

DAUGAVAS VANAGI



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Daugavas Vanagi supports Latvian sports, culture, education, charitable works, national values and society. *Daugavas Vanagi* helps to maintain and develop all of this in the USA and worldwide. *Daugavas Vanagi* helps unite local Latvian centers nationally and worldwide.

Sports.

Daugavas Vanagi sponsors basketball, volleyball and other sports games and tournaments. It organizes local sports events in novuss, shooting and tennis.

Culture.

Daugavas Vanagi organizes theater performances, concerts, art shows, folk dances and lectures. It supports Latvian folk dance groups, choirs, theater and musical ensembles and tours by artists throughout Latvian centers in the USA.

Youth education and development.

Daugavas Vanagi offers stipends for Latvian education. It supports Scouts and Girl Guides, ALA 'Hello Latvia' trips, local Latvian schools, summer schools in Gaŗezers and Kursa as well as Katskills camp. It supports schools, children's camps and other educational programs in Latvia.

Charity.

Daugavas Vanagi helps the elderly and disabled, former members of the Latvian Legion in the USA and Latvia. It supports hospitals and foster homes, helps families in need and people who had been persecuted during the soviet regime.

National Values.

Daugavas Vanagi has donated towards the creation of military cemeteries in Lestene and Kurzeme and Latvia's Occupation Museum and the restoration of monuments in Latvia. In local Latvian centers *Daugavas Vanagi* commemorates national days of mourning on March 25 and June 14, Legion Day March 16, Kurzeme Fortress Day on May 8, Lāčplēsis Day on November 11 and Latvia's Independence Day on November 18. It defends the interests of Latvia and Latvian people.

***Daugavas Vanagi* do all this and much more!
Come and join our ranks!**

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Please accept me as a member of *Daugavas Vanagi!*

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Address: _____

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Birth date: _____

Today's date: _____

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Signature: _____

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