THE REMEMBRANCE PROJECT ORIGINS ★ ★ ★

IN COMMEMORATION OF THE 101ST AIRBORNE "THE GAME THAT NEVER HAPPENED"

Believing that a WWII victory was imminent, American forces and their French allies organized and held tryouts for an American style football game. They named it the "Champagne Bowl" and set it to be played on Christmas Day, 1944.

Events took place that cancelled the game, as the 101st Airborne was called to the Ardennes to help in what would become known as the Battle of the Bulge. The Champagne Bowl was forgotten, it was the "The Game That Never Happened."

In 2017 Helen Patton, General Patton's granddaughter, became aware of the history of the Champagne Bowl of 1944. She began communicating with the 101st Airborne to plan this game at the 2018 D-Day Commemorations in France.

The effort was realized, the flag football game was played at the D-Day Commemorations in 2018 to remember the Champagne Bowl and to honor General Patton and the men that fought alongside him. What is now called the Remembrance Bowl returns to the D-Day Commemorations each year.

"Who knows how many of those guys made it home, let alone by Christmas, and as you know what that Christmas was like. So, I thought it would be a good idea to play The Game That Never Happened at an event where people come from all over the world to honor and remember. It's a new way to commemorate. It's a way to turn the page of history. We can do this in their stead."

~Helen Ayer Patton





GENERAL GEORGE S. PATTON AMERICA'S WORLD WAR II HERO AND OLYMPIC PENTATHLETE

Patton Legacy Sports honors General Patton's lifelong athleticism, self-discipline, and historical leadership by preserving his legacy using charitable and educational means to support athletes, competitions and organizations that peacefully interact across borders and political platforms. PLS fosters camaraderie, mutual respect, and nurtures better understanding of the sacrifice made by the men and women who serve.

Patton Legacy Sports is committed to ensuring that the Remembrance Bowl takes place each year at the D-Day Commemorations, and has endeavored to bring this game to America's hometown high school teams to play each year in honor of the soldiers that could not.

Locust Valley has been specially selected to develop the The Remembrance Project curriculum for grades K-12, and to host the first stateside Remembrance Bowl.

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AT THE

HOMECOMING PARADE & GAME

Saturday, Sept 23, 2023

11:00am Parade 1:15pm Remembrance Ceremony 2:00pm Game Kick-Off



EVENT UNDERWRITING

All event underwriters will have their name displayed throughout our events and in our commemorative program

JERSEY SIGNING CEREMONY \$500

Help to cover the cost of refreshments, and materials for the ceremony. Includes a 1/4 page journal ad.

PARADE BREAKFAST \$1,000 (X2)

Sponsorship of 1 of the 2 breakfasts to be held in Locust Valley and Bayville for our Veterans and guests. Includes a 1/2 page journal ad.

SIGNAGE SPONSOR \$2,000

Covers all printing, media, and advertising costs. Includes a full page journal ad.

GOLF CART RENTAL \$1,000 (X3)

Help our guests, veterans, and honorees arrive safely at the LVHS Fred Smith Field for gameday events. Includes a 1/2 page journal ad. CELEBRATE THIS MOMENTOUS WEEK OF REMEMBRANCE CURRICULUM, EVENTS, AND THE BIG GAME. YOUR GENEROSITY WILL HELP SOLIDIFY THIS WEEK AS ONE FOR THE HISTORY BOOKS!



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Help us fund the development of The Remembrance Project's national K-12 curriculum and events, and to ensure that The Remembrance Project continues throughout schools in the United States. All sponsors will be included in event signage and/or our commemorative program

DIAMOND SPONSOR \$2.500

Includes:

- 2 tickets to the Remembrance Luncheon
- Signed Fan Jersey
- Remembrance Swag Bag
- Priority Game Day Seating for 4
- Full Page Journal Ad

PLATINUM SPONSOR \$1,000

Includes:

- Remembrance Swag Bag
- Priority Game Day Seating for 4
- 1/2 Page Journal Ad

GOLD SPONSOR \$500

Includes:

- Remembrance Swag Bag
- Priority Game Day Seating for 2
- 1/4 Page Journal Ad



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• Game day tee shirt

FRIENDS OF LVCSD \$50

Includes:

Remembrance hat

SPONSOR A VETERAN \$100

Includes:

- Name of Veteran in Commemorative Program
- Remembrance Tee Shirt and Hat for a Veteran