



VFW National Home and Special Project Programs



Established in 1925, the VFW National Home was created as a home for widows and orphans of deceased veterans. The idea to build such a home came from the Military Order of the Cootie. However, it was through the efforts of a 23-year-old girl from Detroit named Amy Ross that the idea became a reality.

OBJECT: Financing of a specific project for the VFW National Home is the objective of this program. We do not replace any other monies that might be used with your donations under this project. Your donations are merely a supplement to the other individual donations to the VFW National Home. Pup Tents, Grands, Cooties and Auxiliary members at all levels are encouraged to donate to this worthy cause. In addition, supporting our VFW National Home is one of our stated objectives.

GOAL: The established goal for this program is an annual one-dollar donation per Cootie.

PROCEDURES: Pup Tent Supreme Special Project monies are sent to your Grand CCDB who will send to Supreme CCDB. All Pup Tent donations must be received through the Grand Quartermaster. Independent Pup Tents send directly to the Supreme CCDB. Anyone may contribute to this fund. Earmark all checks as: Supreme Special Project. Encouraging MOC Auxiliary Members to contribute as this is a Joint Special Project. A report on a financial status of the fund is required at the Supreme Scratch and Council of Administration meeting IAW Section 512C & E, By-Laws of the Supreme Pup Tents.

MOC/MOCA SUPREME SPECIAL PROJECT: Supreme Seam Squirrel Tracy Woodman's and Supreme President Dawn VanTassell's project is to fund the Veteran & Family Mental Health Program at the VFW National Home. This project supports mental health through the following Hands-On Therapeutic Activities including:

- Equine
- Art & Creative Expression
- Outdoor & Nature Activities
- Regenerative Farming & Agricultural Skills
- Skill Building Workshops

NEW!!!! You can now make your donations online through the Cootie Depot.

AWARDS: Pup Tents and Grands reaching 100% will receive a citation from the Special Projects Chairman. See All*Star programs for more details.



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