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From the desk of Colonel Armijo:

Our Kentucky NMMI Alumni event was well attended with alumni traveling from many distant locations: Chicago, New Mexico, California, Texas, and Kansas City. A great time was had by all! This was our last scheduled "Meet and Greet" for the year. We are already scheduling 2020 dates and venues. Look for us to be in Salt Lake City, Atlanta and Las Vegas, just to name a few. We will still be visiting DC, Dallas, San Antonio/Austin, Kansas City, Denver, Houston, and many more! If you would like to host a meet and greet in your area, please call our office.

If you have not joined us for our monthly NMMI Alumni After Hours, held here in Roswell, then bring a guest and join us this

The NMMI Alumni E-Newsletter

Thursday, 14 November at the Roswell Country Club. The time is 5:30 to 7:30. We hope you will join us!

2020 Homecoming is next week and we anticipate having over 600 NMMI alumni men and women in attendance. Lady graduates, you will be honored as well this year, it marks 40 years since our first women graduated. It promises to be a very exciting event! It's not too late to sign up! Sign up [here](#). One thing you won't want to miss is Silver Taps on Thursday night, 24 October. It is truly a memorable ceremony.

Join us for the November NMMI Alumni Conference call on 5 November at 1800 Old Post time. Here are the credentials to join the call: The call in number is **605-475-4000** and use **Access Code 416844#**. We won't be having a call in December.

We are already planning our 2020 Motorcycle Rally (May) and our 2020 Trail Ride (June) and hope that you are too! We will adding a two day, 2020 ATV Adventure in August, look for more details to follow.

With Best Personal Regards,
Danny (72 JC)

Want your story in the *Sally Port* magazine?

Send us your story and pictures for consideration to
karen.yerby@nmmi.edu



Do you have a brick in the NMMI Alumni Plaza? Each of the twelve rays of the Zia in the Plaza represent a troop. The price for a brick is now \$50. You can put three lines of twenty-one characters each. If you would like to buy a brick, [click here](#) or call our office and put in your order. 575-624-8257.

Tax deductible giving

You can receive a tax deductible receipt for you charitable contributions made payable to NMMI or the NMMI Foundation.

Can you help NMMI?

Call Kris Ward at 575-624-8158

2019 Alumni Events Calendar

Alumni Events for 2019

October 2019

17th - [NMMI Alumni After Hours](#) (Roswell Country Club)
23rd - 26th - [NMMI 2019 Homecoming](#)

November 2019

5th - [NMMI Alumni Conference Call](#)
14th - [NMMI Alumni After Hours](#) (Roswell Country Club)
18th– 22nd Thanksgiving Break

December 2019

5th [NMMI Alumni After Hours](#) Christmas Party (TBD)
10th - [Alumni Conference Call](#)
23rd– January 2nd– Christmas Break



*2020 NMMI Alumni
Motorcycle Rally
Be there on 21-24 May!*

*2020 NMMI Alumni Trail Ride
and Rendezvous
Be there on 16-19 June!*



Interested in working at NMMI?
See what is available at the Old Post

[Jobs at NMMI](#)
New jobs posted!

2019 Homecoming Registration is open!

Event sign up:

Hall of Fame Alumni Luncheon \$35

Alumni Honored Class Dinners \$55

Class of 1969 JC – Contact Rudd Marlowe for details

(wrmarlowe@icloud.com) (Dinner registration
nmmi69jc.wixsite.com/1969)

Alumni Bash \$40

Package discount for all three events \$120

2019 Homecoming will honor all classes ending in “9”. Many will attend to see NMMI buddies from years before and after!

This year will also honor the first women to attend NMMI, and all women who attended.

Some classes have representatives. Check them out [here!](#)

If your class is not represented, please call our office to find out what you can do to get your classmates in attendance!

Our website has a tentative schedule which is last year’s schedule, however there is little change from year to year.

On Thursday night at dark, inside Hagerman Barracks, is Silver Taps. A candle is lit for each alumnus that has passed or reported passed since last Homecoming. We hope you can attend to pay tribute to your fallen classmates and friends.

Please let us know if you plan to attend. Your cadet photo will be posted on the Homecoming Facebook page, so your friends will know that you plan to attend. You can view the page [here](#).

Laurie Pallesen 1981 JC is planning the “Return of the Women” at NMMI. ALL women are invited to attend. If she hasn’t yet contacted you, she can be reached at laurienmmi81@aol.com. [Karen Wall](#) and [Jean Ridgway](#) are planning a luncheon with the cadets and the NMMI women on Thursday 24 October at DLC. Call them to pitch in!



Get your **NMMI Alumni car emblem**. \$18 shipped or \$15 if you pick it up in our office (or at the Motorcycle Rally or the Trail Ride)

[Click here!](#)

View the NMMI [Alumni Calendar](#)

View the NMMI [Athletics Calendar](#)

Planning a visit to the Old Post?

[Schedule your visit](#)

[NMMI POST](#) page.

News and views from our cadets, parents and faculty

Hello Alumni!
We have had a lot of requests for NMMI branded merchandise. We wanted to let you know that there are some new items on the Cadet Store website. Check it out!

[NMMI Cadet Store](#)

Are there any Alumni items you would like to see for purchase in the Cadet Store? Please let us know at cadetstoremanager@nmmi.edu.



Place an order through Amazon and provide scholarship money to the Corps of Cadets!

Do you shop through Amazon? If your answer is yes, make sure you are signed up with AmazonSmile before you make your next purchase; and that the NMMI Foundation, Inc. is chosen as your favorite charity.

Each time you place an order, AmazonSmile will make a donation to the NMMI Foundation, Inc. All AmazonSmile donations will support the NMMI Annual Fund, which in turn provides recruiting and retention scholarships to the Corps of Cadets.

Just click this link to sign up today: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/85-6010718>

TRAPS

Reported deceased since the last Newsletter
on 29 Sep 2019

Name	DECEASED_DATE
Mr. Charles G. Seifert, Jr. 1935 JC	
Mr. Charles B. Ramsden 1939 HS	06-Oct-17
Mr. Rudolf E. Krochman, Jr. 1960 JC	01-Oct-19
Mr. Norman J. Shantz 1961 HS	26-Sep-19
Mr. Clifford Waldo Mills 1970 JC	27-Sep-19

[Deceased Alumni 2001 – 2020](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1981 – 2000](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1971 – 1980](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1961 – 1970](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1956 – 1960](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1951 – 1955](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1946 – 1950](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1941 – 1945](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1921 – 1940](#)

[Deceased Alumni 1897 – 1920](#)

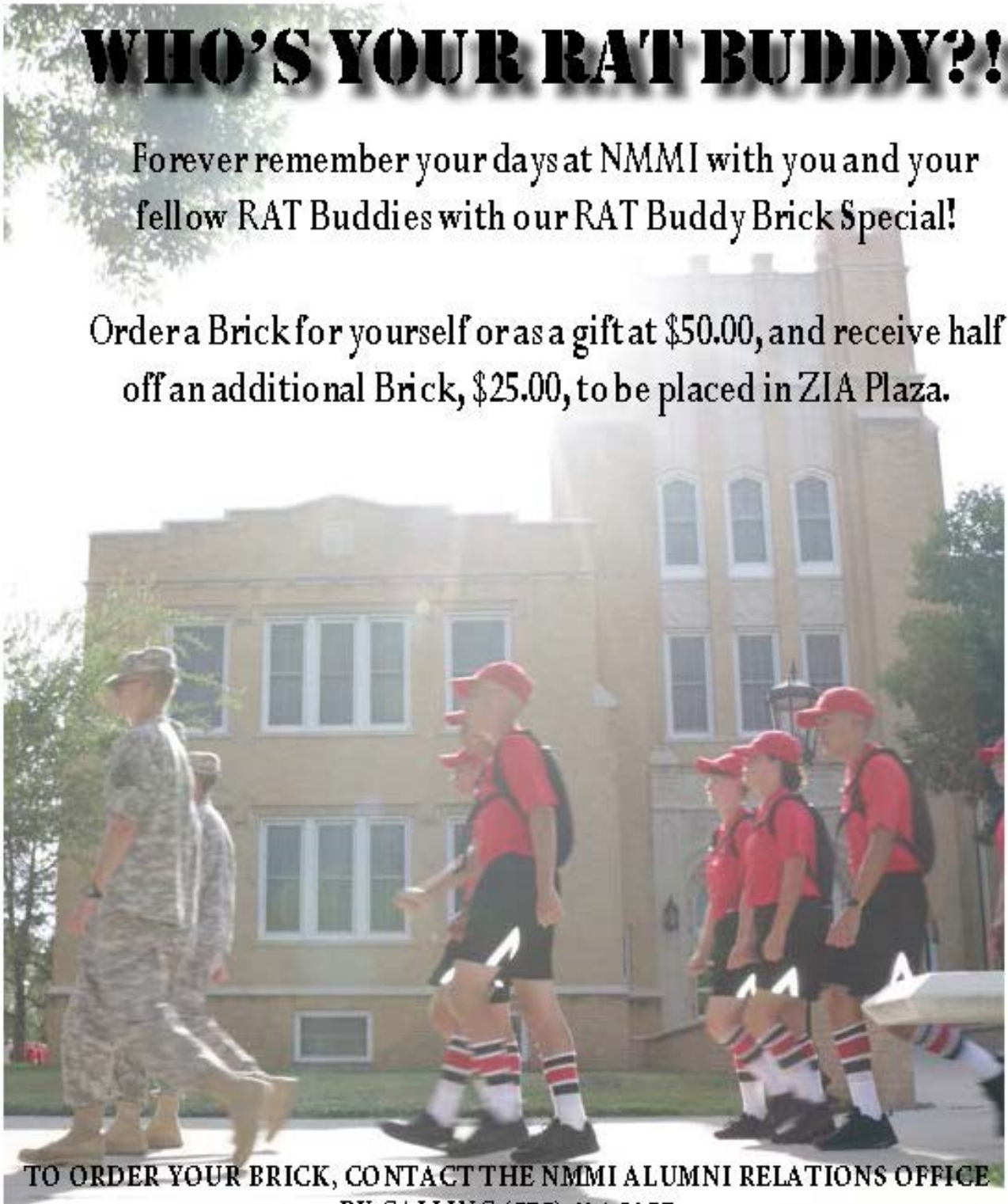
[Deceased Faculty and Staff](#)

Memorial donations can be made to the NMMI Foundation by calling
575-624-8035 or email Jennifer Rawdon at rawdon@nmmi.edu.

WHO'S YOUR RAT BUDDY?!

Forever remember your days at NMMI with you and your fellow RAT Buddies with our RAT Buddy Brick Special!

Order a Brick for yourself or as a gift at \$50.00, and receive half off an additional Brick, \$25.00, to be placed in ZIA Plaza.



**TO ORDER YOUR BRICK, CONTACT THE NMMI ALUMNI RELATIONS OFFICE
BY CALLING (575) 624-8257
OR BY MAILING YOUR CHECK TO:
NMMI ALUMNI RELATIONS, 101 W COLLEGE BLVD, ROSWELL NM, 88201**

Ways to Give

- **Bequest** — a provision in a will or estate plan that allocates all or part of the individual's estate to NMMI.
- **Charitable Remainder Trust** — an irrevocable trust that pays a specified annual amount to one or more people for a fixed period of years (often the life of the individual). At the end of the term of the trust, the remaining trust assets are distributed to NMMI. A charitable remainder annuity trust provides a fixed payment; a charitable remainder uni-trust pays out a fixed percentage of the trust value each year.
- **Charitable Lead Trust** — Similar to a charitable remainder trust, but the principal reverts to the donor or his or her designated heirs at the end of the trust term. If the principal reverts to the donor, he or she gets a charitable income tax deduction; if an heir, that person gets a charitable gift tax deduction.
- **Charitable Gift Annuity** — an irrevocable transfer of property (e.g. securities) in exchange for a contract to pay the donor an annuity for life. Because the value of the property exceeds the value of the annuity, it is partially a gift to the institution.
- **Life Insurance** — an arrangement in which a donor gives a life insurance policy to NMMI. The cash value of that gift is tax deductible, as are any future premiums the donor may opt to pay on that policy. Note that only life insurance policies that are paid in full qualify as planned gifts. (needs a not regarding proper way of doing this.)
- **Life Estate** — an arrangement in which a donor gives his/her home to NMMI while retaining the right to live there for the remainder of his/her life. The donor receives an immediate income tax deduction. NMMI may sell the property upon the donor's death.
- **Pooled Income Fund** — an arrangement, similar to a mutual fund, in which a donor contributes to a fund and receives a share of the proceeds based on the percentage of his contribution. Donors pay no capital gains on the transfer of appreciated property. When the donor dies, his shares transfer to NMMI.
- **Endowments** – A fund created by your bequest can carry your name or the name of a family member or other person you wish to honor. Named funds, because of the support they offer to programs and people, are a way to share what is meaningful to you within the institute family well into the future. *Note that minimum gift amounts required for creating named, endowed funds vary, so please contact the NMMI Foundation for further information.*
- **Unrestricted Gifts** - are among the most valuable to NMMI, because they allow the institute to allocate funds wherever the need is greatest, and to take advantage of unique opportunities as they arise. Your unrestricted contribution may be used to support costs associated with financial aid, educator development, cadet equipment, facilities, and much more.
- **Matching Gifts** - An easy way to double or even triple your donation to NMMI is to find out if your company has a matching-gift program. Such programs typically match all or a percentage of employee contributions to charitable organizations, making the employer a partner in employees' personal philanthropy. Simply obtain a matching-gift form from your employer's personnel office, fill it out, and provide it to NMMI with your contribution.
- **Non-Traditional** – Boats, cars, land, jewelry, paintings etc..

Call Kris Ward at 575-624-8158 or email to wardk@nmmi.edu or go to [Support NMMI](#) to contribute.