



John C. Kelso (1914 – 194.)

At this time, there is little information on John C. Kelso. His name does appear in Memorial Park in downtown Chula Vista as a military veteran who was a resident of Chula Vista. In the 1930 Census, there were two listed “John C. Kelso’s” who would fit in the parameters of serving during WWII. One lived in Hudson County, NJ and was the son of Andrew Kelso. The other lived in Washington County, PA and was born in 1914 and the son of a John C. Kelso. I elected to go with the latter. He died in WWII. There is a street in the Sunbow community named in his honor.

As further information becomes available, this web page will be updated. The Veterans Advisory Commission of the city of Chula Vista welcomes any information on John C. Kelso. It is believed that he may have had a brother named Robert Kelso who graduated from Sweetwater Union High School in 1946.

