

The event is more than just a fishing competition. It is an educational and community-building experience Commander Nabor engages the children with American history quizzes related to Independence Day. Winners of these quizzes and the fishing contest receive fishing poles. The Legion's commitment to promoting family values and providing children with meaningful activities on the 4th of July is commendable.

Mr. Speaker, as we celebrate this milestone, it is fitting to acknowledge the lasting legacy of Moe Villalba, Sr and the positive impact this event has had on Graham County. The Derby not only fosters a love for fishing but also strengthens the bonds of community and family, embodying the very essence of what makes our nation great.

Therefore, it is appropriate at this time to recognize July 4, 2024, as the 50th Anniversary of the Moe Villalba Sr Fishing Derby and to honor the American Legion Swift-Murphy Post 32 for their dedication to ensuring this event remains a vibrant and integral part of Independence Day.

RECOGNIZING CANCER SUPPORT COMMUNITY GREATER PHILA- DELPHIA

HON. BRIAN K. FITZPATRICK

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 2024

Mr. FITZPATRICK. Mr. Speaker, I use today to recognize an organization from my District and celebrate the profound impact of Cancer Support Community Greater Philadelphia and to advocate for the designation of "Community Is Stronger Than Cancer Day."

Cancer Support Community Greater Philadelphia is an organization that uplifts and strengthens individuals impacted by cancer. With a mission to provide support, foster compassionate communities, and break down barriers to care, they have been a beacon of hope for countless individuals in the Greater Philadelphia Area.

Over the past 30 years, Cancer Support Community Greater Philadelphia has served over 500,000 people in Eastern Pennsylvania, offering a comprehensive range of free programs and services. From groups and evidence-based counseling to educational events, health and wellness classes, and social gatherings, their tireless efforts have provided solace and support to those navigating the challenges of a cancer diagnosis.

The statistics are staggering, each year, roughly 9,000 people in the Greater Philadelphia Area receive a new cancer diagnosis. It is imperative that no one facing this journey feels alone. Cancer Support Community Greater Philadelphia ensures that individuals and their families have access to the support and resources they need to navigate this difficult journey with dignity and resilience.

In recognition of their unwavering dedication and the resilience of those impacted by cancer, I am proud to introduce this resolution. I call upon all members of our community to join me in celebrating the strength and courage of cancer survivors, patients, caregivers, and their loved ones. Let us honor those who have fought valiantly and remember those we have lost, while reaffirming our commitment to

supporting one another through every step of the journey.

I believe that it is important for Congress to support the designation of June 28, 2024, as "Community Is Stronger Than Cancer Day." Together, let us acknowledge the power of community in overcoming adversity and supporting those in need.

I encourage all individuals to learn more about Cancer Support Community Greater Philadelphia and the invaluable work they do.

HONORING NIKOLAS ROGERS ON RECEIVING THE 2024 YOUTH OF THE YEAR AWARD

HON. KAY GRANGER

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 2024

Ms. GRANGER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor NiKolas Rogers on being named the 2024 Youth of the Year at the Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Tarrant County. NiKolas has consistently demonstrated exceptional leadership, dedication, and commitment to excellence that truly sets him apart, making him a deserving recipient of this prestigious honor.

NiKolas has shown an unwavering passion for academic success and personal growth. His involvement in Upward Bound has not only enriched his own life but also positively impacted those around him. He has a unique ability to inspire his peers and lead by example, always striving to make our community a better place.

As a student at Trimble Tech High School, NiKolas excels, maintaining high grades and a strong commitment to his education. He approaches every challenge with determination and a positive attitude, embodying the values of hard work and perseverance. His intellectual curiosity and eagerness to learn are truly commendable.

NiKolas is also willing to lend a helping hand at any time and offer support to those in need. His genuine concern for others and his ability to connect with people on a personal level make him a beloved member of Upward Bound and our community in Tarrant County.

Mr. Speaker, please join me today in congratulating NiKolas Rogers on receiving this award and in wishing him all the best in his future endeavors.

HONORING SOUTH REDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT'S INNOVATION CENTER

HON. RASHIDA TLAIB

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 2024

Ms. TLAIB. Mr. Speaker, today I want to recognize the South Redford School District as they celebrate the grand opening of their Innovation Center.

The Innovation Center proudly offers new programming for building trades, culinary paths, welding, health professions, and hospitality. This new programming will open innumerable doors to so many students within the district, ensuring that they find what fits their passions.

The Center is also equipped to ensure that its students have the needed career preparatory skills to succeed after graduation. These skills include the creation of an Educational Development Plan, apprenticeship programs, and paid or non-paid internships. Additionally, the Center works to guide its students into any path they choose to embark on. This means that they put an important focus on aiding their employability or assisting them with navigating post-secondary institutions.

Please join me and the 12th Congressional District in celebrating the opening of Redford School District's Innovation Center and the subsequent launch of their newest programming.

HONORING REAR ADMIRAL U.S. NAVY (RET) JAMES BERNARD GREENE, JR.

HON. MIKE THOMPSON

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 2024

Mr. THOMPSON of California. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Rear Admiral James Bernard, Jr., who was an esteemed member of our community. Mr. Greene is being laid to rest today in Arlington National Cemetery with full military honors.

Admiral Greene was born on June 6, 1941, in New Brunswick, New Jersey. He married his first wife, Diane, in 1964, and had four children. After his first wife died, he married his second wife, Susan, in 2005, and welcomed three stepchildren and countless step-grandchildren into his life. He received a Bachelor of Science from Brown University, and a Master of Science in both Electrical Engineering and Management from the Naval Post Graduate School in Monterey.

Admiral Greene's long career in the military is commendable. After joining the ROTC at Brown from 1959 to 1964, he was commissioned into the U.S. Navy, where he served in active duty from 1964 to 1995. Even after retirement from active duty, he continued his service in the military by working at the Naval Post Graduate School as a Professor of the Practice and Chair of Acquisition, where he helped to launch and serve as Director of the Acquisition Research Program.

His service on behalf of the military did not end there. He served as the Director of the Liaison for the Office of Legislative Affairs where he worked to recommission battleships. He also worked on the 7B Maritime Prepositioning Ship Program and served as the Project Manager for the Aegis Ship Building Project. He also served as the senior military Chief of Staff to the Under Secretary of Navy for Acquisition, Research and Development. His commitment to the military both in active service and in retirement was commendable.

Admiral Greene also had a long history of community outreach and service. He served as the Chair of Henry's Fork Foundation in Ashland, Idaho, and as founder and sponsor of the Rear Admiral Greene Colgate Internship. He also served on the board of the American Chestnut Land Trust in Maryland, and advised other environmental organizations, such as the Teton Regional Land Trust and the Tuolumne River Land Trust. His active involvement in countless environmental organizations revealed the depth of his dedication

to preserving public lands for future generations.

Admiral Greene's dedication to serving his community was evident throughout his life. His ability to bring people together to work towards a common goal never failed to bring success. People knew that if they worked with him, they would be working with a competent and exceptionally knowledgeable leader. He also had an unconditional love for his family, which shone through in every interaction.

Mr. Speaker, we thank Admiral Greene for his dedicated service to our military and our broader community. Therefore, it is fitting and proper that we honor his life and legacy here today.

RECOGNIZING THE ACHIEVEMENTS
OF 2024 SILVER KNIGHT AWARD
WINNER JOSHUA MARTOMA IN
THE SOCIAL SCIENCE DIS-
CIPLINE

HON. JARED MOSKOWITZ

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 2024

Mr. MOSKOWITZ. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Mr. Joshua Martoma, a beacon of inspiration and the recipient of the prestigious Silver Knight Award in the social science discipline. This award, a testament to his exceptional academic prowess and remarkable community service, is bestowed upon high school students in Broward and Miami-Dade County.

Joshua is a shining example of turning adversity into triumph. His father served time in federal prison during Joshua's youth, which inspired him to cofound the nonprofit KidsMates alongside his two younger siblings. To assist children who also grew up with a family member who was incarcerated. His organization donated over 5,000 books, games, and movies to federal prison rooms, reaching prisons in 23 states. He is passionate about informing the public of this crisis, and his essay titled "Parental Incarceration Is a Silent American Epidemic More Common Than Childhood Asthma" addresses this issue. His essay placed him in the Top 11 winners of The Learning Network's 10th Annual Student Editorial contest and was published in the New York Times.

Mr. Speaker, please join me in recognizing Mr. Joshua Martoma's remarkable achievements, exceptional contributions to the discipline of social science, and unwavering commitment to making a positive difference in our community.

RECOGNIZING REVEREND DR.
YVONNE KAYE' DEDICATION AND
CONTRIBUTION AS A MENTAL
HEALTH PROFESSIONAL

HON. BRIAN K. FITZPATRICK

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 2024

Mr. FITZPATRICK. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize an extraordinary individual from my district, Reverend Dr. Yvonne Kaye, whose dedication and contributions as a mental health professional have profoundly impacted

the Bucks County region and beyond for over five decades.

Dr. Yvonne Kaye, a graduate of the University of London, moved to our community in 1968. She furthered her education by earning degrees from Marywood University and Columbia Pacific University in Thanatology.

Throughout her illustrious career, Dr. Kaye has been a beacon of hope and support for those navigating the challenges of grief. In collaboration with Dr. Larry Schmitzer, she championed Triumph, an organization dedicated to instilling hope among individuals in the medical and education sectors.

Dr. Kaye's impact extended beyond traditional avenues of support. For eighteen years, she hosted the Dr. Yvonne Kaye Show on WWDB radio, providing a platform for individuals to engage in meaningful conversations and receive invaluable guidance on various life challenges.

The unwavering support of her partner of twenty-seven years, John Roberts, played a pivotal role in Dr. Kaye's journey. Although John is no longer with us, his influence continues to inspire her work and dedication to serving others.

Dr. Kaye's nurturing spirit extends to her family and the wider community. Her involvement with the Cancer Support Community at Gilda's Club in Warminster since its inception in 2003 underscores her enduring commitment to supporting those in need.

Dr. Yvonne Kaye's multifaceted contributions as a mother, grandmother, storyteller, writer, published author, thanatologist, humorist, and former radio show personality reflect her profound dedication to uplifting and enriching the lives of others.

Her resilience, empathy, and unwavering commitment to the well-being of our community are truly commendable. Dr. Kaye's work in bereavement, particularly with families who have lost children, serves as a testament to her compassion and dedication to healing.

In recognition of her outstanding service and positive impact, we extend our deepest gratitude to Dr. Yvonne Kaye. May she continue to inspire and uplift those around her for years to come.

RECOGNIZING MICHIGAN'S CARIB-
BEAN AMERICAN HERITAGE
MONTH

HON. RASHIDA TLAIB

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 2024

Ms. TLAIB. Mr. Speaker, today I want to recognize Caribbean American Heritage Month to celebrate the contributions of Caribbean-Americans to Michigan's 12th Congressional District and all across our Nation.

National Caribbean American Heritage Month was first recognized in 2005. This was the culmination of many years of efforts by organizations around the world to spotlight the numerous contributions to our Nation. Caribbean Community Services, a nonprofit organization based in Detroit, Michigan, has proudly uplifted that history. They routinely host numerous events that celebrate the rich cultural heritage of the Caribbean and its impact on our communities in southeastern Michigan. I am incredibly proud of the important work Car-

ibbean Social Services undertakes to foster diverse and welcoming communities. I especially want to highlight their leadership in ensuring these contributions are recognized and valued as we celebrate Caribbean American Heritage Month.

Please join me in recognizing National Caribbean American Heritage Month and the contributions of Caribbean Americans across our Nation and the 12th Congressional District.

HONORING HOWARD HAUPT

HON. MIKE THOMPSON

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, May 31, 2024

Mr. THOMPSON of California. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Howard Haupt, an esteemed member of our community. Mr. Haupt is being honored at this year's military academy reception for his dedication to our armed forces.

Mr. Haupt was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He married his wife, Phyllis, in Kansas in 1962. They have been Napa residents for 28 years and have three sons and four grandchildren. Mr. Haupt is a 1957 graduate of West Point and served in the United States Army and Air Force for 27 years, attaining a rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

Mr. Haupt's long career in the military is commendable. Upon his commissioning during the Cold War, he served as a crewmember on a bomber throughout the 1960s. During the Vietnam War, he served as a navigator on KC-135 refueling aircraft, spending most of his time doing so stationed in temporary duty in Okinawa. During this time, he also served as a mission coordinator on EC-47 electronic reconnaissance aircraft. Our country is safer because of the courage and sacrifice Mr. Haupt has shown throughout his long career.

After retiring from the military in 1984, Mr. Haupt was employed as a financial planner, where he worked for about five years. Later, he taught at the junior high and high school levels for nine more years. His dedication to serving his community both in and out of uniform is honorable.

Even after his official retirement, Mr. Haupt continues to serve his country. He has conducted admissions outreach for the U.S. Military Academy at West Point for the North Bay Region for thirty years. He has also served as my Academy Nomination Coordinator, where he has led my nomination panel and helped to nominate dozens of young men and women dedicated to serving our country. His level of detail to support our nation's future leaders is commendable.

Mr. Haupt's work on behalf of our Napa County community is awe-inspiring. He has been an active member of the Napa Sunrise Rotary club, where he works heavily in their youth and educational programs. We are grateful for his leadership in our community.

Mr. Speaker, we thank Mr. Haupt for his dedicated service to our military and our broader Napa County community. Therefore, it is fitting and proper that we honor him here today.