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VFW hosts luncheon at Young-Sang Children's Center

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DAEGU GARRISON — The Veterans of Foreign Wars, Hill 303 Memorial Post 10033, and members of the 36th Signal Battalion, 19th Expeditionary Sustainment Command, DOD Education Activity and US Army Garrison Daegu participated in an inspirational luncheon for 55 children of the Young-Sang Children's Center, located in Daegu, Feb. 19.

Post 10033 hosted the luncheon at the center, providing food items that included fruit, drinks, pizza and assorted candies. The children ranged in ages from 4 to 18. Richard Locke, Post 10033 President, remarked, "Our members are proud to help local children's centers; events like this inspire everyone." Other members of the post participating in the event included Rey Garcia (Jr. Vice Commander), Jason Boire (Post Quartermaster), Jasper Sims (Post Trustee), John Brehend (Post Trustee), Chuck Ryan, Ron Coleman, Jay Langlois, Josue Morales and Brandon Gingrich. Along with



VFW member Chuck Ryan with children from the Young-Sang Children's Center during the inspiration luncheon held Feb. 19 in Daegu.

these members, their spouses also helped to make the day special for the children. During the luncheon, several

birthdays were celebrated, making the event even more special. So Yun Locke, a participant commented, "It's a great feeling giving something nice to so many wonderful children."

The Daegu VFW Hill 303 Memorial Post 10033 was established in September 1999. Its purpose is to provide community service work, support widows and orphans of fallen comrades, and to remember the dead and the sacrifice they gave to their country. The visit to Yong-Sang Children's Center is one of the community service efforts that Daegu VFW Hill 303 Memorial Post 10033 provides. The post thanks each and every non-member and member who donated their time and effort in making the inspirational luncheon at the Children's Center a great success. VFW Post 10033 along with 36th Signal Battalion plan to host similar events in the future as well as events with other children's centers in the Daegu metropolitan area.

Anyone interested in joining the VFW Post 10033 should contact Richard Locke at DSN 764-5714. ▴



VFW members, Jason Boire and Ray Garcia, with children from the Young-Sang Children's Center during the inspiration luncheon held Feb. 19.