



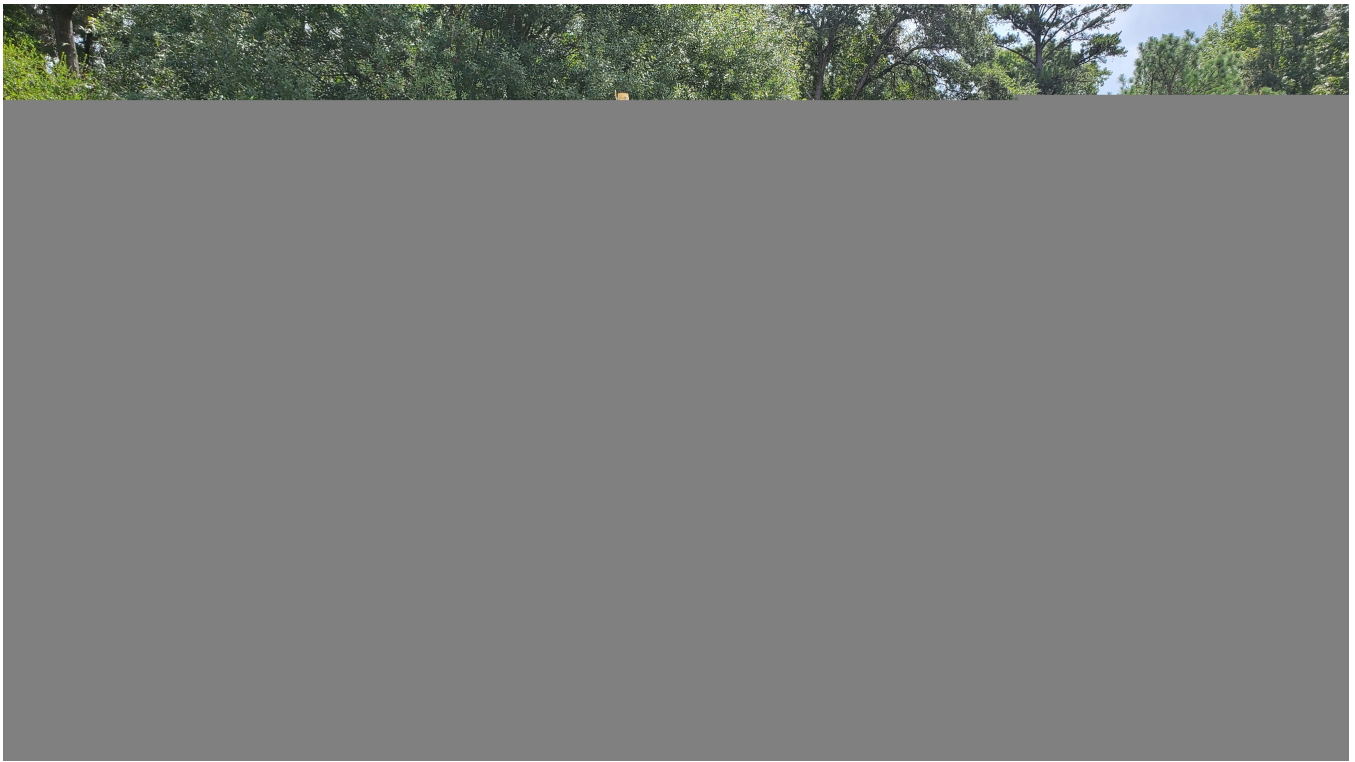
September 2021

Our Mission

To integrate military and civilian resources through one central location providing efficient and effective support and fellowship for Veterans, active duty, reserves, guards and their families.

Welcome to Roll Call, the monthly newsletter to keep you informed about what is going on at CampV.

August Recap



The Introduction to Archery was a huge success, despite the rain. Rain seems to be a common theme for our events, we promise we are not doing it on purpose. Dozens came out to learn about archer from Olympic level coach Elijah Basnett, a Marine Veteran. Despite the heat and rain the event was a lot of fun. We will be doing more of them in the future, whether you are experienced or not come on out and make sure you don't miss out on the next one and all the fun.



The CampV beekeeping peer group officially meets the first and third Saturday of each month at CampV. Each hive needs weekly attention though, allowing for unofficial meetings to conduct hive maintenance. This allows us to accommodate more schedules and include more people. It is open to Veterans and their families with children encouraged to attend with their parents, this can be and is a family friendly peer group and hobby. Limited gear is needed to participate, a bee suit with a veil or jacket with a veil, and gloves are all that you really need. If cost is an issue, please talk to one of CampVs Veteran advocates to find out if CampV can help.

If you would like to join the peer group or would like more information, please call us at 903-566-1010 or email Casey at casey@campvtyler.com, or feel free to stop by and talk to a Veteran Advocate. With our own apiary (bee yard) on site you don't have to go far to get in on the action. We look forward to hearing from you and having you in the group.

Upcoming Events

We have several events that are coming up soon!

SHORT RANGE

Rally Point Luncheon

Come out for a free lunch and camaraderie with your fellow veterans.

Upcoming Dates: September 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th

Time: 1200 - 1300

Location: CampV / Greenzone Recreation Center

Beekeeping Peer Group

Come out and learn what it takes to keep bees and all the benefits that go along with it.

Upcoming Dates: September 4th and 18th

Time: 1000 - 1200

Location: CampV / Back Campus

Women's Center Meet and Greet

Come out and hang out with female Veterans and female spouses.

Date: September 7th

Time: 1730-1930

Location: CampV Women's Center

Honoring Vietnam Veterans

September 11th

Time: 1300-1700

Location: Armed Forces Reserve Center: 13529 TX-31 Tyler Tx

Contact Jessilyn Edwards at 903-261-0639 to RSVP

Smith County and CampV Community Outreach

September 16th

Time: 6:00 pm

Location: CampV

To Inform the Veterans and the public of the services offered by both The
Smith County Veteran Services Office and CampV

Texas Veteran Military Show 2021

September 18th

Time: 0800-1700

Bullard, Tx

LONG RANGE

Vino For Vets

Our annual live auction and dinner raising awareness and proceeds to assist
military Veterans

Date: October 2nd

Time: 6:00 pm

Location: Holly Tree Country Club

Tickets available for purchase via our [website](#) and [HERE](#)

Rally Point Luncheon

Come out for a free lunch and camaraderie with your fellow veterans.

Upcoming Dates: October 5th, 12th, 19th, and 26th

Time: 1200 - 1300

Location: CampV / Greenzone Recreation Center

Beekeeping Peer Group

Come out and learn what it takes to keep bees and all the benefits that go
along with it.

Upcoming Dates: October 2nd and 16th

Time: 1000 - 1200

Location: CampV / Back Campus

Van Zandt Military Show

October 16th

Time: 8am - 5 pm

Pavilion 4000, 1st Monday Trade Day
Canton, Tx

As always you can stay up to date on all of our events by checking out our [website](#) or liking the CampV [Facebook page](#).

Success Stories



We like to celebrate the successes that our Veteran clients have. This month we would like to share the story of William Morris.

We here at CampV try to do our best for the Veterans and families that come in. Often times those same Veterans have had a hard time with something before. This Veteran, William Morris, is one of them. As you will see in his letter he has had a hard time applying for VA benefits. This is Williams story.

“I am a Navy Veteran that served during the Vietnam era assigned to a fixed wing air squadron that was assigned to an aircraft carrier. The ship and our air group participated in a West Pac deployment Vietnam.

In May and September of 2019 I filed for benefits relating to health issues and PTSD concerns with the Veterans Administration through a Veteran's Service organization to assist with my claims associated with those service related problems. As with many other Veterans, I had difficulties with the process.

I was told by another Veteran about CampV and the types of support that they provide. I was told specifically to contact Wayne with CampV for assistance.

After meeting with Wayne Dickson and explaining my situation, he took the time to assist in an earlier appeal for one of my previous claims. He then assisted with my PTSD claim explaining in detail how the process should proceed. He then provided suggestions and recommendations to help me through that process.

I originally met with Wayne Dickson on March 8, 2021 and with his guidance, my PTSD claim was successfully resolved in May 2021 with a positive outcome.

I would personally like to thank Wayne Dickson for his ability to navigate the process properly. I highly recommend Wayne Dickson to anyone that needs help in applying for or appealing their claims. I believe it's important to have Veterans of his caliber and knowledge to help guide other Veterans through the complexities of the Veterans Administration's benefits claims procedure."

Service Provider Highlights



Camp V Partnership Raises Almost \$100K in Annual Benefits in First Five Months

Veteran Caregivers, having an office at Camp V, helps War time Veterans and Spouses obtain the Aid & Attendance Pension. If you are 65 and older and in the need of assistance, the Pension will help pay for in-home care, assisted living, and other medical expenses. The benefit also offers additional cash for those who qualify.

Since our start date at Camp V of March the 1st, 2021, we have raised over \$92,928 in annual benefits for Camp V clients. It's a nice start for our initial three months, but we expect to do over \$1 Million in benefits by the end of 2021. The word is getting out there about Camp V and local Hospitals and Clinics are reaching out to learn more about these benefits, CEO Scott Wells commented.

Veteran Caregivers, currently services over \$3 Million in annual benefits for local Veterans and Spouses. These Federal Funds are Tax Free to the Veteran/Spouse and is a nice boost to the local economy.

Too many Veterans are unaware of this tremendous benefit. We are asking everyone in the community to generate awareness about the program. If you know of a Veteran or Spouse who is in need of additional funds to pay for In Home Care, Assisted Living, or other Medical Expenses you should reach out to Camp V.

We can pre-qualify anyone over the phone with just a few questions. If you fit the requirements set by the VA, we will fill out your application and submit it to the VA asap. We have a good track record for quick approvals and look forward to helping anyone who is in need.

Click [HERE](#) to meet the staff of Veteran Caregivers

Click Here to Help Veterans in East Texas Now!



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