

Vietnam War Commemoration "SITREP"

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"Join the nation ... thank a Vietnam veteran!"



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Dear Commemorative Partners,

DID YOU KNOW?



...51 out of the 72 living Congressional Medal of Honor recipients are Vietnam Veterans? Major League Baseball recognized these heroes during the All-Star Pre-Game Ceremony on July 17 in Washington, DC. Click [here](#) to watch the video!

...you can tag us in your events on social media and we can share it with the rest of the world, including our **9,833 Facebook** and **1,559 Twitter** followers! You can also log on to our [YouTube](#) channel and watch some of our amazing videos! Don't forget to share your event photos as well by submitting your "After Action Report" ([Form DD2957](#)) (jpg format only).



...the Commemoration has two seals, both protected by law. Our official seal is authorized for use only by the Commemoration on official material (e.g., website, printed material). The Commemorative Partner (CP) Seal is similar to the official seal and showcases a banner under the seal that reads "COMMEMORATIVE PARTNER." Commemorative Partners are authorized to use the CP Seal, located on the [Partner Portal](#).

...the Deceased Vietnam Veteran's Surviving Spouse certificate and lapel pin (part of the Commemoration's [Certificate of Honor](#) program) are for the surviving spouse at the time of death of a veteran who served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces at any time during the period from November 1, 1955 to May 15, 1975, regardless of location. As of July 2018, **over 31,000** of these pins have been distributed!



Above & Beyond Mariner/Marlin Seaplane Association



Two years ago, the Mariner/Marlin Seaplane Association began a project to have the VWC Flag flown in ALL 50 states by their members.

In June 2018, that objective was achieved.

Thank you!



...the Commemoration's History and Legacy branch has conducted over **500** oral history interviews with the nation's Vietnam Veterans and have several more scheduled to take place this year. Footage of the interviews will be kept on file and shared with the [Library of Congress Veterans History Project](#).

We're grateful for the amazing work that you do each day to help the nation thank and honor our Vietnam Veterans. We say **"thank you"** for serving as...*Proud Partners with The U.S.A. Vietnam War Commemoration!*