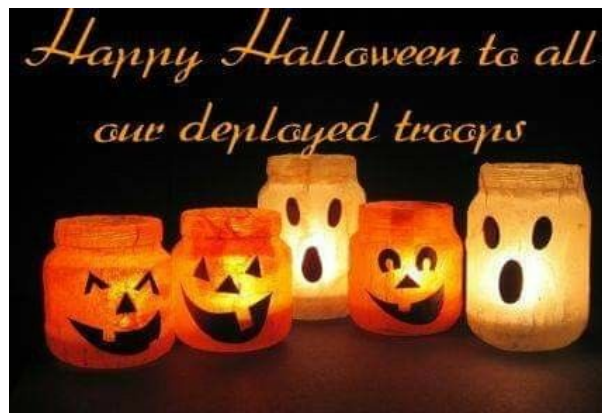




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If you have not paid your dues- please do!

For our chapter to be able to obtain most grants from MOAA National and to help continue our luncheons and events, it is necessary for our chapter to acquire chapter insurance.

*Please pay your 2024 dues by
December 31, 2024.*

Dues for the remaining of the year 2024 are **\$12.00**. Dues will increase in 2025 to **\$20.00**.

To pay your dues by check, mail your check to our Treasurer Marcel Minutolo at:

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The MOAA website available to pay your dues online has been nonoperational since August 2024. MOAA Council and Chapter's informed me that the date of restoration is still TBD.

DECEMBER HOLIDAY PARTY (Save the Date!)

The next gathering for the MOAA Pittsburgh Chapter will be the Holiday Party held on Sunday, 8 December 2024, at Chartiers Country Club, 601 Baldwin Road, Pittsburgh, 15205. The menu selection will be available several weeks before the luncheon. Happy Hour begins at 1 PM (1300 hours) with a cash bar and lunch will start to be served promptly at 2 PM (1400 hours). Valet parking is available.

We are not anticipating that the MOAA National pay-on-line website will be up and running anytime soon, so all reservation payments for the Holiday Party will be made by mailing your check to our Events Planner Pate Seda-Rivera or pay directly at the door. First, you will need to contact Pat with your meal order by phone or email (see Chapter Leader's Area) Pat's mailing address is-

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602 Cloverview Circle
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If you have not attended a luncheon/meeting yet this year. this is the one to attend. There will be good food, conversation, a Grab Bag Gift Exchange and several award presentations to honor hardworking members.

More information to follow in the November Newsletter.

COL (Ret.) Carmen DiGiacomo again is leading Holiday Card collection for the VA Homes this year. He needs at least (200) cards no later than the deadline of December 1, 2024. ***Please reach out to Carmen (tippfado@verizon.net) to discuss mailing or dropping-off the cards prior to the deadline!*** Thanks, Carmen!

Visit our Website

MOAA Pittsburgh WEBPAGE and Facebook Page

We have finally created a domain and developed a webpage. We should all commend our VP Dan Kysela for the creation and development of this website from scratch. It is somewhat simpler than most pages out there, but it can be easily navigated. There are still changes to be made and updating will be on going. Thank You Dan!

Visit our Webpage by clicking the button above.

MOAA Pittsburgh also has a Facebook Page. To access the page, **[CLICK HERE](#)**. This is also a great link to share with prospective Chapter members.



MOAA 2024 NATIONAL MEETING

Our chapter representative this year will be LTC (Ret.) William B. Pentecost Jr. Thanks for volunteering to represent the chapter Bill. Looking forward to hearing how it went when you return.

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MOAA PITTSBURGH EVENT SCHEDULE

DATE	FUNCTION	LOCATION	ATTENDEES/LANE	NOTES/AAR
04-14-2024	CHAPTER LUNCHEON	CHARTIERS COUNTRY CLUB	ALL /Pat Seda-Rivera	New Administration Sworn in by PACOC President Nick Taylor. (24 attendees)
04-19-2024	AFROTC	Pittsburgh University	Chad Rittle/Chuck Chasler	Completed
04-25-2024	AROTC	Slippery Rock University	Chuck Chasler/Richard DiGiacomo	Complete / Cadet Sager and others
04-26-2024	JUNIOR ROTC/ Military Ball	Butler HS (Tornado Bn)	Chuck Chasler/LTC Warren Hull	Complete-TY from MAJ Coleman
05-03-2024	JUNIOR AFROTC	North Allegheny HS	Dan Kysela/ Chuck Chasler	Complete /Cadet Sethia and others
05-04-2024	JUNIOR ROTC	Connellsville HS	Chuck Chasler/CW2 Joseph Cordier	Completed/JROTC Military Ball
06-02-2024	CHAPTER LUNCHEON	CHARTIERS COUNTRY CLUB	ALL /Pat Seda-Rivera	SPEAKER- Dave Defide, Sr. Customer Prog. Mgr. at Duquesne Light Company. Agenda passed vote 100% (22 attendees)
06-29-2024	VA BINGO	VA Facility University Drive	Pat Seda-Rivera	
09-4/7-2024	VETCON	Wyndham Pittsburgh, PA	Chapter Volunteers (3)/ Affiliates (3)	Table- Representing MOAA National & PA. Networking and Information Passed. Recruited: (1) Chapter/ (3) PA/(1) Kentucky
09-08-2024	CHAPTER LUNCHEON	CHARTIERS COUNTRY CLUB	ALL /Pat Seda-Rivera	Annual Meeting SPEAKER- LT Eyobe Mills, CGMSU Pittsburgh. Agenda passed vote 100% (26 attendees)
12-08-2024	CHAPTER CHRISTMAS PARTY	CHARTIERS COUNTRY CLUB	ALL /Pat Seda-Rivera	Entertainment (TBD) /Grab Bag Gift Exchange
04-25/26-2025	USAR RET. APPRE. DAY	316th RSC, Coraopolis, PA	Chapter Volunteers (TBD)	Table- Recruiting and Providing Information

The Final Gathering for this year is our Holiday Party 8 December 2024.

The 2025 Luncheon are currently scheduled as follows:

27 APRIL 2025/ Initial Meeting

13 JULY 2025
07 SEPTEMBER 2025
12 OCTOBER 2025 /Annual Meeting
07 DECEMBER 2025

Additional Social and Community Service Activities will be added as they are planned. Ideas/suggestions welcome. Volunteers welcome.

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