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## **CARILLON**

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## **Dates to Remember**

June 6 D-Day Allied Invasion of Europe (1944)

June 14 U.S. Army Founded (1775)

Flag Day

June 15 Father's Day

June 18 Carillon Health Fair 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM Hines Mobile Health Van at Carillon Health Fair

**June 21 Summer Begins** 

June 22 Pledge of Allegiance Recognized by Congress (1942) GI Bill Signed into Law (1944)

June 25 Korean War Began (1950)

June 30 Post 9/11 GI Bill Signed into Law (2008)

## **Words to Move You**

It is to the United States that all freedom loving people look for the light and the hope of the world. Unless we dedicate ourselves completely to this struggle, unless we combat hunger with food, fear with trust, suspicion with faith. fraud with justice – and threats with power, nations will surrender to the futility and hopelessness on which wars feed.

## General Omar N. Bradley

Carillon VFW Post 12059 wishes to acknowledge with great sadness, the passing of two of its' members. Robert J. Steding served in the United States Army during the Korean War. Roy Gregorich served in the United States Army during WWII in the Asia Pacific Theater of Operations. Both men served their country bravely with honor and distinction. Each man was a member of the VFW for many years and will be missed by our post and the Carillon Community. May God Bless them both.

Veterans will once again have the benefit of the VA Mobile Health Clinic when it makes its appearance at the Carillon Health Fair on June 18 from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Appointments will be necessary. Reservation for screenings can be made on June 3,4, and 5 from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM. For detailed information see <a href="www.carillonhealthfair.com">www.carillonhealthfair.com</a>. Make your appointments early and bring your DD-214 or your VA. ID.

The State of Illinois is looking to increase its business with Veteran owned businesses. \$300 million is targeted for veteran owned companies every year. Illinois businesses with annual gross sales under \$75 million that are 51% owned by one or more qualified service disabled veteran(s) or qualified veteran(s) living in Illinois are eligible to apply. If you are interested in applying contact Jim Singler for more information. (815-407-1900)

Carillon VFW Post 12059 have made arrangements for the post picnic and the post anniversary party. The post picnic will be August 2 with a rain date of August 16 at Dellwood Park in Lockport. The post anniversary party will be September 6 at the Links Grill.

Jim Singler Commander Carillon VFW Post 12059 815-407-1900 5-6-2014