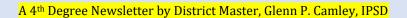


Patriotic Review

Bishop James A. Healy Province * District of New Hampshire



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My Brother Knights,

Welcome to the eighth edition of **Patrictic Review**, a monthly newsletter with all of the latest information on the Patriotic 4th Degree, as well as veteran related news from throughout the State of New Hampshire and beyond.

Biennial Go-To Meeting Invitation for 4th Degree and select Guests, being e-mailed out

Glenn

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Brother Knights,

"Life is either a daring adventure or nothing at all" ~Helen Keller

It has already been three months since the first case of the coronavirus had been detected within the U.S. Since that time, and in the most recent month, we have all been on an emotional roller-coaster. Many of us, including myself, are ready for this to be over.

The Bishop Healy Province, District of New Hampshire is in a unique position to take an enormous step forward throughout the state of New Hampshire, as well as in your communities closer to your homes.

Stirring within the hearts of our American citizens, is quite possibly an enormous surge of patriotism waiting to be exposed.

Have we set ourselves up for that opportunity? Are we prepared, that we have created areas of visibility to ensure that our New Hampshire residents know who we are and what we stand for? Have we been planning our upcoming programming initiatives to better serve those in need? Does our community know that we are here to help?

I found Helen Keller's quote pertinent to the time ... "Life is either a daring adventure or nothing at all". As Knights of Columbus, men of service to our communities and the Catholic Church, we have never been ones to cower in the background. We have found that excitement and magic, and the "personal reward" and daring adventure is where the success rests in our outreach, or it's nothing at all.

So, let's look at some of those opportunities, where the community can be invited to participate.

- Assemblies can host flag folding ceremonies, with a small reception afterwards.
- Assemblies can host a question and answer period with local Veterans, with a reception.
- Assemblies can offer to support and post Color Corps at local patriotic events or funerals.
- Assemblies can plan/host a benefit banquet for Veteran's Home, or benefit of a local program.

We will be called upon soon. When we are, we can either be ready for the "daring adventure", or do "nothing at all"

Most importantly, Assemblies should be looking at their 2nd and 3rd Degree Candidates, in an effort to bring them aboard the Patriotic 4th Degree, fast approaching on June 13th. We want to see you there.

Glenn P. Camley, IPSD

Glenn P. Camley, IPSD District Master Bishop Healy Province

"Of Note"

Calling for Newsletter contributions.

Please add me to your newsletter distribution list at qpcamley@gmail.com so that this Information can be a part of the Patriotic Review. Upcoming events, meeting dates, etc. Send all Information to District Master, Glenn P. Camley, IPSD



Still Looking for a 4th Degree Quartermaster with Storage Space



We are looking for a "4th Degree Quartermaster". The intention of this responsibility at this time, is that the Sir Knight would have a larger amount of space that supplies (formal shoes of all sizes, various amounts of available formalwear, various amounts of swords and baldrics, etc) can be inventoried and stored for use throughout the NH State Council. The hope is that the individual would be centrally located (Concord, Manchester, and Nashua). All individuals should contact

District Master, Glenn P. Camley at gpcamley@gmail.com

Prayer Request



Please keep the following Sir Knights and Family members in your prayers.

For long serving Sir Knight, Bill Brent, who recently passed away.

For continued health of PSD's Ed McCann and Joel Plante

For continued good health of our Brother Knights and families, during

the coronavirus (Covid-19) Pandemic.

Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, o Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking ruin of souls. Amen



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"Virtual" Biennial Meeting Sunday, May 17" 2020 12:00PM - 2:00PM



District Master, Glenn P. Camley, IPSD

Is pleased to announce the Bishop Healy Province, District of New Hampshire's

Biennial Meeting

Worthy Sir Knights and Brothers all,

An abbreviated Biennial Meeting will be held via "Go-To Meeting", to manage pressing business needs for the District of New Hampshire ...

A Fourth Degree Introduction

State Deputy Report * District Master Report * Vice Supreme Master Report

The nomination of THREE District Master Candidates to be sent to Supreme

Biennial Go-To Meeting Invitation for 4th Degree and select Guests, being e-mailed out

NH State Council Passes Important Resolutions

At our recent Annual State Convention for the New Hampshire State Council, the Delegates to the annual event, passed three important resolutions, showing important patriotic support in various ways.

The resolutions, "In Support of the American Flag", "In Support of Columbus Day" and "Honoring the Service to the United States Uniformed Forces by Military Service Men and Women", were sponsored by District Master, Glenn P. Camley, IPSD and passed unanimously, among those who voted.

The resolutions as voted on, are presented below.



Resolution In Support of the American Flag

Whereas, the American flag has for generations been a symbol and a beacon of hope, democracy, and liberty throughout the world as well as here at home, and

Whereas, the ceremonial presentation of our American flag and the playing of the national anthem are completely linked to the sacrifices of our great men and women who fought for and continue to fight for our country, and

Whereas, the United States of America, because of its founding principles and its citizens who are committed to tirelessly defend its freedoms and cultivate the virtues of freedom, democracy, and liberty for people who strive for peace and prosperity for all, is the best institution of government and the best defender against tyrants and evildoers who seek power, wealth, and influence at the expense of the rights of others,

Therefore, Be it resolved, that the Knights of Columbus urges the citizens of our nation to treat the presentation of the American flag, the Pledge of Allegiance, and the playing of the national anthem with dignity out of respect for the freedoms that these symbols represent, and in honor of the brave men and women who fought and died protecting such freedoms, and to find other ways to bring attention to issues of concern, as important as they may be.



Resolution In Support of Columbus Day

Whereas, on October 12, 1492, Christopher Columbus was the first of many to chart a course for the New World, and

Whereas, through Christopher Columbus's difficult journey across the Atlantic, he demonstrated for all to see, the strength of faith, courage, and individual initiative, and

Whereas, the readiness of Christopher Columbus to sacrifice the support of his home to pursue the unknown has inspired generations of adventurous explorers, and

Whereas, the Knights of Columbus have followed in the spirit of Christopher Columbus through the expansion of our Order, and

Whereas, Christopher Columbus continues to be a symbol of American individualism and progress, and

Whereas, Christopher Columbus has been honored and celebrated throughout the history of the United States, and

Whereas, Numerous Presidents have called upon the people of the United States to observe the day with appropriate ceremonies and activities, including the display of the United States flag on all public buildings in honor of Christopher Columbus, and

Whereas, Christopher Columbus had become an cultural hero as well as a national hero, and

Whereas, by commemorating the voyage of Christopher Columbus to the New World, Congress believed that the Nation would be honoring the strength and resolve, which enabled generations of immigrants from many nations to find freedom and opportunity in America,

Therefore Be It Resolved that the Knights of Columbus supports the celebration of Columbus Day and strongly urges the people of the United States to observe Columbus Day with appropriate programs and activities



Honoring the Service to the United States Uniformed Forces Provided by Military Service Men and Women



Whereas, countless men and women have given their lives in service to the United States on active duty and in retirement while providing support and comfort to their comrades and wounded brothers and sisters.

Be Resolved That, the members of the United States Uniformed Forces will continue to be treated with the honor commensurate with their service.

Be It Further Resolved That, this resolution honors the sacrifices made by servicemen and women on active duty as well as the services provided in retirement to all current and former



members of the United States Uniformed Forces.

Be It Therefore Resolved That, on the occasion of this New Hampshire Knights of Columbus State Convention the Delegates recognize the service that the men and women of the United States Uniformed Forces have provided to our country.



Be it further Resolved, that this resolution honors the sacrifices made by servicemen and women in combat as well as the services provided in retirement to members of the United States Uniformed Forces.

REGISTRATION

☐ Awards Recognition Celebration \$3	3,000
☐ Breakfast Sponsor\$2	2,000
☐ Flag Sponsor\$2	2,000
Golf Cart Sponsor\$	1,500
☐ Golf Ball Sponsor\$*	1,500
☐ Print Sponsor\$*	1,500
☐ Leader Board Sponsor	\$750
☐ Beverage Cart Sponsor ······	\$750
☐ Goody Bag Sponsor ·····	\$750
☐ Putting Green Sponsor	\$600

\$500

☐ Closest to Pin-Men \$500 ☐ Closest to Pin-Women \$500 Straightest Drive-Women

Straightest Drive-Women

Driving Range Sponsor

Scorecard Sponsor \$500

☐ Tee/Green Sponsor (2)
☐ Individual Player
☐ VIP Package (per player)

☐ Ball Washer Sponsor (2)

Company Name:

Contact Person

Contact Email:

Contact Phone

Billing Address:

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□ Check Enclosed.
 □ Please Bill My Company.
 □ Please Charge My American Express,
 Discover, MasterCard or VISA.

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Card Number | Exp. Date:

PLAYER ROSTER

Captain Email Address:

Captain Address, City, State:

Player 2:

Player 2 Email:

Player 3:

Player 3 Email:

Player 4:

\$500

\$400

\$350

Player 4 Email:

Please Submit Forms by June 12, 2020 to:

Ashley Kitchell Liberty House, Inc. 75 W. Baker Street Manchester, NH 03103 603.669.0761

RAFFLE PRIZES

We welcome donations of items for our raffle or for inclusion in our goody bags. Your gift will be recognized in the event program.









Veteran Golf Tournament

Please join us as a sponsor and/or foursome and celebrate the 3rd Annual FORE Veteran
Golf Tournament – benefiting Liberty House –
on Monday, June 26, 2020, at the Stonebridge Country Clube in Goffstown, NH. Shotgun start at 9:00AM.

TOURNAMENT FORMAT

The outing includes breakfast beginning at 7:30AM ends with an awards recognition celebration featuring food stations beginning at

Registration is limited to the first 128 paid awarded to the top four teams.

It's a fun day for a great cause! We hope you'll join us. Please fill out the appropriate form(s) on the back of this brochure.

Thank you for your support!

LIBERTY HOUSE

Charities New Hampshire – helps homeless and struggling Veterans by connecting them to available resources and providing a safe substance-free transitional house.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

AWARDS RECOGNITION CELEBRATION - \$3,000

- · Complimentary foursome Corporate recognition sign at the celebration. Corporate recognition banner.
- · Special recognition throughout event.

BREAKFAST - \$2,000

- Complimentary foursome Corporate recognition sign at breakfast.
- Corporate recognition banner. · Special recognition throughout event.

FLAG SPONSOR - \$2,000

- Two (2) complimentary player spots.
- Corporate name/logo featured on all flags.
- Corporate recognition sign.
 Special recognition throughout event.

GOLF CART SPONSOR - \$1,500 Two (2) complimentary player spots for 18

- · hole sponsor.
- · Prominent corporate signage on up to 64 carts.

GOLF BALL SPONSOR - \$1,500

Two (2) complimentary player spots.
Corporate name/logo on player golf balls included.

PRINT SPONSOR - \$1,500

- Two (2) complimentary player spots.
- Prominent signage.Full-page ad in event program.

GOODY BAG, LEADER BOARD OR BEVERAGE **CART - \$750**

Corporate recognition on goody bag, leader board, or cart.

PUTTING GREEN - \$600

· Corporate recognition sign at putting green.

LONGEST DRIVE, CLOSEST TO PIN, STRAIGHTEST DRIVE, DRIVING RANGE, OR SCORECARD - \$500

Corporate recognition sign at hole, driving range, or on scoreboard.

BALL WASHER (2) - \$400

- One (1) front nine. One (1) back nine
- · Corporate recognition sign per ball washer.

TEE/GREEN - \$350

- Corporate recognition sign at tee/green.
- VIP PACKAGE \$40.00 (Value \$85.00)
- · 15 Raffle tickets.
- 2 Mulligans front 9, back 9.
 Putting contest and more!

PRIZES PER TEAM

NOTE: All packages include corporate name/logo with link featured on the Liberty House website and acknowledgment in event program.



State Veterans Cemetery receives donations:

The New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery recently received a valuable donation from White Mountain Mulch in Jefferson, and Miracle Farms in Moultonborough. The companies recently donated mulch and equipment, to the Cemetery, as well as Crews to assist with the work.

This is the second year in a row they have provided this amazing service! They help make the Cemetery a beautiful, peaceful tribute to our veterans and their families.



VA and DoD Identification Card Renewal and Issuance Guidance



VA and the Department of Defense (DoD) have taken action to minimize the number of non-essential required visits to identification (ID) card offices during the coronavirus public health emergency. If you have a VA or DoD ID card that has expired or is getting ready to expire, here are your options.

VA-issued Veteran Health Identification Cards (VHIC):

• During the COVID-19 pandemic, Veterans enrolled in VA health care who are seeking a brand new VHIC (initial) should

contact their local VA medical facility for guidance on going to facility to request a card. Once issued, cards are valid for 10 years.

 Most Veterans will be able obtain a replacement VHIC (not initial VHIC) by contacting their local VA medical facility and making their request by phone, or they can call 877-222-8387, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. ET. Once their identity has been verified, a replacement card will be mailed to them.

DoD-issued ID Cards:

Detailed information concerning DoD ID Card operations during the coronavirus pandemic can be found at the DoD Response to COVID-19 – DoD ID Cards and Benefits webpage (https://www.CAC.mil/coronavirus). For all information regarding DoD-issued ID cards, please contact the Defense Manpower Data Center Identity and ID Card Policy Team at dhracacpolicy@mail.mil. Limited information follows:

Common Access Cards (CAC) (including military and civilian personnel):

- DoD civilian cardholders who are transferring jobs within DoD are authorized to retain their active CAC.
- Cardholders whose DoD-issued CAC is within 30 days of expiration may update their certificates online to extend the life of the CAC through Sept. 30, 2020, without having to visit a DoD ID card office in person for reissue. Directions for this procedure may be found at https://www.CAC.mil/coronavirus under News and Updates / User Guide Updating CAC/VoLAC Certificates.
- Cardholders whose DoD-issued CAC has expired will have to visit a DoD ID card office in person for reissuance. Visit http://www.dmdc.osd.mil/rsl to find a DoD ID card office near you and schedule an appointment at https://rapids-appointments.dmdc.osd.mil.

<u>DoD-issued Uniformed Services ID Cards (USID)</u> (including Reservist, military retiree, 100% disabled Veteran, and authorized dependent ID cards):

- Expiration dates on USID cards will be automatically extended to Sept. 30, 2020, within DEERS
 for cardholders whose affiliation with DoD has not changed but whose USID card has expired
 after Jan. 1, 2020.
- Initial issuance for first-time USID card-eligible individuals may be done remotely with an
 expiration date of one year from date of issue. The minimum age for first-time issuance for
 eligible family members has been temporarily increased from 10 to 14 years of age.

They haven't heard from you:

The daily casualties leave no doubt: with COVID-19, we face a once-in-acentury crisis on American soil.

National Guard soldiers and Airmen have now been deployed in every U.S. state and territory. They've swapped out civilian clothes for camouflage and deployed to fulfill dozens of critical needs, including:



- Assisting first responders with testing at hard-hit nursing homes
- Helping local food banks with distribution
- Putting critically-needed medical skills to work
- ★ Ensuring delivery of essential supplies and equipment
- ★ Sanitizing public spaces
- Helping to produce essential personal protective equipment



They are healthy and strong, but this virus is dangerous for everyone. As our heroes bravely face the risks associated with this unseen enemy, they need to hear from grateful Americans like you. Will you let them know that their sacrifice is appreciated with a message of support? We've set a goal — 20,000 messages of support — and we can't do it without the help of patriots like you.

You'd be surprised just how much a few kind words help our troops push through the toughest obstacles. As always, we thank you for supporting the men and women of America's military.

A word of thanks may be sent by ctrl + Click on the USO button above

Bishop Healy Province, District of NH: Color Corps Commanders

Brother Knights,

Below is a list of Color Corps Commanders for specific listed 4th Degree Assemblies. As you can see, when Ron Metevier, a member of the Master's Staff contacted or attempted contact with the Assemblies, there were a few Assemblies that we had a few issues with.

Some of the Assemblies did not respond to our request for contact and info. This is an area which we are looking to update for the State level, for the possibility of a presentation of Uniform being needed. If a specific Color Corps is not available in a noted area, we want to be able to reach out to and lean on another Assembly in the area for that support.

Some Assemblies responded that they do not have a Color Corps. While this is understandable for a few reasons, we on the District level want to be able to assist you in your Color Corps needs. Be it devising a plan that your Assembly can be represented for short term or even long term needs. We are always a phone call or e-mail away.

Some Assemblies responded with other needs, which we are working on tending to. However, we need to make sure that everyone understands that under no circumstances, are our Brother Sir Knights to continue using the now retired Cape and Chapeaux Regalia, which is no longer in use. We cannot say it enough, that further usage of the retired regalia, will result in reprimanding, up and to including possible membership repercussions.

If you are listed below as "no response", please reach out to District Master, Glenn P. Camley at (603)682-5318 or at gpcamley@gmail.com with the required information. Name, address, and phone number. Please also note, e-mail address is also requested. Thank you in advance.

Berlin-Gorham (632)	No response	Bristol-Plymouth (2478)	Francis Boulet
Claremont (635)	No response	Columbia (2317)	No response
Concord (627)	No Color Corp	Derry (3594)	No Color Corp
Dover (633)	Fred Ouelette	Epping (2644)	John Ste. Marie
Exeter (639)	No Response	Franklin (638)	Francis Ruffing
Jaffrey (2129)	Gary Wolpert	Keene (629)	Kevin Bedard
Laconia (628)	No Color Corp	Lancaster (634)	No Response
Lebanon (640)	No Response	Littleton (636)	Kevin Hastings
Manchester (626)	Mike Pitaro	Milford (1507)	
Nashua (1506)	Mike Chouinard	N. Conway (2318)	No Color Corp
Penacook (2403)		Portsmouth (1445)	Robbin DiPerre
Rochester (627)	Edward Hayes	Salem (641)	Frank Saglime

June 2020

4TH DEGREE UNIFORM RAFFLE

District Master, Glenn D. Camley Will be holding a 4th Degree Uniform RAFFLE from November 17, 2019 – May 23, 2020

The winning drawings will occur at our June 13, 2020 4th Degree, hosted by Rochester Assembly #0637.

You win and the District Master Fund wins.



A ticket template is archived on the New Hampshire State Council website at nhknight.org, to sell to your Brother Knights. For every 75 tickets returned with payment, 1 ticket will be randomly drawn for a new complete official 4th Degree Knights of Columbus Uniform. 150 Tickets sold equals two Uniforms, and so on ...

Each winning ticket drawn will receive

An official Navy Blue Blazer with 4th Degree Emblem Crest and Knights of Columbus Emblem,
Official 4th Degree Grey Trousers,

Official 4th Degree Necktie,

Official Black Beret with official 4th Degree Metal Badge.

There will be no cash substitution. Winning Uniform orders will be submitted by the District Master. All ticket stubs and checks must be mailed to Glenn Camley by Saturday, May 23, 2020

Glenn P. Camley
District Master
287 Daniel Webster Highway
Boscawen, NH 03303

Extra tickets for those who do not have printer capability, may be requested via e-mail at gpcamley@gmail.com or by calling 1(603)682-5318

UNIFORM RAFFLE



ENTER TO WIN A NEW COMPLETE 4TH DEGREE UNIFORM!

- OFFICIAL NAVY BLUE BLAZER WITH 4TH DEGREE EMBLEM CREST
- OFFICIAL GREY TROUSERS
- OFFICIAL 4TH DEGREE NECKTIE
- OFFICIAL BLACK BERET WITH 4TH DEGREE METAL BADGE

DRAWING TO BE HELD DURING THE EVENING AT THE BANQUET...ONLY \$10 PER TICKET

Fill out this short form and send in **BY MAY 23, 2020**. Raffle tickets WILL NOT be sold at the door.

<u>line</u> Thank you!		
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Number of tickets		



th Degree District of New Hampshire

\$1,000

Membership Campaign



District Master, Glenn P. Camley announces a NEW and EXCITING \$1,000 Membership Campaign. The Bishop Healy Province, District of New Hampshire, will be awarding "Financial Awards" to every Assembly that participates in this 2020 Degree Membership Campaign.

All members recruited during the campaign, up and until our June 2020 Degree in Rochester, will count toward the competition. The financial award will be based off of how many members have been recruited, and have taken their 4th Degree. The \$1,000.00 will be divided up based off how many members each Assembly recruits. <u>TEN</u> members receive their 4th Degree, each member will be worth \$100.00 toward the recruiting Assembly. <u>TWENTY</u> members receive their 4th Degree, each member will be worth \$50.00, <u>ONE HUNDRED</u> members receive their 4th Degree, and each member will be worth \$10.00 ... and so on

AWARDS will be announced by June 30th 2020

Further information, contact District Master, Glenn Camley at gpcamley@gmail.com or (603)682-5318

Calendar of Events:

Please pay attention to the various dates set by local parishes for Confirmations. Coordinate with your Parish Priests, in an effort to make sure that they are well served for Color Corps requests with the NEW Uniform. If there are any needs that arise, in which the assistance of the State District level is needed, please be sure to reach out to District Marshall, Ray Lemay.

A Muster Call will be forthcoming, regarding the Traditional Diaconate Ordination in May and the Priestly Ordination in June. Please stay tuned for more information.

May 1st May Day: May 3rd NH State Convention: "Virtual" May 5th Cinco de Mayo: May 8th Military Spouses Day: May 8th **World Red Cross Day:** *May* 10th Mother's Day: *May* 15th Police Officer's Memorial Day: *May* 16th **Armed Forces Day:** *May 17th* Biennial Meeting: "Virtual" See details in Newsletter. May 23rd 4th Degree Uniform Raffle Ends: *May 25*th **Memorial Day:** May 30th **Traditional Diaconate Ordination: St. Joseph Cathedral** May 31st Pentecost June 1st **Pentecost Monday** *June 6th* **Priestly Ordination: St. Joseph Cathedral** June 13th District of New Hampshire 4th Degree in Rochester, NH Iune 14th Flag Day

June 21st Father's Day Nashua cancels this year's Memorial Day Parade:



Nashua's 2020 Memorial Day parade, set for Monday, May 25, has been canceled.

Mayor Jim Donchess and Barney Barbera, chairman of the Mayor's Veterans Council, said Monday that the decision was made "in the interest of keeping Nashua residents healthy and safe in the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic."

"Like a lot of Nashuans, I very much look forward to our city's annual Memorial Day parade," Donchess said.

"The decision to cancel this year's event was a tough one, (but) in talking with Barney Barbera and other

members of the veterans' council, we decided to cancel it to protect our residents during this difficult time.

"Don't worry – next year's parade is already on our minds and we can't wait to start planning," he added.

Barbera said cemetery ceremonies that normally accompany the parade have also been canceled. He's looking forward to when Nashua is on the other side of this health crisis.





"To our veterans' groups, school bands and other participants, we are hoping to see you soon," said Barbera. "Keep doing what you're doing, stay safe."

Barbera added that the city's annual Veterans Day parade is still on this year, set for Nov. 11.

Concord's Memorial Day parade cancelled because of Pandemic:



The Concord Veterans Council canceled the city's annual Memorial Day parade on Thursday, following in the footsteps of other veterans groups across the state.

"We just didn't want to take a chance of getting a whole bunch of people around each other with all of the restrictions and public health concerns right now," said Paul Lloyd, president

of the Concord Veterans Council. "We can still honor the fallen, we just don't need to do a parade."

With Memorial Day still a month away, other towns and cities in the state have also raised concerns about hosting parades during the COVID-19 pandemic, and canceled their planned events to celebrate the holiday.

Officials in Seabrook called off their parade earlier this week. The New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery in Boscawen canceled its annual ceremony a more than month ago, Llyod said. Lloyd said Manchester's parade, one of the state's largest, is on hold for the time being. Organizers tasked with coordinating social larger events across the state have been in limbo as they try to plan into the summer months.

The Concord Veterans Council, which has organized the parade since 1950, will still put wreaths out on veteran's monuments in the city on Memorial Day weekend, Lloyd said. Volunteers have already been visiting the city's 14 cemeteries practicing social distancing as they replace flags near the headstones of service members. "They've been working on that individually for a few weeks, and that will continue until we're done," Llyod said.

Lloyd said the parade has been canceled once or twice – each time because of weather – since he joined the council in 2000. "We've been very fortunate to be able to do it every year," he said. Participation in the Concord Veterans Council was waning in recent years and in 2017, the group only comprised of three members: Lloyd, a secretary and treasurer. Recently, a few younger veterans, including Lloyd's stepson, have joined, he said. The group has 20 volunteers working to replace flags in the cemetery.

The veteran's council receives \$5,000 a year from the city to put on its events. He said the decision to cancel the Memorial Day parade was not an easy one. The group discussed its plans over the course of several weeks.

In addition to public safety concerns, Lloyd said the veterans group was worried about finding community members who would be able to participate in the parade.

"With school out, they weren't sure we would be getting school bands," he said. "Then, it's just a bunch of people walking down the street. You can't really have a parade without a band."

Form Due Dates

Inday 1st

July 1 st	Report of Officers chosen for the term. PDF available online (Form 186)
August 1st	Annual Assembly Audit Report. PDF available online (Form 1315)

of officers above for the town DDF available spline (Form 100)

No Due Date Survey of Fraternal Activity Worksheet. PDF available online. (1728A)

January 31st Annual Survey Fraternal Activity. PDF available online. (1728 Assembly)

June 30th Civic Award Application. PDF available online. (2321)

June 30th RSVP Refund/Plaque App. For Assemblies. PDF available online (2863A)

May 31st **"To Be a Patriot" Award** Entry Form PDF available online. (TBP-1)

Notes on "Form Due Dates"

It's not too late ...

There are some Assemblies that as of April 2020, have not filed the below reports. These reports are imperative in the operation of your Assemblies. Please remember that when you file these reports, that a copy needs to be e-mailed to both District Master, Glenn Camley as well as Vice Supreme Master, Richard McDermott. Those e-mails can be sent to the below addresses.

District Master, Glenn P. Camley, IPSD gpcamley@gmail.com

Vice Supreme Master, PSD rpmcdermott@charter.net

Assemblies not submitting Report of Officers for the 2019-2020 Term: (TERM 2020-2021 Coming DUE)

0627 0632 0636 01507 02317 02403 02478

Assemblies not submitting Annual Assembly Audit Report for Period Ending June 30, 2019:

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