



Hartranft Herald

The Newsletter of

Maj. Gen. John F. Hartranft Camp 15

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

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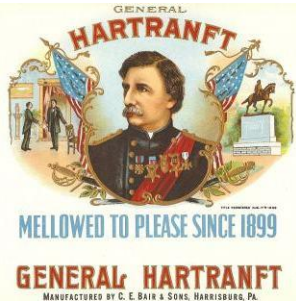


Come to our general meetings and view central Pennsylvania from high atop Reservoir Park!

A newsletter for, about, and by the members of Camp 15 and Auxiliary 7.

Come One, Come All - Ladies and Brothers, and Family & Friends, all are welcome to our Camp meetings

At the National Civil War Museum and field trips at-large -- Bring your camera!

<p>2018 Hartranft Camp 15 Officers and Staff</p> 	<p>Commander Logan Swanger 2018 Senior Vice Commander Vernon Stout 2018 Junior Vice Commander Scott Debo, PCC 2018 Secretary Gregory E. Kline, PCC 08-18 Treasurer David W. Demmy, Sr. PCC 07-18 Council 01 Scott Debo, PCC 15-18 Council 02. Anthony Kline 16-18 Council 03 Jeffery Smith, PCC 18-21 Patriotic Instructor Jeffery Smith, PCC 2018 Chaplain David W. Demmy, Sr., PCC 00-18 Counselor Lee F. Walters, PCC 07-08 GAR Historian Jeffery Smith, PCC 2018 Graves Registration Logan Swanger 14-18 Guide Vacant 2018 Color Bearer Vacant 2018 Guard Gregory E. Kline, PCC 11-18 Eagle Scout Coordinator Vacant 2018 Signal Webmaster Dave W. Demmy, Jr. 05-18 ROTC Coordinator Gregory E. Kline, PCC 11-18 GAR Highway Officer. Gregory E. Kline, PCC 08-18 Longevity Brother Dave J. Klinepeter, PCC 1943</p>
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Camp 15 routinely meets at National Civil War Museum, at Reservoir Park, Harrisburg, PA, 2 pm 3rd Sunday of most months. The Marshall A. Hope author award was bestowed upon Hartranft Herald for excellence of a camp newsletter by Brad Schall, Commander in Chief, 2010-2011.

Dept of PA: www.PAsuvcw.org National: <http://www.suvcw.org/> See TMI from afar!

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This issue of the Hartranft Herald is draped in remembrance of our late Brother Ted Von Hazard, 79, 1938 -- 2018. Read more later in this issue. Brother Ted is our 3rd loss this year!

Brothers our next Camp business meeting

is scheduled for Sunday, October 21st at 2 pm within the NCWM building high atop Reservoir Park!

Note: Meeting will be conducted in Education Gallery to far left of Rotunda!

News Release:

Civil War Medicine and Medical Care Lecture

Date: Sunday, October 21, 2018, Lecture Begins, 3:00 PM.

Where: National Civil War Museum, 1 Lincoln Circle, at Reservoir Park, Harrisburg Pennsylvania.

Room: First Floor Education Gallery off of the Museum's Grand Rotunda.

Presenters: Dr. Richard Schroeder and CRNA Fran Feyock.

Invitees: Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Auxiliary to the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, and the General Public.

Sponsored by: General John F Hartranft Camp 15 of greater Harrisburg region of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and the National Civil War Museum at Harrisburg Pennsylvania.

The Presentation and Lecture:

We all know about the battles, like Gettysburg and Antietam. We know about the great leaders and legends of the Civil War, such as General Lee and Jackson, Generals Grant and Sherman. We are well familiar with Presidents Lincoln and Davis and their famous speeches and actions. **But**, what of the common soldier, and their sufferings, after the smoke cleared, after the armies moved on? What

about the wounded, the maimed, the men who gave their all, and lay on the ground, on the threshold of death? What do we know of their sufferings, and the men and women of the Medical Corps who came to their aide and relief? To know war, in its entirety, is to know and appreciate the sacrifice and suffering that comes after the battles. **The Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War**, Camp 15, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, will be hosting a lecture on Civil War Medicine and Medical Care.

Camp 15 invites our fellow brothers in the Department of Pennsylvania, and extends the invitation to camps beyond, to learn of the details of Medical Care during our nation's greatest struggle. The general public will be invited as well. We are fortunate to have as presenters, an Orthopedic Surgeon, Dr. Richard Schroeder, and Fran Feyock, CRNA, a certified anesthetist, to provide a 90-minute demonstration and discussion on the topic of Civil War Medical Care. At the end of the lecture, the floor will be open to any questions on the topic from the audience. These gentlemen, are not only practicing medical care professionals, but they are also professional civil war experts and historians as well. Both Gentlemen are Licensed Battlefield Guides at Gettysburg, and have given numerous on the field presentations on this topic. Please mark your calendar so that you may be able to enhance your appreciation of the sacrifice of the brave men who suffered, and the dedicated brave men and women who came to their aide in their greatest hour of trial and sufferings.

Biographies of our Presenters are as follows:

Dr. Richard Schroeder:

Richard (Rick) Schroeder became a Licensed Battlefield Guide (LBG) in July, 2016. He is a summa cum laude graduate of the University of Notre Dame in 1977. He graduated from Northwestern University Medical School with High Honors in

1981. He is both a Phi Beta Kappa and Alpha Omega Alpha honor society member. He completed a five-year orthopedic surgery residency at Indiana University Medical Center in Indianapolis, Indiana in 1986. He completed two post-residency fellowships; one in knee surgery at Medical City Hospital in Dallas, Texas, and the second in orthopedic trauma surgery at Shock Trauma in Baltimore, Maryland. Rick has been the Director of Orthopedic Trauma at Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center's Level I Trauma Center in Johnstown, Pennsylvania since 1987. His orthopedic practice centers on complex fracture care and reconstruction.

CRNA Fran Feyock:

Fran is a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist (CRNA), has an Undergraduate Degree in Health Care and Business, plus a Graduate Degree in Strategic Leadership and Organizational Change. He is a Licensed Battlefield Guide at the Gettysburg National Military Park. Fran recently retired from his role as the Executive Director of the Surgical Service Line at DLP Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center in Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

On June 19, 2018 he celebrated the second-year anniversary of his most incredible "retirement job" ...as a Licensed Battlefield Guide at the Gettysburg National Military Park.

We look forward to Seeing *you* at this truly amazing Presentation!!

Coordinated and Prepared by:

Jeffery J. Smith, Past Camp Commander 2015 – 2017.

Camp 15 Patriotic Instructor and Camp Historian 2018.

Camp 15 Council Member 2018 – 2020.

Brothers and Sisters in Distress

by, David W Brother, Sr., PCC, Camp Chaplain

Please include the following during your daily prayer time:

- Mrs. Betz, PCinC Rich Orr, Jim Crane of Ohio, PCinC Andy Johnson; and the family of Charlie Kuhn Jr, PCinC; with continued blessings for Mrs. Charlotte Walters PDP and Mary Jane Bannan PDP and Mrs. Dot Kline, along with Mrs. Kevin Williams!
- Tony Kline, PCinC Gene Mortorff and Mrs. Linda Mortorff! John McNulty has relocated!
- Joe Long Jr, PDC and Mrs. Rob Koenigsberg, spouse of PA Dept Secretary! Mrs. Bill Kuhn Jr, Scott Debo PCC, Mr and Mrs. David McReynolds, nat'l treasurer, Darlene Alcorn's son, Lowell Alcorn, ICU, Mrs. Rosemary Martin, Mrs. John Martin, and Ellen Higgins! Brother Larry Keener-Farley, PCC and Brother John Martin.
- Mrs. Robert Treat; Jeffery Smith PCC; Mrs. Robert Manning. Brother Dave Sosnowski!
- Chaplains Jerry Kowalski and Scott Teeters and Clark Brocht!
- PCinC Ed Krieser, PCinC Brad Schall, and

PCinC Richard Partington; and now we add Mr and Mrs. Dick Williams of the department of Michigan to our prayer list too!

God bless you and yours, and in all things, give thanx!

On the Road with Camp 15

Next camp business meeting will be Sunday October 31st Education Gallery, see below:

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Remembrance Day Parade and Activities, Saturday November 17 at Gettysburg PA



Annual Camp 15 holiday banquet is scheduled for 2nd Sunday in December, 12/09/18.

Great food and fellowship; come out this year and enjoy your camp brothers and families. Play holiday bingo for gifts provided by all attendees!

Please RSVP to DoubleD@Demmy.cc or

call 717 545 5174. we need your RSVP to inform cater how many meals to serve!

Be Proud - Wear the Badge



Come out to a meeting and engage with us!

- The Allied Orders of the GAR:
- -Woman's Relief Corps Auxiliary to GAR,
- -Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic,
- -Daughters of Union Veterans of Civil War,
- -Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, and
- -The Auxiliary to Sons of Union Veterans Civil War.

Camp Officers & authors, the first Friday of each month is the Deadline for submission of stories, events, articles, and photos for *Hartranft Herald*.

Membership Bio Profiles will continue to appear as they are submitted by members.

Worksheets were inserted in Camp 15's 125th Anniversary history book.

If you prefer, [and your *Hartranft Herald* wishes you would], complete an e-worksheet, please ask for one – send e-mail request to DoubleD@Demmy.cc

Bring a nephew, uncle, brother, father, grandfather, cousin, neighbor and friend to a Camp meeting! Family and our sisters of Auxiliary 7 are always welcome!

Established February 11, 1882

in Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty!

Continued with other data below!

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Life Time Achievement Award

Our famous brother David J. Klinepeter was awarded the **Life Time Achievement Award** by then CinC Mark Day at the National Encampment in August. We kept it a secret till our September camp meeting to hand Dave the award and certificate in person. See images below:



Dave with David Demmy



Dave with Jeff Smith



Dave and Greg Kline



Dave and Logan Swanger



Dave and Vern Stout



Dave and Scott Debo

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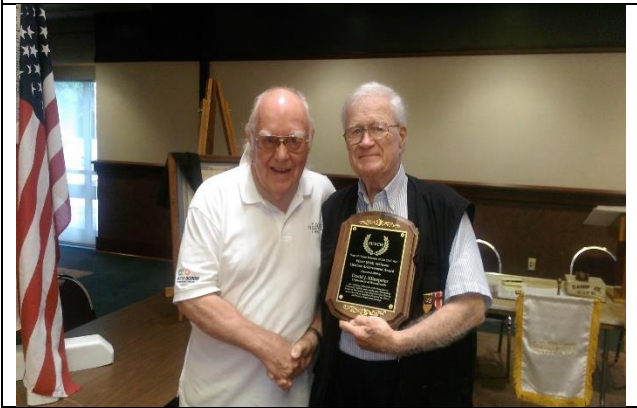
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Dave and Gene Mascioli



Dave and Helen Shireman



Dave with Bill Jackson

Charming Cake for the celebration below



Congratulations to a most deserving brother of our grand brotherhood of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and the central Pennsylvania Civil War Community.

Proclamation available upon request!

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil WaR

Office of the Camp Commander Logan G. Swanger

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CAMP ORDER #4**SERIES 2017-2018****11 October 2018**

1. It is with a saddened heart and deep regret that I report the passing of our Brother Ted (Teddy) Von Hazard of Elizabeth, PA.
2. Our late Brother Ted, the Chief of Police of Borough of Lincoln, was born in New Castle PA on October 6, 1938. He was recruited into Camp 15 by PCC, Gene Mascioli, while Gene was visiting Brother Ted's region.
3. Brother Ted's membership into the Son's, was based upon his Great, Great, Grandfather, John H. Greer, Company B, of the 39th Reserves Infantry 1862 – 1864. We lost Ted on September 26, 2018.
4. He was a member of the Western Pennsylvania Association of Chiefs of Police and was a member and past president of the Mon Valley Chiefs of Police Association. He was a member of the McKeesport Sportsman's Club and the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Camp 15, of Harrisburg PA.
5. During 2005, Ted submitted his BIO to camp 15 and it was published in our monthly newsletter, *The Hartranft Herald* in July 2005. He indicted among his hobbies were collecting stamps and coins and Civil War Artifacts, and badges.
6. As Commander, I am requesting that all membership badges and camp newsletter be draped in black for the remainder of the autumn season of 2018 in remembrance of Brother Ted and his family.
7. The Brotherhood of John F. Hartranft Camp 15 of Harrisburg Pa., expresses its deepest condolences to the family of our late brother Ted Hazard!

Ordered this 11th day of October 2018

Logan G. Swanger, Camp Commander

Gen. John F. Hartranft Camp 15

Attest: Gregory E. Kline, Camp Secretary, Gen. John F. Hartranft Camp 15

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**PAST COMMANDERS AND PAST PRESIDENTS
ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH CENTRAL
PENNSYLVANIA
SONS OF UNION VETERANS AND AUXILIARY**

Dear Brothers and Sisters of the Allied Orders of the G.A.R.

We cordially extend to you, your family and friends a warm invitation to attend the 88th ANNUAL DEDICATION DAY DINNER of the Association, commemorating the dedication of the National Cemetery at Gettysburg on November 19th, 1863 by President Abraham Lincoln.

The dinner will be held **Saturday, November 17th at 6:30 PM** at the **Eisenhower Hotel & Conference Center, 2634 Emmitsburg Road, Gettysburg**. Once again you will be able to join your Brothers & Sisters for dinner in the Stilwell Room and then walk across the walkway to the Military Ball afterward. The Stilwell Room is located behind the registration desk in the new hotel section of the Eisenhower. **Price for the banquet is \$33.00**. We will again have the traditional menu of roast turkey this year. If you have a special dietary request please note that on the reservation form. A childrens meal of linguini & meatballs is available for \$ 19.00

PLEASE NOTE - **ALL** members of the Sons of Union Veterans, Auxiliary, Daughters of Union Veterans, Ladies of the GAR, and Womans Relief Corps and their families are welcome to attend !!!!!!!!!!!!!

All reservations are to be sent to **PAST COMMANDERS DINNER, 1126 HANOVER ROAD, YORK, PA. 17408** with checks made payable to PAST COMMANDERS.

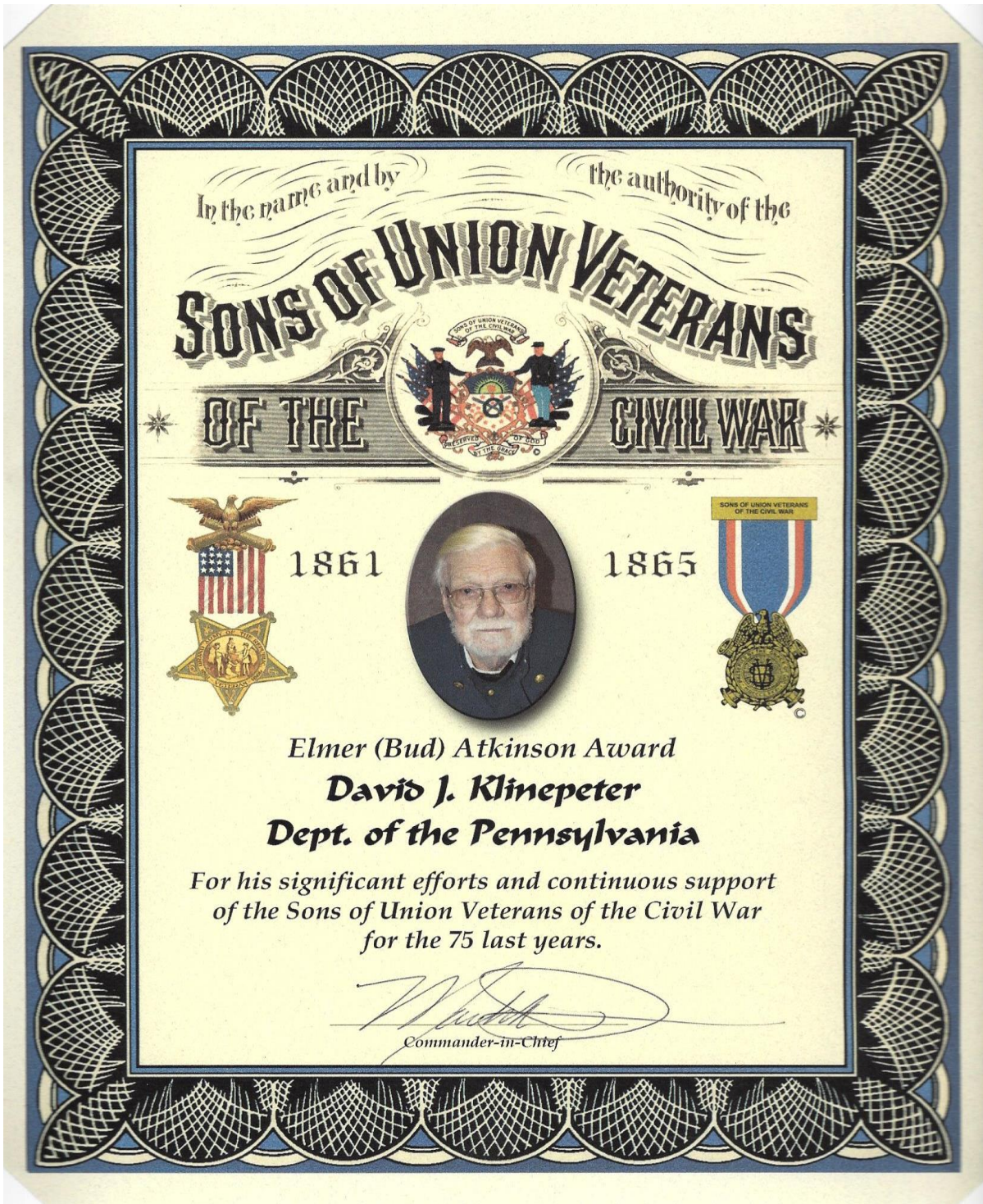
The final date for reservations to be received is November 9th, 2017.

The Committee

Dinner Committee 2017

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$ _____ for _____ reser-
vations for the 88th Annual Dinner to be held in Gettysburg on November 17th, 2018.
Make check payable to PAST COMMANDERS and mail to PAST COMMANDERS, 1126
HANOVER ROAD, YORK, PA. 17408. Please list the names of persons making
reservations.

Childrens meal _____ at \$ 19.00 each – total _____



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