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WELFARE SCHEMES OF KENDRIYA SAINIK BOARD (KSB)

Dear Veterans,

KSB formulates policies for resettlement and welfare of ESM and their dependents. KSB has Rajya Sainik Boards (RSB) at state level and Zila Sainik Boards (ZSB) at district level. Complete details about the KSB and its welfare schemes are available on the website: ksb.gov.in. All ESM and NOK of the deceased soldiers are required to register themselves at their respective ZSBs and obtain the relevant Identity Card. ESM I Card is a prerequisite for availing all benefits under KSB. All welfare schemes/grants from KSB are subject to the definition of ESM given in the link below:
http://ksb.gov.in/writereaddata/Download/CopyofFresh_who_is_an_servicemenrevised.pdf

IMPORTANT WELFARE SCHEMES OF KSB (Ser 1 to 9, upto the rank of Hav)
1. Financial Assistance (FA) for ESM in Penury: Non-Pensioner ESM above 65 yrs or his widow.
2. FA for Education of Children/Widow of ESM: Max upto two Children.
3. FA to 100% Disabled child of an ESM in state of penury.
4. FA for Daughter’s marriage/Widow of ESM
5. FA to Non pensioner ESM for Medical who are not provided any medical cover
6. Financial Incentive to wards of ESM under training at NDA
7. FA for repairing of House of ESM/Widow/Orphan damaged in Natural Disaster
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8. FA for Funeral of ESM
9. FA for Vocational Training of Widow of ESM
10. FA to Orphan Children of ESM (All rks)
11. FA for treatment of Serious Diseases to Non-Pensioner ESM not member of any health scheme (all rks)
12. FA for procuring Mobility Equipment for ESM disabled after retirement (all rks)

NOTE: All Schemes are subject to the guidelines issued by KSB from time to time and are applied online. Nearest ZSB be contacted for any assistance. List of all RSB & ZSB with their contact details is

Given in the link below:

For any query on veterans affairs, please use email: armyveteranscell@gmail.com

Wishing all a wonderful health.

Regards
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