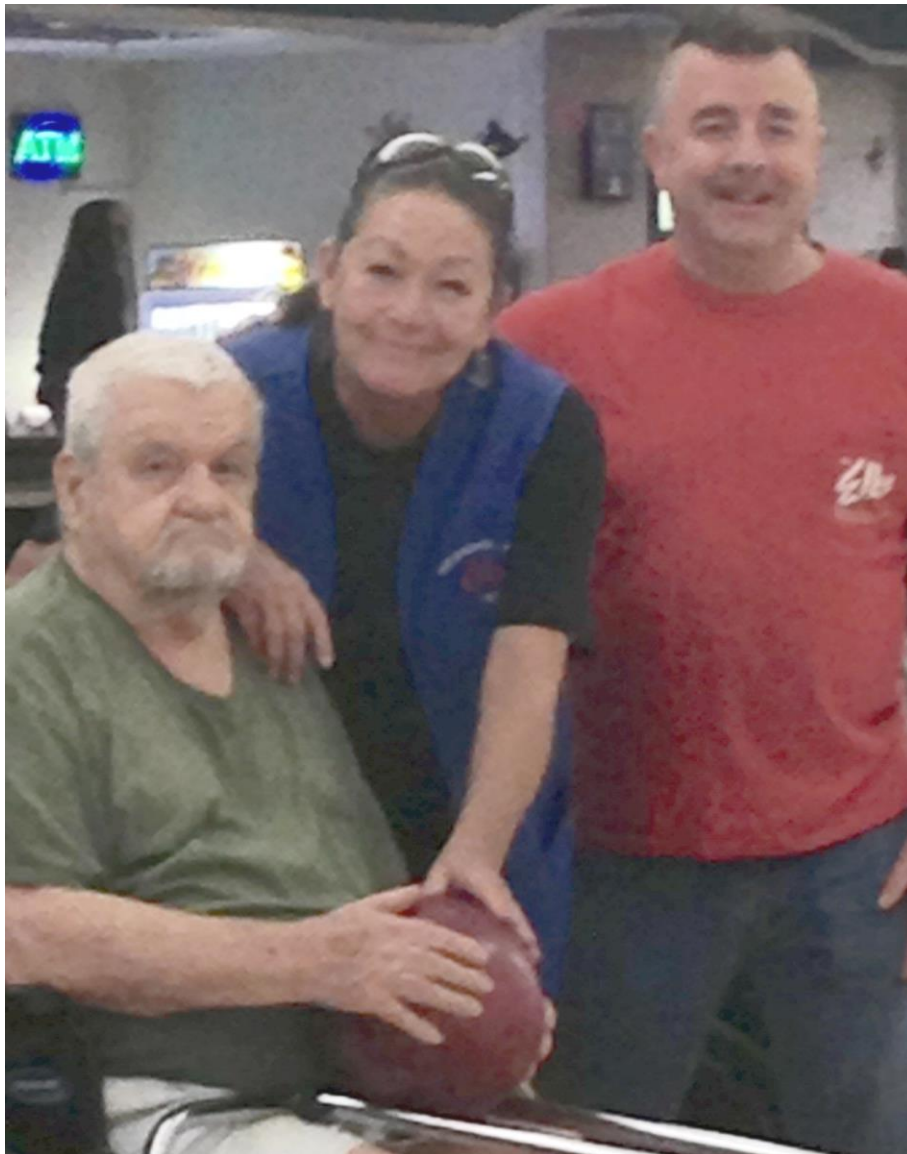


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Roanoke 197 Holds Monthly "Bowling Day" for Veterans

The first Thursday of every month is "Bowling Day" for veterans in Roanoke, Virginia. That's when Elks from Roanoke 197 gather at Lee Hi Lanes in Salem, Virginia, to help veterans from the local VA Hospital and Virginia Veterans Care Center disembark from their buses and bowl two games each. The Elks also serve refreshments to their guests. Lodge 197 hosts ten to twenty veterans every month.



U.S. Army veteran Ralph Browning, his daughter Donna Browning, and Joe Handerhan, VAVS representative for Virginia's Southwest District

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