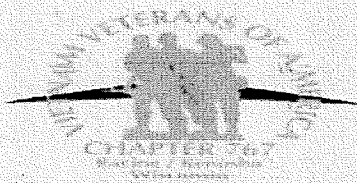


Announcing The
Vietnam Veterans of America,
Chapter 767
“ 2026”
\$ 2,500.00
SCHOLARSHIP

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND
APPLICATION FORMS
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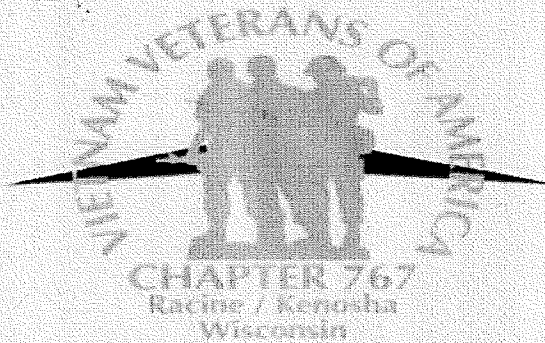


VVA CHAPTER 767 SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

- (1.) Chapter 767 is offering a \$2,500.00 Scholarship to an eligible 2026 graduating Senior from a Racine or Kenosha County area High School. Grandchildren of VVA Members are eligible regardless of the student's High School location.
- (2.) Applicant must be a direct descendent of a Vietnam Veteran and shall be verified by a copy of the Veteran's DD214 Form. (Contact the Racine or Kenosha County Veteran's Service Office for assistance)
- (3.) The Applicant must submit an essay resulting from an interview of a Vietnam Veteran who was awarded the Vietnam Service Medal. However, if a Vietnam Veteran is not available, Chapter 767 has a list of members who have volunteered to be interviewed at the Veteran's Center, 820 Main Street, in Racine. Submitted essays become the property of Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 767.
- (4.) The essay must be original, not AI, typed, double spaced, no more than four pages in length and to include one bibliography resource. The Veteran's Center, has a library of Vietnam resource materials available to the student applicant.
- (5.) The essay, applicant's school transcript and Veteran's DD214 Form must be mailed to the Vietnam Veterans Of America, Chapter 767, Scholarship Committee Chairperson, P.O. Box 44037, Racine, WI 53404, by April 18th, 2026.
- (6.) What you learn from your research, how you express your ideas, your organization, essay appearance and use of grammar are of primary importance to the judging committee.
- (7.) The recipient of the 2026 Scholarship will be notified prior to the high school's scholarship awards ceremonies and the \$2,500.00 scholarship check will be given to the recipient after successful completion of the first semester of post-secondary schooling.

If you have any questions, please contact:

Jon M. Rybar, C.P.M., Education / Scholarship Chairperson (jonrybar@att.net)



“ 2026“ SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Applicant Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

E mail address : _____

Phone No. : _____

High School Information:

High School Name : _____

Location: _____

Qualifying Relative :

Name : _____

Address : _____

Relationship : _____ (per attached Form DD214)

Qualifying Interviewee: (per attached Form DD214)

(could be the same as Qualifying Relative)

Name : _____

Address: _____

Relationship: _____

POSSIBLE VIETNAM VETERAN INTERVIEW QUESTIONS :

- (1.) Were you drafted or did you enlist?
- (2.) How old were you when you were drafted or enlisted?
- (3.) Which branch of the military did you serve in ?
- (4.) Where did you go for basic training ?
- (5.) Where did you go for AIT (Advanced Individual Training) ?
- (6.) When did you serve in Vietnam and how many tours ?
- (7.) Where in Vietnam were you stationed and what unit were you assigned to ?
- (8.) What was your job in Vietnam ?
- (9.) What was your typical day like in Vietnam ?
- (10) Did you have an opportunity to go on "R & R " (Rest and Recuperation) and where ?
- (11.) Were there any "close calls" in Vietnam that you experienced ?
- (12.) Are there any stories that you would like to share about your experiences in Vietnam ?
- (13.) How were you treated when you returned from serving in Vietnam ?
- (14.) Have you visited the Vietnam Veteran's Memorial ("The Wall") in Washington D.C. ?
- (15.) Have you been on an "Honor Flight" to visit the Vietnam Veteran's Memorial ("The Wall") in Washington D.C. ?
- (16.) What would be one thing that people my age, could do to make a difference in a Veteran's life ?