



FRIENDS OF THE MUSEUM NEWS

Edgecombe County Veterans' Military Museum

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WEBSITE: Please visit our website for updates and pics. www.edgecombevets.com

"MUSIC FOR EVERYONE"

**The Friends of the Museum have joined together again to present musical talent at the Edgecombe County Community College Auditorium. The event will support the Mural on the wall of the Colonial Theater:
THE VETERANS WALL**

*Music For Everyone
Edgecombe Community College
sponsor
Edgecombe Veterans Museum*



**Saturday, September 12, 2009, 7:00 PM
Tickets \$10**

featuring Bob Harper Emcee with the First Baptist Church Handbell Choir, Tarboro Junior Miss Allie Sherrod, Mark Ream, Kay Hindsley, Tar River Boys, Bill Hildebrandt, Shelly Maddox and Jo Ann Josey. CALL 823 7445 FOR INFO

Tickets on sale at Rusty's, the Museum, ECC ticket office, Blount House.

MEMBERSHIP

Every year many of you support the museum and send in the annual dues. Sustaining the Veterans Museum requires each of us to remain loyal to the memory of those who gave so much. All of us together can continue the hard won success. How do we do this???

SIT DOWN NOW AND JOIN THE MUSEUM WITH A CHECK.

Mail it if you must, but better yet, bring it to the Museum and visit the men and women who earned your freedom.

Memorial Plaque



We honor the men and women who served in our defense selflessly and with our gratitude.

Have you chosen to give a memorial brick for your vet? We have included a form to make it easy. Please fill out the form and get it to the museum so that we can have your brick installed soon beneath the mural at the Theater. Join the other Edgecombe neighbors who have honored their relations.



**The Friends of the Museum
meet on the fourth Tuesday of every
month at 5:30 PM, please come and bring a friend.
The Museum is open from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Thur, Fri & Sat**

We enjoy having out visitors. They have increased this spring, and it is always a pleasure to hear their stories and see the reaction to the exhibits. Come join them.

Theater Mural

We are committed to the basic design, and the artist, Michael Brown, is prepared to start. He will begin on September 1, 2009. Please support this tremendous work. It will mean a lot to downtown Tarboro and honors our Vets.



Did you know that we have had over 5000 visitors in the last several years from all over the United States?
Did you know that we have over 550 photos in our Museum of our vets and we don't have all of the vets displayed? Bring in your photos...
Also, we rotate the exhibits of paper and textiles to limit their exposure to light and the environment.



Working hard for the Museum

Here are three of our most dedicated vets in a dinner meeting and discussion with the Tarboro Kiwanis. Calvin Anderson, Joe Spiers, and Joel Bourne promote the Veterans Museum tirelessly, giving their time and seeking support for our museum. This represents only one of many events they have attended. Although their time is limited they still find enough to promote the memory of Edgecombe County Veterans. We can all join with them in this effort.
Special NOTE: In addition to the Kiwanis, we continue to get monetary support from the Tarboro Womans Club. Join with these groups in your support.