



AAR Listing

Events requests are made by filling out and submitting this form to the United States of America Vietnam War Commemoration Events Team, with as many details as possible, a minimum of 90 days in advance of the event start date. Please be sure all fields are properly filled in. If you do not have information for a field enter "none". The use of any symbols will not allow for accurate submission.

* required fields

1. ORGANIZATION NAME *

The EC-47 History Site

2. NAME OF EVENT *

3rd Annual Commemoration Ceremony at the Weyandt-Eddy Plaza

3. EVENT LOCATION

a. SITE NAME (Example: The Pentagon) *

Goodfellow Air Force Base

b. STREET ADDRESS *

351 Kearney Blvd

c. CITY *

San Angelo

d. STATE *

TX

e. ZIP CODE *

76908

f. COUNTRY *

United States

4. START DATE OF EVENT (MM/DD/YYYY) *

3/28/2024



5. END DATE OF EVENT (MM/DD/YYYY) *

3/30/2024



6. ACTUAL ATTENDANCE (Numeric Entries Only) *

260

7. HOW MANY VIETNAM VETERANS WERE PRESENT? *

50

8. HOW MANY VIETNAM VETERAN FAMILY MEMBERS WERE PRESENT? *

100

9. DID YOU COLLABORATE WITH ANY OTHER COMMEMORATIVE PARTNERS? (If so, list the commemorative partners you collaborated with for the event.) *

All Veterans Council of Tom Green County, San Angelo, Texas



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10. ANY MEDIA COVERAGE? *

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11. SUMMARY *(Include the following information and anything else you would want other Commemorative Partners to know, such as: Was your event a success? How were your objectives fulfilled? Were there any issues that came up? List any helpful suggestions or changes for future and lessons learned. Attach additional pages as necessary. If unpresented lapel pins need to be returned to the program office, please indicate and we will send you a shipping label.) **

This event was open to the public and started with a welcome home social mixer/reception on Thursday evening at the San Angelo Clarion Hotel. Out-of-town attendees from 10 states and many Texas cities were Welcomed Home by the EC-47 History Site and Heritage Chapter-Freedom Through Vigilance Association members. The Friday morning Commemoration ceremony was hosted by the Goodfellow AFB Heritage Committee. The estimated 260 attendees included nearly 50 Vietnam veterans and 15 deceased Vietnam veteran surviving spouses.

Fifteen Vietnam veterans were individually introduced and called forward to be presented a Commemoration lapel pin and the EC-47 History Site Certificate of Appreciation. Nine surviving spouses were also introduced with a thumbnail sketch of the service of their deceased veteran spouses and their family dynamics.

The Wing vice commander delivered a localized version of the Commemoration-provided speech. The 344 Military Intelligence Battalion commander presented a tribute to the Army 138th Aviation Company (RR) (Army Security Agency airborne radio direction finding) mission.

Nearly 150 newly engraved plates were dedicated in the plaza. Many attendees received engraved plastic Keepsake replicas of bronze plate inscriptions placed in the Weyandt-Eddy Memorial Plaza in tribute to their service and the service of deceased spouses and/or family members.

A great time was had by all attendees. We appreciate the great support from the Commemoration staff.

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13. MATERIALS ACTUALLY USED: *(For each category of materials below, subtract the amount remaining from what was sent to you.) **

(1) ITEM

(2) QUANTITY USED

VWC Brochure	100
Vietnam Veteran Lapel Pin and Fact Sheet	25
Magnet: We Heart	25
Bumper Sticker: I served	25
Tin Pin: Family Member	100
2022 Presidential Proclamation	25
Other <input type="text" value="SSLP Fact Sheet"/>	25

Image 1

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Caption *



Navy veteran Chuck Kirking pinned by Col Corbett, 17TRW/CV

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Caption *



Army veteran James Gray (c) with 344 MIB/CC LTC McAllister.

Image 3

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Caption *



Mrs Linda Halfmann accepts surviving spouse Certificate of Honor from LTC McAllister.

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