

Veterans Antiquities

A VETERAN ARTS INITIATIVE

WHO WE ARE

Veterans Antiquities is the first company spawned by Veterans In Action (VIA), a non-profit organization dedicated to creating businesses run by men and women who have served our country in the military. You can be sure that every company created by VIA produces real job opportunities for its Veteran employees, who in turn use their skills to produce the best merchandise or offer the best service they can. VIA succeeds by creating solid business plans and then implementing them with carefully screened Veterans who have the talent, training and aptitude to run the enterprise successfully. The success of each new business helps promote another start-up that will open up even more opportunities for Veterans, and help VIA do its part to attack the alarming unemployment rate in this deserving sector.



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HOW CAN YOU HELP?

BECOME A MEMBER

We welcome all veterans, spouses of veterans and dependents to join us as members. Rates are reasonable and help sustain our facility that provides many beneficial features for our community of supporters.

DISPLAY MEMBER \$30
NON DISPLAY MEMBER \$20

VOLUNTEER

We love and appreciate all of our volunteers at Veterans Antiquities. We are always looking for motivated supporters for our cause. Whatever your time commitment, we will work to find a schedule that is scalable to your needs.

CALL (317) 602-7678 TO SET DISCUSS OUR CURRENT VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

PURCHASE OUR PRODUCTS

One the best ways you can show your support is to buy Veteran made products from our store or online. Your dollars go directly to training and hiring veterans to create these items. Additionally it rewards our veterans for their hard work and efforts to improve their quality of life. Shop at our store location or online.

ONLINE WEBSTORE

WWW.VETERANSANTIQUITIES.BITCART.NET

DONATIONS & SPONSORS

Donations are greatly appreciated to help create, maintain and sustain our veteran centric operations and programming. Your donation is a tax deductible contribution! Thank you. Please make Check Donations addressed to: VSAI for Veterans Antiquities.

Suggested Amounts:

\$25 \$50 \$100 \$250 \$500 \$1000 \$2500 \$5000

For More Information or Other Amounts call Us!

EARN

INNOVATIVE METHODS FOR VETERANS TO EARN MONEY



SELL IN OUR GALLERY

Our gallery is the centerpiece of our storefront facility. As a veteran artisan you are welcome to display your

work at a discounted rate and low commission on sales. You simply bring your work and we will do the rest.

OPEN A WEBSTORE

Veterans, servicemembers, reservists, spouses, dependents and supportive artists are welcome to open their own web store through our online Virtual Marketplace <http://veteransantiquities.bitcart.net/>. You can do this from anywhere by creating an account and uploading images of your work selling straight from your home. We have artists from across the country who enjoy using this unique feature and the marketing we provide to attract customers.

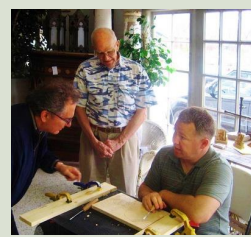
CONTRACT WORK

When the opportunity arises from contracts for work from the local community-Veterans Antiquities selects veteran members to help fill orders. Previous contracts have involved: woodworking, painting, staining, assembly, product design, general labor and more.



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

A PLACE FOR VETERANS TO MAKE THINGS



We have help provide veterans with the space, materials and assistance to be creative within a supportive environment. Come see our studio & workshop spaces.

STRATEGIES TO HELP VETERANS LEARN



Our staff and volunteers share their experience and expertise to help veterans learn. We also plan to offer classes and allow veteran members to teach their skills to others.

INNOVATIVE METHODS FOR VETERANS TO EARN MONEY



Our strategy includes some creative ways to help veterans make money. We have a gallery, web store and workshop for custom order jobs to which we hire veterans to work to fulfill.

MAKE

A PLACE FOR VETERANS TO MAKE THINGS

STUDIO SPACE

Need a place to make your art? Check our studio space that can be used in both an open or instructional formats. We also sell veteran made canvases and combat paper for painting and drawing. Check our class schedule to see what is available.



WORK & WOODSHOP

So you like to work with your hands or build things? Come check out our Works & Wood Shop. We have several power tools and equipment to help tackle



larger projects. You might also want to mention a few of your most impressive clients here:

MATERIALS

Use our donated materials or bring your own. We are fortunate to have a community

that has donated materials for our cause. There are endless possibilities that can be created from these wonderful resources. From transforming old fence boards into wine racks to making golf club lamps from thrown out clubs--our veterans carry the vision of repurposing these materials. Let us help you find something to build!

LEARN

STRATEGIES TO HELP VETERANS LEARN

EXPERIENCED STAFF

We have several staff and volunteers who are experience in their area of expertise. These individuals are helpful guides to your creative projects and can provide insight into techniques and methods to aid your project to completion.



COURSES AND CLASSES

We are always interested in putting together instructional courses either in our workshop or in the studio. Staff and volunteers have a variety of expertise from the studio arts to furniture building and restoration.

ON THE JOB TRAINING (OJT)

When the opportunity arises through contracts for work from Veterans Antiquities from the community we offer our OJT program. We include a learning structure to the work to enhance skills and employability.

