

Brittany Pointe Estates Veterans Affairs Committee



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Veterans' Corner

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There are times when veterans require a little help. Questions regarding their entitlements or obtaining a DD 214, your discharge document that is required to receive veteran benefits. This article provides you and your family some very useful important contact information to reach the proper service agencies. We are very fortunate to have a Veterans Affairs Office here in Montgomery County. Provided here is some information copied from their web site, <https://montcopa.org/266/Veterans-Affairs>, “The Veterans Affairs Department provides information to Montgomery County veterans, their dependents, and survivors regarding their rights and the various county, state, and federal benefits they may be entitled to receive and assists them to apply for these benefits. In addition, we record and maintain the county's veteran grave registration records.” Remember our county provides transportation to both the Horsham and Philadelphia VAMC to and from medical appointments, 610-278-3285.

The State of Pennsylvania, Department of Military and Veterans Affairs can be contacted at www.paveterans.state.pa.us or call the Philadelphia Field Office at 866-754-8637. Their mission is “To increase awareness of all the benefits for Pennsylvania Veterans and their dependents, to provide the best advice and assistance in obtaining benefits and to provide the highest quality care to the residents of our state Veterans' Homes.”

Your Veterans Affairs Committee we continue to provide you with additional information throughout the year. Sometimes it will be published in the Pointer and other times you will receive a Veterans Blast Message. Larry O'Malley set up a special Blast address list just for us to use for veterans business and news. Thank you so much Larry!