

Henrietta Post

VETERANS DAY

Henrietta seniors treated to hot meal, recognition for their service



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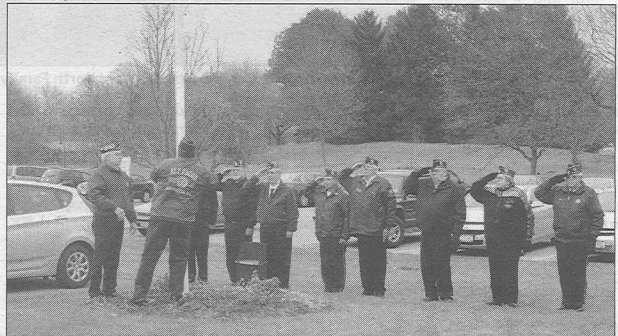
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Monday, November 11, may have been chilly and overcast, but their was nothing but warmth radiating from the smiles of a group of Henrietta seniors who were honored with a special Veterans Day ceremony and lunch organized by Woodcrest Commons, the Henrietta Senior Center and the Ely Fagan American Legion Post.

Residents at Woodcrest Commons, a senior

living community on West Henrietta Road, enjoyed a hot breakfast before heading to Veterans Memorial Park where Ely Fagan Post 1151 held a flag raising ceremony in honor of all who have served.

Following the ceremony, a total of 90 people gathered in the warm confines of the Henrietta Senior Center for individual recognition, lunch, conversation and entertainment by Denny and her Escorts, who performed big band style sing-along music.



Ely Fagan American Legion Post 1151 led a flag-raising ceremony at Veterans Memorial Park in Henrietta prior to the luncheon. PROVIDED



L to R: Mary Koleno, Donna Hunt, Elizabeth Reeves, Carrie Smith, Elaine Lewis, Donna Fox and Carol Foley gather around photos of loved ones who served in the U.S. military. MICHELLE SHIPPERS/MESSENGER POST MEDIA



Kay Dodds, Denny Bent and Al Howe aka "Denny and her Escorts," entertained the seniors with big band style singalong music. MICHELLE SHIPPERS/MESSENGER POST MEDIA



L to R: Harold Conroy, a U.S. Army veteran, Ruth Magraw, Peggy Roller, Pat Nicoletta and Johanna Nicoletta at the Veterans Day luncheon. MICHELLE SHIPPERS/MESSENGER POST MEDIA