



ST. EPHREM CATHOLIC SCHOOL WEEK
COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

The Delaware Valley Veterans Home, on Southampton Road is the Commonwealth's sixth and newest Veterans' home operated by the PA Department of Military & Veterans Affairs. This VA home is with the 28th division, who just returned home from Iraq.

The facility serves 171 veterans and their eligible spouses (20 women) in a caring and home-like setting. Some of the residents don't receive regular visits from their family and friends or have no living family members. You can make a difference in these residents' lives by donating these inexpensive items beginning on

Tuesday January 12, 2010 through February 4, 2010.

The items needed are

- Barbasol shaving cream
- large bars of soap- scented (Irish Spring or Dove)
- Polident toothpaste only
- Deodorants
- nail clippers for both the men and the women
- Nail polish and nail files
- Tee shirts (xl and 2x)

Many of these items can be found at \$1 stores or on sale at local stores.

All the items would stay at this, local VA home, not sent out to other places.

To end of our Catholic School week on Friday, February 5, 2010, some Veterans from the Home will come to speak to some of our students about their lives in the military and the wars, in which they participated.

They will also accept the donations from our school.

To see more information about this VA home click on this link:

http://www.portal.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/delaware_valley_veterans'_home/11379

Please bring in these items and our 5th grade class will collect them from each homeroom daily.

Thank you for the support in this effort for the Delaware Valley VA Home.

St. Ephrem School