

DECEMBER 2020
UPDATE



Redstone Arsenal
Military & Civilians' Club

DECEMBER UPDATES

Please read through our reminders and updates on some events, meetings and fundraisers.

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and Veterans

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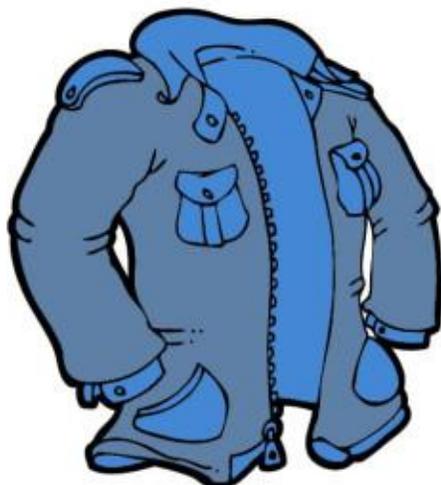
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Military & Civilians' Club

COAT AND TUT FANN DRIVE FOR THE HOMELESS AND VETERANS



**SPONSORED BY:
AMERICAN LEGION POST 237 BASEBALL**

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12TH
10AM UNTIL 2PM**

**DROP OFF SERVICEABLE MEN'S AND
WOMEN'S COATS AND ITEMS FROM THE TUT
FANN WISHLIST AT:
AMERICAN LEGION POST 237
2900 DRAKE AVE. SW
HUNTSVILLE, AL**

Please Drop Items for Tut Fann Veterans at the American Legion Post 237 Baseball Drive on Saturday, December 12th from 10AM until 2PM



Tut Fann Veterans Home
Resident Wish List
"Serving Those Who Served"

Floyd E. "Tut" Fann State Veterans Home
2701 Meridian Street
Huntsville, AL 35811
256-852-5170

If you have questions regarding a donation, please contact:
Rae Kryc: Monday – Friday between the hours of 8:00 am – 4:00 pm
@ (256) 852-5710 ext. 2270 / rkryc@hmvsi.com

Donate Money to the Veterans Benevolent Fund

Veterans Benevolent Fund donations allow us to assist the residents in many different areas such as providing personal care items and various activities in house and outside the Home.

If you would like to financially support the veterans at Floyd E. "Tut" Fann State Veterans Home

Make checks payable to:

Floyd E. "Tut" Fann State Veterans Home

Attention: Activity Department

2701 Meridian Street, Huntsville, AL 35811

Donate Items

Miscellaneous: We do NOT accept used medical equipment, books/magazines, or home-baked goods

- Music Therapy: SanDisk Clip Jam mP3 players & over the head headphones (*not in ear headphones*)
CD's: Greatest Hits – Country, R&B, Jazz, Gospel, Big Band, 50's, 60's, 70's
- Audio Books: westerns, mysteries, women's
- Small CD players for veteran's rooms
- Handheld Electronic Games (Mega Screen Electronic Poker, Blackjack, Solitaire, Slot)
- Veteran Ball Caps (WWII, Korea, Vietnam; military branches; general veteran)
- Magazine/Newspaper subscriptions -*multiple subscriptions needed* (Outdoor Life, Time, National Geographic, Sports Illustrated, Motor Trend, Military History, Field & Stream, Reader's Digest Large Print, Birds & Blooms, Discover, Classic Car, Car & Driver, Popular Mechanics, Rolling Stone, In-Fisherman, Speedway Illustrated)
- New Art Supplies: watercolor paints, acrylic paints, watercolor paper, small canvases, paint brushes, foam paint brushes, small wood crafts/wood paintables, glue, glue sticks, military scrapbook paper/stickers

Let us do the shopping – Donate a gift card! VISA/MC, Wal-Mart, Dollar Tree, iTunes.

Toiletries: NO travel sizes

- Body wash ('manly scents' – Axe, Old Spice, etc.)
- After shave (NON-ALCOHOL, no glass)
- Shampoo/Conditioner ('manly scents')
- Toothpaste/Mouthwash (NON-ALCOHOL)
- Lotion
- Lip Balm
- Rechargeable Electric Razors

Do NOT need:

Toothbrushes
Hairbrushes/combs
Tissues
Q-tips/ Cotton balls
Blankets/Afghans

Clothing: NEW clothing items are accepted

- Men's White Undershirts (primarily sizes L and XL; some M, 2XL, 3XL)
- Men's Belts – large sizes 36-50
- Men's House Shoes/Slippers – non-slip, not slip-on) – sizes 9-10, 11-12

Other Donation Ideas:

- Sponsor a 'Bingo for Bucks' game day – played every Thursday --\$70
- Have a meal delivered to the veterans
- Sponsor a holiday party or random party (provide food/snacks, drinks, goodies for the veterans)
- iPads, Kindle Fires for veterans' independent activities and to allow for communication with their families
- Always accepting full-size candy bars (used as Bingo prizes every Monday) and individually packaged snacks (bags of chips/crackers/cookies, Cracker Jack, mini cans of soda, beef jerky, pudding, applesauce)

*RSAMCC
January Luncheon
Has been CANCELLED*



In consideration of the health and well-being of our RSAMCC members, their families, and the Summit staff we have chosen to cancel our January Luncheon.

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RSAMCC Community

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RSAMCC Book Club

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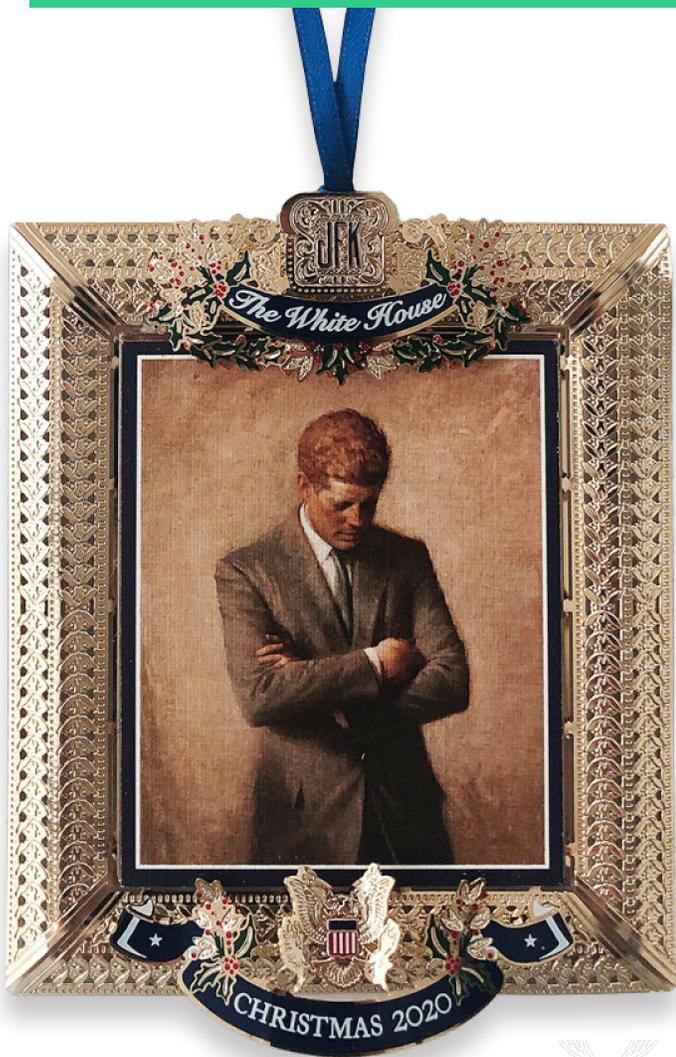
RSAMCC Adventure Club

RSAMCC Lunch Bunch

RSAMCC Bunco

RSAMCC Day Trip Divas

Ways and Means



Since 1981, The White House Historical Association has been proud to design and manufacturer the Official White House Christmas Ornament. Collecting and giving these unique ornaments has become a holiday tradition for millions of Americans.

All ornament sales support the mission of the nonprofit, nonpartisan Association to protect, preserve, and provide public access to the history of the White House.

THE OFFICIAL 2020 WHITE HOUSE

Christmas

HONORING
JOHN F. KENNEDY

RSAMCC is selling the 2020 JFK White House Ornaments for **\$25**. If you wish to order please email Fern Brazda at RSAMCCwaysandmeans1@gmail.com

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The RSAMCC Mask



For a limited time, you can order an official RSAMCC Lemon Squeezy Mask! Masks are \$18 and can be ordered by emailing Fern Brazda our Ways & Means Chair at RSAMCCwaysandmeans1@gmail.com. You can pay online thru Paypal for a small fee or pay in person at the September Luncheon where you can pick up your mask. If our limited stock is still available at the luncheon you can purchase there.

Don't forget you must email Fern to make sure your mask is reserved!





If you are attending the event on December 19th to lay wreaths at the cemetery in Tennessee please click going on our FB event or contact Fern at **rsamccwaysandmeans1@gmail.com** so she has a count of those coming

Online Meeting



Gala in the Garden 2021

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16TH
NOON
GOOGLE MEET

link: meet.google.com/suj-qmbn-osg

or meet code: suj-qmbn-osgs

Contact Cherie at
rsamccfundraising@gmail.com



Gala in the Garden 2021

Basket Donations Needed

Below are two ways you can help with Gift Basket Donations for the Silent Auction at the RSAMCC Gala . The money raised by the silent auctions directly fund our Merit Scholarship and Community Assistance Grants Programs.

If you are an RSAMCC Sub-Club Member, would you like to donate an item or several items to one of our 9 Sub-Club Baskets? Please contact Lyssa Barrow at rsamccactivitieschair@gmail.com or text 813-713-1402 to get a list of the basket themes and arrange for pick up.

Do you know someone or a business that would donate a gift basket? If so please contact Stacey Harring at RSAMCCfundraising@gmail.com or text 703-853-8818. If you are not a sub-club member and would like to donate an item or items or funds directly to a basket, please contact Stacey.





Gala in the Garden 2021



Spirit Donations

The Gala Committee is in need of spirit donations for the fundraiser games at the Gala in the Garden. The funds raised go directly to the RSAMCC Scholarships and Community Grants.

You can donate several ways....

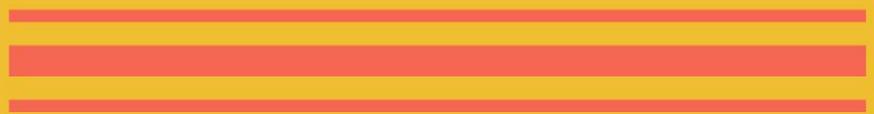
Bring your donations to an RSAMCC event in December and January
(Luncheons, Sub-Club events, Committee meetings, etc....)

Or...Contact Stacey Haring at RSAMCCfundraising@gmail.com or text
703-853-8818 to make arrangements to drop off your donation.





Free2Teach



Eula Battle, First Lady of Huntsville, and Honorary Member of the Redstone Arsenal Military and Civilians' Club lost her fight with cancer a few months ago. Eula founded the nonprofit Free 2 Teach, a charity that gives free school supplies to public school teachers in all three systems in Madison County, so they do not have to pay out of their own pocket. The charity has now distributed over \$7 million in school supplies to teachers in the area. To learn more or to donate please see their website:

[HTTPS://FREE-2-TEACH.ORG/IMPACT/DONATE/](https://free-2-teach.org/impact/donate/)



— HUNTSVILLE —
BOTANICAL
GARDEN



Don't forget to check
out our RSAMCC
display in the Galaxy
of Lights at the
Botanical Garden
November 13 -
January 2

Galaxy
of Lights

CELEBRATING
25
YEARS



— HUNTSVILLE —
BOTANICAL
GARDEN

GALAXY OF LIGHTS

VIP PASS

MEMBERSHIP DRAWING WINNERS

Congratulations to:

Andi Green

Jennifer Weaver

Leigh Ann Toth

Melinda Dellert

Tonya Boutwell-Statom

Galaxy of Lights

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Vote for Galaxy of Lights!



We are thrilled to announce that Galaxy of Lights is a contender for USA TODAY's **Best Botanical Garden Holiday Lights!**

We need your help to win!

Vote for Galaxy daily through December 7.
To vote, scan the QR code or enter the URL below.



<https://bit.ly/3lreKGH>

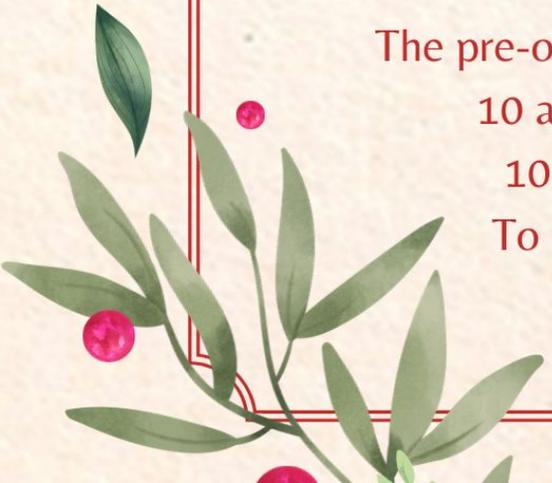


HOLIDAY MEALS AT THE *Summit*

“During this global pandemic, we wanted to remove a little stress from families by traditional holiday meals in carry-out form,” Derrick Gould, director of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation, said. “It’s one way to be safe and start a new tradition for Redstone, with a COVID-twist, of course.”

The meal packages cost \$96 and serves up to eight people. It includes a choice of meat entrée, three sides, a dessert and The Summit’s cranberry-orange marmalade yeast rolls. Additional sides and desserts can be purchased for \$12 each.

Anyone with access to Redstone, including recreation badge holders, are eligible to order the meal. The last day to order is Dec. 18, but orders can be picked up until Dec. 24. All orders need to be placed 72 hours in advance.



The pre-ordered meals can be picked up from
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on weekdays and
10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturdays.
To place an order, call 842-9600.

THANK YOU!

WE APPRECIATE
EVERYTHING YOU DO AND
GIVE IN SUPPORT OF THE
REDSTONE ARSENAL MILITARY
& CIVILIANS' CLUB!

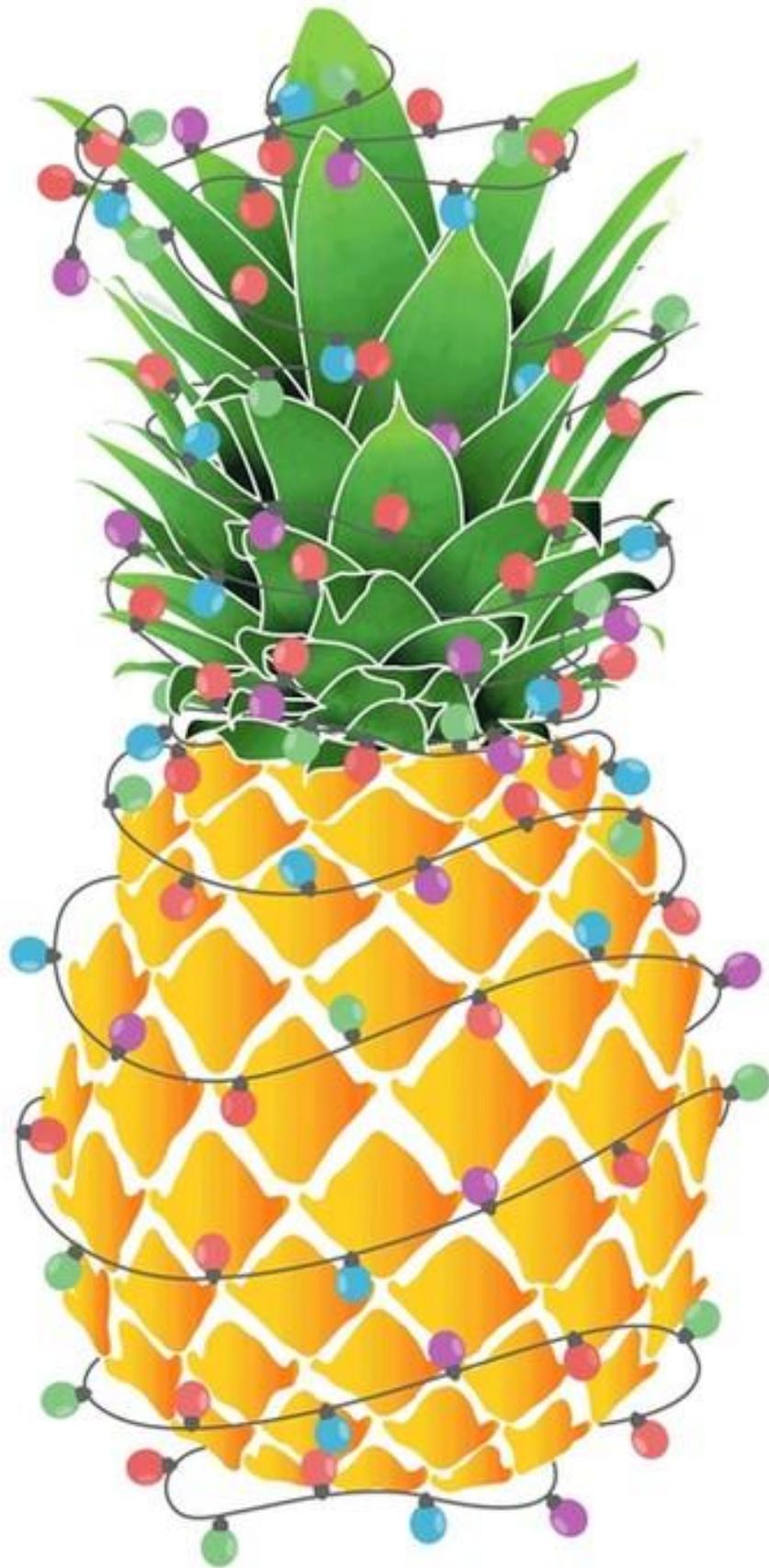


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