



“Mail Call”



Here’s how you can help make the Honor Flight journey even more memorable for our Veterans!

“Mail Call” - There were no sweeter words for our homesick Veterans protecting the United States and its allies during World War II and the Korean War. We need your help to say, “Thank You” to our Veterans in this very unique way!

Every Honor Flight is filled with cherished moments and one of the highlights is “Mail Call.” Veteran memories of “Mail Call” are vivid; two words that were most welcome during extended absences from loved ones and home. Veterans tucked precious letters into uniform pockets, close to their heart, so they could read and reread them at every opportunity.

This is where you can help us! Honor Flight San Diego volunteers coordinate a surprise “Mail Call” during the Honor Flight to D.C., an unexpected distribution of cards and letters secretly collected from friends, family and you! Letters and cards written by scouts and students mean so much to our Veterans who see firsthand that our younger generation knows and appreciates their stories and sacrifices.

Mail call letter writing is the perfect project for families, friends, students, clubs, and organizations! You can also encourage others to continue writing letters to our Veterans!

Our next flight is scheduled April 29, 2022 and we will need HUNDREDS of letters for our deserving Veterans. **Our flight will include both WWII and Korean War Veterans so please address letters to "Dear Veteran."**

Please include your name along with a return address of your classroom, scout troop, or personal address on the back of the letter as many of our Veterans wish to write back to thank you!

Letters can be sent directly to: **Donna Hester, 645 Front Street, Unit 614, San Diego, CA 92101.** You can also contact Donna with questions or to request a letter pick up by emailing her: donna@thehesters.com or calling her cell: (619) 985-9729. Deadline to receive letters for the flight is April 23, 2022. **However, Honor Flight will be collecting letters all year long – so please forward them to Donna anytime.**

Thank you for helping Honor Flight San Diego recognize and serve our Veterans!
You can learn more about Honor Flight San Diego by going to: www.HonorFlightSanDiego.org

