

IN MEMORIAM

We mourn our brothers from the Major Abraham J. Baum Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7766 and the General J.P. Holland Chapter of The Military Order of the World Wars who have left us, or of whose passing we have been notified, this past year to join the Chapter or Post Eternal. These fine men have gallantly served our country in time of need. Their service is worthy of honor and respect as we set aside a moment devoted to their memory on this Memorial Day.

Richard Fontaine, Admiral, USN, Vietnam
17 June 2017

John Hoaglin, USMC, WWII, Korea,
15 December 2017.

Robert Dean, USN, Diver, UDT, Korea, Vietnam,
4 April 2018

Lew Garry, USN, Korea
3 May 2018

The RB Veterans Memorial Assn. is working on a new opportunity for memorializing your veterans — a “Patriots Walk” around the perimeter of the memorial. With approval, plaques will be installed in the sidewalk as with the nearby Pathway of Pride on the other side of the lake. These plaques will be limited to honoring veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States who have served in any war or in peacetime. Please watch for future announcements.

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Memorial Day

May 28, 2018



Ceremony Held At The Site Of
Rancho Bernardo Veterans Memorial
Located in Webb Lake Park

Through the Combined Efforts of:

The Military Order Of the World Wars
and the
Veterans of Foreign Wars



Gen. J.P. Holland Chapter
MOWW



Maj. Abraham J. Baum
Post 7766
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Colonel Jennifer E. Shaar

Commanding Officer, Headquarters Service Battalion, Marine Corps Recruit Depot



Colonel Jennifer Shaar is a native of Indianapolis, Indiana. She is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps in 1992.

Colonel Shaar's leadership assignments include Service Company Commander, HQSVCBN, U.S. Marine Corps Forces Atlantic; Finance Officer, Marine Corps Base Henderson Hall; Finance Officer for the National Capitol Region, Marine Corps Base Quantico; and Commander, Region-1 for Eastern Europe and Eurasia, Marine Corps Embassy Security Group.

Colonel Shaar has served as a financial management officer in both operational and support commands. Her billets include Battalion Fiscal Officer for, HQSVCBN, U. S. Marine Corps Forces Atlantic; Contingency Management Officer and Military Pay Policy Officer, Headquarters Defense Finance and Accounting Service; Deputy Comptroller, Marine Corps Base, Quantico; Comptroller, 3d Marine Division; Civil Military Affairs Officer in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom with 1st Marine Division; Program Objective Memorandum (POM) Branch Head, G-8, U.S. Marine Corps Forces Command.

She has served at the Headquarters, Marine Corps and Department of the Navy level. Her billets include the Contingency Budget Officer, Budget Division, Programs and Resources, HQMC; Congressional Appropriations Liaison for the Marine Corps, Department of the Navy (Financial Management and Budget); Director, Comptroller Division, Marine Corps Combat Development Command; and, Director, Fiscal Division, Programs and Resources, HQMC.

Colonel Shaar is a graduate of the Naval Post Graduate School where she earned a M.S. in Management and the U.S. Army War College where she earned a M.A. in Strategic Studies. She also served as a Congressional Fellow, representing the Marine Corps on Capitol Hill.



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10:30 a.m. Patriotic Musical Prelude – *Pre-recorded*

10:45 a.m. Patriotic Musical Prelude – Rancho Bernardo High Madrigals
Director: Ms. Lisa Friedrichs

11:00 a.m. Welcome by Master of Ceremonies

Charles St. Laurent, CDR USN (Ret)
VFW Post 7766

Moment of Silence and Invocation – David Korinek, Major (CA) (Ret),
Chaplain

Presentation of Colors – Color Guard, Westview H.S. NJROTC

Posting of Service Flags, POW/MIA, MOWW, and VFW Flags -

Members of VFW Post 7766 and General J. P. Holland Chapter, MOWW

Flag Ceremony/Taps – Will Wheatley, Major, USMC

Pledge of Allegiance – Nicholas Herbka, LCDR USN (ret)
Commander, MOWW Chapter

National Anthem – Rancho Bernardo High School Madrigals

Retire the Colors – Color Guard, Westview H.S. NJROTC

Keynote Speaker – Col. Jennifer E. Shaar, USMC

In Memorial – David Korinek, Major (CA) (Ret), Chaplain

Presentation of Wreath – Mervin Adams, USAF veteran,
RBVMA Volunteer of the Year 2017

Benediction – David Korinek, Major (CA) (Ret), Chaplain

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

We very much appreciate the participation of the retired and active duty members of the US Military who have joined us today. We thank the Westview High School NJROTC for their role as Color Guard. We wish to thank the members and leaders of the Rancho Bernardo High School Madrigals, and the Boy Scouts of America Troop 685. We also thank Branches Floral Studio of Rancho Bernardo for providing the floral wreath and the Pearl Restaurant for the use of their patio.

