

# YOUR STORY IS IMPORTANT

Help us create a Wall of Honor to share local history with the next generation

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## A LIVING TRIBUTE

The Wall of Honor is designed to be a living tribute to the veterans of our community, in and around the Wausau area, preserving their legacies through a collection of biographies and historic photos displayed in a gallery-style exhibit. Each page tells the story of a service member—where they served, their experiences, and their contributions both in and out of uniform. It will be unveiled at the EAA Chapter 640 Armed Forces Day event on May 16 and 17, 2025 at Wausau Downtown Airport.

This project is more than a display; it is an opportunity to educate, inspire, and express gratitude. By bringing these stories to life, we ensure that the sacrifices and achievements of our veterans are never forgotten, creating a space where visitors can walk through history, connect with those who served, and appreciate the impact of their dedication.

Through these carefully curated profiles, the Wall of Honor stands as a powerful reminder that the past is not just something to remember—it is something to learn from and carry forward.

## SUBMIT YOUR STORY FOR THE WALL OF HONOR

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Send a brief bio and photo from time in service. If you need help writing your bio or scanning an image, please reach out. We have volunteers waiting to help.

## ARMED FORCES DAY 2025

Armed Forces Day Community Event allows us to share aviation and local military history (and future opportunities) with our community. This year, we're unveiling the Wall of Honor, a project we hope will be shared with other local institutions as a rotating exhibit after our event.

### May 16 - A Night of Aviation History

The Wall of Honor will be unveiled during this formal event - free to the public and geared for older youth and adults, with a showing of the documentary, "Honor in the Air."

### May 17 - All Day Community Event

Historic aircraft, a morning youth run with IRONBULL, interactive expo, recruiters from all branches of the Armed Forces, Veteran services, Food Trucks, and guest speakers - fun for the whole family! Watch for the full schedule at [eaa640.com](http://eaa640.com)



## EAA CHAPTER 640

We are a group of aviation enthusiasts, aircraft builders, and pilots who get together with like minded people of all ages to share ideas, exchange information, encourage safety, serve the local aviation community and have a lot of fun doing so. *Join us.*