

Sweat for Vets - January 2021

On Saturday January 23, 2021, the Knights Councils and Assemblies of Districts 18 and 31, the Ancient Order of Hibernians State Board and COL Cunningham Division, as well as VFW post # 1177 in Leesburg, delivered a total of 452 sweat suits and \$4,725 in cash donations to the Martinsburg, WV VA Hospital. Tim Melia, from the Ancient Order of Hibernians, our local representative for Sweats for Vets, presented the donations to Kenneth Allensworth, Director of the VA Medical Center.

Despite the challenges of the pandemic, the effort helped ensure an adequate supply of sweat suits to help keep the resident vets warm this winter, along with funds necessary to support the purchase of sundry items otherwise unavailable to some, who lack financial security.

Of those donations, 86 sets of sweats came from St Theresa. A big Thank You to all who supported this worthy cause.

