



Soldiers', Sailors', Marines' & Airmen's Club - founded 1919.
A 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization; Tax ID 13-1628214
"Serving the Men and Women of the U.S. Armed Forces and its Allies"
Actives, Reserves, Veterans, Cadets
283 Lexington Avenue (bet. 36th & 37th St.), New York, NY 10016-3540

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April 26, 2006

Dear Commander:

The Soldiers', Sailors', Marines' & Airmen's Club ("SSMAC") has been providing affordable accommodations to our brave men and women of the military since 1919, when we were founded by Mrs. Francis Rogers and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, with the assistance of Gen. John J. Pershing. We have hosted over 2,500,000 members and former members of our military since we started operations. We are a not-for-profit 501(c) 3 organization.

Located in the heart of Manhattan, the SSMAC provides affordable and safe accommodations (ranging from \$25 to \$52 a night per person) for members (active and reserve) of the military and their dependents. Since 9/11, we have also opened our doors to members of the Police, Fire Department and EMS services (along with their dependents).

We would greatly appreciate your assistance in informing your staff and their dependents that they are always welcome to visit us, as their home away from home. With extensive experience in catering to the military, we are sure that they will enjoy themselves immensely during their stay here. They can make online reservations at our website: www.ssmclub.org. In addition, we enclose our brochure to give you a better idea of our services. We will be happy to mail additional brochures to you if you so desire.

Sincerely,

Peter J. LeBeau
Executive Director



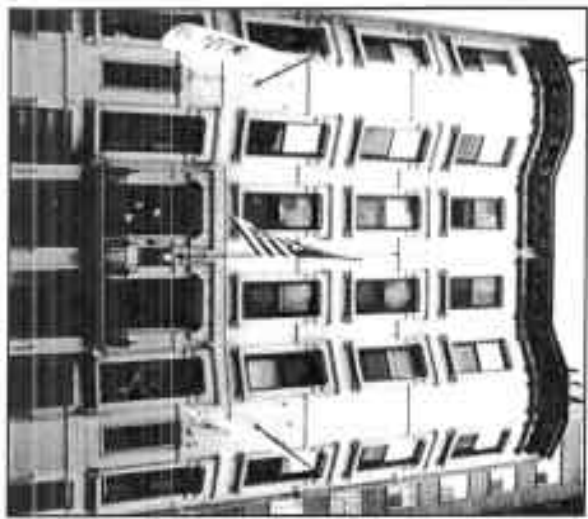
Chairman & CEO
Ivan Obolensky 2000-

Honorary Presidents

- Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt 1929-1932
- General John J. Pershing 1940-1946
- General Dwight D. Eisenhower 1948-1952
- Admiral Chester W. Nimitz 1953-1957

Presidents

- Mrs. Francis Rogers 1919-1932
- Mrs. Stanley Lyman Ols 1933-1936
- William C. Chadbourne 1937-1946
- James H. Van Allen 1947-1949
- Arthur K. Watson 1950-1954
- LTC Willis C. Crittberger 1955-1958
- James H. Van Allen 1958-1960
- Col. Serge Obolensky 1961-1978
- James H. Van Allen 1979-1982
- Ivan Obolensky 1982-2000
- Joseph W. Koletar 2000-2006
- William J. McShane 2006-



Location

The SSMAC is centrally located in midtown Manhattan, within walking distance of the theater district, the Empire State Building, Fifth Avenue, the UN, and a host of other tourist attractions. Convenient inexpensive transportation is readily accessible to Grand Zero, the Statue of Liberty, as well as major airports, and train and bus terminals. More information can be obtained by visiting our website at www.ssmacclub.org.

Policy, Rates, Eligibility

SSMAC serves all U.S. military services, Allies, Merchant Marines, Police Departments, Fire Departments and Emergency Medical Services. Credentials must be shown:

- Active-Military ID
- Retiree-Military ID, DD-214
- Veteran-DD 214, VA, VFVV, DAV or Legion Card

Rates & Eligibility

Guests of eligibles stay at their sponsor's rate. Maximum stay is 21 days. Rates effective July 1, 2005 are subject to change without notice.

Eligible Individuals **Daily/Person**

CATEGORY 1	
Service Academy/ROTC Cadets	\$25
Enlisted E1-E4	\$25
CATEGORY 2	
Enlisted E5 & above	\$37
Fire Department	\$37
Police Department	\$37
Emergency Medical Services	\$37
CATEGORY 3	
Warrant Officers	\$47
Officers, Company Grade (O1-3)	\$47
Retired Military	\$47
Widows/Widowers of Retirees	\$47
CATEGORY 4	
Officers, Field Grade and above	\$52
Veterans, other than Retired	\$52
Merchant Seamen	\$52
CHILDREN	
3 years and under	FREE
3-14	\$10
14 years and over	same as sponsor

Special Charges

Tax (SSMAC is tax-exempt)	None
VIP Room, Single Occupancy	\$90
VIP Room, Double Occupancy	\$120
Cancellation-within one week of check-in	\$10
Early check-out without advance notice	\$10
Early check-out with advance notice	\$ 5
No Show	1-day adult charge

Reservations require a valid credit card (MC, VISA, Diners, Discover, AmEx)
www.ssmacclub.org or call 800 678-8443

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(SSMAC)

Serving Those Who Have Served Their Country

Since 1919



Your Hotel in New York City

The SSMAC offers convenient, affordable accommodations to Military personnel of the United States and its Allies (Active Duty, Reserve, Guard, Veterans and Cadets, and members of the Police Department, Fire Department, and Emergency Medical Services). Dependents of eligible personnel are likewise welcome.

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History

The Club was founded by Mrs. Francis Rogers (an ambulance driver in WWI), Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and the ladies of New York Community Service. With General John J. Pershing's support, they raised funds to start "The Soldiers' and Sailors' Club" to accommodate those WWI heroes returning by ship to New York City from France in 1919.

Mission

To promote the general welfare of the men and women of the Armed Forces of the United States, its Allies, and their families, by maintaining and offering club and lodging rooms. Since 2004, the facilities of the SSMAC have been made available to members and dependents of the Police Department, Fire Department, and Emergency Medical Services. In war and in peace, the SSMAC has been funded exclusively through private donations from patriotic individuals and organizations. And, each October the SSMAC holds its principal fund-raiser, the gala Military Ball, to honor the U.S. Armed Forces, together with prominent civilians whose achievements reflect a lifetime of dedication to the men and women of the Armed Forces and the highest traditions of the United States.

Facilities

The SSMAC's facilities consist of two charming, late 19th century brownstone buildings. The sleeping accommodations consist of twenty-nine individual rooms with an aggregate of sixty-nine beds, with rates reflecting the charge per bed, not per room. There are twenty rooms with accommodations for two, six rooms with three individual beds, one room that sleeps four, and one family/group room for up to six people. There is one VIP room which sleeps two, and features a TV and refrigerator. Depending on the level of bookings, single guests may be requested to share quarters with guests of the same gender. Lavatory and shower facilities are provided for ladies and gentlemen. The lobby, lounges, canteen, library, sitting room, and the larger sleeping rooms have cable TV, and internet access is available in the lobby lounge. The rooms do not have phones, but calls may be received by guests on the hall phones located on each floor. Pay phones are available, and phone cards may be purchased at the front desk. The SSMAC does not serve meals. However, full kitchen facilities are available, with coffee and bagels served each morning. Additionally, there are many restaurants of all types and price ranges within walking distance, and takeout meals may be enjoyed in the canteen. In-house laundry service is not provided, however, there are a number of laundry and dry cleaning establishments in close proximity.



LIBRARY (TOP LEFT)
A COZY ROOM (TOP RIGHT)
SOUTH LOUNGE (CENTER)
OBOLSKY ROOM (BOTTOM LEFT)
NORTH LOUNGE (BOTTOM RIGHT)

THE BEAUTIFULLY APPOINTED PUBLIC ROOMS MAY BE RENTED BY GROUPS AND ORGANIZATIONS FOR MEETINGS AND PRIVATE PARTIES. CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION.