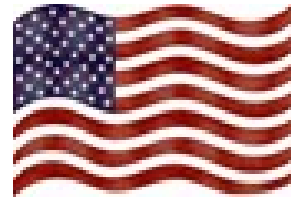


## **Veterans Remembrance Wreath, Alexandria National Cemetery July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

Thanks much to those Potomac Assembly #2204 Color Corps members who participated in uniform in the Presentation of a Veterans Remembrance Wreath at the American Flagpole at the Alexandria National Cemetery.

The event, hosted by VFW Post 609-Alexandria was held for 20 minutes on a bright sunny, humid Tuesday July 4th. Boy Scouts of Troop 301 and Cub Scouts of Pack 301 joined the Knights in presenting the wreath. VFW Post 609 Commander Jerry Krueger (also a SK) presided for the patriotic ceremony. At the end of the event, we collectively attempted to sing America the Beautiful led in song by our own 86-yr old Vet: Bill Camarinos.



About 40 people attended or participated, including Alexandria Mayor Justin Wilson, who also met with Krueger to tour the historic M. Meigs Lodge and VFW Post 609's home offices, that morning as well.

Thanks again for all your enthusiastic participation, and on such short notice at that. A special thanks to SK Larry Clark for again taking the very young scouts under his wing to guide them through the wreath presentation process.

Vivat Jesus

Jerry Krueger SK

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