

News... JUNE 2022

Blue Star Mothers, Rochester NY8



Rochester, NY chapter officially chartered in 2011

Website: www.bluestarmomsroc.com

City of Rochester

2022 Memorial Day Parade Blue Star Mothers NY8 and Associate members marched in the Memorial Day Parade. MSG (ret. USA) Bing Reaves was the Master of Ceremonies. This year's guests honored on the Reviewing Stand were: Blue Star Mothers, Jeanne Ristau, Mary Anne Zani and Gold Star Mother, Rita Hasenauer, COL (ret. USA) Eugene Sydor, LTC (ret. USA), LTC Andrae Evans (ret. USA) and his wife Kristin.



Honoring Fallen Heroes, sons of Gold Star families:
Pfc. Jason Hasenauer, and Staff Sergeant Nicholas Reid
(Amy and Jenny holding photos)



Thank you to L: Mary Jean (Parade Chair), Top R: Veteran Women BSM Associate members, lower R: Amy, Nancy and Amy and Jenny in middle photo

Blue Star Mother chapters, NY4, NY7 and NY8 Executive Committee Members meet for a Social Activity

Our Blue Star Mother Sister Chapters met on Saturday, June 11th at the Buffalo and Erie County Naval & Military Park for a tour of the USS Little Rock a Guided Missile Cruiser that is the only surviving vessel Cleveland Class of light cruisers in World War II that was constructed in 1945. Our Docent, Navy Veteran Peter B. Gullo was aboard the ship in the 1970's. After the tour we had a catered lunch at a building on the park property. We all had a most enjoyable day. During our lunch we had the opportunity to share about our service projects. We will be planning future BSM socials to meet ups.



Blue Star Mothers NY4, Lake Erie, Jamestown, NY,
Blue Star Mothers NY, counties of Erie and Niagara,
Blue Star Mothers NY8 Rochester



L to R: Lara, Financial Secretary, Mary Anne, VP3 and
Chaplain, Jill Harris, VP1, Museum Docent Veteran Peter B.
Gullo, and Amy, President.



Next BSM monthly meeting is on Saturday, June 18th @ 8:00 AM followed our Care Packaging event to send to our overseas military. Join us at the Ely Fagan American Legion. 260 Middle Rd., Henrietta, NY 14467