

National Vietnam War Veterans Day

Tuesday, March 29, 2022

Coventry, CT



March 29th is National Vietnam War Veterans Day in the United States.

First observed in 2012, it honors the U.S. military members who served during the Vietnam War (1955-1975).

**Please join us for a brief wreath-laying ceremony to honor
and remember our**

Vietnam War veterans at the CT Vietnam Memorial Monument.

Where: Veterans Memorial Green (across from Patriots Park, 172 Lake Street, Coventry, CT)

Date: Tuesday, March 29, 2022

Time: 5 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Organized by: Coventry Veterans Memorial & Events Commission

Contact: Jamie DePaola, USMC (Retired), 860-985-2064 or email VietnamWarVeteransDay@gmail.com

Following the ceremony, we will be gathering at the Lakeview Restaurant & Bar in Coventry for camaraderie and chow – pay as you go.

Please RSVP to Jamie DePaola by Friday, March 25th, if you wish to join us to secure the appropriate seating for chow.

DIVISION 3. - VETERANS MEMORIAL AND EVENTS COMMISSION

Sec. 2-191. - Creation; purpose.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 3-4 of the Charter the town hereby creates a veterans memorial and events commission. The purpose of the veterans memorial and events commission is to:

- (1) Review and assess all existing memorials for veterans and to recommend action for their repair and maintenance to the town council;
- (2) Make recommendations to the town council with regard to memorials that would honor all of the town's veterans who served in all officially recognized wars and conflicts, as they may deem appropriate; and
- (3) Organize and collaborate with other town agencies and outside groups to assist and facilitate events to recognize veterans, including but not limited to, Memorial Day services and luncheons, recreational events with veteran themes, and Veterans Day events.
- (4) Take such action as authorized by the town council with respect to its recommendations.

(Ord. No. 151, § I, 9-2-86; Ord. No. 252, 2-21-17)

Sec. 2-192. - Composition; political affiliation.

The veterans memorial and events commission shall consist of five members. Political affiliation will be designated by the Charter.

(Ord. No. 151, § II, 9-2-86; Ord. No. 171, 10-15-90; Ord. No. 252, 2-21-17)

Secs. 2-193—2-225. - Reserved.

Public Hearing: Tuesday, February 21, 2017, 7:15 Town Hall Annex

Adopted by the Coventry Town Council, February 21, 2017

Revised draft 4/27/2020

Adopted by the Coventry Town Council, 9/8/2020

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Sunday, March 29, 2020



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**Please join us for a ceremony to honor and remember our
Vietnam War veterans at the CT Vietnam Memorial Monument.**

Where: Veterans Memorial Green (across from Patriots Park, 172 Lake Street, Coventry, CT)

Date: Sunday, March 29, 2020

Time: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Hosted by: American Legion Post 52

RSVP: Jamie DePaola, USMC (Retired), 860-985-2064 or email
VietnamWarVeteransDay@gmail.com

(Light refreshments will be served in the Patriots Park Lodge following the ceremony)

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