

# VIPMOAA MEMBERS as of 17 May 2011: Regular 251 + Auxiliary 82 = Total 333

**CHANGES.** Please notify Membership Chair, Don Klovstad, of any changes to address, phone, email address, rank, military status (retiring or discharged), marriage and death, so membership roster (and newsletter mailing labels) can be kept current. See contact info for Don and other VIPMOAA leaders on page 2 of this newsletter.

See page 8 for photos of members at May 15<sup>th</sup> Retiree Appreciation Day – Fort Eustis.

## TAPS:

**Lt Col Neil Gobrecht, USAF, Ret, May 4, 2011**  
**Mrs. Sally M. Lemley, 2011**



## MEMBERSHIP INFO ON OUR WEBSITE.

VIPMOAA membership forms and a flyer are available on website [VIPMOAA.org](http://VIPMOAA.org) - page titled "Join VIPMOAA"

## AIR SHOW, LANGLEY AFB, 12-13 MAY 2011

included a VIPMOAA info booth manned by VIPMOAA's Jim Pauls, Don Klovstad and Bob Macklin.

## MEMBERS TO ATTEND CONGRESSIONAL LUNCHEON, JUNE 24th.



E. Hinojosa, M. Mallison, B. Smith pictured arriving at Capitol Hill Club back in 2005.

*Photo by VIPMOAA PAO*

The Virginia MOAA "Congressional Appreciation Luncheon" is scheduled for the **Capitol Hill Club, Washington D.C., on Friday 24 June 2011 from 1130 to 1400** hours. Here is your opportunity to visit with your Federal Legislators and discuss VIPMOAA national legislative priorities, developed along with the Virginia Council of Chapters (VCOC). Awards will be presented by VCOC to a Congressman (nominated by our own chapter) and to a MOAA staff member. If you care **to attend with VIPMOAA**, please notify Legislative Chair or Alternate Chair or President (see phone numbers and email addresses on page 2) **not later than COB 13 June 2011**. Provide your name, **congressional district** and contact info. Travel and financial arrangements will be forthcoming once attendance is confirmed.



Senator Mark Warner with Frankie Gorrell at left and Stan Gorrell at right. The Gorrells had breakfast with him then attended the 2010 Virginia MOAA Congressional Appreciation Luncheon the same day, representing VIPMOAA.

*Photo courtesy of Frankie Gorrell*

*/VIPMOAA Legislative Chair, Stan Gorrell, LTC, USA, Ret*

## MEMBERS GIVE AWARDS AT HIGH SCHOOLS.

The annual Junior ROTC (JROTC) Awards Night series began Thursday, May 5th, when Major Wayne Nast, USAF, Ret presented the MOAA JROTC Medal and the VIPMOAA \$25 JROTC Gift Certificate to Cadet Shayla Marrow, in the Hampton High School AFJROTC Program. A day later, Col George Fries, USAF, Ret presented similar awards to Cadet William Price, a member of Menchville High School's AFJROTC program. The Tabb High School honoree, Cadet Joshua Price, a member of that school's NJROTC program, received his awards on May 12<sup>th</sup> from COL Jim Murphy, USA, RET. Information on the other eight High School programs supported by VIPMOAA will be provided in the next VIPMOAA Newsletter.

*/George Fries, Col, USAF, Ret ROTC/JROTC Co-Chair*



JROTC Color Guard, Bethel High School. Hampton Virginia. 19 May 2011 *Photo by VIPMOAA PAO*

## MAINTAIN NATIONAL MOAA MEMBERSHIP, TOO!

VIPMOAA members are encouraged to maintain national MOAA membership, receiving all the benefits MOAA has to offer, plus helping our chapter achieve MOAA 5-star level of excellence. If you are not already a life member of MOAA, now is a great time to become one. A "Give Me Ten" incentive is that **chapter members receive a 10% discount on MOAA life membership** (cost depends on age). Call MOAA Member Service Center 1-800-234-6622 and say you are a member of the Virginia Peninsula Chapter (VA-10) and want to become a MOAA life Member via Give Me Ten. Please also let Jim Pauls, know afterwards, so he can ensure VIPMOAA receives Give Me Ten credit. Pauls is VIPMOAA's Immediate Past President & Give Me Ten 2011 guru. */VIPMOAA PAO*

