

Chairman Report Monthly Attendance - April 2024

****Attention Chairman**** If you submit a monthly report that does not provide any information about the events you conducted or participated in or the number of attendance for these events it will not be reflected in this report.

Dept	VFW POC	Event Type/Description	MIL/FAM Attendance Per Dept
South Carolina	Chairman	Department of SC conducted a total of 58 VMS events here's a few highlights from within the Department- Post 9059 - Assisted a comrade by paying his electric bill/ Post 4262 - Comrades and Auxiliaries attended the funeral of a fallen comrade/ Post 6740 - Comrades attended the Living Legend Proclamation for Miriam Medley/ Post 6740 - Comrades volunteered at the VEAC event, assisting more than 1000 veterans with VA claims./ Post 8738 - Comrades volunteered at the VEAC event, assisting more than 1000 veterans with VA claims/ Post 8738 - Comrades built a fence for an Active Duty Airman recovering from an injury/ Post 11079 - Comrades had multiple breakfasts with a number of Vietnam Veterans.	2300
New Mexico	Chairman	Handed out water to participants at Bataan Death March memorial March @ WSMR March 16 2024.	100
Louisiana	Chairman	Provided housing for a homeless vet for 1 month, provided halls for youth groups such as CAP, Scouts, church youths, etc., motorcycle escorts for funerals, assisted with Lent Fish Fries, assisted vets with home repairs, assisted at Ole Lulling Fest, organized blood drive, hospitalization visits to vets, provided honor guards at funerals, contacted legislators regarding veteran matters, held official flag retirements, visited veteran homes, provided transportation to vets for MD visits and shopping. assisted with church services, visited vets at assisted living facilities, passed out poppies, reminded members to vote, volunteered at hospitals, sent packages to troops overseas, coordinated AA meetings, assisted other organizations with fund raisers, took youths on camping trips, held membership drives, replaced worn out flags at public buildings, provided food and Easter Eggs at school celebration, volunteered at local LDVA Offices, held a senior Easter dinner, conducted a Vietnam Veterans Day Dinner and Celebration, assisted food pantries, made VMS donations, recycled paper and plastic, and various other events.	3765
Europe	Chairman	VFW 10506 did Recycled Glass/paper/plastic - Post 10692 events:Vietnam war Veterans Day Huddle - Taco Soup at USO- Post aera clean-up - Color Guard Boxing Tournament.	228
Mississippi	Chairman	Attended a Yellow Ribbon.	14

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Virginia	Chairman	Department help to pay 2 veterans that were behind on rent, water and electric bills. One veteran was in Manassas and the other in Norfolk/ Has several phone calls about needed help and I put them in touch with a local VFW post that could help them with their Post Relief Fund if needed for smaller amounts of needed help.	2
Montana	Chairman	VMS Chair attended two District meetings briefed 54 members on their District's VMS stats and reinforced VMS reporting/ Post 4018 donated to a Veteran with medical expenses/ Post 7407 and Auxiliary donated for travel expenses for a Veterans kidney treatments/ Post 2252 donated to assist a Veteran with housing application. Provided free meals to Veterans on three occasions.	195
Alaska	Chairman	Post 3629 held an open house/ Post 10450 had a community, Easter Egg Hunt/Post 9785 Had a Vietnam Veterans dinner.	311
Arizona	Chairman	Three planning meetings with Adopted Units/ Vietnam Veterans Day/ Delivered food to 10 Veterans.	482
Maryland	Chairman	Post 10159 meeting/ District 16 meeting / attended State Commander and President testimonial Dinner/ Attended Department Council of Administration meeting/ attended post meeting 2996.	335
Oklahoma	Chairman	Invited and attended the Tinker AFB Bataan Death March Memorial. Set up resource table and spoke with numerous service members. This led to an invitation from the Air Force Reserve Unit to partner with them in April for their Family Day/Invited and attended the Oklahoma Air National Guard's Fly-IN Event at the Air Guard Base on Will Rogers Airport. We received briefings from each operational unit on their equipment and duties. Spoke with Command Staff and briefed on VFW Programs.	250
Washington	Chairman	Worked with Posts and Auxiliaries assisting with Adopted Unit events, Answered questions on how to do MAP Grants and how to adopt a unit.	100

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North Carolina	Chairman	Bike Nights with the VFW Post 6018 Riders and attended the Bike Night with the VFW Post 9103 Riders. Talked about programs/ Veteran Resource Fair at Post 6018, Claims assistance, Vet Services, and Casualty assistance was present, passed out VFW information/ 4th Friday in downtown Fayetteville, set up display table and passed out information, signed up new members and gave candy bags to the kids/ Vietnam War Veterans Day Program at Post 670 honored veterans with cap, pin and decals, lunch was served/Vietnam Veterans Day program at Ft Liberty Southpost Commissary veterans were honored with lunch and each received their pin and a special bag/ Resource Fair in sanford with Post 5631 and passed out VFW information/ Bingo at the VA Hospital with the MOC played Bingo and gave out snack bags/ Spring Bazaar Craft fair at Post 9133, passed out VFW information and signed up new members/ MOC Grand Scratch and talked about all VFW Programs, attended visit to VA Hospital.	1,430
New Mexico	Chairman	Department of New Mexico Comrades from Districts 7&8 Attended the funeral of PVT Homer J Mitchell. WW2 veteran KIA 10 December 1944 in Pachten, Germany. Missing for almost 80 years until DNA technology identified him.	50
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