



Newsletter - June 2009

Detachment launches new website

- Detachment 1186 has launched a new website to improve how we communicate with the world. The website is designed with simplicity and speed in mind.

Home Away from Home Fund

- The Home Fund provided lodging to the family members of 3 active duty injured Marines during the month of May.
- We are pleased to announce that the Detachment will receive a grant from the Pitt Memorial Hospital Foundation in July. These monies will allow the Detachment to continue its mission of providing support to family member of injured military personnel being treated at Pitt Hospital.
- At the June meeting, the Detachment agreed to provide financial support, under the Home Fund guidelines, to active duty family members with a child being treated at Pitt Hospital.

Washington Trip

- Detachment 1186 is planning a trip to Washington DC to visit 8th and I (Evening Parade) on June 19th. The [Vietnam Veterans Memorial](#) and [WWII Memorial](#) will also be visited and we will conclude with a visit to the [National Museum of the Marine Corps](#).