



NMMI ALUMNI RELATIONS



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The NMMI Alumni E-Newsletter



Colonel Armijo:

Greetings Fellow Alumni:
I hope this letter finds all of you healthy and that life is good.

A lot has happened since the last e-newsletter!

As our Meet and Greet season winds down, we still have a few exciting venues this year. The Los Angeles gathering will be held on Friday, 27 July at the Cabrillo Yacht Club in San Pedro. There is no charge for this event. We hope you and a guest will plan to join us. Please sign up [here](#) or call our office to RSVP.

We are very excited about the first ever NMMI Bivouac being held in Aurora, MO, hosted by **CW3 Darrell B. Hovland, USA (Ret) 1981 HS-1983 JC** and his wife Michelle. Some of you may remember the story about them and the Kids of

our Heroes Camp a couple of years ago. The dates are 23-26 August. There is plenty of RV parking. There is no charge for this event. Call Darrell to RSVP at 417-574-6250. For more details go to [Bivouac](#).

On 11 August, the Washington, DC Chapter will be hosting the annual Summer BBQ. Save the date, more details to follow!

Next month, on 18 August, **Phill Ingram 1967 HS** and his wife Nancy will be co-hosting the Annual Fall BBQ in Albuquerque, with **Gary Williams 1967 JC** and his wife Kathy. See the flyer below for details!

September promises to be an exciting month for NMMI! We have two tailgates planned, one is Kilgore and one in Tyler. Additional tailgates are planned at Navarro and Blinn. Watch for more details coming soon!

We also have Roswell's premier golf tournament, The General's Cup on 21-23 September. We hope you can plan to attend! There are plenty of sponsorship opportunities available. Sign up [here](#)!

We are excited to have the first ever Midwestern alumni gathering on 3 November. The venue is in South Bend, IN, but invitations are going out

from alumni in eight states. There is no charge for this event. If you are interested in attending or would like more information, please sign up [here](#).

We had a great Trail Ride at the Easterling Ranch in June. It was a beautiful location and **Lance S. Easterling 1983 HS-1985 JC** and his wife Jayne, along with his sister Susan and her husband Ken Swaim were wonderful hosts. Next year on 11-14 June 2019, our 30th Annual Trail Ride will be held in Angel Fire, NM, on the Davis Ranch at the American Creek Camp. We are working on tons of fun for everyone. We hope you can make it. Watch for registration to open after the first of the year.

Homecoming 2018 is coming up on 18-20 October. This year's honorees are all classes ending in "8". Many alumni who graduated near that time, 2-3 years before and after. Many alumni know each other from those times. We still need class representatives for a few of the honored classes. If you are interested in helping, call Karen at 575-624-8251 to get more information. Here are the [class representatives](#) we have so far. We have made a few changes this year, our Honored Class Dinner will be held on Friday night, the 19th this year. In lieu of the Love Feast, we will

be having an **NMMI Alumni Homecoming Bash** on Saturday night. It promises to be a great time. As many of you know, Cahoon is set to be renovated. Since NMMI hasn't had a Pep Rally in quite some time, we are planning one on Friday afternoon at 1545 in Cahoon. "Final Cheer at Cahoon" is a no charge event that will be open to the public. We are hopeful that all local and visiting alumni will try to attend! Pre-registration is open and we will have these fun events on the website to buy tickets next week. Watch for more details.

As a final remark and request, I would like to ask all of you to send us a small testimonial of your time spent here on the hill? When we travel from city to city, I continually hear awesome remarks and

comments from all of you, of what it meant to attend NMMI. What you took away, when you left? How did it prepare you for your next journey? We are currently working on a testimonial blog, where each of you can share your thoughts so others can read them. [Send us your testimonial.](#)

Take care, always travel safe and thank you for our continued support. As always, please stop by our office if you are in town. We would love to see you.

With Best Personal Regards,
Danny

Our most recent NMMI Alumni conference call was held on 17 July. If you missed the call and would like to listen to the recorded call, simply call (605) 475-4099 and use access code 416844# and then enter the # key. The recording will be available until

our next NMMI Alumni Conference call, scheduled for 14 August 2018 at 6pm "Old Post Time".

Please join us in congratulating Kris Ward who has been promoted to Director of Development. If you are interested in any giving plans to benefit NMMI and the Corps of Cadets, Kris can be contacted at 575-624-8158 or wardk@nmmi.edu.



ALBUQUERQUE CHAPTER ANNOUNCES ANNUAL FALL BBQ & FUNDRAISER!



SATURDAY, AUGUST 18TH, 2018

Hosts: Phill '67HS & Nancy Ingram
Co-Hosts: Gary '67JC & Kathie Williams
Greg Peebles '77JC & Denise Kawas

**Silent Auction will benefit the Abq Chapter
and the N.M.M.I. Annual Fund**
Call (505) 459-8226 to donate any items!

JOIN US STARTING AT 1700HRS (5PM) FOR:

**GREEN CHILE BRISKET, RED CHILE RIBS, ROTISSERIE TURKEY,
PORK BELLY BURNT ENDS, SLOW-SMOKED SOUTHERN PORK BUTT,
COLE SLAW, SMOKED CHILI BEANS, SALSA AND GUACAMOLE
BEER, WINE, TEA, COOKIES & SODAS ALL INCLUDED!**

**NMMI
Update!**

Adults: \$10 Kids: \$5 Students: \$5
Pay at Event by Cash, Check or Credit Card!

**Door
Prizes!**

**For Reservations and Map to Event,
Email Attendee Names to: nmmi.abqalumni@gmail.com**



NMMI Alumni Meet 'n Greet
San Pedro, CA
Friday, July 27th, 2018
Time: 1800



Hosted by Kirk D. Felmar 1983 HS-1986 JC
Come meet New and Old Alumni from the Los Angeles area
Representing NMMI will be Director of Alumni Relations and Institutional Advancement,
Danny L. Armijo, II 1972 JC and MAJ Kris Ward, NMMI

Cabrillo Beach Yacht Club
211 W 22nd St
San Pedro, CA 90731

Refreshments and light hors d'ouvres will be provided

Please RSVP - NMMI Alumni Relations Office
Phone: (575) 624-8257 or email: alm_pub@nmmi.edu
Dress: Business Casual

August

11th—Washington, DC, Annual Summer BBQ
18th - Albuquerque, [Ingram Summer BBQ](#)
22nd-26th - [SW Missouri Bivouac](#)

September

7th - Tailgate-Kilgore, TX
8th - Kilgore vs NMMI
21st-23rd - [NMMI General's Cup](#)
27th - Tailgate-Tyler
28th - Tyler vs. NMMI

October

12th - Tailgate-Navarro, TX
13th - Navarro vs. NMMI
18th-20th - [2018 NMMI Alumni Homecoming](#)
26th - Tailgate-Blinn vs NMMI
27th - Blinn vs NMMI

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or
rawd@nmmi.edu



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

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**23-26 AUG
2018**

Tele: (417) 574-6250
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NMMI ALUMNI MISSOURI BOAT RIDE & BIVOUAC

HOSTED BY



9441 Farm Rd 1195
Aurora, MO 65605

Thursday 23 Aug 2018

- ❖ Early Arrivals
- ❖ Socialize and Settle in

Friday 24 Aug 2018

- ❖ 0900 – 1100 Coffee social ,coffee provided by Got Your Six Coffee Co.
 - ❖ Location: Creek Pavilion
- ❖ 1100 – 1300 Lunch on your own in surrounding area (List provided)
- ❖ 1300 – 1600 Visit to white mule Distillery
 - ❖ Specialty Labeled, NMMI Themed Bottles will be available
 - ❖ Car Pool Available
- ❖ 1700 – 1830 Dinner at Cross Owl Cattle Co. Courtesy Darrell & Michele
 - ❖ (RSVP required two weeks prior)
 - ❖ Location: Creek Pavilion
- ❖ 1830 – 2030 Music and Social at Creek
 - ❖ Location: Creek Pavilion
- ❖ 2030 – UTC Movie/ Popcorn at the Creek
 - ❖ Location: Creek Pavilion

Saturday 25 Aug 2018

- ❖ 0900 – 1100 Coffee social ,coffee provided by Got Your Six Coffee Co.
 - ❖ Creek Pavilion
- ❖ 1200 – 1330 Lunch
 - ❖ 4B Burgers and Fixins
 - ❖ Location: Creek Pavilion
- ❖ 1330 – 1730 Socialize, Wine Tasting, and Silent Auction
 - ❖ Location: Creek Pavilion
 - ❖ Those wanting to participate in the Wine Tasting bring A bottle of your Favorite Wine
 - ❖ Special NMMI Item Will be Auctioned off.
- ❖ 1730 Depart for Branson Belle (2000 hrs Dinner Cruise)
 - ❖ Cost: \$55.00 Per person
 - ❖ (RSVP & Payment required 4 weeks prior)
 - ❖ Location: Table Rock Lake Branson
 - ❖ 2 hour Cruise
 - ❖ <https://www.silverdollarcity.com/showboat-branson>
- ❖ 2200 Return to lodging
- ❖ 2300 Camp Fire Die hards

Sunday 26 Aug 2018

- ❖ We Say our Farewells and Thanks For Attending

Bivouac Location: Cross Owl Cattle Co. :9441 Farm Rd 1195, Aurora, MO

Email: otherbro@aol.com Tele: (417) 574-6250 Cel: (931) 624-4994 FB Msgr@darrellhovland



**Save the date
2018 General's Cup
Golf Tournament
21-23 September
2018**

NMMI Open House Dates

Saturday, November 10, 2018
(Will include the parade format for Veterans' Day)

Saturday, February 16, 2019
No Parade
Request for Marchby

Saturday, April 27, 2019
No Parade



View the NMMI [Alumni Calendar](#)

View the NMMI [Athletics Calendar](#)

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News and views from our
cadets,
parents and faculty

NEW MEXICO MILITARY INSTITUTE ALUMNI MAGAZINE 2018 SPRING ISSUE

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in 2017 and finishes with a

Record Breaking Season

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magazine? Send us your story and pic-
tures for consideration to

karen.yerby@nmmi.edu

or

rawdond@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.

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.

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TAPS

Reported deceased since the last Newsletter on 25 May 2018

Name	DECEASED_DATE
MSG Robert E. Stafford, USA (Ret) 1949 JC	24-Oct-17
Mr. Philip W. Taggart 1950 JC	30-Apr-18
Dr. William C. Terry 1950 JC	11-Jun-18
Mr. Rowland L. Tessier, Jr. 1951 JC	13-May-18
Mr. Max L. Schrimsher 1954 SC	01-May-18
Col Thomas D. Roff, USAF (Ret) 1955 HS	29-Apr-18
Mr. Billy D. Parker 1957 JC	31-Aug-17
Mr. Otis R. Copeland 1960 HS	01-Mar-17
Mr. Robert Leland Carnahan 1960 JC	
Mr. John L. Aaron, III 1964 JC	28-Apr-18
Mr. C. Paul Buck 1964 JC	30-Apr-18
Mr. Stephen R. Miller 1964 JC	06-May-16
Mr. Howard B. Henderson 1967 JC	12-Jun-18
Mr. Robert A. Sedillo 1967 JC	03-Jul-18
Mr. Jackiben N. Wisdom 1968 JC	02-May-18
CDR Michael D. Moore, USN (Ret) 1971 HS	17-Feb-18
Mr. Richard W. Wells 1975 HS	29-Jul-17
Mr. Sam W. Armstrong 1978 JC	
Mr. Patrick L. Williams 1980 JC	05-Feb-18
Mr. Robert Leland Carnahan	07-Jul-18
Mr. Howard William Mauck 2003 HS	01-Nov-17
Mr. Nathaniel Bartley Durant 2015 HS	14-Apr-18

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

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.