

Walking Down Ranch Veterans Village Newsletter

November 1, 2022

A Message from our Executive Director

Happy Veterans Day!

The Veterans Village Veterans Day Celebration had a great turn out. Thank you to those who came out and joined us for great food, and great conversation. From hula dances, to Poetry it was a great time to reflect with one another on those who have served and those who continue to serve. Thank you to all who helped, prepared and shared with us.









Thanksgiving 2022

Join us in our Thanksgiving day dinner celebration. Thursday November 24 at 1:00pm.

Gobble!Gobble! your way through our traditional Thangiving turkey and all the trimmings! If you have a dish you would like to prepare and share you are welcome to do so. Dont feel like cooking? let our villager volunteers take care of it!



928-358-1244

Store hours: Tues-Sat: 10-4

Do you love a good deal? stop by our thrift store! We welcome **EVERYONE** from **EVERYWHERE** to come in and have a great shopping experience. Our Volunteers are here to make each visit an excellent choice for all your thrift needs.

Veteran's Village Thrift Store

Novemeber sales:

Tuesdays: 5.00 bag of clothes

Wednesdays:

50%off Shoes

Thursdays:

50%

off kitchenware

Fridays:

2.00 bag of books

Saturdays: 50% off Linens Winter hours start Oct 1!

DONT FORGET!

BLACK FRIDAY SALE! Closed Thanksgiving

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

have a little extra time and want to give back? Stop in and ask Jaime how you can

Just a reminder!

Town ordinance restricts leaving your donated goods outside after hours. Our volunteers work very hard to keep the thrift store looking beautiful. The Thrift Store will be happy to take your gently used donations during store hours.

Thank you.

Veterans Community Outreach Center

The Veterans Community Outreach Center is open to the public! Whether it is help with a resume, filing DES or Veteran Administration paperwork, peer support services or counseling referrals The outreach center is here to help! For a full list of what the center has to offer please feel free to visit us Monday-Thursday 10AM-3PM. November 10 at 9 am is Coffee with Veterans hosted by Compassus of Lakeside.

Every fourth Wednesday of the month the Outreach center will host a group of realtors who will break down veteran home loan information. For those who have questions regarding this benefit, please join us.

Weekly Scheduled Events

Monday:

Money Management Monday 11AM Music Therapy 5P

Tuesday: Cooking with a Veteran (lunch will be served at 12p)

Wednesday: Cooking with a Veteran (dinner will be served at 4P) peer support at 5pm

Thursday: Alcoholics Anonymous at 6P

Friday: Cooking with a Veteran (Breakfast served at 9A)
Narcotics Anonymous at 6pm

Saturday: Sewing with Patty 11A Jam with Jerry and Rory at 6P

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Board Meetings

Walking Down Ranch board meetings are open to the public and are held on the second Friday of each month. It is during these meetings that the board is open to listen to any comments or concerns from the veterans of the White Mountain community and the public. The next meeting will be held Friday February 11th at 1pm in the middle administration building at the Veterans Village. (meetings are subject to change if you plan to visit a meeting please call for more information)

November 18, 2022 at 1pm

December 09, 2022 at 1pm

Update on our website

Our website domain has been updated! if you wish to keep up with what we are doing at the Village, Our thrift store or would like to donate you can now visit our website at:

thewalkingdownranch.org

Volunteer of the month Sherry Ward

"Veterans don't get enough credit." That is what our volunteer of the month responded with when asked what inspired her. With a WWII B-26 pilot as a cousin and the family hero, It is not hard to see where Sherry found her inspiration. After 20 years of driving for meals on wheels, Sherry wanted to see where else she could help. Today you can find Sherry behind our register with a bright smile ready to help our shoppers. If you get time, drop by our thrifty store and give Sherry a great big THANK YOU for all she does for the Walking Down Ranch.

Happy Birthday!



A very Happy Birthday to our White Mountain November born Veterans! (Do you want to wish a Veteran a Happy Birthday? just let me know!) Walkingdownoutreachcenter@gmail.com

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This month in American history:

Every month we like to share the anniversaries of our military, here are just a few...



November 02 1775 – American Revolution: Americans under General Richard Montgomery capture the British fort of Saint Johns



November 14, 1891- Gov. Nathan O. Murphy made his annual report to Washington in which he recommended that all Indian reservations — with the possible exception of the Navajo lands — be turned over to white men for sale and settlement.



November 9, 1914 - World War I: HMAS Sydney defeats SMS Emden at the Battle of Cocos. The Battle of Cocos was a single-ship action that occurred on 9 November 1914, after the Australian light cruiser HMAS Sydney, under the command of John Glossop, responded to an attack on a communications station at Direction Island by the German light cruiser SMS Emden, commanded by Karl von Müller.



November 11th 1918:

At five in the morning on November 11, 1918, the German delegation met Allied Commander Ferdinand Foch, and signed the Armistice in his railway car, parked in the French forest of Compiègne. The Armistice, which took effect six hours later, called for a cessation of hostilities, Germany's immediate withdrawal from invaded countries, the surrender of their arms, the repatriation of all Allied prisoners of war, and the creation of a neutral zone in the Rhineland.

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Drop in and let our thrift store know for an in- store prize!