

UPCOMING VETERANS EVENTS

2021

1st & 3rd Monday Each Month beginning September 20th, 230PM – 4PM, “**Warrior Support Group**”, Warwick Vet Center, 2038 Warwick Avenue, point of contact is Paul Santilli, LCSW, at 401.739.0167.

Monday, September 20th, 1PM – 230PM, “**Virtual Faith-Based Outreach Event**”, hosted by the VA’s VBA Outreach, Transition & Economic Development (OTED).

Thursday, September 23rd, 11AM – 3PM, “**Boston Veterans Job Fair**”, RecruitMilitary, Gillette Stadium, One Patriot Place, Foxborough, Massachusetts. Registration Link: success.recruitmilitary.com. Point of contact is Rob Mulvihill, Director, Military Partner Relations, Bradley-Morris, Inc, RecruitMilitary, at robert.mulvihill@recruitmilitary.com. Find details about their new in-person events at rmvets.com/jobseekerFAQ.

Friday – Sunday, September 24th – 26th, 3-day event, “**Women Veterans’ Retreat**”, Project New Hope, Hilton Garden Inn, 59 Andrews Parkway, Devens, Massachusetts, Presenter: Taniki Richard, USMC Retired Veteran. For more information and to register for this retreat, please go to www.ProjectNewHopeMA.org/Retreats.

Sunday, September 26th, 80th Birthday, US Army Military Police Corps (1941)

Sunday, September 26th, Registration 8AM – 10AM, Rolfe Square Post Office, 57 Rolfe Square, Cranston, Dinner 2PM, Crowne Plaza Providence-Warwick, 801 Greenwich Avenue, Warwick, “**Holly’s Scavenger Hunt**”, Contacts for tickets Ed & Regina Roberts, 401.615.9265, 401.623.1164, Ray Charette, 401.347.9619, or email at RunforHolly@gmail.com. All proceeds to benefit the Corporal Holly Charette Scholarship Fund.

Sunday, September 26th, Gold Star Mother’s Day (Observed Last Sunday of September)

Sunday, September 26th, 9AM – 3PM, “**War Veterans Tribute Cruise In**”, Rhode Island Veterans Home, 480 Metacom Avenue, Bristol. For more information call Jerry at 508.761.8020, or email rintintin1123@gmail.com.

Wednesday, September 29th, 122nd Birthday, National Veterans’ of Foreign Wars (VFW) (1899)

*** New Wednesday, September 29th**, 1PM – 3PM, “**In-Person Job Fair at Roger Williams Park Casino**”, Providence, point of contact is Jack Andrade, Local Veterans’

Employment Representative, Veteran Services Unit of Rhode Island's Department of Labor & Training, at 401.462.8919.

*** New Thursday, September 30th**, 10AM, “**Financial Literacy**” presented by Baycoast Bank and Operation Stand Down Rhode Island” via Zoom. RSVP at 401.383.4730. Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85761809228>. Point of contact is Ty Smith at 401.383.4730, or via email at TyroneSmith@osdri.org.

Sunday, October 3rd, registration begins at 830AM, kickstands up at 10AM, “**12th Annual Ronnie’s Ride**”, Cranston High School West, 80 Metropolitan Avenue, dinner immediately following at Cranston Country Club, 68 Burlingame Road. Point of contact Ron Gill Sr. at 401.942.4799, 401.578.3138, or via email at info@rongilljr.org.

Friday, October 8th, 2:30PM, Pawtucket Veterans Council meeting, Major Walter G Gatchell, VFW Post 306, 171 Fountain Street, Pawtucket, RI

Monday, October 11th, Columbus Day

Wednesday, October 13th, 246th Birthday, US Navy (1775)

Sunday, October 17th, 1PM, “**OCS Commissioning Class 64**”, 243rd Regional Training Institute (RTI), Camp Fogarty, Joint Force Headquarters Auditorium, 2841 South County Trail, East Greenwich.

Tuesday, October 19th, 11AM – 3PM, “**Eastern Region Virtual Career Fair**”, point of contact is Rob Mulvihill at robert.mulvihill@recruitmilitary.com.

Saturday, October 23rd, 10AM, “**The 38th Annual Beirut Memorial Observance Ceremony**”, Portsmouth Historical Society, 870 East Main Road, Portsmouth.

Wednesday, November 10th, 246th Birthday, US Marine Corps (1775)

Thursday, November 11th, Veterans Day/World War I Officially Ends (1918)

Thursday, November 11th, 830AM, “**Annual Veterans’ Day Ceremony**”, conducted by Chapter 48, Special Forces Association, at the Special Forces Monument, Veterans’ Memorial Cemetery, 301 South County Trail, Exeter. Breakfast will follow at the Homestead Restaurant, 750 South County Trail, Exeter. Point of contact is Tom Duffney at 401.301.8582, or via email at tmduffney@gmail.com.

*** Change Thursday, November 11th**, 1045AM, “**Infantry Lodge Associates Annual Armistice Day Celebration**”, The Squantum Association, 947 Veterans’ Memorial Parkway, Riverside, East Providence. Additional information to follow as finalized. **Point of Contact is Retired Colonel David H. Russell** at david.h.russell@gmail.com.

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Friday, November 12th, 705PM, “**Providence Bruins Military Appreciation Weekend**”, https://www.providencebruins.com/games/detail/lehigh_valley_phantoms_1-12-2021.

Thursday, November 25th, Thanksgiving (US)

Tuesday, December 7th, National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

Wednesday, December 8th, US Officially enters World War II (1941)

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Saturday, December 11th, 9AM Refreshments, 10AM Speaker, “**Rhode Island National Guard Retirees’ Association Quarterly Meeting**”, Schofield Armory, 705 New London Avenue, Cranston. Point of contact is Bob Urquhart at boburquhart@cox.net. Guest speaker to be determined.

Monday, December 13th, 385th Birthday, US National Guard & US Army National Guard (1636)

Thursday, December 16th, Battle of the Bulge Begins (1944)

Saturday, December 18th, Iraqi War Ends (2011)

Saturday, December 18th, National Wreaths Across America Day

Saturday, December 25th, Merry Christmas!

Would you like to see your veteran event here, please contact John P Gallo, President, Pawtucket Veterans Council. 401-573-7057 or johnlqq@cox.net