



News and Updates

Happy Veterans Day!

Thank all those who have served in the Armed Forces. Your service and dedication to preserving our country's freedom inspires us.

We also want to thank all those who joined us on Saturday, October 23rd for The Victory Gala. We had over 130 guests, including representatives from the Jewish War Veterans, Disabled American Veterans, Montford Point Marines, Tuskegee Airmen, and American Legion. Several WWII veterans were also in attendance, including 103 year old WAC Cricket Poland, who served as a decoder.



WWII veteran and member of The Ritchie Boys Dr. Guy Stern was our Victory Award honoree. Guy gave an inspiring talk, reminding us all of why history matters and why The Michigan WWII Legacy Memorial's mission is so important.

Phase 1 details of The Michigan WWII Legacy Memorial's construction were also presented at the Gala. We are moving forward to secure permits, with construction slated to begin next spring.

We have much to be grateful for and thank everyone for your continued support!

A Stroll through The Victory Gala

Enjoy this short clip with scenes from The Victory Gala. What a great night!



Little Library Plea: We Need Books!



The Little Lending Library has been a huge success, but we need your help!

The shelves are almost empty. We are seeking donations of books relating to WWII geared to adults and youth. You can either take the books directly to the library, located near the picnic shelter at the north end of Memorial Park (13 Mile and Woodward) or contact us and we will arrange for a pick-up.

This is a great way to educate others on the history of WWII and the integral role Michigan played in the Allied victory.

Thank you in advance for your donations!

[I have books to donate! Contact me!](#)

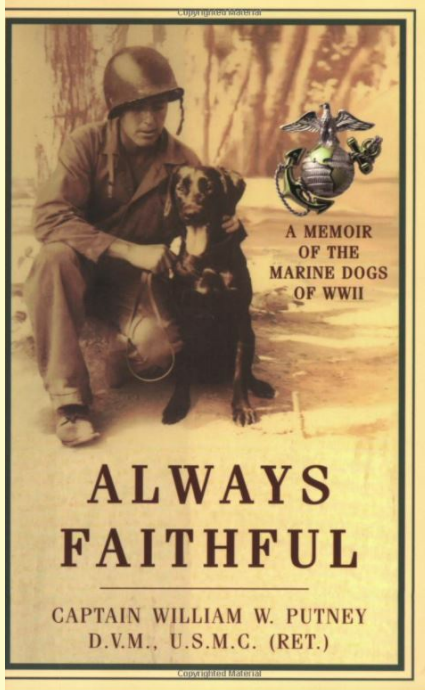
Book of the Month

Always Faithful, written by Captain William W. Putney, tells the story of the Marine Corps canine units who were an integral part of WWII battles.

Entering the war at 23 years old, the young veterinary was put in charge of the Third Dog Platoon and later became the chief veterinarian and commander of the War Dog Training School, where he trained former pets for war in the Pacific.

The book details WWII military canine training, the bonds soldiers formed with their dogs, the lives of these four legged soldiers who served bravely in battle and what their life was like following their service.

If you are an animal lover, history nut or just want a good read over the holidays, this is the book for you!



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