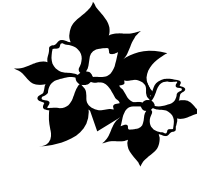


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From our President – CSM Gary Webb

The Virginia Army/Air National Guard Enlisted Association completed its 30th State Conference at the Double Tree Hotel in Charlottesville, VA. March 19th and 20th. Everyone who attended had an enjoyable and relaxing time. I would like to thank SFC(Ret.) Morris Jeffries and his lovely wife Mary our committee chairman as well as MSG (Ret.) Eugene Atkinson conference coordinator for all their hard work in taking on the conference responsibilities and making it a success. Without their hard work and enthusiasm on a short time span we could not have had the success we did. Again THANKS.

As a reminder for everyone next years conference will be held 29April through 1 May 2005 in Roanoke VA. at the Wyndham Hotel. We have pre-registered 33 people and it promises to be an exciting conference.

This year we had 95 people in attendance which included quite a few first time members. With all the deployments within the state I was very comfortable with the attendance, especially with those who had never been to a State Conference. I hope this will set a trend for the up coming years that more junior and senior enlisted will get involved and work the association. I would like to thank MG Claude A Williams for spending Friday evening with us. It is always a pleasure to have our State Adjutant General present.

This year the association gave a total of two\$1000.00 and four \$500.00 scholarships away to well deserving students. This was CMS (Ret.) Paul Smith first year as scholarship chairman and we thank him for the great job he done on a time crunch he had to work within.

Congratulations to 1SG Kenneth Smith being the newly elected 1st Vice President. I look forward to working with Kenny in this position and we as an association are looking for great thing from our new 1stV.P. I thank each of you for instilling confidence in asking me to serve again as your President for another two years. As an association we have a lot of work to do to get our membership back on track. As mentioned in the past it is important for each of us to get involved, educate and learn what the association does and how it works for each of us.

This year during our business meeting we introduced our new web-site. Yes the Association now has a

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web-site. WWW.VAAANGEA.ORG. Thanks to SFC Brent Taylor for his involvement in getting the site up and running. So check it out. We invite you to sign on with your e-mail address and start receiving all the current news about your association by e-mail and if you have any comments please forward them to the association. With the new web-site we will be introducing many products for your use. We hope each of you will take the opportunity to renew your membership and encourage other to become members by going on the site and getting the membership application copy and sending it in to the executive secretary.

Our next executive council meeting will be held July 31st at the Charlottesville, VA. Army at 1100hrs. All executive officers and area representative need to attend. Those area reps that will not be in attendance need s to have a person to represent you in your absence. Our organization cannot continue to grow and do the work for our enlisted soldiers and airmen if you do not participate and get involved. Remember this is "YOUR ORGANIZATION" use it to work for you. I would like to thank SFC (Ret.) J.J.St Clair for deciding to remain on as our executive secretary for the next two years and also thank all the other officers on the council for serving another term.

If you need anything or need to contact me you have all the information listed on the web-site. Those who my not have those services my home address is 1010 Dobbins Hollow Rd., Riner, VA. 24149 Home telephone (540) 382-4730 e-mail WEBBGARY1@yahoo.com. Please feel free to contact me anytime. Again thanks for your support.

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Minutes of the Executive Council Meeting 20 March 2004

1. President Webb called the Business Meeting to order at 0800 hrs. The meeting was held at the Double Tree Hotel, 2004 Conference site.

2. The Colors were posted by a Color Guard from the Commonwealth Challenge, A Commonwealth Challenge Member sang the National Anthem. The invocation was presented by Chaplain Joel Jenkins.

3. The Sgt at Arms escorted the Business Meeting Guest Speaker, Dr. Gregory B. Saathoff, Associate Professor of Research, UVA. His presentation included a message of personal sacrifice and duty.

4. The Sgt at Arms escorted Brad Sargent, USAA Rep to the podium. His presentation included the support of USAA to the VaARNG.

5. The 2004 Conference Report was presented by the 2004 Conference Committee, Exec JJ St. Clair presented the 2005 Conference Committee Report. Auxiliary President Mary Jeffries presented the Auxiliary Report.

6. Secretary Glasscock conducted the roll call, Pres Webb, 2VP Atkinson, 3VP Johnson, Sec Glasscock, Treasurer Bassetti, PP Wade, Sgt at Arms Jefferies and Exec Sec St Clair were present. Representatives from Areas I, III, V, VI, IV, IX, XI, XII, XIII, XV, XVI & XVII were present. A quorum was present. Representing Ventures, Inc. was CSM [Ret] Kuykendall.

7. A summary of the minutes of the 19 Mar 04 meeting was read by Sec Glasscock. A motion was made to “*approve the minutes of the 19 Mar 04 meeting of the Executive Council Meeting.*” Motion carried.

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8. The Treasurer’s Report – Treasurer Bassetti presented a hard copy of the 2003 report to the Area representatives. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

9. President Webb presented the State of the Association Report. Topics included new website, membership, and the future of the association.

10. Committee Reports:

a. **Rules and credentials:** The delegate count was determined to be 51 and 9 officers. The distribution was I-4, II-1, III-11, IV-1, V-2, VI-4, VII-1, VIII-2, IX-2, X-1, XI-2, XII-3, XIII-4, XIV-1, XV-5, XVI-5, XVII-12. Applies to voting of positions. Area 4 had 2 proxy votes. Area 15 had 1 proxy vote. There were no special rules, all issues resolved. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

b. **Audit:** Committee Chairman Kuykendall presented copies of the 2003 VaAANGEA Internal audit reporting the records were in good order. He also presented a copy of the 2002 & 2003 Annual Conference records. Partial information was received concerning the 2002 conference, documents are still outstanding for the 2003 Conference. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

c. **Membership:** 1VP Haymore was not present to provide the report. Discussion included the need for more membership. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

d. **Legislative:** 2VP Atkinson discussed the legislative issues in the General Assembly, including budget in-fighting, pending soldier support bills, and others. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

e. **Budget:** 3VP Johnson presented a hard copy proposed budget for 2005, citing projected increased income. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

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f. **Scholarship:** Committee Chairman Paul Smith reported that there were 15 applicants, 6 awards for a total of \$4,000. 3 recipients should be at the luncheon. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

g. **Resolutions:** Negative report. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

h. **Constitution/By Laws:** No requests to change constitution and by laws. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

i. **Retiree Affairs:** Committee Chairman Ganzert announced that the retirees will provide a scaled down hospitality room on Sunday. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

j. **Arrangements:** Arrangements for the 2005 Conference have been covered by Exec Sec JJ St. Clair. Volunteers are needed for the 2006 Conference. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

k. **Ventures, Inc.:** CSM [Ret] Kuykendall provided a hard copy report. We have three members on the combined Officer & Enlisted Association Committee, CSM (R) Kuykendall, MSG (R) Emerson, Chief MSG (R) Pugh. The presentation covered the State Sponsored Life Insurance Programs well as other issues. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

11. EANGUS Area II: Area II Chairman Wade provided a written report of the EANGUS and Area II specifics. The national Conference is in Louisville, KY, The Galt House 4-6 Jun 04. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

12. Nominating Committee. Committee Chairman PP Wade presented the Nominating Committee report for 2004. President – Gary Webb, 1VP- 1SG Kenny Smith, 2VP – MSG (R) Gene Atkinson, 3VP – SFC Lester Johnson, Treasurer – CMS (R) Ray Bassetti, Secretary –

SGM (R) Jim Glasscock, Financial Secretary –SFC Bill Berryman, Sgt-at-Arms – SFC (R) Morris Jefferies, MSG Dominick Calutti. Motion to accept the committee report, no 2d need, carried.

13. Old Business. President Webb discussed the open position of Exec Secretary. One applicant was interviewed; position remains open at this time. This is the only paid position.

14. New Business: No New business.

15. Election of Officers.

a. Area Representatives. Even Numbers will be elected this year. There was a call for “nominations from the floor” none were announced. In addition those odd numbered area representatives that need to be changed will also be elected. Pres Webb asked for any even representative nominations. Open for nomination are Area I – SGM Parker stepping down, nominates SGM Reggie Owens, Area II – SGM Gary Canterbury – will remain, Area IV- SGM Michael Lyles, Area VI SGM Cheyenne Johnson, Area VIII – SGM Charles Magruder – will remain, Area X – SGM Daniel Watson, Area XII – SFC Ray Slayton, Area XIV – SFC Jody Martin, Area XVI – SGT Callio. Odd numbered Representatives to be changed, Area VI I- 276th En Bn deployed. SGT Alonzo Howell is nominated. Area Reps will appoint Unit Reps by 1 Jul 04. 1SG Green stated the Unit Reps should be the Unit 1SG where possible. Mail or email Unit Rep lists to President Webb.

b. Officers. The recommendations of the nominating committee were accepted and there were no nominations for any officers as President Webb posed the question to the floor for each of the positions. President Webb then proceeded with the election process for the position of Sgt-at-Arms. SFC (R) Morris Jefferies was re-elected to Sgt-At Arms by majority vote.

16. A motion was made to adjourn at 1100 hours, seconded and carried. SGT Schoolcraft conducted the benediction. There was no further business and the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by, Jim Glasscock
VaA/ANGEA Secretary

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From the office of State CSM Robert A. Huffman

Virginia Army National Guard Leading from the Front

Since 9-11 Virginia National Guard soldiers have been on point for this nation and state. This statement is repeated each time the Adjutant General of Virginia addresses VaARNG soldiers and families. During the past three years MG William and I have visited all our troops on mission within the US and every base, post or installation visited we get the same report from those who our soldiers support; "Your soldiers have set new achievement marks with us, they are the best we have had". In all cases they do not want to let our soldiers re-deploy. Unfortunately, we have not been able to visit our troops abroad, due to restrictions from DA. We do however, receive information on how they have performed and again the

COMMISSARY SELF CHECKOUT: Commissaries at Langley Air Force Base, Va., Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and Fort McClellan, Calif., were the first to receive self-checkout lanes and an automated coupon verification checkout system that Defense Commissary Agency officials say increase shopper convenience and service. Commissaries on Vogelweh and Ramstein Air Bases, Germany, are slated to get them later this spring. Self-checkouts are for customers with a few items who scan and bag their own groceries. An attendant monitors the lanes, checks shoppers' ID cards and provides assistance when needed. The system weighs the bags to ensure scanning is done correctly. Method of payment -- credit, debit or cash -- is nearly the same as in regular checkout lanes. Self-checkouts also can scan coupons although the attendant has to check expiration dates. The new system eventually will be implemented in all commissaries. [Source: Armed Forces News Issue 25 MAR 04] Provided By Treasurer Bassetti

achievements they have accomplished are record setting. Examples are the 1032nd Transportation Company, who just returned from their mission in Iraq, they logged more miles while in country than any other unit, The 3rd Battalion 116th Infantry is said to be the best unit to go through FT Bragg in four years. The 1031st Engineer's stationed at FT Lee won the hearts of all who entered their gates. I could go on with the 229th MPs, the DPU, Task Force Omaha and all the other units who were on deployment or who are currently deployed. My point in all this is no matter what the mission or all the stumbling blocks incurred our soldiers rise to the occasion. At the same time our families grow stronger and learn new skills while their love ones are deployed. Currently, we are seeing our soldiers returning from their assignments and reuniting with those loved ones. These groups of soldiers are now home adjusting to civilian life and to a family, which has, strengthen during their absence. Thanks, to all those who have sacrificed so much and to those who are currently going through deployments. Wherever we go Virginians leave their mark. God Bless you all.

MEDICARE LATE ENROLLMENT PENALTY

UPDATE 2: As of mid-March, Medicare's managers still had not opened enrollment in Medicare Part B for up to 90,000 military retirees who did not enroll when first eligible. The Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 authorizes those retirees to enroll without late penalties during a special enrollment period that ends this Dec. 31. Once enrolled, they can obtain medical treatment and prescription services through Tricare for Life. Also under the act, military beneficiaries who enrolled in Part B in 2001, 2002, 2003, or 2004 and are paying late enrollment penalties can have them eliminated effective Jan. 1, 2004, by demonstrating that they are covered under Tricare for Life. The clock continues to tick for these older retirees and spouses while they wait for Medicare's Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services to act. Latest word? Maybe April. [Source: Armed Forces News Issue 25 MAR 04] Provided by Treasurer Bassetti

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Email Addresses, Please

We need your email addresses to add to the Cardinal Mailbox. It's our goal to have our newsletter arrive in as many email boxes as possible. Please email it to sfcjj@aol.com

Army Times, and on line too.....

For a lot of information at a good price try subscribing to the Army Times. Go to www.armytimes.com. You get 52 weekly issues plus twice daily emails (optional) which provide immediate updates of worldwide army and related issues for \$52.00 annually. I found the articles to be objective and timely. In addition, articles opposed to the current administration's efforts to eliminate or reduce military benefits for active and reserve components aren't screened. The "Army Times" may be a very good source to track who supports us and who doesn't.

Secretary Jim Glasscock

BRAC 2005: In a report to Congress SECDEF Donald H. Rumsfeld certified that the military has about 24% of excess base capacity to support the armed forces. The Army has the most that need to be closed (about 29%), followed by the Air Force (about 24%) and the Navy/USMC at about 21%).

His report states that if the 2005 round of base closures produces a 20% reduction, DOD would see a net savings of about \$5 billion by 2011 and reoccurring annual savings of about \$8 billion. The four previous base closure rounds now save our military \$6.6 billion dollars each year. Nevertheless, there is a movement to derail the next round of base closures by convincing people it is cheaper to keep all bases open and lease land to earn money; thus expanding what is known as Government Owned Contractor Operated (GOCO) facilities. This robs local communities of business property taxes and rarely produces net profits as cozy relationships result in contracts in which the government still pays for property maintenance. Small military bases are inefficient to operate since each base usually has a housing office, equal opportunity office, public affairs, chapel, library, auto shop, medical clinic, dental clinic, commissary, exchange, base headquarters, base security, decal office, fitness center, reception center, swimming pool, child care center, enlisted club, officer club, teen club, family support center, temporary lodging, education center, dining hall, maintenance office, golf course, theater, post office, and various recreational facilities. Therefore, shifting "tenant" units to larger bases with room for growth saves a great deal of money and manpower in the long run, although moving units requires money for relocation and some new construction. Reserve, National Guard, and federal civilian activities at closed bases can continue as they do elsewhere without a military landlord. Base closures also allow the elimination of outdated organizations which have been preserved as jobs programs by members of Congress.

Provided by Treasurer Bassetti

We now have a website:

WWW.VAAANGEA.ORG

Your SSLI – What is it?

By Charles B. Faulconer (COL Ret. VaARNG)
President Virginia National Guard Ventures, Inc.

SSLI stands for State Sponsored Life Insurance ... but that is not all you need to know about it. The SSLI Program is one of the two officially authorized payroll deducted life insurance program for the National Guard. First a little history and then some points you need to know about the program and why it is important to provide access to the enrollment briefings for your soldiers and airmen.

The SGLI (today Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance) program was established (as Servicemens' Group Life Insurance) by Public Law 89-214, effective September 29, 1965 for "active duty members of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and the Commissioned Corps of the PHS and NOAA." It has been revised and updated numerous times since and now includes the National Guard. Prior to 1974, SGLI was only available on a limited basis to the National Guard i.e. when on Active Duty. That is why the state associations lobbied Congress to enact the legislation granting an additional payroll slot for the National Guard. Through the efforts of State National Guard Associations collectively at the national level, the SSLI program was granted official status to supplement the SGLI program in 1976.

Since that time almost thirty years ago, there have been numerous changes in the SSLI programs offered by the various states and how the programs are administered. Each state has the ability to offer a program but they do not and are not all the same. In Virginia we are fortunate that we have had a very successful program, which is a model that has been followed in several other states. In fact, we are part of a "pool of states" that has its own program and is far superior to that offered in many other states. Our program is handled through **Virginia National Guard Ventures, Inc.**, which oversees the

administration and enrollment activities of the administrator. In turn, the revenues generated from the insurance program for VNG Ventures, Inc. are the major source of the annual distributions to made to the two associations for the benefit their members.

The SSLI program is designed to supplement SGLI and "bridge the gap" that SGLI leaves due to the nature of that program. Just like SGLI, SSLI covers you for 24 hours a day, every day of the year, whether in uniform or not, and it is available to every drilling soldier or airman in the Virginia National Guard. But unlike SGLI, if you are in a duty status and attend the benefit enrollment briefing, the Service member (SM) is guaranteed the ability to purchase coverage of \$10,000 and their dependents are guaranteed \$5,000. This is regardless of the health status of the SM or the dependent. And unlike SGLI, every "active member" of the Virginia National Guard also has a "No-Cost" to the member Death Benefit of \$1,000 as long as they are still on the active rolls of the Virginia National Guard. ***Your associations, VNGA and VaA/ANGEA, through VNG Ventures, Inc. provide that benefit as a way of saying "Thank You" for your service.***

Unlike SGLI, an initial death benefit is available within twenty-four hours of receipt of the notification of death by our administrator. This is paid even before a death certificate is available and is based on verification of the death by the unit of assignment. SGLI normally takes between 6 weeks and 4 months to settle their claim. This can leave families in a difficult situation when money is critically needed. Thus we are able to "bridge an important gap in family needs" during an extremely difficult period for them.

Another important difference is in the options available when a SM leaves the National Guard, whether at ETS or retirement. Since SGLI is a subsidized group life program, the subsidy ceases when the member no longer is a member of the group. For the SM the option to retain the SGLI coverage is conversion under the VGLI (Veterans'

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Group Life Insurance) program. If you have not looked at the rates for VGLI, be ready for “sticker shock” – go to www.va.gov and click on the insurance link to see the rates. That will show you the amount of the subsidy. Under SSLI, you have no changes in the program or premiums until Age 50 ... that’s right, you carry the program with you without having to worry about any changes in premium or coverage prior to Age 50.

That is true also for the dependent coverage. On 1 NOV 2001, when SGLI began offering family coverage (FSGLI), you had to submit a form to indicate you did not want the additional coverage ... that is correct ... the spousal coverage and dependent child(ren) coverage went into effect and a deduction for the spousal coverage was made based on the information in DEERS. While this was the government’s way to make sure everyone had the coverage in the event they had not been made aware it was available, it also had some pitfalls. Not the least of which was covering and charging the SM for spousal coverage they may not have wanted or that was incorrect based on information in DEERS. With SSLI no changes are made without the SM’s signature.

This is not meant as a negative slant on the SGLI program, because it is a great program. It is affordable while you are in the military, there are no distinctions made for tobacco users, hazardous duty, geographic location, etc., and while the option to convert to VGLI may be expensive, it is a guaranteed regardless of health for up to 120 days from the date of separation. Unfortunately, the family coverage does not have a VGLI conversion option. The child(rens) coverage completely disappears with no conversion whatsoever. The spousal coverage does have a conversion option, but it is to a private life insurance company plan, which normally is also fairly expensive ... and you have a limited time to accomplish the conversion.

But the differences in the SGLI and SSLI are also what make the programs a good complement to each other. The SSLI has many features that help the SM and their families supplement and manage

their insurance needs beyond what the SGLI program can do. One of the most important is the ability to keep the program in force at affordable rates after separation from military service. Another is the ability to take additional coverage with minimal underwriting requirements, even when already alerted for mobilization or already on duty.

The SSLI program in Virginia allows SMs under Age 50 to apply for up to \$260,000 without a medical exam (for most health situations) when alerted or mobilized. Normally that limit is \$160,000 for a drilling SM. In addition, spouses can be covered for up to \$105,000 and children for up to \$10,000. All of this is at a very competitive rate and can be accomplished with just the SM’s signature. There is no need to obtain the spouse’s signature, as long as the SM can answer the questions on the enrollment form.

While this may seem like a trivial matter for some, it is a very real benefit for our soldiers, airmen, and their families. Many times, the proceeds from the SSLI program are the very first dollars a family will receive for a minimum of 10 days to a month after the death occurs. That means the ability for the families to carry on the critical functions of life not to mention the unfortunate expenses of a funeral. Without the ability to enroll for this benefit our soldiers, airmen and their families are denied a valuable benefit ... not to mention the fact that they often need to make changes in beneficiary designations or change coverage due to family changes. This makes the access to the members of the units critical to providing the benefits they are entitled to have. We need to be sure the word gets out to all our members when enrollments are scheduled ... and even more important, to be sure to have representatives visit your unit at least once every 18 months.

Another important time to remember is when units receive alert notices ... include the SSLI program benefits briefing in your planning to be sure your members have the opportunity to update their SSLI

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program ... and be sure to remind them to keep their DEERS information up to date to assure their SGLI program is covering the correct people. They also need to verify the beneficiary designations for their SGLI program ... but that is supposed to be happening already in annual reviews in the units. Does it?? If the any of the above are not happening we, our associations and the leaders in the VA NG, need to do a better job ... we owe that much to our soldiers and airmen who serve our Commonwealth and Nation to secure our freedom and liberty.

Over that past 5 years, the SSLI program has paid death benefits in excess of \$1,150,000 to 75 families of Virginia Guard Members. At the same time, the program has been the primary source of revenues that have been distributed to the two associations. This has amounted to another \$375,000 to the two associations, VaA/ANGEA and VNGA. That means the benefits in "real dollars" to members of the Virginia National Guard and their families has been in excess of \$1,525,000 for that period. While we are certainly saddened by the death of any Guard Member or members of their families, we are at the same time relieved the SSLI program was in place to provide these benefits.

If you have any questions about the SSLI program or need to schedule a unit visitation, contact our administrator's office by phone 1-800-462-7441, fax 540-248-0837, or write to: SSLI, P. O. Box 2572, Staunton, VA 24402-2572.

They will be glad to help with any questions or service needed. We thank you for the opportunity to serve you and appreciate your support of the SSLI program.

Reserves Reemployment Rights

Reservists and National Guardsmen have entitlements under the 1994 Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA). Specifically: Employer's obligation to prompt reemployment; the right to catch up on 401(k) retirement and pension plans; and protection from termination without cause. ESGR, Employer Support of the Guard and Reserves can assist with disputes with your civilian employer. Contact them at 1-800-336-4590.

VA LOAN UPDATE 1: Many veterans purchase a home utilizing their VA Certificate of Eligibility, which upon underwriter's approval allows the VA to guaranty a portion of the veteran's loan. Under present rules service members, active duty veterans, National Guard and Reserve members with at least six years of service, and surviving spouses that have not remarried can use their eligibility over and over again to purchase another home if their eligibility has been reinstated by selling or refinancing the original loan not using a VA loan. According to the Bush budget proposal for fiscal year 2005, his administration is proposing to end the multiple use of the VA guaranteed mortgages over the next five years. In an effort to refocus the VA loan program, the administration will be sending legislation to congress that would limit eligibility for veterans' housing loans to one-time use in lieu of the life-time, multi-use entitlement it has become. While the administration proposal would not limit access to VA mortgage loans by active-duty members of the armed forces, it would affect the balance of the millions of US veterans. If Congress approves the proposal, current veterans would have unlimited use for five years and then only once thereafter. Veterans who disagree with the president's proposal to end lifetime use of this benefit should contact their legislators and express their concerns over this administrations continued efforts to limit veteran benefits. [Source: www.valoans.com/monthlynewsletter.cfm & MSC Newsletter MAR 04]

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This edition covers Feb-Mar 04. This will allow us to get back on track with our quarterly publication. You can find the Cardinal on the website www.vaaangea.org.

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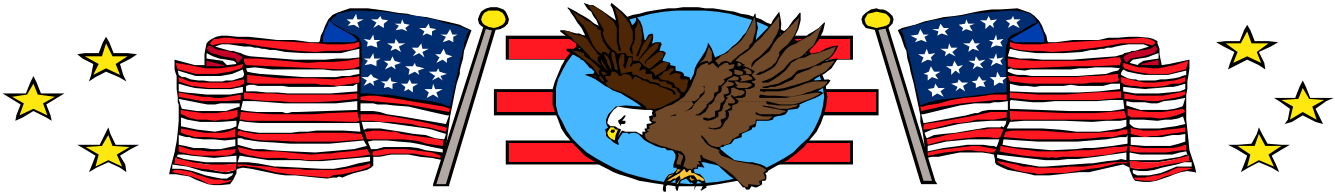
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