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VFW NATIONAL HOME FOR CHILDREN
Every child deserves a happy family.

HomeNotes

Hi friends!

We hope your new year is off to a great start! In this edition we're celebrating our birthday, a new addition to our fleet of vehicles, and telling you about some exciting activities happening on campus! We also have a fundraising promotion coming up for Valentines Day that'll give you the oppotunity to publicly display your love for our military and veteran families on our Wall of Love!

Please enjoy our first HomeNotes of the new year.

Your friends at the VFW National Home for Children

The National Home Turns 97



On January 7th we celebrated our 97th birthday! Since 1925, the National Home has been impacting the lives of our nation's military and veteran families. This year, to celebrate our rich history, we've created this [video](#) that tells the story of the our organization. Enjoy!

New Plow Truck

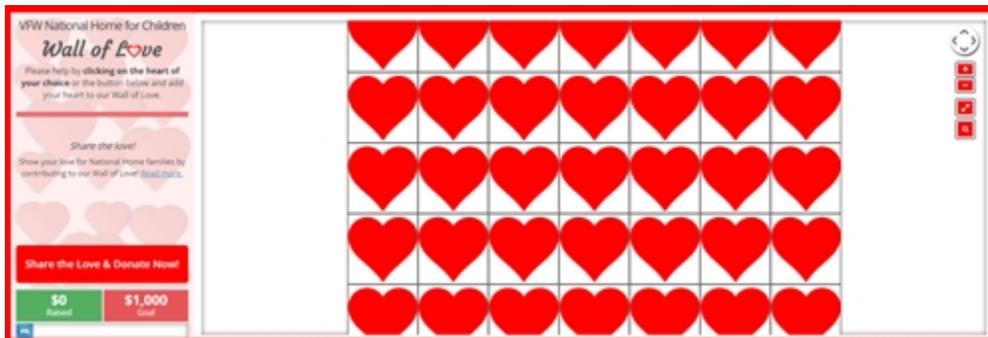
We are excited to announce the arrival of a brand new plow truck, just in time for the snowiest part of the Michigan winter! Please enjoy this [in-depth article](#) about how our supporters across the country and the United Auto Workers helped us receive this truck.



Taking Charge Group Begins at National Home

At the beginning of a new year, many of us look to make changes, develop skills, and set new goals. Some National Home residents are looking to tackle their financial goals this year with the aid of a new financial education support group that began in

January. Learn more about this group on our [blog](#)!



Show your Love

We also have a fundraising promotion coming up for Valentines Day that'll give you the opportunity to publicly display your love for our military and veteran families or honor that special someone in your life on our Wall of Love!

Your donations will go directly to helping the military and veteran families living at the National Home.

Be sure to include a special message with your donation. What motivates you to support military and veteran families?

Please share our campaign with your friends and family and help us reach our goal!

Help our future shine as bright as our past and present by becoming a Home Front Hero this Year

Want to make a consistent and lasting difference in the lives of military and veteran families? You can start today by committing to a monthly contribution to the VFW National Home for Children. As a [Home Front Hero](#), you'll help ensure the seamless and consistent delivery of programs and services to our families, which include housing, counseling, tutoring, life skills, daycare, and more.

-It's easy – Choose to have your monthly gift paid automatically from your credit card or checking/savings account.

-It's flexible – You determine the amount of your monthly donation. You can also email us to increase, decrease or suspend your gift at any time.

-It's eco-friendly – Save trees by switching to paperless, automatic donations.

-It saves money – Save the cost of a stamp with every gift you make.



Protect what you love this Valentine's Day

Valentine's Day is the time to express your love to the people and causes near and dear to your heart. One easy way to show your love, and find peace of mind for the future, is to create an estate plan to support your loved ones — and make a lasting commitment to care for families left behind by war. VFW National Home for Children wants to share our free will-writing resource to help you complete this important task. This tool is completely free to use for our community, and takes 20 minutes or less to use! **[Get started on your free will today, and make sure your loved ones and military families are always cared for.](#)**

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