IMPORTANT VA BENEFIT UPDATE:

If you have not done so already and wish to use VA education benefits for the current 2017 fall term please be sure to submit the UD Veterans Educational Benefits Enrollment Data Form. The form should be submitted when you register for classes but no later than the first day of classes. Please see the attached link below to access the veteran form.

http://www1.udel.edu/registrar/students/veterans.html

If you have already submitted the UD Veterans Educational Benefits Enrollment Data Form and have not received any payment from the VA (books, BAH or tuition and fees) please reach out to me directly ASAP! The VA is currently still behind processing benefits however if you have not been paid I will reach out to the VA on your behalf to resolve these issues.

Additionally, please remember when scheduling classes for upcoming terms (winter or spring), as soon as you have classes scheduled for either term you can submit the UD Veteran Educational Benefits Enrollment Data Form. Without the submission of the form I cannot submit certification to the VA for payment. The quicker you submit this form the faster we can submit your certification to the VA for benefits.

If you have any questions or concerns please let me know as I am always happy to help!

UD Veterans Educational Enrollment Data Form
1) Monday at noon, November 6th in Trabant University Center the University of Delaware will be dedicating a POW/MIA table and chair.

If you have ever been to a military ball, if you’ve ever been to a military ball, stepped inside a chow hall, or attended an event at a military veterans association in your local community, you’ve likely noticed the small, round table that is always set but never occupied—the prisoners of war/missing in action (POW/MIA) table.

The tradition of setting a separate table in honor of our prisoners of war and missing comrades has been in place since the end of the Vietnam War. The manner in which this table is decorated is full of special symbols to help us remember our brothers and sisters in arms.

If you are able to attend please be sure to contact me directly at either Braup@udel.edu or 302-831-0552.

2) The Blue Hen Veterans (BHV) are hosting numerous additional events for Veterans Week which runs from November 6th – November 11th.

Please be sure to visit the Blue Hen Veterans webpage for additional information about each of the events over Veterans Week. It is extremely important that we support these events and remember those who gave up everything so we can live in freedom today. Please check out BHV below!

https://www.bluehenveterans.org/
Scholarships for Veterans

1.) https://www.fastweb.com/directory/scholarships-for-veterans
2.) https://www.usveteransmagazine.com/list-of-military-scholarships-for-service-members-spouses-and-dependents/
3.) https://www.gograd.org/financial-aid/scholarships/military-veterans/

Please also see attached spreadsheet with additional information on outside scholarships.

Miscellaneous Information

August 23, 2017

"VONAPP" which was the VA’s online education benefit application is officially retired. VONAPP was a fillable online VA form. The VA now has a user interface that guides you through the application process. If you need to apply for VA benefits please use

https://www.vets.gov/education/apply/#modal
If you are a veteran who has VA education benefits and needs information for requesting licensing and certification reimbursement please make sure to check out this link below. The VA may be able to cover these costs.

https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/lc_brochure.pdf

As always if you have any questions please let me know as I am always happy to help!

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