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Margaret J Ross: I'm particularly sick of calling our dead and wounded soldiers "heroes". In my mind they are victims of very bad political decisions by presidents from both parties. We have not been in a defensive war since WWII.

Jul 10 2012, 8:07 PM
acqsys: The Veterans for Peace 27th Annual Convention is August 8-12th in Miami

Jul 10 2012, 8:37 PM
Virginia Hauflaire: Hello all! Ready for the conference call?

Welcome to my the End Wars and Occupations Chat Room

Jul 10 2012, 9:02 PM
Richmond L Gardner: hey, y'all!

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Jul 10 2012, 9:06 PM
Guest6 (guest): This is MacGregor Eddy

Jul 10 2012, 9:06 PM
Virginia Hauflaire: Welcom MacGregor

Jul 10 2012, 9:07 PM
Richmond L Gardner: Iran state TV poll reveals Iranians want nuclear programme stopped
http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/worldnews/middleeast/iran/9379493/Iran-state-TV-poll-reveals-Iranians-want-nuclear-programme-stopped.html

Iran state TV poll reveals Iranians want nuclear programme stopped - Telegraph

Jul 10 2012, 9:08 PM
Richmond L Gardner: US builds up military assets in Gulf to counter Iran
http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/worldnews/middleeast/iran/9373637/US-builds-up-military-assets-in-Gulf-to-counter-Iran.html

US builds up military assets in Gulf to counter Iran - Telegraph

Jul 10 2012, 9:09 PM
Richmond L Gardner: Sanctions squeeze forces Iran to cut oilfield flow
http://news.yahoo.com/sanctions-squeeze-forces-iran-cut-oilfield-flow-084546010.html
Sanctions squeeze forces Iran to cut oilfield flow - Yahoo! News

Jul 10 2012, 9:12 PM
Richmond L Gardner: U.S. Iran War Gaming Scenario's as Washington Prepares Plans for Aggression
http://www.marketoracle.co.uk/Article35513.html

Jul 10 2012, 9:13 PM
Virginia Hauflaire: Please hit *6 on your phones to mute

Jul 10 2012, 9:14 PM
acqsys: Hi Everyone
Jul 10 2012, 9:15 PM
Richmond L Gardner: War Looms for Obama in Iran, Syria, and North Korea
http://www.thedailybeast.com/articles/2012/04/12/war-looms-for-obama-in-iran-syria-and-north-korea.html
War Looms for Obama in Iran, Syria, and North Korea - The Daily Beast

Jul 10 2012, 9:15 PM
acqsys: Hi Virginia -- using my business non de plume tonight
Jul 10 2012, 9:15 PM
acqsys: Oops -- it's Andrea

Jul 10 2012, 9:14 PM
acqsys: Hi Everyone
Jul 10 2012, 9:16 PM

George (guest): This page would not accept my PDA user name and log in info FYI, tech glitch

Jul 10 2012, 9:16 PM

acqsys: Hi Rich

Jul 10 2012, 9:17 PM

acqsys: It accepts Facebook, Twitter but does not accept local PDA; it's either or

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George (guest): ok

Jul 10 2012, 9:18 PM

Richmond L Gardner: Hey, Andrea!

Jul 10 2012, 9:19 PM

acqsys: You sound great tonight!

Jul 10 2012, 9:19 PM

Richmond L Gardner: kewl!

Jul 10 2012, 9:19 PM

Andrea Miller: This should be my regular login

Jul 10 2012, 9:20 PM

George (guest): Hi, Andrea, I sent an e-mail to local PDA NH Chapter talking about my running for State Rep, District 33 (I am only Democrat so will go on to General), but no response so far.

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George (guest): I wrote many pieces condemning any potential action against military action against Iran; years ago, too.

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Andrea Miller: PDA is a Federal PAC; it is illegal for us to endorse in state or local races.

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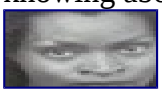
George (guest): against potential military action, oops

Jul 10 2012, 9:22 PM
George (guest): oh, they could have e-mailed me back with that info but at least u told me

Jul 10 2012, 9:22 PM
Andrea Miller: They are a new chapter (this year)I'm the Deputy Field Director

Jul 10 2012, 9:22 PM
George (guest): ok

Jul 10 2012, 9:23 PM
Andrea Miller: The leader is in Jefferson; if you are in her area I know she will be interested in knowing about your race.



Jul 10 2012, 9:23 PM
Andrea Miller: We need good people in all levels of government

Jul 10 2012, 9:23 PM
Andrea Miller: David Swanson's group is War is a Crime

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Andrea Miller: http://www.warisacrime.org

War Is A Crime .org | formerly AfterDowningStreet

Jul 10 2012, 9:23 PM
George (guest): thanks: http://www.carriagetownenews.com/letterstotheeditor/x1447679695/Manos-Candidate-for-State-Rep

Manos Candidate for State Rep. » Letters to the Editor » CarriageTowneNews.com, Kingston, NH

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George (guest): my positions are in this paper

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George (guest): that is all, won't disturb tonight's meeting

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Andrea Miller: http://www.rootsaction.org/

RootsAction

Jul 10 2012, 9:24 PM
George (guest): thanks

Jul 10 2012, 9:24 PM
Andrea Miller: Thanks, George

Jul 10 2012, 9:24 PM
George (guest): thank you Andrea

Jul 10 2012, 9:27 PM
Richmond L Gardner: these links were recommended earlier today: Why is Amnesty International calling for more US/NATO war and occupation in Afghanistan?
http://stopwar.org.uk/index.php/afghanistan-and-pakistan/1652-why-is-amnesty-international-calling-for-more-war-in-afghanistan

Why is Amnesty International calling for more US/NATO war and occupation in Afghanistan?

Jul 10 2012, 9:27 PM
Richmond L Gardner: At Afghanistan Summit This Week, Will Afghan Women Be at the Table?
http://www.commondreams.org/view/2012/07/03-7

At Afghanistan Summit This Week, Will Afghan Women Be at the Table? | Common Dreams

Jul 10 2012, 9:28 PM
Andrea Miller: Veterans for Peace 27th Annual Convention - August 8-12th

Jul 10 2012, 9:28 PM
Andrea Miller: Information and registration: http://vfpnationalconvention.org/

Home - VFP National Convention 2012: Liberating the Americas

Jul 10 2012, 9:29 PM

Richmond L Gardner: Kandahar is the closest Afghan city to US supply lines
http://www.alaskadispatch.com/article/afghanistan-kandahar-city-conflicts-drop-75-percent

In Afghanistan, Kandahar City conflicts drop by 75 percent | Alaska Dispatch

Jul 10 2012, 9:31 PM

Andrea Miller: This supports the PDA table and provides scholarships for PDA members who would otherwise not be able to attend

Jul 10 2012, 9:32 PM

mlevin (guest): Mike, what is the PDA budget for 2012 and how much has been raised thus far for the year? Thanks, Marc Levin

Jul 10 2012, 9:32 PM

Richmond L Gardner: Norman Solomon What's Next, What's Vital
http://www.solomonforcongress.com/index.php/page/whats_next_whats_vital

Norman Solomon for Congress CA-02 : What's Next, What's Vital

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Andrea Miller: Dr. David Gill

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Virginia Hauflaire: MikeFox@pdamerica.org

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Andrea Miller: Re-election of John Conyers, Raul Grijalva

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Richmond L Gardner: Congress must stop automatic spending cuts

http://www.politico.com/news/stories/0712/78291.html

Opinion: Congress must stop automatic spending cuts - Jeffrey Zients - POLITICO.com

Jul 10 2012, 9:38 PM

Michael Fox: Thx, Virginia.

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Andrea Miller: Hey Mike

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Richmond L Gardner: Donate to PDA
https://salsa3.salsalabs.com/o/1987/p/salsa/donation/common/public/?donate_page_KEY=7326

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Andrea Miller: Veterans for Peace Donate Page referenced by Mike:
https://salsa3.salsalabs.com/o/1987/p/salsa/donation/common/public/?donate_page_KEY=8000

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Virginia Hauflaire: Will Rusti have a letter that we could send to our Congresspeople

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Andrea Miller: Both work -- mine is the special link for VFP

Jul 10 2012, 9:41 PM
Andrea Miller: Bring our War $$ Home:
https://salsa3.salsalabs.com/o/1987/p/salsa/donation/common/public/?donate_page_KEY=8000

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Jul 10 2012, 9:45 PM
Richmond L Gardner: Former Secretary of State Madeleine Albright, Ambassador Melanne Verveer and Congresswoman Jan Schakowsky Join Amnesty International For “Shadow Summit” Sunday to Bring Afghan Women's Voices to the Forefront of NATO Summit
http://www.amnestyusa.org/news/press-releases/former-secretary-of-state-madeleine-albright-ambassador-melanne-verveer-and-congresswoman-jan-schako

Jul 10 2012, 9:50 PM
Richmond L Gardner: Education against all odds in Afghanistan – audio slideshow

http://www.guardian.co.uk/global-development/video/2012/apr/25/education-against-odds-afghanistan-audio-slideshow

Education against all odds in Afghanistan – audio slideshow | Global development | guardian.co.uk

Jul 10 2012, 9:54 PM
Richmond L Gardner: What Role Will Women Play in Upcoming Afghanistan Summit?
http://www.opposingviews.com/i/politics/afghanistan-summit-week-tokyo-will-afghan-women-be-table

What Role Will Women Play in Upcoming Afghanistan Summit?

Jul 10 2012, 9:55 PM
SallyWeiss (guest): Webinar on Afghan women --

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SallyWeiss (guest): http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iUyRzfl-wt8&feature=youtu.be

Webinar: Progress for Afghan Women - YouTube

Jul 10 2012, 9:57 PM
Richmond L Gardner: This July 2-8, support #AfghanWomen
http://www.codepinkalert.org/section.php?id=474

CODEPINK : Afghan Women

Jul 10 2012, 10:03 PM
Richmond L Gardner: Donors offer $16 bln Afghan aid at Tokyo conference
http://in.reuters.com/article/2012/07/08/afghanistan-aid-idINDEE86700820120708

Donors offer $16 bln Afghan aid at Tokyo conference | Reuters

Jul 10 2012, 10:03 PM
Virginia Hauflaire: $230,000 per minute - cost of the war

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