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The Pima County Fair is proud to host the American Veterans Traveling Tribute, April 17 – 27, 2025. The Tribute will be in Central Park, at the Fair and is included in the cost of Fair admission. Veterans, Military and their families are welcome to visit the wall free of charge, Tuesday, April 22, 2025, from 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

The American Veterans Traveling Tribute (AVTT) is a traveling memorial brought to communities across the country. The tribute is an extraordinary collection of exhibits designed to honor the men and women who have served in our armed forces. With a focus on the Vietnam War, it also acknowledges conflicts from World War I through the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan with the Cost Of Freedom Tribute. AVTT provides a powerful and emotional experience for those who visit.

The **Traveling Vietnam Wall**, a stunning replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington, D.C., spans 360ft long, 8ft tall, honoring over 58,000 fallen military who gave their lives during the Vietnam War.

But AVTT goes beyond just the Vietnam War. It also features the **Cost Of Freedom Tribute** that commemorates the service and sacrifices made in various other conflicts. Among these exhibits is the **Afghanistan & Iraq Warrior Tribute**, which includes casualty names and Medal of Honor recipients. The Tribute also includes recognition to the heroes of the **9/11 attacks**, featuring a description, tower casualties, and flight timelines. Additionally, the AVTT includes a series of exhibits that commemorate other key moments in military history from 1914 to the present. Each conflict is honored with its own panel, reminding visitors of the historical importance of these wars.

For Additional info about AVTT, visit the website at <u>www.avtt.org.</u> Request to interview a representative from the AVTT can be submitted to Launa@PimaCountyFair.com