



# Military Families Speak Out



**MFSO Members' National Assembly  
In Conjunction with the  
Veterans For Peace Convention  
August 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> 2009**

## **Scholarship Application Form** *Scholarship Application deadline: July 10, 2009*

Military Families Speak Out will be holding a Members' Assembly in conjunction with the Veterans For Peace (VFP) Convention that will take place in College Park, Maryland from August 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>, 2009. The MFSO National Assembly will be on Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>

Veterans For Peace is offering MFSO members a discounted registration rate for their full convention. You are encouraged to register early by visiting our website [www.mfso.org](http://www.mfso.org) or the VFP Convention Website [www.vfpnationalconvention.org](http://www.vfpnationalconvention.org)

All MFSO members applying for scholarships must submit the scholarship application form, below.

### **Contact Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

MFSO Chapter or Regional affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Please answer the following questions:**

1. What has your involvement in Military Families Speak Out been locally and/or nationally; or, if you haven't been active in MFSO, what involvement might you like to have in the future? (Please highlight MFSO activities that you have been involved with.)

2. How many days will you be attending the VFP conference? From: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
3. Have you ever received a travel scholarship from MFSSO before?     Yes                       No
4. Scholarship funds are limited. Which form of assistance do you require?
- Lodging Only
- Travel Only
- Lodging and Travel
5. Have you been able to raise any funds to support your travel and or lodging with your local chapter or in your local area?
- Yes                       No
- If yes, what have you tried and what were the results?

If no, what efforts might you undertake for local fundraising to assist with your travel/lodging?

6. Scholarship recipients will need to share rooms to cut costs. If you are awarded a scholarship, do you agree to share a room with another conference participant?
- Yes                       No

We hope that as many MFSSO members as possible will be able to attend the VFP Convention. MFSSO expects that scholarship recipients will attend the full day of the MFSSO Members National Assembly on Saturday, August 8, 2009 and stay for the VFP Banquet on Saturday evening.

We look forward to your participation. Despite these difficult economic times, we will work to support as many travel scholarships as possible; at the same time, we hope that MFSSO members will make every effort to raise as much funding as possible from their local areas. MFSSO depends on the active participation of members to be the strongest and most effective organization that we can be.

We will be notifying scholarship recipients by July 17, 2009 in order for travel arrangements to be made in as timely a way as possible.

Thank you for all you are doing.

Please email completed form by July 10, 2009 to [member@mfsso.org](mailto:member@mfsso.org) or mail hard copy to:  
MFSSO – Scholarship Application  
P.O. Box 300549  
Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

