

**City of Mentor-On-The-Lake 2025 Banner Program**

The City of Mentor-On-The-Lake Banner Program is a tribute to recognize and honor our residents and their immediate family members who are currently serving or who have served our country in the armed forces: Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and National Guard.

Each banner will be in honor of a specific Mentor-On-The-Lake service person and will include their name, branch of service, photo, and name(s) of sponsor(s). The banner measures 30” x 60” and is double-sided. They will be displayed on Andrews Rd. from Memorial Day through Veterans Day. **Banners can be rehung up to two additional times depending on their condition for a rehanging fee. Banners will be stored and rehung the following year upon receiving the rehanging fee, unless pick-up is requested.**

The Banner Program is funded through sponsorship(s), and applications are received on a first come, first served basis. **Registration begins January 31, 2025 – Deadline is April 1, 2025. The cost of a new banner is $130.** A photo in high resolution, preferably showing the individual in military uniform should be included with the application along with payment: checks made payable to the City of Mentor-On-The-Lake (cash/money orders also accepted). Digital photos should be a JPEG or PNG file that is at least 600 DPI and can be emailed to cityhall@citymol.org. All hard copy photos will be returned to the sponsor.

**Mail application, photo and payment to:**

**Mentor-On-The-Lake City Hall, 5860 Andrews Rd., Mentor-On-The-Lake, OH 44060 Attn: Hometown Heros**

**or submitted in person Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.**

**Questions, please call 440-257-7216.**

*Please note that the City of Mentor-On-The-Lake is not responsible for replacing banners that are stolen, damaged or destroyed due to age, vandalism, or any acts of nature, including high winds.* ***The City cannot guarantee or reserve specific locations for the banners to be hung.***

--------------------------------------------------------------**APPLICATION (please print)**------------------------------------------------------------

Name of Service Person \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Service Era \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(See below)

Branch of Service \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Rank\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please check one \_\_\_\_\_\_ Thank You (current active military & veterans) Please check: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Rehang

for a **NEW BANNER**:\_\_\_\_\_\_ In Memory Of (deceased veterans) *(Rehang existing Banner $25)*

*(New banner cost - $130)*

Name of Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Veteran: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

For new banners please provide the name of the sponsor (family or organization – no more than two) that you would like to be printed on the banner.

Sponsor Address/City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

# Eras of Service - Official Department of Defense (DOD) Dates

1. **GWOT – Sept 11, 2001 to present (list this even if veteran hasn’t been to Iraq or Afghanistan)**
2. **Persian Gulf – August 2, 1990 – August 31, 1991**
3. **Cold War – September 2, 1945 – 26 December 1991**
4. **Vietnam Era – Feb 28, 1961 – May 7, 1975**
5. **Korea Conflict Era – June 27, 1950 – Jan 31, 1955**
6. **WW II – December 7, 1941 – December 31, 1946**
7. **WW I – April 6, 1917 – November 11, 1918**

***Include a high resolution or digital photo.*** *I hereby grant the City of Mentor-On-The-Lake permission to use the provided photo in the City of Mentor-On-The-Lake Banner Program. I take full responsibility that all information provided is accurate and correct.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Office Use Only: Receipt # \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_