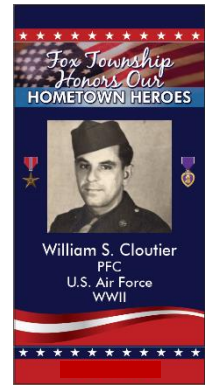




Fox Township

Hometown Heroes Banner Project



Mission:

The idea of doing a Hometown Hero project in Fox Township was initiated by a group from “Leadership Elk & Cameron.” Their efforts were put on hold due to the onset of the COVID pandemic. The Fox Township Board of Supervisors is moving forward with their vision in order to honor and recognize **Fox Township** servicemen and women who have served or given their lives to our country in the United States Armed Forces.

Application Requirements:

In order to be considered for a banner, the nominee must meet the following requirements:

1. Lived in **Fox Township** at some point in their lifetime
2. Served in one of the following branches: Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, National Guard, Coast Guard
3. Meet one of the following criteria: honorably discharged or currently serving

Banner Design & Location

Banners are **18”x 36”**, double sided, vinyl material and include service person’s rank, name, branch of service, era of service, applicable medals (Purple Heart, Silver Star or Bronze Star) and photograph. A rendering of the actual banner design is shown above. Banners will be displayed on designated utility poles for a three-year period. Banner locations will be selected randomly, and specific display locations cannot be requested.

Banner Photograph

Please submit a photo of the veteran in uniform and scan/print it onto 8”x11” paper (high resolution). If you don’t have a way to scan the picture, bring your photo with the application to the Township office and we will scan it for you.

Banner Pricing & Donations

A **\$140** donation is requested for each banner application submitted. Donation includes the production of the banner, installation and removal. There are a limited number of locations available for the program, banners will be granted on the first come first serve basis. All checks should be made payable to **Fox Township**.

Timeline

We intend to have the first round of banners displayed in the Township by the end of June – just in time for July 4th! **If you would like your banner purchase to be included in the first round of printing, your completed application and payment MUST be received at the Fox Township office by close of business on May 28, 2021.** Additional banners will be produced and displayed periodically thereafter, depending on how many orders we collect. There is a minimum number of banners needed to have them printed and a 2-3 week turn-around to receive them from the company.

Completed applications, along with payment and photo (do not fold), can be dropped off or mailed to:

Fox Township Hometown Heroes, PO Box 184, 116 Irishtown Road, Kersey, PA 15846

Questions can be directed to Kathy Dowie at 814-885-8450 ext. 4 or email at: foxtwp@ncentral.com

Fox Township Hometown Hero Banner Application

Please review the Hometown Hero Banner Program Guidelines for further details

Nominee Information	
Full Name <i>*as it will appear on the banner</i>	Military Rank
Branch of Military	Era of Service <i>*see options below</i>
Is Veteran Alive, Deceased, KIA, POW/MIA?	
<p>Did the Veteran earn any of the following medals (circle all that apply):</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> Purple Heart Silver Star Bronze Star </p> <p><i>We will insert a picture of the medals listed. If you require a different medal you will need to supply a high-resolution picture of the medal and list it here:</i> _____</p>	

Era of Service – Official DOD Dates

Global War on Terror: September 11, 2001 – Present
Persian Gulf War: August 2, 1990 - August 31, 1991
Cold War: September 2, 1945 - December 26, 1991
Vietnam Era: February 28, 1961 - May 7, 1975
Korean Conflict Era: June 27, 1950 - January 31, 1955

WWII Era: December 7, 1941 - December 31, 1946
WWI Era: April 6, 1917 - November 11, 1918
Civil War: 1861-1865
Peacetime: _____

Nominator Information	
Contact Name	Relationship to Veteran
Phone	Email
Address	
<p>Please secure the photograph you would like to use on the banner, if you need assistance scanning, bring the original photo to the Township office with your application and we can scan it for you.</p> <p>Photo Release: <i>I hereby grant the Fox Twp permission to use the attached photo, which includes a likeness of myself or of my relative, in the Hometown Hero Banner Program. The Township may use images of the banner in promotional materials without notification or additional permission. I take full responsibility that all information provided about the Veteran being honored is accurate and correct.</i></p>	
<p>_____</p> <p>Contact's Signature</p>	<p>_____</p> <p>Date</p>

Applications will be approved on a first come, first served basis. The \$140 Donation must be enclosed. Please make checks payable to FOX TOWNSHIP and reference "Hometown Heroes" on the check.

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