



# Vietnam War Commemoration "SITREP" – 2016, Issue 7

*"Join the Nation ... thank a Vietnam veteran!"*

**Friday, July 1**



*Dear Commemorative Partners,*

*July 4<sup>th</sup> we observe* the day our Nation declared its independence and remember all those who served in the U.S. Armed Forces. As you celebrate this day, ***"Thank a Vietnam veteran!"*** and present them with a [Vietnam Veteran Lapel Pin](#) in honor of their service!



*Some Vietnam veterans from a Nebraska Honor Flight pose in front of the Lincoln Memorial June 6, 2016*

*You'll notice some changes,* as is reflected by the new colors shown on the header and footer of this SITREP. These ***national colors*** will be integrated in more and more of our products in the months ahead.

*We are also pleased to announce* our new ***Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)*** page located on our website. Like the SITREP, this page provides helpful tools for your use as you thank and honor Vietnam veterans in your area. This FAQ page includes information on: The Commemorative Partner Portal; How to view materials that are available to you; and How to request these materials (like the Vietnam Veteran Lapel Pin) and other free support when planning your event. Locate these answers and more under the "About" section of our website, or [click here](#).

*When your event is finished,* send your 3 best digital captioned photos along with your After-Action Report (AAR) to: [whs.vnwar50th\\_CPP\\_AAR@mail.mil](mailto:whs.vnwar50th_CPP_AAR@mail.mil). Information about AARs and how to get your photos shown are also listed on the FAQ page.

## ***Above & Beyond***

***Maryland Public Television (MPT)***



*MPT, along with 9 other Commemorative Partners, came together to distribute over 3,000 Vietnam Veteran Lapel Pins at the "LZ Maryland" event June 18-19!*

***Thank you to each of the Commemorative Partners who participated in this event, honoring thousands of Vietnam veterans!***

Lastly, ***we want to hear from you!*** Email any comments, questions, or changes in your contact information to us at: [whs.vnwar50th@mail.mil](mailto:whs.vnwar50th@mail.mil) so we can know how to ***best*** serve you! Thank you again for being a ... ***"Proud partner with The U.S.A. Vietnam War Commemoration!"***  
Sincerely,

***The United States of America  
Vietnam War Commemoration Staff***