

Media Advisory

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Weekend of events marks Veterans Day at National Army Museum

Media invited for live morning broadcasts, onsite coverage, and interviews with spokespeople and curators

Fort Belvoir, Va. — The National Museum of the United States Army is offering the National Capital Region and visitors from across America a fitting way to honor Veterans Day with a weekend full of events Nov. 9 – 11, and the last chance to see the [D-DAY: Freedom From Above](#) special exhibit honoring the 80th anniversary of the D-Day invasion. The special tributes to those who served our nation are all included with the Museum's free admission.

The full schedule of events and activities is posted on the Museum's [website](#). Highlights include:

- **Family fun activities** which include a craft activity of writing greeting cards to veterans, a history scavenger hunt, and the Museum's Tiny Troops Story Time (*Tiny Troops is best suited for children ages 3-6 years old*).
- **Hands-on History demonstrations** that explore a Soldier's life on and off the battlefield and take a closer look at uniforms and equipment.
- **Special exhibition** [D-DAY: Freedom From Above](#) that takes visitors to the D-Day landings through augmented reality and features the only four Medals of Honor awarded for actions performed on June 6, 1944. Last Look - this exhibit closes Nov. 15!
- **Shop & Support Veterans Discount** which offers veterans a special discount in the Museum Store. Shop for U.S. Army and Museum gear for yourself or start your holiday shopping early.

Veterans Day, November 11, marks the Museum's fourth anniversary. The 185,000-square-foot Museum immerses visitors in the story of the U.S. Army through compelling galleries, engaging exhibits, a multisensory 300-degree theater, tranquil rooftop garden, and hundreds of historic treasures rarely or never-before-seen by the public.

In honor of Veterans Day and the Museum's anniversary, the Museum is sharing a video sneak peek of the upcoming special exhibition, *CALL TO Arms: The Soldier and the Revolutionary War*, debuting in June 2025. Curated specifically to commemorate the Army's 250th birthday in 2025 and our nation's independence in 2026, this landmark 5,000 sq. ft. exhibit will include a rare collection of Revolutionary War artifacts from the original colonies, England, France and Canada, accompanied by Soldier stories of our nation's first veterans

Mark your calendars - and watch this video to see the exhibit designs for [*CALL TO ARMS: The Soldier and the Revolutionary War*](#) on display June 2025 - June 2027 with free admission.

The Museum is open daily with free admission only closed on December 25. Advance reservations are preferred, and walk-up tickets are available. Visit the Museum's website at the NMUSA.org.

Media Information

Media interested in touring the Museum and covering Veterans Day weekend may contact public affairs officer Susan Smullen, susan.l.fazakerley-smullen.civ@army.mil.

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About the National Museum of the United States Army

The National Museum of the United States Army provides the only comprehensive portrayal of Army history and traditions through the eyes of the American Soldier. By preserving, interpreting, and exhibiting invaluable artifacts, the National Army Museum creates learning opportunities for all visitors and bonds the American people to their oldest military service. We are America's Army Museum.

The U.S. Army owns and operates the Museum. The Army Historical Foundation continues its fundraising role in support of the Museum and manages all retail, catering and special events.

For more information on the National Museum of the United States Army visit www.theNMUSA.org.