

MEMORIAL DAY, Monday, May 29

In 1967 the impressive Avenue of Flags was formed with a total of 46. This total number of deceased veterans represented by an American Flag given by their families above each grave at the beautiful Oberlin Cemetery now totals 381.

Post Flag-By Memorial
Allacher, Gustave
Johnson, Carl
Beall, Stanley
Shields, Francis
McChesney, Carl
Gardner, George
King, W.G.
Wilson, Glenn
Smith, Luke
Riley, Ross
Watson, Nathen
Nygren, Arvid
Fred, Amos
Ricketts, Harry
Stevenson, Charles
Flaska, Charles
Soderlund, Wayne
Cochran, Merlin
Bosler, N.C.
Enyeart, Bill
Claar, Lawrence
Bauer, Arling
St. Clair, Emmett
Woodside, Harley
Birdsell, Keith
Kyte, Millard
Nicodemus, Neil
Miller, William
Heitman, Henry
Peterson, Edwin R.
Corcoran, Bruce
Kennedy, Jim
Orten, Henry
Hesterman, John
Hickert, Marcellus
Young, Robert
Beall, Roy
Ploussard, John
Robertson, Archie
Morton, Howard
Gierhart, Glenn
Landau, Rell
Vale, J.F.
Lohofener, Keith
Counter, Clem
Bobbitt, Ray
Cathcart, Addison W.
King, Glenn
Ufford, Herbert
May, Willis
Dean, Wayne
Canaga, Wes
McKinzie, Jay
Zodrow, Lawrence
Miesner, Fred
Roach, Mike
Montgomery, Harry
Anderson, Wilmer
Mazanek, John Jr.
Flaska, Glenn
Harshman, Wayne
Morton, J.W. "Jake"
Diehl, Robert
Kathka, Vollie
Allen, Fred Gordon
Grogan, Robert L.
Bickford, Dr. Kenneth
Linn, LeRoy

Lincoln, George
Harman, Rex
Petracek, Dan
Ames, Asa
Riley, William S.
Johnston, Oren
Vale, Archie M.
Wilson, Harry
Black, Austin
Reager, Albert
Orr, Loyde
Urban, Fred
Williams, Donald
Manning, Jerome "Shorty"
Jackson, Franklin
Claussen, Victor
Ruzicka, Louis
Miller, Albert
Ruzicka, Laverne "Chiz"
Rogers, Neil W.
Hague, Raymond
Paddock, Charles
Willcoxon, John
Walker, Ardith
Davison, E.A. "Hap"
Beardsley, Henry
Paddock, C.H.
Jones, Ira F. "Doc"
Muirhead, LeRay
Jorn, Chris
Sage, Rex
Leitner, Earl
Wilson, Lee
Ellis, Frank
O'Toole, James
O'Toole, Frank
Watson, Charles
Orthmann, La Vern
Bower, W.J.
Ploussard, Nick
Landau, Vincent
Wade, George T.
Heller, Glen
Holliday, Floyd
McGee, Lyle
Ehler, Fred
Bryan, Guy
Dowdall, Ira
Kahlor, Roy
Huff, Clint
Robertson, Edwin
Castle, Robert
Harris, Wayne
Phillips, Hardy L.
Kelly, Emery
Robertson, Merlyn
Coleman, Clint
Bryan, Glen
Clark, Ralph
Adamson, Eston
Fisher, Gilford
Olson, Levi
Benton, Earl
Heisel, Loyal
Anderson, Lt. Wm. H.
Area, Rex Duane
Hatch, Carl
Wilson, John
Lovejoy, Richard

Metcalfe, Elmer
Portschy, Walter P.
Vernon, Ernest E.
Janousek, Fred
Kahlor, James
Reigan, Ralph O.
Tuxhorn, Louis
Schultz, George
Soderlund, William
Paddock, K.C. "Bob"
Robertson, Frank
Shaughnessy, Harold
Olson, Dwaine
Edfan, Ora
Kennedy, Jerry
Thomsen, Rollie
VanMeter, M.J.
Jaderborg, M.E.
Ellmers, Criss
Anderson, Melvin
Marshall, Jim
Noren, David
Soderlund, Dean
Stinson, Charles
Moeder, Frank
Wingfield, Roy T.
Macy, Calvin Reed
Lockard, Francis
Anderson, Carl A.
Soderlund, Alfred
Area, Jesse D.
Area, Orville F.
Berry, Carroll
Schmoker, Lois
Barratt, Leroy
Wenger, Virgil F.
Pryor, Bill
Cochran, Harold
Fredrickson, Robert
Sutton, Basil
Magers, Ike
Zimmerman, Don
Simpson, Harry
Stanley, Norman
Fair, Leonard
Sheehan, Thomas
Birdsell, Ray
Walkey, Walter
Anderson, Arthur
Kahlor, Eldon
Mackey, Martin
Bryan, Bob
Soderlund, Larry
Lovejoy, Roland
Lippelmann, Gordon
Vernon, Guy
Blickenstaff, Lloyd
Hackney, Gerald
Graves, Herbert
Young, Dennis
Stone, Wilbur
Betts, J.R.
Croft, Mary (Urban)
Bruggeman, Francis
Young, Dr. R.G.
Olson, Lowell
Walinder, Lloyd
Tally, Robert
Nellans, George

Hollenhors, Charles
Bennett, Roy
Crawford, Donald C.
Wenger, Dwight
Wenger, Duane
Burg, Albert
Warner, Jess
Wells, Richard
Stoney, Frank
Emerson, Robert "Bob"
Pavlicek, Raymond J.
Goltl, George G.
Dempewolf, Gerald
McMullen, Francis
Strohwig, Frank
Urban, Kenneth
Gunther, Dale
Matheny, Enoch
Hanson, John W.
Raymond, Earl
Canfield, Dan
Hayes, Dorce
Bryan, Claxton Ray
Krizek, Everett
Eckhardt, Wayne
Morgan, Robert
Chambers, Lawrence
Smith, Everett
Morrish, Guy
Wolfram, George
Counter, Tom
Chenault, Gilbert
Cook, John
Railsback, Cloyd
Holliday, Lloyd
Warren, Bill
Leake, Russell
O'Toole, Emmett
Fortin, Keith
Blessman, Leroy
Temme, Herbert C.
Rathbun, Leo Marvin
Anderson, Carl M.
Schwisow, W.W. "Bill"
Chapman, Rufus
Aase, Duane
Gillian, Albert
McKinzie, V.G.
Weidner, Rudy
Bailey, Merle
Smalberger, Lloyd
Walinder, Ruben
Rydquist, Evald
Malone, Francis C.
Rounsley, Harold N.
Witt, Waldeane
Grabosky, John E.
Castor, Harold
Wade, Alfred
Matousek, Raymond
Guinn, Benjamin F.
Garner, Arthur
Hawkins, Jess
May, Elbert
Ward, John Jr.
Kendall, Harry
Robertson, "Tude"
Miller, Ben
Wolf, George

Bremer, John Eugene
Johnson, Lowell
Dean, Ed
Juenemann, Bernard
Martin, Ed
Shafer, Gerald
Young, Chuck
Miesner, Bill
Claar, Ward
Haas, Mike
Vernon, Doyle
Winkler, F.R.
Harmon, Murel
Smith, Clayton
Johnson, Lyle
Manning, Kenny
Adamson, Everett
Marcuson, Albert
Holliday, Floyd Allen
Schweitzberger, Bill
Taylor, Melvin L.
Dowling, A.J.
Bailey, Clarence S.
Cochran, Larry
Riley, Robert R. Jr.
Ike, George
Wennihan, Maynard
Mott, Glenn
Addleman, Ted
Hackney, Herman
Kathka, Harley
Campbell, Roy
Carter, Leslie
Worcester, Lawrence
Moore, Malcolm A.
Schweitzberger, Garrold
Smith, Dean C.
Orr, Roger
Lindquist, Robert E.
Bogart, Elwood E.
Gierhart, Frank
Sutton, Leo
Burd, Doyle M.
Smith, James E.
Urban, Anthony
Zimmerman, K.L.
Still, Lee
Fisher, Cleo R.
Bradley, Orvin
Capps, Vidal
Tadlock, Mack
Pester, Earl
Jording, Walter
Newcomb, Leonard Sr.
Rounsley, Delbert
Vernon, Kenneth
Ruzicka, P.A.
Wayne, William
Bailey, Buck
Lohofener, Eugene
Jording, Henry
Brown, Harold E.
Zimmerman, Byron
Hoff, Richard Lawrence
Hirth, Wallace
Muirhead, Atley
Meixner, Elvin
Lemman, Don
Nemeth, Phil E.

Vavroch, Edward
Kaspar, William "Bill"
Cushenbery, L.F.
Cleland, Mark R.
Jording, Leonard
Hasselbusch, Mark
McCartney, Evan Lee
Hayward, Laurel L.
Waterman, Gerhardt
Porter, Charles
Berry, Rex
Bobbitt, Max L.
Anderson, Howard H.
Munson, W.D.
Bader, Kendel
Richardson, Dale
Carter, Merald K.
Schmahl, Wayne
Corcoran, Lloyd
Fringer, Francis
Bryan, Gaylord
Tophane, George
Jorn, Donald H.
Pavlicek, Theodore
Bremer, George D.
Vavroch, Fred
Ketterl, Laverne
Votapka, John Neil
Ebert, Duke D.
Vavroch, James
Schupbach, Cortlan R. Sr.
Pollnow, Vollie
Mackey, Vyrl
Portschi, Eldon G.
Richardson, Dean
Machart, Harold
McKisson, Martin
Macfee, Frank
Larreau, Kenneth E.
Miller, Lyman
Railsback, Gordon
Hayward, Glenwyn
Barton, DeLaine
Cathcart, Gerald
Buk, George W.
Jackson, James
Boyd I, R.P.
McLaughlin, Bob
Harris, Don
Snow, Walter L.
Gamblin, Richard
Robertson, Jim
Woodside, Darrel
Gallatin, Keith
Hess, Daniel J.
Bearley, John
Jorn, Douglas
Munson, Myron J. "Mike"
Corcoran, Joe
Nothdurft, John T.
Manning, Tom
Bartley, Edwin
Harms, Timothy
Johnson, Henry
Cameron, Lyle
Brown, Leslie T.
Anderson, Leland
Morrisette, Harold
Bendon, 1st. Lt. Leo

Morton, Ivan
Walton, Glen O.
Betts, Jake Jr.
Smith, Galen
Larreau, Richard L.
Lippelmann, Gustave H. Jr.
Collins, Charles
Whetzel, Robert D.
Glenn, Robert C.
Maggard, Lloyd L.
Frickey, Carl
Eiler, Floyd
Koerperich, Eugene
Gaines, Dale
Moore, Lona Faye
Tacha, Elmer J. "Judge"
Rehm, Harold
Area, Harold
Area, Max
Robison, Harold
Bolliger, Rex
Flaska, Emil R.
Sulzman, Norbert A.
Leitner, Marvin (Perk)
Amack, Randall
Hayward, Fearl Elden
Ray, Miles
Uehlin, Alvin
Frickey, Wendell T.
Wesch, Francis
Westervelt, Donald R.
Wheeler, Wayne L.
Sloan, Dennis L.
Dickinson, James Logan
Temme, Margaret E.
Helmkamp, Fred
Jording, Duane A.
Screen, James P.
Van Pelt, Ross
Gilbert, James
McIntire, Melvin J.
Courange, Irvan F.
Urban, Franklin
Van Otterloo, Eugene
May, Reinhard
Bricker, James 'Jim'
Smith, Rhomine E.
Harold, Cloyce 'Red'
Ecker, Eugene M.
Garver, Ray
Holmberg, Arthur N.
Shimek, Lester F.
Overmiller, Dale
Bryan, Floyd 'Smokey'
Zodrow, Elmer
Rydquist, Kenneth H.
Metcalfe, R.J. 'Jack'
McKenna, Louis E. 'Ed'
Carlisle, Dale R.
Diehl, Rex E.
Lamb, John A. 'Jack'
Morris, Robert
Nowels, Eugene E.
Cameron, Frank A.
McCartney, Byron E.
Scott, Donald D.
Corcoran, Charles
Everett Beneda

Memorial Day Services

Monday, May 29, 2006 — 10 a.m. — Oberlin Cemetery

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On Memorial Day the American Legion Post #70 will honor past and present members of the United States Armed Forces with an AVENUE OF FLAGS DISPLAY at the Oberlin Cemetery and a MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM which will start at 10 a.m.

Annually, the displays consists of 380 of the coffin flags of deceased veterans listed above which have been provided to the post by the families of the deceased veterans. Several of the flags of veterans listed have been retired and/or returned to the veterans' families.

We offer our special thanks to those veterans and their families as well as to the numerous members and friends who help with the preparation of this display and the care and maintenance of the flags. None of this would be possible without their sacrifice and their contribution.

The work schedule for completing this year's AVENUE OF FLAGS is as follows:

24 May, 7:30 p.m.	Attach flags to poles and load flags on trailers (at Post)
27 May, 1:00 p.m.	Drill holes for flag poles (at Oberlin Cemetery)
28 May, 7:00 a.m.	Set up and install Avenue of Flags (at Cemetery)
28 May, 3:30 p.m.	Remove Flags and return them to Storage (Cemetery & Post).

Again, the public's help is not only appreciated but necessary for the AVENUE OF FLAGS to exist. Please come and help when you can.