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Starting a Squadron

A Sons of AMVETS Squadron will allow your Post to increase its membership and presence in your community. It will allow more members of your family to become members of the AMVETS family. The Sons will add a new vitality to your Post's activities; and add many more new activities to what your post has to offer its membership.

- Eight eligible members are required to start a squadron;
- Organize the members by completing membership application for each member & the Change of officer form;
- Obtain an EIN (Employer identification number from the IRS;
- Setup a bank checking account;

Request a Squadron starter kit at www.sonsofamvets.org and select the Start a Squadron menu





BECOME A MEMBER



As a member of the Sons of AMVETS you will be part of one of the fastest growing Veterans Service Organizations in the United States. Most of all, it will allow you to be a part of the fellowship of the AMVETS Family, and make a difference in your community, state and nation. It gives you the chance to give something back to those who have given us the many freedoms that we enjoy today, the

AMERICAN VETERAN

To become a member or for additional information, please contact our national office at the address below.

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SONS OF AMVETS



As part of the AMVETS family we are united in service and dedicated to improve quality of life, advocate legislation for increased benefits and care, provide and support charitable assistance to veterans, their families, and community.





Honoring and remembering our veterans for their service and recognizing those who make a difference.

Since 1974 the Sons of AMVETS mission has been to support our nation's veterans, their families and communities through our programs. The National Sons of AMVETS was chartered in 1983 to further the cause of the organization. Veterans Arts and Crafts, Scholarships, Scooters for Vets, Camp Hope, AMVETS Diabetes Research Institute, Crohn's & Colitis Foundation, Active Heroes and St. Jude's Children's Hospital are a few benefactors of the Sons of AMVETS.

Honoring and remembering our veterans and their sacrifice is part of our mission. We will not forget those who have paid the ultimate sacrifice to protect our freedoms. We continue to show our appreciation to Goldstar families through our Honor & Remember program. Throughout the year our Honor Guard along with Veterans and the AMVETS family pay respect to those who served by placing wreathes at the memorial on the national mall in DC

And we are thankful for the many who have been true champions of the Sons of AMVETS. We recognize those who support the Sons of AMVETS in completing our mission. Annually the Aid and Support Crystal Eagle is given to an individual who assist and promotes the Sons of AMVETS to better serve our veterans and communities.



Making a Difference

SONS SERVING VETERANS

The Sons of AMVETS sponsor various community projects. These include Americanism, legislative and scholarship programs, food drives and many others. We continue to support our veterans through our ongoing programs. This includes sweats for vets, Veterans Arts and Crafts, Undergarments, Veterans Lodging and assisting grants programs.



LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM:

Our legislative program and working to ensure our veterans receive the benefits they deserve is a top priority. March of 2014, every Senate and House office received the AMVETS legislative priorities, including 271 face to face meetings. "The Sons have broken down barriers, allowing me to meet with congressmen." National AMVETS Commander John Mitchell 2013-14



Legislative Committee from Ohio & Illinois at work for Veteran benefits.



Working with Kevin Stone and Mombo on service dog legislation.

ASSISTING AMVETS POST:

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Sons from Ohio Sa 22 and AMVETS Family parade the 20 x40 US Flag before tens of thousands.



Kentucky Sq1 build a ramp and covered porch at the AMVETS Post.

SERVING VETERANS AND COMMUNITY:

Across the country sons are serving veterans by assisting with home maintenance, driving VETERANS to VA centers, providing clothing, blankets, personal items and gifts to veterans residing in nursing and veterans homes. And each year scholarships are awarded at the local, state and national levels to assist students with their education.



Giving mobility back to a deserving veteran provided by Sons from Florida



Maryland Sons assist homeless veterans with cars, and household items.