



Vietnam War Commemoration "SITREP"

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

Thursday, August 30

Dear Commemorative Partners,

Recently, some of our over 13,000 partners expressed what it means to be a "Proud Partner" with the U.S.A. Vietnam War Commemoration. Here's what they had to say:

"Since 2012, we have been celebrating the Commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War. Our medical center is a proud Commemorative Partner and is committed to giving our Vietnam veterans the recognition and welcome home they so rightly deserve."

"Really it's not just about patriotism, but also it's about preserving our history and about educating the future generation on all of the good things our men and women have sacrificed and done for us."



"We can finally say 'thank you' to those who have sacrificed so much where we as a nation failed to say 'thank you' when they came home."

"Once having joined the Commemoration, stay in touch with the office because the Commemoration office personnel are infinite sources of information... stay in touch and keep the communications with the Commemoration office going."

Above & Beyond

U.S. Army Band

On Saturday, August 18, The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" presented its annual *1812 Overture Concert* at Fort Myer in Arlington, VA. Click [here](#) to watch the video and fast-forward to the 40-minute mark to see the segment dedicated to and the pinning of our Vietnam veterans.

Thank you, U.S. Army Band!

"It gives us an opportunity to do something above and beyond what we routinely do. We recognize every veteran in hospice...having this Vietnam recognition for those that served during the Vietnam era just adds something very unique and special to it."

We want to hear from you! Email any comments, questions, or changes in your contact information to us at: 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!***