____. Be intentional about your therapy in the midst of hurricane fatigue. Be mindful of the ebb and flow of your emotions as we all recover from the storms. Our emotional and mental trauma deserves as much, if not more, attention as the physical damage we experienced and witnessed.

Warmest regards,

COL Anthony P. "Tony" Clark
US Army Chaplain Corps, Retired

Seminole Kiwanis Breakfast Club's "Field of Honor"

Field of Honor

St Pete Area MOAA Chapter represented at Seminole Kiwanis Breakfast Club's "Field of Honor" opening ceremony at Seminole City Hall on November 6.

600 American flags have been installed on City Hall property each with a banner commemorating a veteran, among which our chapter donated for 10 banners each honoring a chapter member, a veteran acquaintance or veteran family member.

The flags will be up until 1 December, very impressive so go visit!

Photos include John Kieffer, [David Warren](#) ; [Tony Clark](#) (delivering invocation); American Legion 273 Color Guard; speaker COL Simon McKenzie, US Army, CENTCOM, MacDill AFB.



Meeting Dates 2024

Month	Executive Committee*	General Membership
November		14 (evening event)
December	3	8 Holiday Social

Note: All dates are subject to change due to venue availability or other matters beyond the control of the Executive Council.

Reservations with final locations and meal selections will be published in your Officers Call.

Remember to bring your Officer or Surviving Spouse friends.

St Pete MOAA Chapter Holiday Social

Sunday afternoon 8 December 1-3 PM

Bayou Club

7979 Bayou Club Blvd, Largo, FL 33777



More details to follow on the Chapter website page <https://www.moaastpetearea.com/> and Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/925278824641972>

Hospitality and Reservations



Denise & Maj Tom Pederson

Meal Selections for **November 14th** MOAA evening meeting at the Bayou Country Club

1. Five Ounce Petite Filet served with asparagus with balsamic glaze and herb roasted potatoes.
2. Brown Sugar Honey Glazed Salmon served with asparagus with balsamic glaze and herb roasted potatoes.
3. Chicken Piccata served with asparagus with balsamic glaze and herb roasted potatoes.
4. Vegan

All selections are served with Caesar Salad, assorted rolls, butter, coffee and iced tea
Dessert is Apple Pie.

Times: Social Hour 1730; Call to Order 1830; Meal served 1900

Cost \$30 per meal, pay at the event.

Reservations/meal requests: **Requests in by November 11**

Reservations/meal requests: Email: mtgfoodstpete@gmail.com or Text: 727-688-9908 (Tom Pederson)

Reservations with final locations and meal selections will be published in Officer Call and please see our website www.moaastpetearea.com and Facebook page for the latest updates.

Luncheon Guest Speaker - November Dinner



Dr. Carlos Bertha is an adjunct professor at the College of Policy, Ethics, Legal Studies, and Public Safety at Saint Petersburg College. He earned his BS in Mechanical Engineering from the University of South Florida in 1989 and later pursued a Ph.D. in Philosophy there. Carlos taught at the US Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs from 2000 until his retirement in 2024, focusing on ethics, analytical philosophy, comparative religion, and philosophy of science. Carlos retired as a Colonel from the US Army Reserve in 2019, with a final assignment as Deputy Commander of the Army EPLO Group in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Legislative Action

By: SPA MOAA Immediate Past President - CW5 Tom Hofer USA Ret.

2024 is an election year as you all know. We now have a 2025 Department of Defense spending bill as well:

- ☐ We know now that COLA for 2025 will be capped at 2.5%, the lowest since 2020 when the annual raise was 1.3%.
- ☐ A 4.5% pay raise for all active servicemembers and for junior enlisted personnel (E1-E3)—5.5%—pay raise.
- ☐ The basic allowance for subsistence, housing, and includes basic needs allowance. (\$251 million earmarked for members of the military and their families with a household income that is less than 200% of federal poverty guidelines.)
- ☐ Operation, renovation, and repair of child development centers and full-day, universal pre-K for our military families.
- ☐ Allocates \$261.2 million for suicide prevention and response.
- ☐ This is not included in the 2025 budget, but MOAA urges us to support this effort:
 - **Supporting Veteran Caregivers:** Many caregivers leave the workforce to care for veterans with disabilities, impacting their long-term financial security and that of their families. The letter asks lawmakers to ensure caregivers who receive a stipend under the VA's Program of Comprehensive Assistance for Family Caregivers (PCAFC) have a viable path to contributing to Social Security and Medicare benefits and increasing their long-term financial security. (There is a form letter on the MOAA Legislative Advocacy page that allows us to send a message to our congressional leaders.

Here are MOAA's national priorities for 2025:

- ☐ **Compensation and Service-Earned Benefits**
- ☐ **Military Housing**
- ☐ **Health Care for Currently Serving and Retirees**

- ☐ **Health Care and Benefits for Veterans**
- ☐ **Service Families**
- ☐ **Survivors**
- ☐ **Guard and Reserve**

You can find details in the latest MOAA magazine. I'll summarize two issues that are of concern to our chapter members:

1. TRICARE Coverage:
 - a. Reverse cuts to the pharmacy benefits, and establish policy guardrails to ensure access to prescription medications and limits on copay increases.
 - b. Fix the TRICARE Young Adult parity issue by extending eligibility to dependents up to age 26 to align with the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare).
 - c. Make DoD establish a transparent and well-publicized problem reporting system for beneficiaries experiencing access to Military Treatment Facilities (MTF)
2. Veteran Health Care
 - a. Monitor recent major legislation enacted such as the PACT Act in the areas of health care, compensation, and follow-on support for surviving spouses and families.
 - b. Compel Congress and the VA to accelerate caregiving and whole health care services, and modernization of Veterans Health Administration workforce and facility infrastructure to improve veterans access to high quality care. In short, fully fund the VA.

Use MOAA's [Legislative Action Center](#) to contact your lawmakers and urge them to support these legislative initiatives.

Understanding that 5 November is election day, I recommend that each of us congratulate the winners and remind them that as active members of MOAA and the St Petersburg Area chapter we enlist their support in meeting the expectations of all those who serve or have served.

Regards to all.
Tom Hofer, CW5, USA, Ret.
Legislative Affairs officer.
KEEP ON SERVING

Dates to remember

Ladies Luncheons for 2025

The Bimonthly Ladies luncheons are held on the second Thursday every other month For 2025 the luncheons will be held on:

January 9
 March 13
 May 8
 July 10
 September 11
 November 13

Any questions email Denise Pederson at:

p3teach@gmail.com

IMPORTANT DATES IN NOVEMBER

National Military Family Appreciation Month
 Marine Corps Birthday - Nov. 10
 Veterans Day - Nov. 11

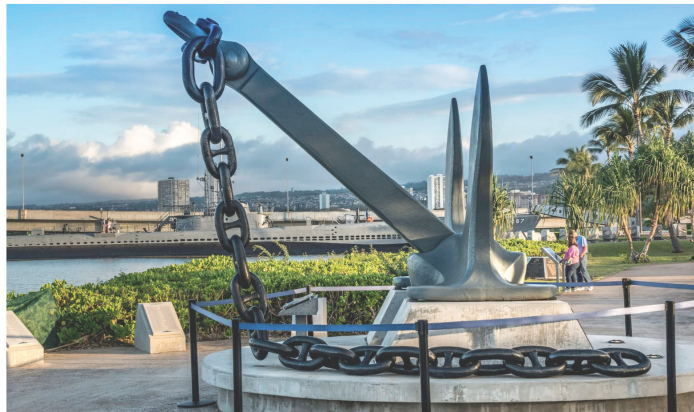
IMPORTANT DATES IN DECEMBER

Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day - Dec. 7
 National Guard Birthday - Dec. 13,
 Space Force birthday - Dec. 20

A day to remember...

Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day is a solemn observance in the United States that honors and remembers the victims of the attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, on December 7, 1941. The day serves as a reminder of the sacrifices made by military personnel and civilians during World War II and the importance of preserving and sharing the history of that pivotal moment in American history.



Remembrance Day allows individuals to honor the memory of the events of December 7, 1941, and the sacrifices made during World War II. Here are ways to commemorate this day:

- Attend Commemorative Events: Many communities and military bases hold memorial ceremonies and events on

December 7th. Attend these events to pay your respects and show support.

- Visit Memorials and Museums: Explore local memorials, museums, and historical sites related to World War II and the Pearl Harbor attack. Learn about the history and impact of the events.
- Observe a Moment of Silence: At 7:55 a.m. (the time of the attack), observe a moment of silence to honor the victims and reflect on the significance of the day.
- Support Veterans: Donate to veterans' organizations or volunteer your time to support veterans and their families. Many veterans from World War II are still alive and appreciate recognition and assistance.

What is National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day 2024?

National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day is an annual commemoration that pays tribute to the events of December 7, 1941, when the U.S. naval base at Pearl Harbor was attacked by Japanese forces. This attack led to the United States' entry into World War II and had a profound impact on the nation and the world.

When is National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day 2024?

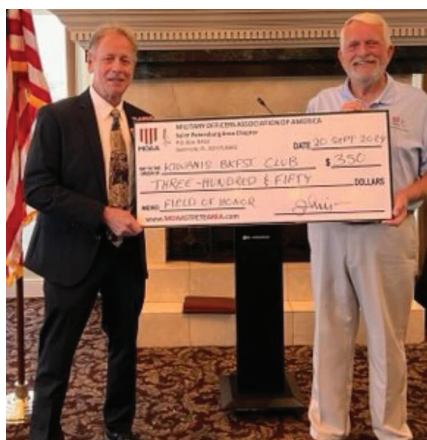
National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day is observed on December 7th each year. This date marks the anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor, and it is a day of reflection, remembrance, and honoring the memory of those who lost their lives or were injured during the attack.

How to Commemorate National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day 2024?

Participating in the observance of National Pearl Harbor

To continue reading click: <https://www.awarenessdays.com/awareness-days-calendar/national-pearl-harbor-remembrance-day-2024/>

Luncheon photos



Helpful Links and Contacts

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<https://flmoaa.org/>

For Florida specific information about Florida Council of Chapters

Local

<https://www.moaa.stpetearea.com/>

For membership eligibility and membership application as well as other chapter related information.

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Visit your Chapter's Web page and social media accounts (Facebook and Instagram) on a regular basis. Don't forget the Florida Council and National sites. chapter web and social media accounts!



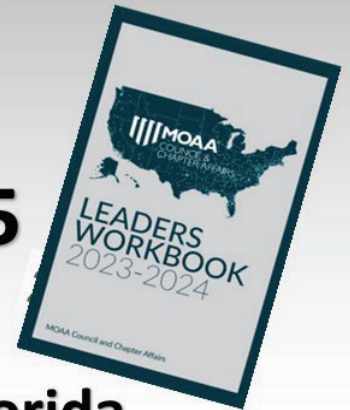
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Chapter Leaders
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Dear St. Petersburg Area Chapter,

We are excited to inform you that three (3) students from the MOAA Education Assistance Program



have been selected to receive the "St. Petersburg Area Chapter Designated Scholarship. Your generous contributions have played an essential role in making our Designated Scholarships possible, and we are incredibly grateful for your continued support of The MOAA Scholarship Fund.

We would like to share a message on behalf of the three scholarship awardees who were matched to your scholarship.

Dear St. Petersburg Area Chapter,

I am deeply honored to receive this generous award and am grateful for your support. This award will significantly allow me to focus more on my studies and personal development. I am majoring in philosophy, specializing in jurisprudence; I look forward to continuing on this path because of its outstanding programs and faculty. After graduation, I plan to continue my education and attend law school. I have recently found a liking in contract law due to my time as an intern at a construction company, working for a general contractor, and I want to make meaningful contributions to this field. Outside my academic pursuits, I enjoy art, poetry, and physical activities like running and jujitsu. These activities give me a well-rounded perspective and help me stay grounded and motivated. I am committed to making the most of this opportunity and to strive for excellence in all my endeavors. Once again, thank you for your kindness and support, it means more to me than words can express.

Sincerely,
Ezra Moros

Dear St. Petersburg Area Chapter,

I'm so grateful to receive this award. It's hard to say where I'm from because I grew up all over the world - USAG Yongsan, Panzer Kaserne in Stuttgart and multiple locations throughout the USA. I consider myself from the military family. I am entering my sophomore year at the University of Tampa. I am double majoring in Philosophy and Political Science with a Leadership

minor. I am part of the President's Leadership Fellowship and love all of the opportunities it allows me to give back to my community. I am particularly interested in International Relations and International Law. I plan to attend law school after graduation and aspire to a career with the state department or a similar government agency. I'm also applying for federal internship programs and hope I'll have opportunities in the intelligence community. Growing up in military communities and with a father who was active duty and mother who works for the Civil Service I have learned the value of service. I look forward to continuing the tradition of service to our country upon graduation.

Once again, thank you for your generous support and for making a lasting difference in the lives of our military families and their children.

Sincerely,
Cassandra Miller

Dear St, Petersburg Area Chapter,

I truly appreciate your support! My name is Kathryn, and I am a sophomore undergraduate student at Florida State University's College of Music. I am pursuing a double-major in flute performance and instrumental music education with hopes of becoming a professional flutist and teacher, and I am so incredibly grateful for your generosity in providing this year's MOAA Educational Assistance Grant.

With your contribution, I have the opportunity this year to study with the College of Music's renowned faculty, including flute professors Dr. Karen Large and Dr. Mary Matthews, with whom I will be working closely in lessons and applied performance studies, celebrated music education professor Dr. Mark Belfast, from whom I have learned much already about leadership, classroom management, and resilience, esteemed conductor Dr. Rodney Dorsey, who returned to work with our Wind Orchestra just last year, and so many other inspiring educators whom I have yet to meet. It is truly an honor to have been selected for this award, and I am so excited to continue growing and learning with the assistance of your gift. Thank you for putting my academic and professional goal so much closer within my reach! With sincere gratitude

Sincerely,
Kathryn Lang



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