

AVTT Wall to Schulenburg

Preliminary Agenda for the week – LAST UPDATED (3/10/19)

APRIL 3 -THE AMERICAN VETERANS TRAVELING TRIBUTE (AVTT) WILL BE ESCORTED TO THE SCHULENBURG SPORTS COMPLEX (LOCATED AT 300 H N SCHWARTZ ST OFF EAST AVENUE)BY SCHULENBURG AMERICAN LEGION MOTORCYCLE UNIT. THEY WILL BE LEAVING ROBERTS STEAKHOUSE IN FLATONIA @ 4PM AND UPON ARRIVAL IN SCHULENBURG (~ 4:30- 5) WILL BE GOING DOWN MAIN STREET WITH A POLICE ESCORT ON TO THE SPORTS COMPLEX

APRIL 4TH WALL WILL BE ERECTED ON @ 7:30 A.M AND OPEN AT NOON. BLINN COLLEGE STUDENTS TO BE AVAILABLE FOR SET-UP & TAKE DOWN

April 5th - . THE TRIBUTE IS OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY AND FREE TO THE PUBLIC. HOSTED BY THE SCHULENBURG VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA CHAPTER 870.

April 6TH - THERE WILL BE A SEPARATE CHAPEL OF THE FOUR CHAPLAINS CEREMONY AT 1 PM AT THE COVERED BLEACHERS ADJACENT TO THE TRIBUTE. A FLYOVER HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO THE PENTAGON FOR 1:00 P.M WITH THE CEREMONY HONORING MANY LOCAL AND STATE WIDE PEOPLE WHO HAVE DEMONSTRATED SELFLESS SERVICE TO THEIR FELLOW MANKIND AS ALSO BY THE FOUR CHAPLAINS ON 3 FEBRUARY 1943 ON THE SS DORCHESTER AS IT WAS SUNK BY A GERMAN SUBMARINE.

ALSO ON SATURDAY, CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR RECIPIENTS MIKE THORNTON AND CLARENCE SASSER ARE SCHEDULED TO BE PRESENT, ALONG WITH RONALD RIDGEWAY (MIA, KIA & POW), FAYETTE COUNTY JUDGE JOE WEBER (LT. GENERAL USMC RETIRED), ED JANECKA PAST FAYETTE COUNTY JUDGE (A VIETNAM VETERAN), ALONG WITH NUMEROUS DIGNITARIES , AND OTHER HONORARIES.

THERE WILL ALSO BE A SAUSAGE-FESTON SATURDAY THAT IS HELD IN DOWNTOWN SCHULENBURG sponsored by THE SCHULENBURG Chamber of Commerce. The American Legion Post, the Sons of the American Legion and the American Legion Riders will be sponsoring booths at the fest. There will be numerous sausage booths, along with other booths, drinks, music and entertainment during the day into the evening. For more information, contact the Chamber of Commerce at 979-743-4514.

PLAN TO VISIT THE WALL BEFORE AND AFTER THE FEST.

APRIL 7th –WALL WILL BE TAKEN DOWN @ 3PM

PLEASE HONOR THE EVENTS AS IF A FUNERAL, WITH RESPECT, HONOR AND DIGNITY. NO SMOKING, NO PHONES, NO LOUD BEHAVIOR WITH THE KIDS IS APPRECIATED.

THANKS TO ALL THAT HAVE HELPED TO MAKE THE EVENT A SUCCESS.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THE SCHEDULED EVENTS, PLEASE CALL ROBERT BAKER, CHAPEL TRUSTEE AND VETERAN'S ADVOCATE AT 979 562 2432