

VETERANS ADVOCATE

November 2017



Flu Shots for Enrolled Veterans at Walgreens

VHA has again partnered with the Walgreens family of pharmacies to provide flu vaccinations to Veterans enrolled in Veterans health care services.

- Enrolled Veterans may get a flu shot at no cost by presenting their VA ID at a local Walgreens.
- Flu shots will be offered now through March 31, 2018.
- The standard dose flu vaccine will be administered under this agreement. High dose flu vaccine is not covered.
- When an enrolled Veteran gets his or her flu shot through this program, the vaccination information is automatically transmitted into the patient's electronic medical record, usually within 24 hours.

1112 Civic Center Drive NW AND 80 14th Street SW, Rochester, MN



Elder Network

1130 1/2 7th Street NW, Suite 205, Rochester

Tuesdays

October 17 - November 21, 2017

Time: 10:00 - Noon

Location: **Elder Network**

1130 1/2 7th Street NW, Suite 205, Rochester

To register or for more information, contact Elder Network at 507-285-5272

Registration required - Class size is limited





Please join us for a Rochester Job Fair

Wednesday, November 1, 2017

9 am - Noon

Rochester Community Technical College

Sports Center

851 30th Avenue SE

Rochester MN

Employers will be on-hand. Come dressed for success, and bring your resume.

What is a Veteran Identification Card (VIC) and how do I get one?

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The purpose of the Veteran Identification Card (VIC) is to serve as proof of service in the Armed Forces which can be used to obtain discounts on goods and services offered to Veterans. The VIC does not qualify Veterans for additional benefits administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) and does not serve as proof for any benefits to which you may be entitled. Also, the VIC will not grant access to military post or installations. VA will begin accepting applications for the VIC November 1, 2017. For those who wish to obtain a VIC, Veterans should log into Vets.gov to apply. If eligible, you will receive your ID card in the mail within 3 weeks. For more information please go to: <https://www.vets.gov/#>. This is the only way to apply for the VIC, your medical center or regional office will not be able to assist you. Questions regarding the new VIC can be directed to the Vets.gov Help Desk 1-855-574-7286 TTY: 1-800-877-8339 Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. (ET). In the meanwhile, the Department of Veterans Affairs continue to provide a Veterans Health identification Card (VHIC) for veterans to use at VA medical facilities. The VHIC will be issued only to veterans who are eligible for VA medical benefits and only for the purpose of identification and check-in for VA medical appointments. The new card protects personal privacy by not showing Social Security Numbers or dates of birth on the front of the cards. VA has Service Connected, POW and Purple Heart (PH) indicators on the new VHIC. Veterans who have been awarded service-connected status after their VHIC has been issued or SC status is not properly documented on their card, will need to present their letter showing their SC rating to the eligibility clerk at the local VA Medical Center where they obtain treatment. After verification, the eligibility clerk will submit a request to National Card Management Directory (NCMD) System for a new card to be issued to the veteran.

Once a veteran has his/her picture taken for the new card at the VA medical facility, the card will be mailed to the veteran at the address that has been provided. To ensure that a veteran receives the new VIC card, the veteran should please verify that VA has the correct address on file. If the U.S. Postal Service cannot deliver the card, it will be returned to the facility at which the card was requested. The card will then be held in a secure location at the facility for 90 days. If the card is not picked up within the 90-day period, the card will be destroyed. With regard to the use of veteran ID cards for store discounts, please note: The VA identification card, once available will allow Veterans to demonstrate proof of service for discounts at private restaurants and businesses. It should be noted that the identification card is different from a [Veteran Health Identification card](#) or a [DoD Uniformed Services or retiree ID card](#).

Dear VA Beneficiary,

We want to provide you with some important information about your VA benefit payments.

VA education, compensation, pension, and survivor's benefits are paid on a monthly basis. Normally, benefits for a particular month are paid the first business day of the following month. When the first business day of the month falls on a non-business day or a holiday, VA benefits will be paid on the last business day prior to the first of the month.

Provided below is the payment schedule for upcoming VA benefit payment disbursements:

Benefit Period	Benefit Payment Date
September 2017	September 29, 2017
October 2017	November 1, 2017
November 2017	December 1, 2017
December 2017	December 29, 2017

You can check your latest VA benefit payments online at www.eBenefits.va.gov. If you are not receiving benefit payments from VA, but know someone who is, please share this information with them. We hope you find this information useful.

Sincerely,

Veterans Benefits Administration





JOIN THE MISSION

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS AUXILIARY IN SOUTHEASTERN MINNESOTA

Since 1922 the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary (DAVA) has partnered with the DAV parent organization in their mission of service to disabled veterans and their families. That relationship has continued to flourish and the blended organizations have achieved many victories in their quest to improve the quality of life our veterans rightly deserve.

With nearly a quarter-million members, the DAVA programs are far-reaching and the personal rewards fulfilling.

Our members are diverse in their interests which is what has made the DAVA so successful. Our programs include Americanism, Community Service, Junior Activities, Legislative, and VA Voluntary Services. Foremost in our hearts is the goal of assuring benefit entitlement and compassion for our disabled veterans.

Mayo Southeast Chapter 28 will be holding a social event on Monday, November 6, 2017 at the Rochester Minnesota Elks Club. A light meal will be served beginning at 5:30. Please join us to learn more about the Auxiliary and how you can make a difference. We will have state leaders available to answer all your questions.

Our objective is to form an auxiliary unit as a part of Mayo Southeast Chapter 28 DAV if there is enough potential members interested.

The Elks club is located at the Hillcrest Shopping Center on North Hwy 52, just off of 19th Street NW.

Please contact Kerry Allison at 507-259-6503 to RSVP for the event. RSVP is not required but would be greatly appreciated to ensure that we plan accordingly.

SOCIAL EVENT

Monday, November 6, 2017

5:30 pm

Located at:

Rochester Elks Club

1652 US-52

Rochester, MN 55901

RSVP TO:

Kerry Allison

507-259-6503

Kerryallison1013@gmail.com

Eligibility is extended to family and extended family members of veterans who were disabled or died in military service, family and extended family members of veterans who have served in the military without sustaining injury, family and extended family members of those in active military service, family and extended family of Auxiliary members who are not otherwise eligible for membership, and members of the DAV. The Auxiliary is open to men and women, young and old.

We extend our sincere thanks to our military families in recognizing the sacrifices they have made and continue to make every day to keep our country free. The purpose of our breakfast is to let our military heroes, both those who have served previously and those currently serving, know how much they are cherished.

VETERANS

**PLEASE ALLOW US THE
PRIVILEGE OF HONORING YOU
WITH A FREE BREAKFAST**



**Join us on
Thursday, November 9th
8:00am-10:00am
Madonna Summit of Byron
551 Byron Main Court NE • Byron**

RSVP to Marie Peterson: 507-315-3608

[Madonna Summit of Byron](#)

MADONNA LIVING COMMUNITY OF ROCHESTER

VETERANS AFFAIRS

[VA Selects Providers for Dental Insurance Program](#)

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VA Selects Providers for Dental Insurance Program

WASHINGTON — Today, the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) announced that it has selected Delta Dental of California and MetLife to once again offer private dental insurance plans as part of the VA Dental Insurance Program (VADIP).

The program was extended until Dec. 31, 2021, by the VA Dental Insurance Reauthorization Act of 2016.

“It is important to provide this care to eligible Veterans, especially those who need lower-cost insurance,” said VA Secretary Dr. David J. Shulkin. “VADIP underscores our commitment to support America’s Veterans and their family members.”

Veterans enrolled in the VA health-care system and beneficiaries of the Civilian Health and Medical Program of the VA (CHAMPVA) can enroll in the program beginning Nov. 15, 2017, for coverage to start Dec. 1, 2017.

VADIP offers eligible individuals the opportunity to purchase discounted dental insurance coverage, including diagnostic services, preventive services, endodontic and other restorative services, surgical services and emergency services.

Individuals who enroll in one of the dental insurance plans will pay the entire premium in addition to the full cost of any copayments. Enrollment is voluntary and does not affect eligibility for VA outpatient dental services and treatment.

The plans are available to eligible individuals in the United States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, American Samoa and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

Delta Dental and MetLife previously offered insurance plans as part of the three-year VADIP pilot program. Coverage under the VADIP pilot began Jan. 1, 2013, and more than 115,000 Veterans and CHAMPVA beneficiaries enrolled in the program before it expired in January 2017. Individuals who enrolled in a plan during the pilot period must select and enroll in one of the new plans offered by Delta Dental or MetLife. While the insurance providers will remain the same, plan options, fees and other factors may have changed from those offered during the pilot.

Attention all MARINES!

You are invited to celebrate the Marine Corp Birthday
Friday, November 10th
4pm-Close
VFW Post 1215, 16 16th Street SW, Rochester, MN 55902



VETERANS DAY

IN THIS TIME
S IN THE HEARTS OF THE PEOPLE
FOR WHOM HE SAVED THE UNION
THE MEMORY OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN
IS ENSHRINED FOREVER

November 11, 2017



"To care for him who shall have borne the battle..."

ABRAHAM LINCOLN



www.va.gov





Veterans Day Event

Friday, November 10th

Rochester Event Center

7333 Airport View Dr SW

Free breakfast from 8:30 to 10:00

Program from 10:30 to 11:30

Toys for Tots DRIVE

PLEASE BRING AN

UNWRAPPED TOY!!

Thank a Veteran events

Texas Roadhouse: veterans and active members of U.S. military across the country to enjoy FREE lunch on Saturday, November 11 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Applebees: Veterans and active duty military receive a free meal from a limited menu, on **November 11**.

Bruegger's Bagels: Veterans and active duty military members get a free small drip coffee on **November 11**

Chipotle-- Active duty military, Reserves, National Guard, veterans and spouses get a buy-one-get-one (BOGO) deal from 3:00 p.m. to close on **November 11**

Denny's -- Active, inactive and retired military personnel get a free Build Your Own Grand Slam on **November 11**, from 5 a.m. to noon

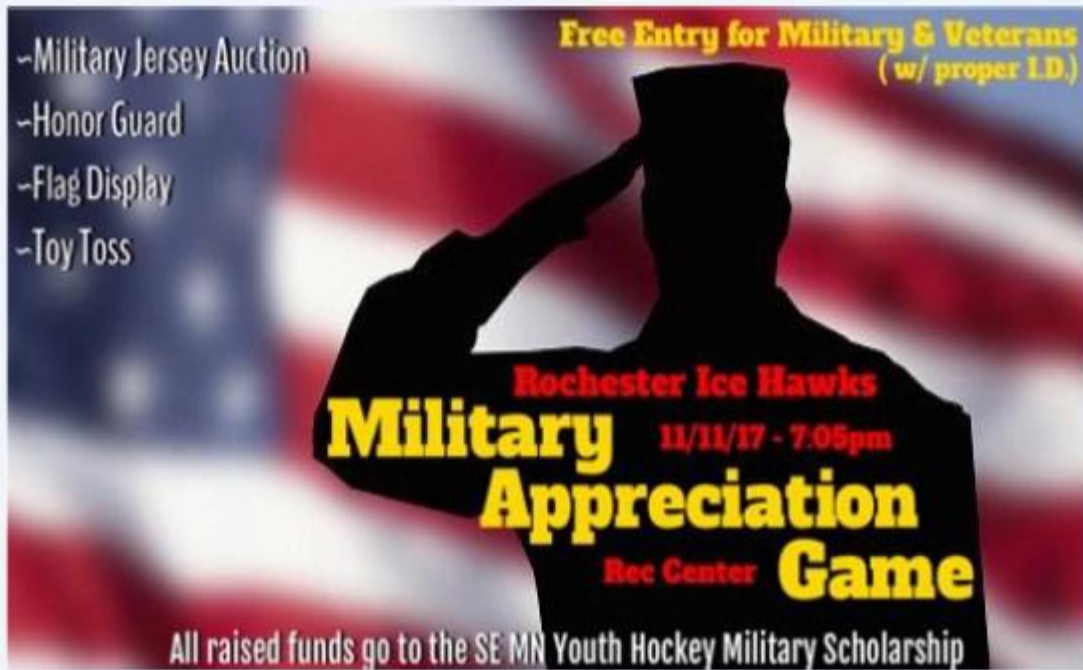
Hy-Vee -- Veterans and active duty military members get a free breakfast buffet on **November 11**.

Olive Garden – Active duty military and veterans get a free entrée from a special menu on **November 11**.

Outback Steakhouse – All active and retired service members receive a free Bloomin' Onion and a beverage on **November 11**. Outback is also offering active and former service members 15% off their meals **Nov. 12 through Dec. 31**.

Perkins -- Active duty military and veterans get a free Magnificent Seven meal on **November 11**.

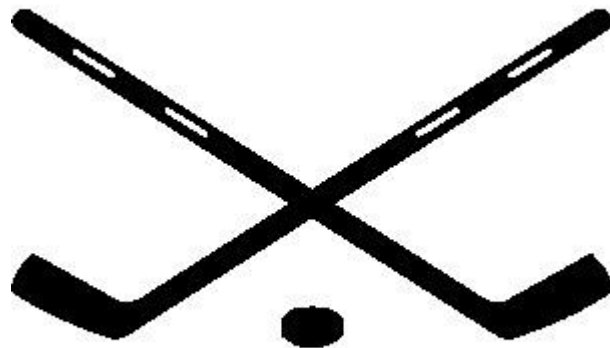
Not all franchise locations participate in their national chain's Veterans Day programs -- be sure contact your nearest establishment to make sure they are participating. Keep in mind that most businesses require proof of military service, which can include a VA Universal Access Card, Military I.D., DD-214 (Discharge Papers), Veterans Service Organization Card (VSO's include groups like the VFW, DAV, AmVets, MOAA, FRA, and the American Legion), or in some cases businesses will accept a picture of the veteran in uniform.



The Rochester Ice Hawks are hosting a Military Appreciation Game

On Saturday, November 11th 7:05PM

Free Entry for Military personnel and Veterans (with proper ID)





Military Appreciation Day

at the
Museum

Saturday, November 11
9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Free Admission

**for all current and past military
service members and their families.**

Explore the Museum's exhibits and participate in hands-on play. Join us in the Museum's Rotary Education Center for light refreshments from 9 - 10 am and a special program beginning at 10:30 am.

Sponsored by:

Walmart  **Foundation**

Children's Museum
of Southern Minnesota
224 Lamm St, Mankato



Veterans Day Culinary Fest Chef Challenge

If you're a Foodie and a Veteran – this event is for you!!

See below for their unique Veterans Day celebration. For more information on this event, see contact info. listed below.

Veterans Day Mall of America® Rotunda Saturday, November 11, 2017

11 a.m. – 7 p.m. In celebration of Veteran's Day, Mall of America, the Minnesota National Guard and Beyond the Yellow Ribbon have teamed up for the Ultimate Chef Challenge. We are looking for military/Veteran service members who are cooking and food enthusiasts to be paired with a Mall of America chef to compete as a duo in this fun filled event that will showcase their cooking talents on a grand scale. For more information, contest guidelines.

APPLY FOR CHALLENGE!

http://www.mallofamerica.com/dining/culinary-fest/chef-challenge?utm_source=Community+Relations&utm_campaign=100774cdc9-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2017_05_15&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_fb10cd3b87-100774cdc9-68974161&mc_cid=100774cdc9&mc_eid=685c4cacd2



SOUTHEAST MINNESOTA LAW ENFORCEMENT
APPRECIATION EVENT



FEATURING:

EMERSON DRIVE- AWARD WINNING COUNTRY MUSIC GROUP
AND ALSO A FAN FAVORITE, BOOKER & FRIENDS



**EMERSON
DRIVE**

**SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 11**

7:00 PM - MIDNIGHT

**ROCHESTER
EVENT CENTER**
7333 Airport View Drive SW
Rochester, MN

TICKETS: \$20
Purchase tickets at
LAWENFORCEMENTMEMORIAL.ORG

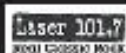
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of Southeast Minnesota

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\$25

Proceeds will help build
the Southeast Minnesota
Law Enforcement
Memorial

To Purchase a Yard Sign, Contact:

Mike Strelow

strelow.michael@co.olmsted.mn.us

507.923.8124

More details at LawEnforcementMemorial.org

Take COMMAND

☆☆☆ Enhance Your TRICARE® Experience

TRICARE Changes Checklist: Take Command and Prepare Now for Changes in 2018

What You Need to Do		Important Dates
<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you have a username and password for DS Logon? If not, get a DS Logon. https://go.usa.gov/xRpAB	Now
<input type="checkbox"/>	Is your information—address, email and phone number—current in DEERS? Check to be sure. www.tricare.mil/deers	Now
<input type="checkbox"/>	Have you signed up for TRICARE benefits updates? Sign up today so you don't miss any important information. www.tricare.mil/about	Ongoing
<input type="checkbox"/>	Did you have a baby or adopt a child? Did you get married or divorced? Did you move, retire, activate, or have any other significant life event? Learn about what you need to do. www.tricare.mil/lifeevents	Ongoing
<input type="checkbox"/>	Not sure what plans are offered where you live? Use the plan finder to find out what you may be eligible for. www.tricare.mil/planfinder	TBD
<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you make monthly TRICARE payments electronically? Be on the lookout. Your regional contractor will contact you to update your payment information.	After Oct. 1, 2017
<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you or someone in your family have special needs? Check our webpage for details about how to contact your new regional contractor. www.tricare.mil/casemanagement	Beginning Jan. 1, 2018

What You Need to Know		Important Dates
A new network provider directory will be available. Visit www.tricare.mil/changes		Beginning Nov. 1, 2017
Your new regional contractor's call center will open.		Beginning Nov. 20, 2017
There will be an enrollment freeze for TRICARE Prime enrollments, and Primary Care Manager (PCM) changes will be delayed during the transfer of files to new regional contractors.		December 2017
If you're enrolled in TRICARE Prime and are being assigned a new PCM , your regional contractor will notify you.		Beginning Dec. 24, 2017
Your new regional contractor's website will go live.		Beginning Jan. 1, 2018
Explanation of Benefits (EOB) and authorization letters will go paperless and be available electronically, and you will need a DS Logon. You may opt in to receive a mailed EOB.		Beginning Jan. 1, 2018
Your new regional contractor will support your claims questions and will make new claims forms and claims mailing address available.		After Jan. 1, 2018



Red Carpet Event

Would you like to learn how to navigate the VA system?
Come join us for an informational meeting for new and
established patients.

Some of the topics that will be covered:

Co-managed care

Mental health

Women's health

Thursday, November 16

Every 3rd Thursday of the month in room 117, at 2:00pm

At the Rochester VA Clinic, ****NOTE NEW ADDRESS****

3900 Fairway PL NW

Rochester MN 55901

Please call CVSO's at 507-328-6355



Olmsted County Veteran's Services



SEMCIL, and Olmsted County Veteran Services is offering a support group for Veterans that have been diagnosed with PTSD, or those who have signs and symptoms of PTSD, and their family members. Maybe you need to talk or just be in the company of your extended Veteran family. The support group will be a place for Veterans to share, heal and talk about their experiences in dealing with PTSD. We will be there for each other.

We are our brothers and sisters keepers because the oath we took to never leave a fallen comrade has no expiration date. For many of us, combat veterans, there are daily reminders of combat stress.

The group will be facilitated by Jennifer Shumaker, Veteran and Olmsted County Veterans Service Officer.

Tuesday, November 28th

Tuesday, December 19th

(Change due to holidays, Annual Pot-luck with Guest Speakers)

6:30pm-8:30 pm

**American Legion
315 1st Ave NW,
Rochester, MN, 55901**

Jennifer at 507-328-6324 or shumaker.jennifer@co.olmsted.mn.us

SEASONS HOSPICE

Adding Quality of Life to Each Day

Veterans Grief Group

A Journey to Honor the Losses and Sacrifice of Our Veterans

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

An eight-week psycho-educational group focused on the theme of grief, loss and change. This group will be led by two Vietnam Veterans, with Timothy J Haskamp, LICSW, Bereavement Counselor. Any veteran is welcome to attend.

Goals of the group:

- A peer psychosocial-educational group focusing on themes of grief, loss and change.
- An attempt to experience the power and wisdom of one's grief journey.
- An opportunity to learn from one another with the hope of creating an environment of growth. Good listening can help transform suffering.
- To provide an atmosphere of understanding where you can share your thoughts, feelings and behaviors related to losses in your life whether it is related to personal/family losses or from your experience in the military.

The Veterans Grief Group will occur in the Fall 2017/September 12 – October 31, 2017.

Confidential individual
consultation and
counseling available at
(507) 285-1930.

All services are made
available through donations.

CONTACT:

Timothy J. Haskamp, LICSW,
Bereavement Counselor
Seasons Hospice/Center for Grief Education
and Support
1696 Greenview Dr SW, Rochester, MN 55902
(507) 285-1930
thaskamp@seasonshospice.org



C.F.R.

Community Food Response

Do you struggle with the cost of feeding yourself or your family, or know someone who does?

CFR CAN HELP!

We provide prepared, fresh or frozen food for individuals or families to take home to eat. Food is donated by area grocery stores, restaurants and cafeterias.

No financial or employment information is required to receive food, and you may come to CFR every day that we are open.

NOW TWO LOCATIONS:

SE Rochester

**Bethel Lutheran Church
810 3rd Ave SE**

By bus, #6 from downtown.

**Open Mon. Wed. and Fri.
5 to 6:30 PM**

NW Rochester

**The Exchange
3945 10th Ave NW**

By bus, #11 from downtown.

Just north of 37th St Tire & Auto,
just east of Gage East Apartments

**Open Mon. and Wed.
5 to 6 PM**

FOR MORE INFORMATION: www.communityfoodresponse.org



ROBINS & KAPLAN

Minnesota Assistance Council for Veterans, in partnership with the law firm of Robins Kaplan LLP, invites you to participate in a:

FREE DROP-IN LEGAL CLINIC FOR VETERANS

HOUSING, EMPLOYMENT, BENEFITS, EXPUNGEMENT, WILLS, DEBT COLLECTION, FAMILY LAW INCLUDING CHILD SUPPORT

Tuesday, November 14, 2017 | 9am - 2pm | VA Medical Center
Flag Atrium Balcony Room 2S 114 (ask information desk for directions)
1 Veterans Drive | Minneapolis, MN | FREE Parking at the VA Medical Center

Attorneys, MACV staff, County Veterans Service Officers, and child support officers will be available throughout the day to assist veterans with questions, legal forms, and counsel.

For more information contact: Vetlaw Program – MACV | 651-200-4750

Disclaimer: VA assumes no responsibility for the attorneys providing services at this clinic.
This referral does not constitute a recommendation or endorsement by VA.

VA



U.S. Department
of Veterans Affairs



Veterans Job Fair

November 21, 2017 • 2:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Minneapolis VA Medical Center

in the Auditorium (near the main entrance)

and the Flag Atrium balcony

One Veterans Drive, Minneapolis, MN 55417

Featured Businesses:

York Solutions	VBA	New Horizons	MACV
UPS	FedEx	Double-Tree Hilton	Hearthside Foods
Monterrey Security	Mains'l Services	Radisson Blu	Transport America
SuperValu	Regional Council of Carpenters	US Post Office	Xcel Energy
Enterprise Holdings	Fish and Wildlife Services	Holiday Station Stores	Science Museum of Minnesota
State of MN	HEI Hotel Resorts	Allied Universal	Spectrum Health
Parsons Corporation	Cargill	Essendant	Volt
MOA	DEED	Health Partners	Marquette Hotels
Minneapolis VA	3M	U.S. Aviation Services	G4S
Goodwill-Easter Seals of Minnesota	Genz-Ryan Plumbing & Heating	Jewish Family and Children's Services of Minneapolis	Hennepin County Career Center
MN Correctional Facility - St. Cloud			

No registration required, please come prepared for a potential interview and don't forget your resume.

We will also be providing on-site resume review and interview preparation.

If you have any questions, please contact Lee Weiland at 612-467-3945.



THE 1940's
RADIO HOUR

December 1 - 17, 2017

HOLIDAY MUSICAL

Sponsored by
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this holiday season!

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calls 'totally exhilarating hour of singing,
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20 Civic Center Dr SE, Rochester, MN 55904

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Visit our website for details on all the
fabulous events and activities at The Civic!

CIVIC
THEATRE

Rochester American Legion Post 92

3rd Tuesday of each month

315 First Ave NW

Rochester, MN 55901

7pm

Legion Riders

2nd Monday of each month

7pm

Forty et eight at the American Legion

2nd Tuesday of each month

630pm

Rochester VFW Post Meeting

2nd Tuesday of each Month VFW Post 1215

16 6th Street SW, Rochester, MN 55902

7pm

Byron American Legion Post 119

3rd Monday of the month

7pm

505 Frontage Road NW, Byron, MN

Vietnam Veterans of America

Meets 4th Monday each month

at 7:00pm, at the Rochester American Legion

315 First Ave NW

Rochester, MN 55901

MOPH

3rd Thursday of the month 6pm

VFW Post 1215

16 6th St SW

Rochester, MN 55902

Stewartville American Legion Post 164

Meeting 3rd Monday each month, 7:30pm

1100 2nd Ave NW, Stewartville

Stewartville VFW Post 8980

Meeting 1st Monday each month, 7pm

1100 2nd Ave NW, Stewartville

DAV Meeting

2nd Monday, of each Month Rochester's Elks Lodge

1652 Hwy 52 N, Rochester, MN 55901

5:30pm dinner, meeting at 6:00pm

Korean War Veterans

Every Monday at Grandmas Kitchen

1514 N Broadway, Rochester, MN 55906

(Silver lake plaza)

8 AM

Thor Detachment 606 Marine Corp League Meeting

4th Tuesday of the month, 7pm, VFW Post 1215

16 6th Street SW, Rochester, MN 55902

Kasson American Legion Post 333

Third Thursday of the month

March 19 , 7pm

212 West Main Street , Kasson, MN 55944

Chatfield VFW Post 6913

2nd Tuesday of the month

9- 2nd St SW, Chatfield, MN

Gulf War Veterans of America

1st Monday of each month

7pm, at the Rochester American Legion

315 First Ave NW

Rochester, MN 55901

Eyota American Legion Post 551

2nd Monday each month 6:30pm

11 Madison Ave NW

Eyota, MN 55934

Legion Riders

4th Wednesday each month 7:30pm



“To promote the interests and welfare of veterans, their dependents and survivors and to enhance their quality of life through counseling, claims assistance, education, advocacy and special projects.”



Veterans Services
2100 Campus Drive
SE, Suite 200
Rochester, MN 55904

