

**Mount Vernon Chapter, MVC – MOAA  
Semiannual Report  
1 Jan – 30 Jun 2024**

| <b><u>I. Membership:</u></b> | <b><u>Regular</u></b> | <b><u>Surviving Spouse</u></b> | <b><u>Honorary</u></b> | <b><u>Total</u></b> |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| As of 1 Jan                  | 65                    | 8                              |                        | 73                  |
| Gains                        | 3                     | 2                              |                        | 5                   |
| Losses                       | 0                     | 0                              |                        | 0                   |
| As of 30 Jun                 | 68                    | 10                             |                        | 78                  |

**II. Legislative Affairs:** CDR Prevar kept the chapter officers and membership informed on legislative issues during the period through newsletter articles and the chapter website. He also corresponded regularly with and provided chapter newsletters to staff for US Senators Warner and Kaine and Representatives Connolly, Beyer, and Wexton. Additionally, he corresponded regularly with state Legislator Bennet-Parker and state Senator Ebbin.

**III. Chapter Vitality & Levels of Excellence:** Mount Vernon Chapter received a 2023 MOAA 5 Star Level of Excellence award.

**IV. Most Significant Chapter Events of the Quarter:**

CDR Joseph R. Brunson, USN (Ret), our chapter’s guest speaker for the May 2024 meeting, shared with us his recent experience, primarily in Africa. CDR Brunson has a long-distinguished career in the Navy, where he served in diverse assignments and career fields. During his presentation he shared with us his most recent experience, coming out of retirement and deployed to Africa. He also included his experience while assigned to the US Defense Attaché Office in Argentina.

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