



The Veterans Council Member Organizations



- American Ex-Prisoners of War, Collier Chapter
- American Legion, Post 135
- Archie Turner AMVETS, Post 23
- Disabled American Veterans, Chapter 117
- Jewish War Veterans, Post 202
- La Societe des Quarante Hommes at Huit Chevaux (40 & 8)
- Marine Corps League, E.T. Brisson Detachment
- Military Officers Association of America, SW FL Chapter
- Reserve Officers Association of the US, Chapter 27
- Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 7369
- Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 7721
- Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 706
- Women in Military Service for America
- Women Marines Assoc.
- Operation Open Arms
- Freedom Eagles

SPECIAL THANKS TO:

- The Barron Collier High School Symphonic Band
- The JROTC Cadets of Barron Collier, Golden Gate, Gulf Coast, Lely, Naples & Palmetto Ridge High Schools
- Collier County Government Veterans Services
- Collier County Veteran Transportation Services
- Collier County Museum's "Soldiers of the Past"
- Knights of Columbus
- Naples Memorial Funeral Home & Cemetery

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ALL VETERANS ARE INVITED TO BECOME MEMBERS

Please call (239) 774-8448

Photos and information on this and other Veterans Council events may be viewed online at:

www.NaplesBay.com or www.CollierVets.org

Luncheon with cold drinks, coffee available to all at the Open House in the Memorial Funeral Home immediately after the ceremony.



In remembrance of those who have sacrificed and given their lives to protect and preserve our freedoms and our way of life...

Memorial Day Ceremony

26 May 2008

Naples, Florida

Presented by:

Collier County Veterans Council

Hosted by:

Naples Memorial Funeral Home & Cemetery
525 111th Avenue North - Naples, FL 34110



Memorial Day 2008

The 233rd year of Independence of the United States of America



- 0930 Hours -

Prelude

Barron Collier High School Symphonic Band
Kelly Parker, Director

- 1000 Hours -

Welcome

James H. Elson - Captain, U.S. Army (Ret.)
President, Collier County Veterans Council

Mass & Post The Colors

All Veteran Organizations

Invocation

J. Hamby Barton - Chaplain, U.S.Navy (Ret.)

Presentation of Colors & Pledge of Allegiance

Collier County Sheriff's Honor Color Guard

National Anthem

Barron Collier High School Symphonic Band

Acknowledgement of Special Guests

Reading of General Order #11 Issued 5 May, 1868

Roll Call of America's Wars

Collier County Museum's "Soldier's of the Past"

Remembering Those Who Have Served

Info to come

Presentation of Wreath in Honor of

Specialist Richard B. Burress, US Army

1st Battalion, 30th Infantry Regiment,
2nd Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division

KIA, 19 January 2008, Al Jabour, Iraq

The Burress Family

General

Major Blaine Ferguson, US Marine Corps

Sergeant William F. Figlesthler, US Marine Corps

Sergeant Albert Gubala, Jr, US Marine Corps

Presentation of Memorial Wreath

Julius "Jiggs" Futo - American Legion, Post 135

Veterans Service Officer

Barron Collier High School Band Bagpipers

Honor Guard Rifle Salute

Marine Corps League / VFW Ritual Teams

Taps

Robert McDonald - Sergeant, U.S. Army Air Corps (Ret.)

Benediction

Info to come

Retire the Colors

All Veteran Organizations

- 1100 Hours -

Postlude

Barron Collier High School Symphonic Band



"Taps"
Day is done, Gone the sun,
From the lakes, From the hills, From the sky,
All is well, Safely rest, God is nigh.

