# April 22, 2023 Color Guard for DAR State Convention



Pictured from left to right are: Bruce Taylor (Liberty Tree Registrar), Wayne Bequette (Liberty Tree Vice President), Steve Armstrong (Glacier Chapter President), and Keith Kramlick (Guardian Chapter President).

### December 18, 2021 Wreaths Across America

Glacier Chapter participated in Wreaths Across America on Saturday. This year, through generous donations, every grave received a wreath at the Montana Veteran's Home cemetery. Glacier President Steve Armstrong participated in the wreath laying.



## August 7, 2021 Stevensville Creamery Picnic Parade



These MTSSAR Compatriots hitched a ride on Don Reed's Encampment Float during the Stevensville Creamery Picnic Parade this morning, Saturday, August 7, 2021. The smoke cleared for a beautiful day. Reception from the audience was fantastic!

Left to right: Francis Weigand, State President Don Reed, Larry Mylnechuk, Don Murphy, Wayne Bequette, Glacier President Steve Armstrong and Bruce Taylor.

## Wreaths Across America December 20, 2020



Please use the link below to view the broadcast that KPAX TV covered on Wreaths Across America for this year. Steve Armstrong has done a great job in the Flathead Valley keeping the Wreaths Across America active from year to year.

https://www.kpax.com/news/local-news/flathead-county/veterans-honored-at-columbia-falls-wreaths-across-america-ceremony

## Wreaths Across America December 14, 2019





Ceremonial wreaths placed on the head table as the residents of the Veteran's home await for the beginning of the annual Wreaths Across America Ceremony.





(left) World War II and Coast Guard Veteran Gina Becker places a ceremonial wreath honoring the Coast Guard. Sadly Mrs. Becker passed away in April 2020 at 96 years of age.

(right) Community Members unloading the nearly 700 donated wreaths for placement on the Veteran's graves.

The two pictures below show the placement of the wreaths on the Veteran's graves and how the cemetery has been transformed after the placement has been completed. This is a tremendous project accomplished by the Glacier Chapter.





#### December 15, 2018





Glacier Chapter hosted its 7th annual Wreaths Across America celebration on Saturday, December 15th, at the Montana Veteran's Home in Columbia Falls. Glacier Chapter President Steve Armstrong once again acted as host and master of ceremonies for this celebration. Residents of the Veteran's Home perform the honor of placing ceremonial wreaths on wreath stands. Glacier Chapter members John Gilmore and future Glacier Chapter member and current SAR member James Dunn were also in attendance.



Wreaths Across America Celebration at the Montana Veteran's Home



Glacier President Steve Armstrong and his wife Linnea from the Oro Fino DAR Chapter, with the Wreaths Across America featured speaker, Major General Matthew Quinn, the Adjutant General of Montana.



Glacier Vice President Fred McCracken and his wife Sandra, with the Wreaths Across America featured speaker, Major General Matthew Quinn, the Adjutant General of Montana.

#### 10/19/16



Glacier Chapter President with a new American Citizen from Ghana with her son after the Naturalization Ceremony at the U.S. District Courthouse in Missoula, Mt.