

# 2017 SCHEDULE of Events

**8:30 5K RACE THROUGH THE FLAGS**  
**REGISTER 8 AM @ POST OFFICE**

**9:00 OPENING CEREMONY; RACE  
WINNERS; HONOREE INTRODUCTIONS**  
**COURTHOUSE BANDSTAND**

**9:00 TO 11:00 MILITARY EXPO**  
**NORTH SIDE OF COURTHOUSE**

**9:30 TO 11:00 VETERANS RECEPTION  
AND PRIZES**  
**SOUTH SIDE OF COURTHOUSE**

**9:30 TO 12:00 CONCESSIONS AVAILABLE**

**10:00 PRAYER SERVICE**  
**OLD MERCER GRAVEYARD (NEXT  
TO SHANNON'S KANDY KITCHEN)**

**10:00 TO 11:00 BRETT ALLEN MORGAN –  
SHOWCASE ENTERTAINER**  
**COURTHOUSE BANDSTAND**

**11:00 MEMORIAL PARADE**  
**PITT FROM VENANGO TO SOUTH ST.**

**12:00 MEMORIAL SALUTE**  
**3 BLOCKS SOUTH OF COURTHOUSE**  
**MERCER CITIZENS CEMETERY**

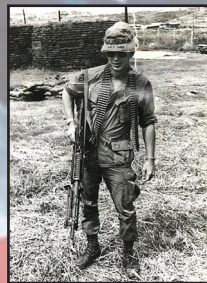
**PARKING • REST ROOM • PROGRAM  
MAPS AVAILABLE ON WEB SITE**  
**GOLF CARTS AVAILABLE TO ASSIST**  
**FOOD // DRINKS**

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## 2017 Living Honorees



**Daniel E. Evans**  
Spec. 4 - Airborne  
U.S. Army  
Vietnam War



**JOSEPH L. HOOD**  
Spec. 4 - U.S. Army  
Vietnam War



**Carl Heckman**  
Pfc. - U.S. Army  
World War II



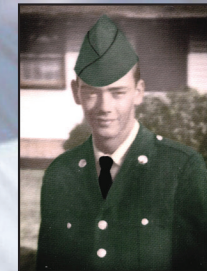
**Jack D Hedglin**  
Seargent - U.S. Army  
Vietnam War

**Miles Bradley Hedglin**  
Specialist 4 - U.S. Army  
Vietnam War

## 2017 Posthumous Honorees



**John R. Ellis**  
CPL - U.S. Army  
WWII - POW



## FRIENDS OF THE 500

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ARMSTRONG INSURANCE  
AGENCY, INC.  
ATWELL PERRINE EXCAVATING  
BELL SANITATION  
BEN BISSETT CHEVROLET  
BIG BEND UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH  
BILL McCANDLESS FORD  
BOB & KATHY BECK  
BREESE HEATING AND COOLING  
BRIAN & ALICE BIDLACK  
CARL & NANCY JEWELL  
CARL DAVIS & CHERYL CAVE  
CAROLYN GARRETT (In memory of  
Dale Garrett - WWII POW)  
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CHEVRON, INC.  
(MILLER INDUSTRIES)  
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of Jimmy & Bradley Hedglin)  
DAVID & RUTH MILLER  
DEANIE & DALE GRANT  
DEE DEE ZICKAR  
DICK MAXWELL  
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ELDER SALES & SERVICE, INC.  
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FLEXOSPAN STEEL BUILDINGS, INC.  
FOX'S PIZZA DEN  
(MERCER PIZZA BARN, INC.)  
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JAMES & ELIZABETH LANGDON  
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JEAN HEDGLIN  
JFS WEALTH ADVISORS  
JIM & RUTH LEONE  
(MHS Class of 1961)  
JOE GRAHAM  
JOHN & CHERYL LUSCH (In memory  
of Franz "Fritz" Lusch)  
JOHN & KAREN POWELL  
JOHN F. NOLAN, CPA  
JOHNSON PROPERTIES &  
APPRAISALS  
JONES PERFORMANCE TRUCKS  
JOYCE JACKAL (In honor of Ron &  
Tom Garrett)  
JUDY C. STEWART (in honor of all  
Veterans from MHS Class of 1964)  
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KARGO QUALITY CARS &  
TRUCKS, INC.  
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS,  
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LINDSEY MEMORIAL CHARITY FUND  
LUCILLE (BREAUCHY) SHILLING  
(MHS Class of 1961)  
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MARCIA & KARL CHRISTY  
MARCIA HARROLD  
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MARJORIE CAMPBELL  
MARK & LINDA BROWN  
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MERCER BOROUGH POLICE  
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MERCER COUNTY STATE BANK  
MERCER FORGE CORPORATION  
MERCER MERCANTILE  
MERCER ROTARY CLUB  
MERCER UNITED METHODIST  
CHURCH  
MERCER VFW POST 6345  
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memory of Richard L. Wilson)  
MOUNTAINEER CASINO  
MOUNTAINEER CASINO RACETRACK  
& RESORT  
MUSCLE PRODUCTS CORP./  
ED & SHARON DITTRICH  
NELSON'S FLOWERS  
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PNC BANK  
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RENDOS BEER DISTRIBUTOR  
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REZTOR (NORTEK GLOBAL HVAC)  
RICH & SHEILA CRAIG  
ROBERT L. SNYDER FUNERAL HOME  
ROBERT RUDOLPH  
SHAVER'S BARBER SHOP  
SPRINGFIELD RESTAURANT GROUP/  
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ST. PAUL HOMES  
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FOUNDATION  
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THE HONORABLE JOHN C. REED  
THE HONORABLE THOMAS DOBSON  
& BEVERLY DOBSON  
THE MEDICINE SHOPPE  
THOMAS & MARY HARRIS  
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AUTOMOTIVE CENTERS  
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WATSON'S INC.  
WENDALL AUGUST FORGE  
WILLIAM & SARA BRAMLETT (in  
honor of all Vietnam Veterans)  
WILLIAM H. CRAWFORD  
WILLIAM J. DOYLE  
WILLIAM M. GRAHAM &  
ELIZABETH EWALD