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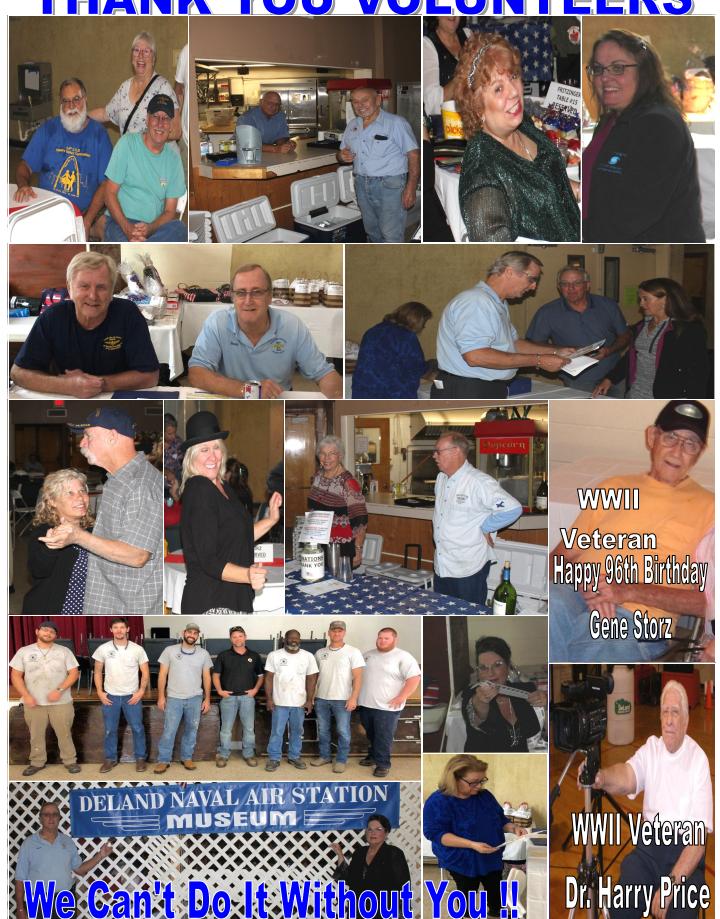




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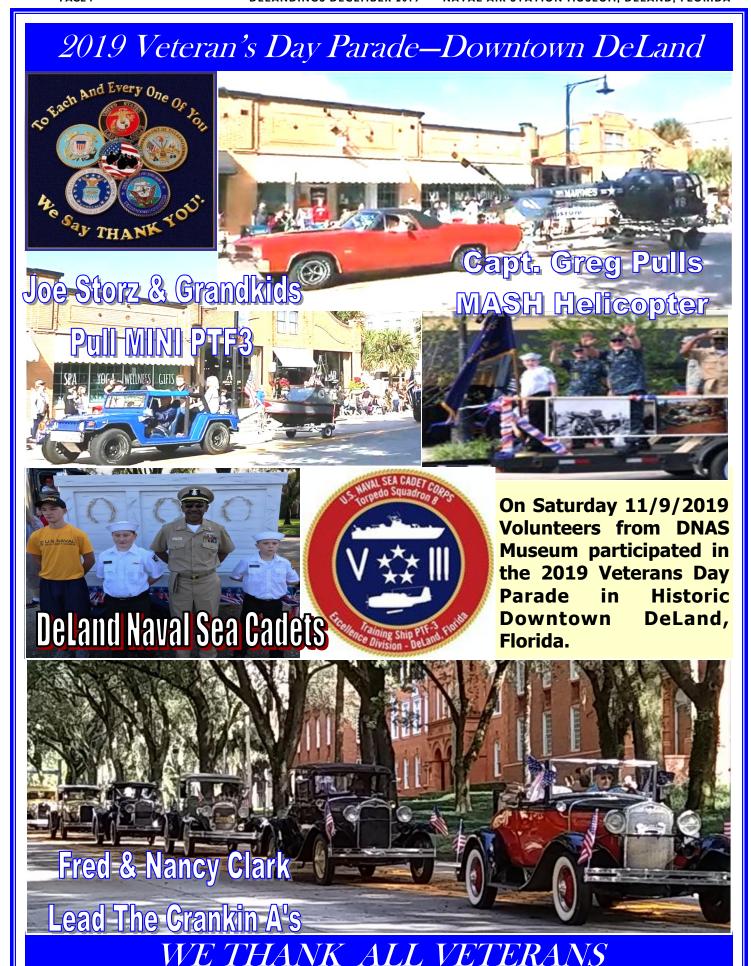
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2019 CYCLE FOR LIFE - DNAS MUSEUM HOSTS CYSTIC FIBROSIS FOUNDATION

On 11/10/2019 DeLand Naval Air Station Museum Volunteers served as hosts for the 7th Annual CYCLE FOR LIFE bicycle fundraiser event for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Starting in DeLand on Georgia Avenue, cyclers enjoyed the ride through some of the most picturesque and scenic terrain in Volusia County. Sponsors set up their hospitality tent in front of the museum for cyclers who stopped to rest and take some quick photos before continuing their ride with options of 28, 65 and 100 miles. This unique event empowers participants to take action and demonstrate their fight in finding a cure for cystic fibrosis in a tangible, emotional and powerful way.



DELAND SPORT AVIATION SHOWCASE 2019 In spite of the rainy weather, DNASM Volunteers participated in the city of Daland's 4th Annual Sport Aviation Showcase 2010

City of DeLand's 4th Annual Sport Aviation Showcase 2019. The Korean War MASH Helicopter was on display at the event and many visitors stopped by the museum for a tour during the event week.





2019 DeLand Fall Festival of the Arts KID ZONE

On 11/23/2019 DeLand Naval Air Station Museum Volunteers served as hosts for the 27TH Annual DeLand Fall Festival of the Arts Kids Zone in our beautiful and historic Downtown DeLand. The 2 day event provides fine art exhibits, great music, and youth activities, with more than 50,000 patrons attending. DNAS Museum provided educational coloring pages for youth with a choice of the American Flag, The Star Spangled Banner, American Eagle, Military Men & Women and military planes, ships and vehicles. A special thanks to our Community Partner, Mary Allen, African American Museum of the Arts and Festival Committee for her great work coordinating a very popular Kid Zone again in 2019.





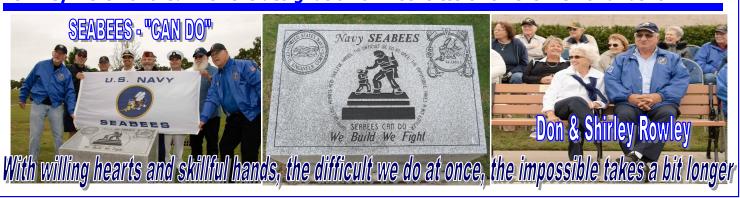
The City of DeLand City Commission recently honored our 2019 Hometown Heroes and their families. All of the Heroes received a replica of the banners that were also displayed in Historic the Florida League of **Downtown DeLand. DNAS Museum President Al Schweizer and** Nancy Pegram Bowen accepted for the late El Pegram, DNASM member, current DNASM Board Director STCGM(SW) Ronald Wilson, US Navy Retired accepted his banner and Mike and Theresa Brooks accepted for their son, Iraq War Veteran, Army 1st Sgt. C.J. Stein who is currently serving at Ft. Benning.



Mayor Robert Apgar was recognized by Cities for 30 years of service community. Thank you Bob for your dedication DeLand, Florida and our local history!

EABEE MONUMENT & BENCH PLA

The Navy Seabee Veterans of America, Florida Island X-19 Post of Daytona Beach, hosted a dedication ceremony at the Canaveral National Cemetery in Mims, Florida on November 13, Post members placed a Seabee monument and adjacent bench to honor and preserve 2019. the history and traditions of the Seabees past, present, and future. DNASM Vice President and Navy Seabee Veteran Don Rowley and wife Shirley attended as Don, also an Island X-19 post member, has spearheaded the monument project from the inception. In 2007, the post started their mission of placing a Seabee monument in every National Cemetery. The Seabees and Honey Bees of Island X-19 worked together to contribute \$2,000 towards materials. They also devoted numerous hours of manual labor to pour the concrete pad, transport and place the monument at the cemetery. This was the 34th monument placed under this effort. The monument features the insignia of the Civil Engineer Corps in the upper left, the Seabee Veterans of America emblem in upper right and the inscription around the centered image of the Seabee Memorial in the Arlington National Cemetery which says, "With willing hearts and skillful hands, the difficult we do at once, the impossible takes a bit longer. The Navy Seabee Veterans of America will continue to band together to place a monument in one hundred more Today, there are over 13,800 Seabees serving worldwide. Don and **National Cemeteries.** Shirley were honored with the designation of first "sitters" on the memorial bench.





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