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LOUDOUN COUNTY VFW POST 1177

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AWARDS AND CITATIONS 2014

Veterans of Foreign Wars



Americanism Award

2013-2014

Presented to

VFW Post 1177
Leesburg, Virginia

*For satisfactory completion by the Post of a minimum of
Eight National Americanism categories*

In Witness Whereof we have here unto set our hands and the official seal of
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Christopher M Birch

Commander

Kim A. Alshouse

Adjutant/Quartermaster

Frank Frevele

Americanism Chairman



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Community Activities Award

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J. Conrad Agoston
Community Activities Chairman



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Department Commander

Kim A. Edwards
Department Adjutant/Quartermaster

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Hospital Chairman

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National Military Services Certificate of Recognition

Presented to

VFW Post 1177 Loudoun County Post

*In recognition and sincere appreciation of your commitment to VFW National Military Services through **Operation Uplink**, **Unmet Needs**, and **MAP**, for support of the men and women serving on active military duty around the world, their families, as well as hospitalized veterans.*

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Outstanding Community Service Program Activities

In recognition and praise for the many outstanding contributions made to America through sponsorship and promotion of local community program activities.



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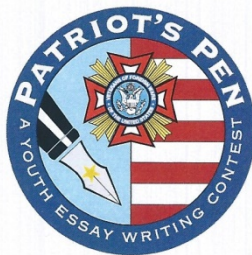


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Patriot's Pen Award

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Post and Auxiliary

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Christopher M Birch

Commander

Ki A Johnson

Adjutant

Joe Martin

Chairman

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Date of Presentation

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Safety Award

2013-2014

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VFW Post 1177
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*For satisfactory completion by the Post of a minimum of
four National Safety categories.*

Milton Dye
Safety Chairman

Christopher Birch
Commander

Kim A. Edwards
Adjutant/Quartermaster

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Youth Activity Award

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Leesburg, Virginia

2013-2014

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Christopher M Birch

Department Commander

Kim A. Alshouse

Department Adjutant

Bill A. Lynch

Youth Activity Chairman





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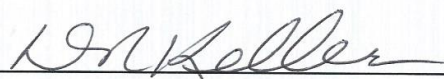
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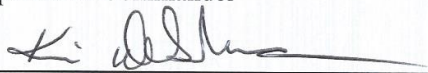
All State Team
Post Commanders
Awarded to
Raymond Delpesche
Post 1177
2015-2016



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Department Commander



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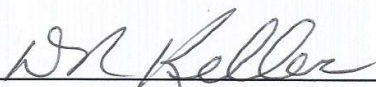
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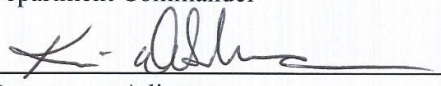
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Post Quartermasters
Awarded to
William Packard
Post 1177
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Department Commander



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Douglas R Keller

Commander

Ken A. Alderman

Adjutant/Quartermaster

Gary Wagner

Americanism Chairman

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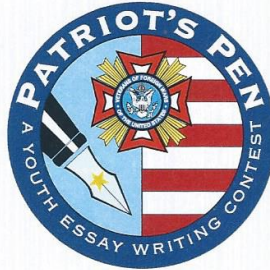


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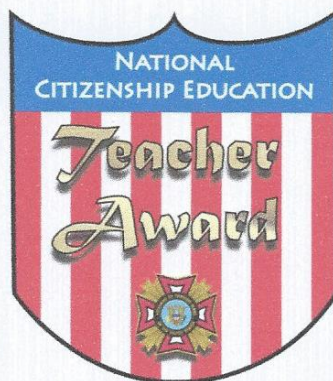
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Teacher Recognition Award

THIS WILL CERTIFY THAT

Loudoun County VFW Post #1177 and Auxiliary

Participated in the Annual Teacher Recognition Program recognizing teachers for promoting citizenship education in their classrooms and schools



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Douglas R Keller
Commander

Kim A. Williams
Adjutant

Christopher E. Birch
Chairman

June 16, 2016
Date of Presentation

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Veterans & Military Support Programs *Certificate of Recognition*

Presented to

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In recognition and sincere appreciation of your commitment to VFW's Veterans & Military Support Programs through Operation Uplink, Unmet Needs, MAP and VFW's "Sport Clips Help A Hero Scholarship," for support of the men and women serving on active military duty around the world, their families, as well as hospitalized veterans.

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Department Commander

Kim A. Edwards

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Bill A. Lynch

Youth Activity Chairman





Loudoun County, Virginia

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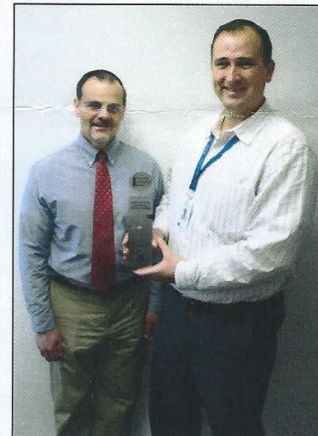
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Loudoun Receives Statewide Award for Veterans Services Program

Loudoun County has earned statewide recognition for its Veterans Services Program. The program, housed in the Department of Family Services (DFS), has received the Virginia Department of Social Services 2016 Local Recognition Award for Innovation, Implementation and Impact.

The award recognizes the work of social services professionals in the Commonwealth. The award program seeks to capture best practices and guiding principles from the nominees to share with other agencies throughout the state. Veterans Services Coordinator Michael Ball and Francis Coughlin, the DFS Division Manager who oversees the program, accepted the award at the Virginia League of Social Services Executives Conference in Hampton, Virginia, earlier this month.



The Board of Supervisors approved the creation of a part-time Veterans Services Coordinator position during the Fiscal Year 2016 budget process. The purpose of the position was to develop a “one-stop shop” of information, outreach and referral for military veterans and their families and to establish a collaborative network of partners who serve veterans in Loudoun County.

As Veterans Services Coordinator, Ball addresses gaps in services for veterans and their families and connects them with appropriate services and resources. He actively maintains a resource list at www.loudoun.gov/veterans that details services available for veterans in the county and the region.

Ball, a veteran who served 24 years in three branches of the military, is actively working on several initiatives to address the development and promotion of the Veterans Services Program in Loudoun, including:

- Building a network of organizations in Loudoun County and the region to work with veterans.
- Completing a needs assessment to determine the size of the veteran population in Loudoun County and the scope of their needs.
- Providing information about veteran’s services to Loudoun County agencies and local organizations and working with veterans throughout the community.

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The Veterans Services Coordinator also maintains a Facebook page aimed at highlighting current events related to veterans and creating an online community of veterans. Veterans are encouraged to like the page on Facebook at www.facebook.com/loudouncountyveterans.

Pictured above: Francis Coughlin, Department of Family Services Division Manager, left, and Michael Ball, Veterans Services Coordinator, right, accepted an award from the Virginia Department of Social Services at the Virginia League of Social Services Executives Conference in Hampton, Virginia, earlier this month.

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