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Honoring the Service of All Veterans

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Medal Ceremony Dates and Locations

It is our mission intent to “*present medals in the most public means possible*”. Recipients **must** be present so that their medal can be formally presented to them. In case of deceased veterans, next of kin can substitute on their behalf but copy of death certificate is required along with proof of service. In cases where medical condition prohibits travel, officers will travel to the confined veteran to present their medal. Registration information must be received NLT 1 day in advance and recipient must be present and check in prior to the start of the ceremony. This allows us to truly honor all recipients on time without delays.

Registration must be in person, on-site at a prior ceremony or any Field of Honor traveling veterans memorial exhibit or by telephone to the **LIAISON**: listed for each ceremony **unless noted otherwise** on the schedule below. (I.e: registration can be on-site at any monthly VOAMC meeting held at the VA Hospital on the 2nd Wednesday of every month.) Bring proof of honorable service to the actual ceremony for verification, we do not keep any service records, we only validate them.

Duplicate medals for family members or in case of a lost medal are available for purchase as only one original medal is FREE. Duplicate medals are available with neck ribbon or lapel pin in a box and are all engraved with recipient name and medal numbers. Duplicates ordered prior to a ceremony cost \$14 each and can be picked up at the ceremony requested.

Requests for lost medals or duplicates after the ceremony can be made via above contact information or on-line at www.veteransoforegon.com. Costs for **mailing** duplicate medals are \$17 and includes, ribbon/pin box, shipping, handling and engraving which is **mandatory** on duplicates. Following are future scheduled venues for presentations of this prestigious medal;

Denotes: New Ceremony To Be Added Denotes: **Open Date Available**

| <u>Ceremony #/Date</u> | <u>Time</u> | <u>Event</u> | <u>Location</u> |
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Registration requires 1) **Full Legal Name** 2) **Date of birth** 3) **Last 4-SSN**. Veteran **must** bring proof of Honorable Service in US Armed Forces and **check in prior to start of the ceremony**. Veteran **must** be present to receive medal unless deceased – next of kin **must** provide copy of death certificate to accept in lieu of veteran.

Total/YTD

| <u>Ceremony Date</u> | <u>Time</u> | <u>Event</u> | <u>Location</u> |
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| 330)-01 01/11/12 Facilitator: _____ Wednesday | 7:00pm – 9:00pm Register On-Site or by phone | Meeting & Ceremony Annual Elections LIAISON: | Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B, Portland, OR ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084 |
| 331)-02 02/08/12 Facilitator: _____ Wednesday | 7:00pm - 9:00pm Register On-Site or by phone | Meeting & Ceremony LIAISON: | Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B, Portland, OR ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084 |
| 332)-03 03/14/12 Facilitator: _____ Wednesday | 7:00pm - 9:00pm Register On-Site or by phone | Meeting & Ceremony LIAISON: | Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B, Portland, OR ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084 |

03/11/12 - DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS

333)-04 04/11/12 7:00pm - 9:00pm Meeting & Ceremony Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B,
Portland, OR
Facilitator: _____
Wednesday **Register On-Site or by phone** **LIAISON:** ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084
04/06/11 ARMY DAY
04/08/12 EASTER
04/11/11 POW RECOGNITION DAY
05/01/12 LOYALTY DAY

334)-05 05/09/12 7:00pm - 9:00pm Meeting & Ceremony Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B,
Portland, OR
Facilitator: _____
Wednesday **Register On-Site or by phone** **LIAISON:** ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084
05/13/12 MOTHERS DAY
05/19/11 ARMED FORCES DAY
05/28/12 MEMORIAL DAY

335)-06 06/13/12 7:00pm - 9:00pm Meeting & Ceremony Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B,
Portland, OR
Facilitator: _____
Wednesday **Register On-Site or by phone** **LIAISON:** ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084
06/14/12 FLAG DAY
06/17/12 FATHERS DAY
07/02/11 US AIR CORPS BIRTHDAY 1926
07/04/12 INDEPENDENCE DAY

.....Vacation 6/24/12 – 7/01/12.....

336)-07 07/11/12 7:00pm - 9:00pm Meeting & Ceremony Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B,
Portland, OR
Facilitator: _____
Wednesday **Register On-Site or by phone** **LIAISON:** ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084

337)-08 08/08/12 7:00pm - 9:00pm Meeting & Ceremony Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B,
Portland, OR
Facilitator: _____
Wednesday **Register On-Site or by phone** **LIAISON:** ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084
08/11/11 U.S. COAST GUARD BIRTHDAY 1790
08/14/11 NATIONAL NAVAJO CODE TALKERS DAY
09/03/12 LABOR DAY
09/11/11 PATRIOT DAY, GRANPARENTS DAY, 911 REMEMBRANCE

338)-09 09/12/12 7:00pm - 9:00pm Meeting & Ceremony Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B,
Portland, OR
Facilitator: _____
Wednesday **Register On-Site or by phone** **LIAISON:** ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084
09/14/11 U.S. AIR FORCE BIRTHDAY - 1947
09/25/11 GOLD STARA MOTHERS DAY

339)-10 10/10/12 7:00pm - 9:00pm Meeting & Ceremony Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B,
Portland, OR
Facilitator: _____
Wednesday **Register On-Site or by phone** **LIAISON:** ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084
10/13/11 U.S. NAVY BIRTHDAY - 1775

340)-11 **NOVEMBER NO MEETING – VETERANS DAY SCHEDULE**
11/04/12 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS
11/10/11 U.S. MARINES BIRTHDAY - 1775
11/11/12 8AM Ross Hollywood Parade **LIAISON:** _____ **Pre-Register**
11/22/12 THANKSGIVING
12/07/11 PEARL HARBOR REMEMBRANCE DAY

341)-12 12/12/12 7:00pm - 9:00pm Meeting & Ceremony Portland VA Hosp. Room 201B,
Portland, OR
Facilitator: _____
Wednesday **Register On-Site or by phone** **LIAISON:** ◀John Neuman (503) 622-

25)-#1 FIELD OF HONOR AND MEDAL CEREMONY TENTATIVE ● Newport Loyalty Days

04/27/12 Fri Set up Grid
04/28/12 Sat Set Up Bases
04/29/12 Sun Set Up Field, Candlelight Service at 6pm
04/30/12 Mon Memorial Display 24/7
05/01/12 Tues Loyalty Day
05/02/12 Wed Memorial Display 24/7
05/03/12 Thur Memorial Display 24/7
05/04/12 Fri Memorial Display 24/7
05/05/12 Sat Tear Down

LIAISON: ◀Patty Louisiana (503) 227-2681
◀Tony Molina (503) 227-2681

26)-#2 FIELD OF HONOR AND MEDAL CEREMONY TENTATIVE ● Tillamook - Memorial Day

05/18/12 Fri Arrive Set up Grid
05/19/12 Sat Set Up Bases
*05/20/12 Sun Set Up Field, Ceremony
Candlelight Ceremony at 6pm
05/21/12 Mon Memorial Display 24/7
05/22/12 Tues Memorial Display 24/7
05/23/12 Wed Memorial Display 24/7
05/24/12 Thur Memorial Display 24/7
05/25/12 Fri Memorial Display 24/7
*05/26/12 Sat Memorial Display 24/7 Ceremony
*05/27/12 Sun Memorial Display 24/7 Ceremony
*05/28/12 Mon Memorial Day Ceremony
05/29/12 Tues Tear Down

LIAISON: ◀Patty Louisiana (503) 227-2681
◀Tony Molina (503) 227-2681



27)- #3 FIELD OF HONOR AND MEDAL CEREMONY TENTATIVE ● Molalla, OR.

Facilitator: John Parish/John Neuman

06/29/12 Fri. Set Up Grid
06/30/12 Sat. Set up Bases
*07/01/12 Sun Set Up Flags – Candlelight ceremony
*07/02/12 Mon Memorial Open 24/7 - Ceremony
*07/03/12 Tue Memorial Open 24/7 - Ceremony
*07/04/12 Wed Memorial Open 24/7 - Ceremony
*07/05/12 Thur Memorial Open 24/7 - Ceremony
*07/06/12 Fri Memorial Open 24/7 - Ceremony
*07/07/12 Sat Memorial Open 24/7 - Ceremony
07/08/13 Sun Tear Down

LIAISON: ◀Ken Kraft (971) 227-4139
kraftken@mac.com

28)- #4 FIELD OF HONOR AND MEDAL CEREMONY TENTATIVE ● Sandy

Register by phone prior to ceremony date of choice medal

Visit any sponsor to register for

Facilitator: John Parish/John Neuman

__/_/12 Fri 8:00am-1:00pm Set up Grid
__/_/12 Sat 8:00am-1:00pm Set up Bases
__/_/12 Sun 8:00am-noon Post Field of Honor
__/_/12 Mon Memorial Open 24/7
__/_/12 Tue Memorial Open 24/7
__/_/12 Wed Memorial Open 24/7
__/_/12 Thur Memorial Open 24/7
__/_/12 Fri Memorial Open 24/7
__/_/12 Sat Memorial Open 24/7
__/_/12 Sun 8:00am Tear Down

SPONSOR/LIAISON: ◀ **Sandy VFW Post #4273**

Terry Boyer (503) 319-8854
Bert Key (503) 668-8418 / 329-1896
◀ **Barlow Trail Restaurant**
◀ **Sub Shop**
◀ **Sandy VFW Post #4273**
◀ **Island Teriyaki**
◀ **Champion Collision**
◀ **Geren's Farm Supply**
Young Marines (Funk) (503) 544-9554

29)- #5 FIELD OF HONOR AND MEDAL CEREMONY

●Open

Facilitator: John Parish/John Neuman

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| __/__/12 | Fri | Noon | Arrive-Set up Grid 2:00pm | |
| __/__/12 | Sat | 8:00am-1:00pm | Set up Bases | |
| __/__/12 | Sun | 8:00am-noon | Post Field of Honor | LIAISON: ◀John Neuman (503) 622-6084 |
| | | 6:00pm-7:00pm | Candlelight Flag Dedication | jneuman68@gmail.com |
| __/__/12 | Mon | 24 Hour Memorial Display | Display Daily | |
| __/__/12 | Tue | 6:00pm-7:00pm | | |
| __/__/12 | Wed | 4:00pm | | |
| __/__/12 | Thur. | 6:00pm-7:00pm | | |
| __/__/12 | Fri | 2:00pm-4:00pm | Medal Ceremony | |
| __/__/12 | Sat | 8:00am | | |
| __/__/12 | Sun | 8:00am | Tear Down | |

30)- #6**FIELD OF HONOR AND MEDAL CEREMONY**

●Lincoln City, OR.

Register for Medal by phone NLT or On-Site NLT 1 day prior to ceremony date of choice

Facilitator: John Parish/John Neuman

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| | | | | Chinook Winds Casino |
| 09/15/12 | Sat | 1:00pm | Set Up Team Arrives | Celebration of Honor |
| 09/16/12 | Sun | 8:00am-1:00pm | Set up Grid | 1777 NW 44th St. |
| 09/17/12 | Mon | 8:00am-1:00pm | Set up Bases | Lincoln city, OR 97637 |
| *09/18/12 | Tue | 8:00am-1:00pm | 24 Display -Hour Field of Honor | |
| | | | Candlelight Dedication | LIAISON: ◀Teresa Simmons (888) 244-6665 |
| | | | | Oregon Honorable Service Medal Ceremony (Optional) |
| 09/19/12 | Wed | 1:00pm | 24 Hour Field of Honor Memorial Display | |
| 09/20/12 | Thur | 9:00am | 24 Hour Field of Honor Memorial Display | |
| 09/21/12 | Fri | 5:00pm | Opening Ceremony – Motorcycle Parade | |
| | | 5:30pm | Ride of Honor | |
| | | *6:00pm | Medal Honorable Service Medal Ceremony | |
| | | 7:00pm | Wish Lanterns Released | |
| 09/22/12 | Sat | 2:00pm | Flag Dedication at Field of Honor | |
| | | 4:30pm | Bagpipes, Presentation of Wreaths | |
| | | *5:00pm | Oregon Honorable Service Medal Ceremony | |
| 09/23/12 | Sun | 1:30pm-4:00pm | | |
| | | 2:00pm | | |
| | | 2:15pm | Native Drums, Posting Colors | |
| | | *2:30pm | Oregon Honorable Service Medal Ceremony (Optional) | |
| | | 3:00pm | Reading of the names of Oregon KIA's in Afghanistan & Iraq | |
| | | 3:30pm | Native Drums, Retiring Colors | |
| | | 5:00pm | Tear Down Field of Honor | |

Register for Medal by phone or On-Site NLT 1 day prior to ceremony date of choice**Veterans of Oregon (503) 936-4480 or Liaison listed above**