



# COUNTY OF KENOSHA

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## 2017 Veterans Day celebrations and events

A host of events will be held across Kenosha County on Veterans Day, Nov. 11, and the days that precede it. This list was compiled by the Kenosha County Division of Veterans Services:

**What:** Kenosha County Homeless Veterans Stand Down and Veterans Celebration

**When:** Nov. 4, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Where:** Kenosha County Job Center, 8600 Sheridan Road, Kenosha. Guests are asked to use Entrance D, located on the southeast side of the building.

**Note:** Open to all active-duty members, veterans, family members, friends and invited guests. Please contact Ali Nelson at [Ali.Nelson@kenoshacounty.org](mailto:Ali.Nelson@kenoshacounty.org) or call 262-605-6690 to RSVP.

**What:** "A Piece of My Heart" by Shirley Lauro: A powerful show based on the true stories of women deployed in the Vietnam War

**When:** Nov. 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 17, 18; Friday and Saturday performances at 7:30 p.m., Sunday matinees at 2 p.m.

**Where:** Rhode Center for the Arts, 514 56<sup>th</sup> St., Kenosha

**Note:** Tickets are complimentary for any veteran or active-duty service member. Admission for others is \$10 or \$13

**What:** Village of Pleasant Prairie Veterans Day Ceremony

**When:** Nov. 5, 1:30 p.m.

**Where:** Pleasant Prairie Veterans Memorial in Prairie Springs Park, 9900 Terwall Terrace, Pleasant Prairie

**Note:** Following the ceremony, lunch will be served in the Donald Wruck Beach Pavillion.

**What:** Christian Life School Veterans Day Program

**When:** Nov. 8, 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.

**Where:** Journey Church Auditorium, 10700 75<sup>th</sup> St., Kenosha

**Note:** For more details about the program, please contact Mary-Kay at 262-694-3900.

**What:** Salem Consolidated Grade School Veterans Day Program

**When:** Nov. 10, 2:15 p.m.

**Where:** 8828 Antioch Road, Salem

**Note:** The school would like to extend the invitation to all veterans. For more information, please contact Virginia Vinson at 262-843-2356, ext. 125.

**What:** Jeffery Elementary School Veterans Day Celebration and Reception

**When:** Nov. 9, 9 a.m.

**Where:** 4011 87<sup>th</sup> St., Kenosha

**Note:** The school would like to extend the invitation to all veterans. For more details and to RSVP, please contact Mindy Duford at 262-515-3324.

**What:** McKinley Elementary School Veterans Day Celebration

**When:** Nov. 10, 8 a.m.

**Where:** 5520 32<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Kenosha

**Note:** The school would like to extend the invitation to all veterans. For more information, please contact the school at 262-359-6002.

**What:** Central High School Veterans Day Celebration and Reception

**When:** Nov. 10, 1 p.m.

**Where:** 24617 75<sup>th</sup> St., Paddock Lake

**Note:** The school would like to extend the invitation to all veterans; please RSVP by Nov. 3. For more details or to RSVP, please contact Nancy Switalia at 262-843-2321, ext.382.

**What:** American Legion Post 21 Veterans Day Celebration

**When:** Nov. 11, 11 a.m.

**Where:** 504 58<sup>th</sup> St., Kenosha

**Note:** For more details and to RSVP, please contact Tom (Woody) Visintainer at 262-620-5646.

**What:** Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1865 Veterans Day activities

**When:** Nov. 11; Veterans Day ceremony at 11 a.m., VFW initiation and presentation of the Cross of Malta to new members at 11:15 a.m., POW-MIA ceremony at 11:30 a.m., beef stew lunch at noon and flag retirement ceremony at 2 p.m.

**Where:** 6618 39<sup>th</sup> Ave., Kenosha

**Note:** For more details about the program, please contact Dennis Eis at 760-587-6442.

**What:** Navy Club Ship 40 Veterans Day Service

**When:** Nov. 11, 5 p.m.

**Where:** Navy Park, located at the corner of 54<sup>th</sup> Street and Sixth Avenue in Kenosha

**Note:** For more details, please contact Steve Tindall at 262-914-0328.

**What:** Kenosha Area Vietnam Veterans Veterans Day Celebration

**When:** Nov. 11, noon

**Where:** Library Park, 711 59<sup>th</sup> Place, Kenosha

**Note:** For more details, please contact Richard Bowker at 262-694-1129

**What:** Civil War Museum Veterans Day Dedication and Recognition Ceremony

**When:** Nov. 11, 3 p.m.

**Where:** On the Veterans Terrace located at 5400 First Ave., Kenosha

**Note:** For more information, please call the Civil War Museum at 262-653-4141.

**What:** “All About the Art” Veterans Art Show

**When:** Nov. 11, 5-9 p.m.

**Where:** Pollard Gallery, 518 56<sup>th</sup> St., Kenosha

**Note:** Exhibition featuring the artistry of local veterans opens for public viewing Nov. 1. For more information, please contact Judy at 262-654-9030 or Bud at 262-359-9179.

**What:** Kenosha Public Museum Veterans Day Recognition

**When:** Nov. 15, 1 p.m.

**Where:** 5500 First Ave., Kenosha

**Note:** For more information, please call the Kenosha Public Museum at 262-653-4140.

**What:** Welcome Home Celebration

**When:** Nov. 18, 3-7 p.m.

**Where:** Rhode Center for the Arts, 514 56<sup>th</sup> St., Kenosha

**Note:** Local musicians, authors and artists will share their talents in this free community event. Representatives from several veterans’ organizations will be on hand to answer questions and help to support veterans. The event will conclude with the final performance of “A Piece of My Heart.”

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