



Nonantum Children's Christmas Party Association, Inc.

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We would like to offer our sincerest thanks to all of those who made our 2020 Memorial Day Weekend ceremonies a success. A lot of time and effort was put into the Dedications and Rolling Memorial and none of it would have been possible without many dedicated volunteers.

For their help in the planning and execution of all events, we'd like to thank Chuck Proia, Michael Mazzola, Carl Pasquarosa and the members of the St Mary of Carmen Society, Larry Bearfield and the members of the Hacking Around Club, Joe Sturniolo and Jack Stone of the Legion Post 440, Rich Spalding, Paul Pasquarosa and the members of the Sons of the American Legion, and Donna Cottens and the members of the Women's Auxiliary. We thank everyone who spoke, prayed or laid a wreath at Sunday's dedication ceremonies. We also appreciate the help of the Newton Police with traffic and safety at Sunday's ceremonies.

For our Rolling Memorial, we thank Anthony Clemente for coordinating and each person who participated whether by driving a float, preparing floats, or both as well as David Proia and his family for continued help in the weeks leading up to both events. We thank the Waltham and Watertown Police for escorting our Rolling Memorial through their respective city and town. We also thank Arriana Proia, Micaela Vecchione and Kevin Kadlec for their photos and videos of both events; Jenn Adams of NewTV, Julie Cohen of the Newton Tab, and all of those who helped with publicizing the events both before and after.

We want every volunteer who helped make these events such a success know that we are thankful for you. None of this would be possible without generous community-oriented people like you.

Most importantly, we remember every service member who made the ultimate sacrifice. We thank every veteran living in our community. We salute each active duty military member serving us today. We thank every first responder, medical professional, and essential worker for what you do for us every day. God Bless.

Sincerely,

Anthony Pellegrini Jr., Linda Anderson

Officers, Nonantum Children's Christmas Party Assn.