

# DE LANDINGS



DeLand Naval Air Station Museum, DeLand, Florida

APRIL 2016

Sow the seeds of Victory!  
plant &  
raise  
your own  
vegetables



## Victory Garden History

HOME GROWN VEGETABLES, FRUIT, HERBS, HONEY & EGGS

## WWI & WWII

## National Home Front Support

### World War I



The home front support effort in the United States during World War I included coordination of the entire population and the economy to produce food supplies for the troops, munitions and money needed to win the war. Gardens referred to as Liberty or Victory Gardens were one of the many ideas offered to motivate people to do their part.

### World War II

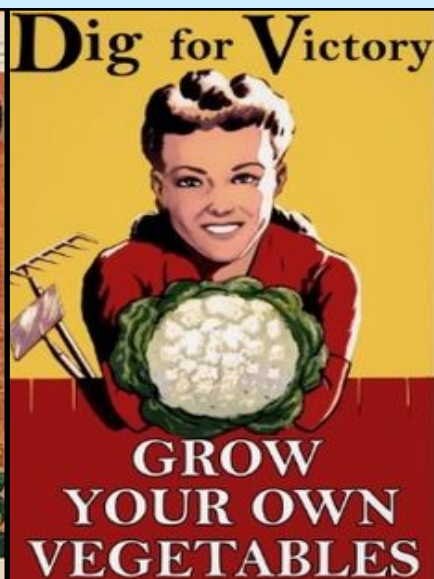
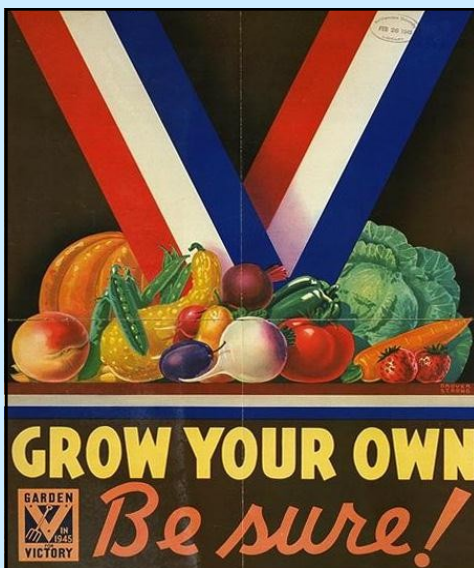


The Home Front support effort continued during World War II and home Victory Gardens were encouraged. In 1943, 20 million gardens were producing 8 million tons of food. Surplus was donated to support the troops.





THOUSANDS OF POSTERS WERE PRINTED TO ENCOURAGE HOME FRONT SUPPORT





# **DNAS MUSEUM VICTORY GARDEN PROJECT**

**THE DeLAND NAVAL AIR STATION MUSEUM VOLUNTEERS ARE PLANNING THEIR OWN FUTURE VICTORY GARDEN & LEARNING PROJECT TO:**

- Preserve and remind the public of WWI and WWII Home Front Victory Garden history with a Victory Garden and educational signage.
- Host public and home school youth groups, families and summer youth camps to visit the museum, learn about victory gardens history and how to start their own garden at home.

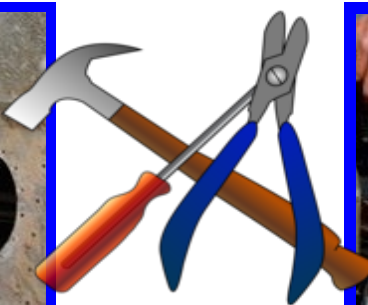
**IF YOU CAN ASSIST IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS PLEASE LET US KNOW:**

- Cash Donations or Garden Related In-Kind Services
- Share your expertise on small garden success
- Volunteer a few hours to help set up the initial garden bed area
- Donate garden tools, equipment, soil, seeds, plants, fruit trees
- Donate Educational Outdoor Signage for Home Front History
- If you have photos or experience with a victory garden from the past or the present, share it with us by sending info to [dnas.museum.org@gmail.com](mailto:dnas.museum.org@gmail.com) or mail to DNASM, 910 Biscayne Boulevard, DeLand, Florida 32724

## **Join Us**

**GROW YOUR OWN**  
*Victory Garden*

# RESTORATION UPDATES



**Volunteer students from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University "Riddle Redeemers Club" continue to work on the F-14 Fighter Jet repairing weather damaged areas. The nose is painted and ready for replacement of decals. Donations are needed to help purchase a protective cover to slow the on-going sun and moisture damage to the aircraft.**



**PTF-3 Restoration Crew volunteers continue to carefully hand paint the Viet Nam era patrol boat. [www.ptf3restoration.org](http://www.ptf3restoration.org)**



**Volunteer Walter Barry measures for a template to make a custom repair on the WWII Grumman TBF Avenger.**



# FUNDRAISER

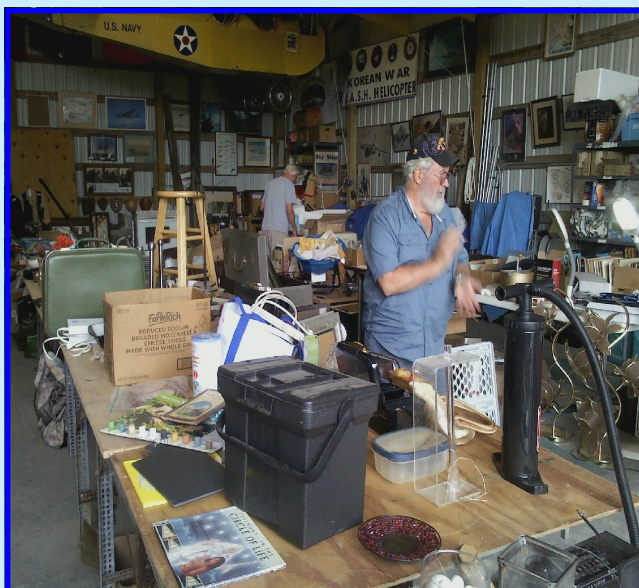
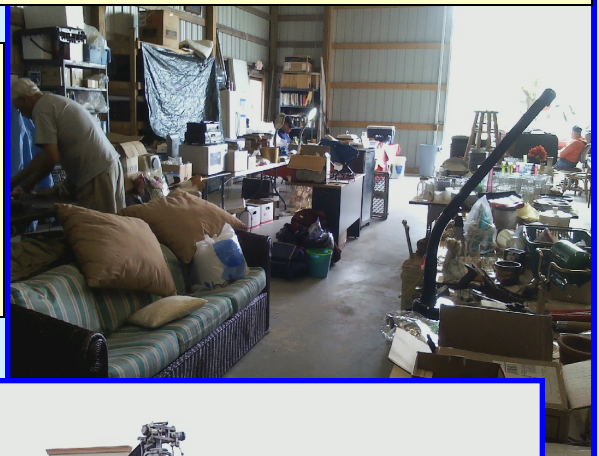
In spite of the rainy weather, the DNASM Annual Yard Sale was a big success. Funds raised are used to support the museum operation and the restoration projects in progress such as the WWII Grumman TBF Avenger, the F14 Fighter Jet and the PTF-3 Viet Nam era boat ([www.ptf3restoration.org](http://www.ptf3restoration.org))



Left and center, volunteers find their favorite singing flamingo toy. Right, visitors shop for yard sale "treasures" near the TBF Avenger wing restoration in progress.



WWII Veterans Gene Storz, left, and El Pegram, right, share a good laugh as they prepare to volunteer as cashiers.



After the yard sale, the Korean MASH Helicopter heads back to the hangar.



## **A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT.....**

March 2016 continued to be a busy and productive month for the DeLand Naval Air Station Museum. In addition to our many public tours and restoration projects, we held our annual Yard Sale fundraiser. Our thanks to the volunteers who worked the two day event and the community support received with donated items to sell. We had a great turnout in spite of the rainy weather.

Our thanks to Doc Bailey, Renegade Light Sport Aircraft, for inviting us to his annual Dead Pig Roast. We had a great time and enjoyed the food and community outreach. Doc Bailey owns Renegade Light Sport Aircraft, 1580 Old NDB Road at the DeLand Airport, which offers LSA Aircraft made in DeLand, repair courses, flight lessons and more aviation related services. He will be hosting the SPAR Sport Pylon Air Races, an IROC in the skies type closed course air racing, later this year at the DeLand Airport. Visit their website for more information.



**Harold Bradeen, DNASM President**

***"IN MEMORY OF ALL WHO SERVED"***



**Doc Bailey hosts annual Pig Roast**

Doc Bailey poses next to an LSA "Lil Rascal". The 670lb aircraft can completely invert and is aerobatic capable. Visit their website [www.renegadelightsport.com](http://www.renegadelightsport.com) for info on aircraft being built in DeLand, Florida and other aviation sales and services available.



## **NEEDS LIST**

### **WATER:**

We need on-going supplies of bottled water to keep our Veterans and Volunteers hydrated. Any quantity will be greatly appreciated.

### **CAMERA/VIDEO:**

Our Museum Tour Guides need a small camera and small video camera.

### **DISPLAY CASES:**

Uniform display cases are needed to preserve military memorabilia.

### **VICTORY GARDEN:**

Garden expertise, lumber, tools and plants needed.

**A SPECIAL THANKS  
TO THE  
CITY OF DeLAND**

**WE APPRECIATE THEIR  
ON-GOING SUPPORT OF  
THE DeLAND NAVAL AIR  
STATION MUSEUM**



## **Tour Guides Needed**

**IF YOU HAVE A FEW HOURS A WEEK TO VOLUNTEER, PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING US AS A TOUR GUIDE AT THE DeLAND NAVAL AIR STATION MUSEUM.**

**MUSEUM HOURS ARE WEDNESDAYS-SUNDAYS FROM NOON TO 4:00PM. FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT HAROLD BRADEEN TO APPLY. (386) 873-4689.**



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