



Veterans Day Program

Sunday, November 10

Three o'clock p.m.

Presented by:

**The Veterans Memorial Association
of Sunnyside-Tom's Creek**

May We Never Forget



VETERANS DAY

2002

Prelude of Patriotic Music.....Blacksburg Community Band
Under the Direction of Ed Schwartz

Welcome.....Curtis Montgomery
President, Veterans Memorial Association of Sunnyside-Tom's Creek

*Invocation.....Chaplain Harold Wall
Blacksburg American Legion Post 182

*Raising of the American Flag -

....Jay Hoge in honor of his father Jim Hoge who served in WWI

....Greta Davidson in honor of her brother Elmore Long who was killed
in action in WWII

....Christine McCauley in honor of her brother Earven Price who was
killed in action in the Korean War

....Jack Ridinger, Veteran of the Vietnam War, US Navy

....Carson Smith, Veteran of the Vietnam War, US Army

**The Star Spangled Banner*.....Blacksburg Community Band
Everyone is invited to sing

Posting of Military Flags by representative of each branch of service.....

US Army.....Ralph Long, Veteran of WWII

US Navy.....Donald Shepherd, Veteran of the Korean War

US Marines.....Sandra Johnston in honor of her father Jim Cromer,
a proud Marine from WWII, who passed away in
October 2002

US Air Force..... Mack Reynolds, Veteran of WWII

Armed Forces Medley (Army, Coast Guard, Marines, Air Force, Navy) -
.....Blacksburg Community Band

**Veterans please stand to be recognized as the music for your
branch of service is played and be seated when the music begins
for the next group.**

* Please Stand

A tribute to veterans.....	Curtis Montgomery
<i>Will Ye No Come Back Again?</i>	Gerry Davies on Bagpipes
Speaker.....	Frances "Rusty " Rice President, Women's Auxiliary of American Legion Post 182
Speaker.....	Dana Jackson, US Navy, Retired Commander, American Legion Post 30
Prayer for Peace.....	Chaplain Harold Wall
<i>Amazing Grace</i>	Gerry Davies on Bagpipes
Poem "Freedom Is Not Free" by Major Kelly Strong.....	Nina Montgomery
*Moment of Silence for Deceased Veterans	
*Taps.....	John Gregg and Mike Jenkins on Bugles
Postlude - <i>Going Home</i>	Gerry Davies on Bagpipes

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

A special note of gratitude to everyone participating in the program today -- members of the Blacksburg Community Band, including buglers John Gregg and Mike Jenkins, and their director Ed Schwartz; Chaplain Harold Wall; Gerry Davies our piper; our guest speakers Rusty Rice and Dana Jackson; and to all of you attending the program today.

To all veterans to whom we pay tribute this Veterans Day, and to all those who continue to protect America, we salute you and say "thank you."