



KMAA “*Esprit de Corps*” Connection

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Mission Agenda

1. Identify which members live close to you; check with KMAA Secretary at a KMAA membership meeting.
2. Get his or her name and contact information:
 - a. Home address, phone#, and email address
3. Establish initial contact, and get a feel as to how he or she is doing.
4. Offer to meet, and get to know each other, or know him or her better.
5. Go to lunch periodically, or engage in an activity of mutual interest.
6. Form a “*vicinity*” KMAA Member-Group (KMG) consisting of two or more KMAA members.
7. Take turns driving the Member-Group to KMAA meetings and events.
8. Help enroll him or her in the VA if not already enrolled.
9. Check in periodically to ascertain if he or she is okay, or in need.
10. Inform KMAA President and Vetting Officer if a need is identified.
 - a. Financial, emotional, physical, spiritual, or other
11. Spend time with a different member at each membership meeting to build a strong network of KMAA members outside your Member-Group.
12. Increase KMAA’s value to you and others by increasing your own participation in meetings, events, and initiatives; be an example for other members to emulate, especially those comprising your Member-Group.

The goal of the KMAA “*Esprit de Corps*” Connection is threefold:

- Prevent KMAA member isolation from family, friends, and faith.
- Increase the “Value” of being a KMAA member.
- Ensure timely awareness of a KMAA member’s hardship and likely needs.

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