



FULFILLING OUR PROMISES
TO THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO SERVED

RUDDEROW-MAMUCARI CHAPTER #6

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Newsletter – March 2024

***OUR CHAPTER IS ONLY AS STRONG AS OUR MEMBERSHIP.
PLEASE JOIN US AT THE NEXT MEETING.***

Next Meeting: March 13, 2024 1300 HRS.

Northeast Philadelphia Vet Center

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Phila., PA 19120

Route 26 Bus stops at Front and Olney

PLEASE NOTE: Add our address to your contacts:

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Nomination of officers for the next year will be made at this meeting. All officer positions are open for nomination. Please be in attendance for this important meeting.

NEWS YOU CAN USE

VA Health Chat

VA Health Chat allows Veterans to immediately connect with VA health care clinicians over text-messaging. No need to travel to a VA facility. Just tap the app and start receiving telehealth services from our care team.

The VA Health Chat App provides easy, online access to chat with VA staff when you have minor health questions, want to schedule an appointment, have a non-life threatening health concern, and more. [Read more here](#)

Digital Defense: Empowering Veterans Against Smishing Threats

You may be familiar with phishing as a common cyber scam, but have you heard of smishing? Smishing, which is a term that combines Short Message Service (SMS) and phishing, is one of the biggest cyber scams you need to watch out for because scammers try to steal your personal and banking

information through unsolicited text messages on your mobile devices. Veterans may be targeted because of their service to this nation, as scammers impersonate government officials and agencies. [Read more here](#)

Celebrating Women Veterans

Today, there are more than 1.9 million women Veterans, and more than 600,000 women Veterans receive care at VA each year. At VA, you have access to a wide range of comprehensive health and gender-specific care. If you are a woman who served our country, you belong at VA. We see the achievements you made, we value your diversity, and we recognize all you have done for our nation and continue to do for your families and communities. [Read more here](#)

Commissary and exchange privileges for Veterans

Find out if you're eligible for commissary and exchange privileges and what kind of ID you'll need at checkout. [Read more here](#)

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