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York County Veterans Day Ceremony Features “Letters and Portraits from War”

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The public is invited to the York County Historical Committee’s Veterans Day program at 12 p.m. on Thursday, November 11, in the Board Room of York Hall, 301 Main Street in historic Yorktown. “Letters and Portraits from War” is the theme of the ceremony that shares photographs and excerpts from letters written during wartime deployment from local soldiers, sailors, and airmen to their family members and loved ones back home. The program includes tolling of the bell, presentation of the colors, singing of the National Anthem, Pledge of Allegiance, and “Taps.” There will also be a special recognition of all veterans of our Armed Forces.

Program participants include the York High School NJROTC, the Comte de Grasse Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, The Moore House Society, Children of the American Revolution, and Chapter 13 of the Disabled American Veterans. The Veterans of Foreign Wars Chapter 824 is acting as the Color Guard for the ceremony.

Face masks are required at this indoor event. For more information, please call York County Parks and Recreation at (757) 890-3500.

The program is being recorded and replayed on WYCG-TV (Cox 46, Verizon 38) along with other special Veterans Day programming throughout November.

Photo attached: Area veterans are honored during a previous York County Veterans Day commemoration in York Hall.

