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Joint Resolution

Designating July 17 through July 23, 1993, as "National Veterans Golden Age Games Week".

July 22, 1993  
[H.J. Res. 190]

Whereas from July 17, 1993, through July 23, 1993, the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center at Mountain Home, Tennessee, will host the seventh annual Veterans Golden Age Games;

Whereas the games are a national multi-event sports and recreational competition for veterans, age 55 and over, who are currently receiving medical care from the Department of Veterans Affairs;

Whereas sports and recreation are integral components in the rehabilitative medicine programs offered at Veterans Administration hospitals, and help improve the health and quality of life for older veterans;

Whereas veteran athletes from across the United States will compete in events and competitions at the games;

Whereas the National Veterans Golden Age Games Program serves as a showcase for the prevention and therapeutic medical value that sports and recreation provide in the lives of all older Americans; and

Whereas the games provide further recognition of the valiant service given to the Nation by its veterans: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That July 17 through July 23, 1993, is designated as "National Veterans Golden Age Games Week", and the President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe such week with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

Approved July 22, 1993.

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