

## **Vietnam War Commemoration "SITREP"**

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

Monday, March 9

## Dear Commemorative Partners,

With <u>National Vietnam War Veterans Day</u> just weeks away, we are fulfilling *requests for commemorative materials* at the rate of more than *200 each day*! Even at this pace, we want you to know *there is still time* to order materials for your *29 March* commemorative event(s).

Simply log in to the <u>Partner Portal</u> with your unique password and fill out the May 2019 version of our "Events Request" form (DD2956). Resources available include <u>Lapel Pins</u>, <u>Presidential Proclamations</u>, <u>Program Brochures</u>, <u>Fact Sheets</u>, <u>Bumper Stickers</u> (now in Vehicle Magnet form) and <u>Tin Pins</u>. In addition, you also can "write in" requests in the "Other" box for <u>Certificates of Honor</u>, along with terrific *educational resources*, such as our *ever-popular* <u>Teacher's Toolkit</u>, hard copy versions of our *12 unique*, *multi-poster series*, and our *Service Patch Posters*. For those wishing to print the posters on their own material or have them



professionally printed and framed locally, *hi-resolution versions* are <u>available for download</u>. Of course, the *29 March-specific poster* (above right) is available by a "ctrl-click" directly on the image.

As promised, our 2020 <u>key messages</u>, <u>FAQs</u>, <u>speech templates</u> and our <u>Media & Public Info Kit</u> (1- and 2-page and full-length versions) highlighting **29 March**, *National Vietnam War Veterans Day are* now available on our <u>website</u>.

Finally, we encourage you to listen to retired U.S. Army *Major General Jim Jackson's* (our director) newly released *podcast*. This 54-min dialogue with General Jackson was made possible through the incredible support and expertise of our colleagues at the *Department of Veterans Affairs (VA)*. As part of their "*Borne the Battle*" weekly podcasts, our friends at VA invited General Jackson to "*sit down and chat*" about the *noble mission* of the Vietnam War Commemoration and the *remarkable patriots* who served our Nation on active duty in the U.S. Military from *01 November 1955* to *15 May 1975*. General Jackson's podcast also is available on the VA's website, alongside other moving stories of Vietnam veterans and their families being thanked and honored. Visit VA's "Borne the Battle" and search by keyword "Vietnam."

**Thanks to your dedication**, millions of Vietnam veterans and their families have been individually thanked and honored! Yet, millions more remain who richly deserve acclamation for their service and sacrifice. Thank you, for being a **Proud Partner with The U.S.A. Vietnam War Commemoration** as, together, we **seek out and honor Vietnam veterans and their families!** 

