

VETERAN RESOURCE AND ENRICHMENT CENTER (VREC) HONORS VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES!

EVENTS

Open Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
Noon to 6pm;

Tuesday, Noon to 4pm and CLOSED
last Tuesday of month.

Or as listed on the calendar, Or By
APPOINTMENT for guaranteed time slot.

Classes:

Sign-up for classes in blue book
onsite, call or talk to a staff member.
Seats not guaranteed-reserve in
advance. Some classes are for
Veterans Only or are closed groups.

Volunteer Opportunities:

Several positions and tasks are
needed daily. Inquire how you can
assist Veterans and Families heal.

Donations welcome & appreciated!

Name and Address of Event:

Description of Monthly Events:

Activity Days or Service Projects	Specialty crafts as a group to take home or make for Rosie's Boutique
Beyond the Mess Hall Cooking Class with Elks Lodge #2843 – Cooking Prep	Learn to cook easy healthy one-pot meals and enjoy a hot meal monthly
Birthday Party and Cake	Celebrate all of the birthdays during the month sharing cake at VREC
BOD Meeting	VREC Board of Directors monthly meeting
Coffee Creations or Enrichment fun	Come for coffee/beverage and let your inspiration soar with crafting projects
Craft with Elks Lodge #2843 Build-Craft-Create	Craft together for purpose and camaraderie. Make items for you and VREC
Disabled American Veteran (DAV) Meeting: VFW 428 Mtg: 9 18th Ave N, St. Cloud, MN	DAV Members ONLY! 6p food, 630p meeting starts, social time afterwards
DAV Clothing help at VREC Parking Lot	Assist DAV members transfer donated clothing from trailer into big trailer
Sound Quest	Veterans personal journey of expression through music, sound, vibrations
Equine Therapy: Gaits of Hope, 2761 125th St. NE, Rice (Check w/GOH) Fridays	Play & connect with horses to help heal the mind, body & soul. MUST SIGN UP
Essential Oils	Learn how to use essential oils in everyday life to ward off colds & ease pain
Fly Tying or Fresh Water Fishing	Experienced instructor, equipment provided. Learn to make flies to go fishing
Games or Movies	Watch movie or Play games: Pool, Darts, Cribbage, Bunko, Spades, Euchre
Healing Touch, MicroCurrent Therapy, Sound therapy	Practitioners available to balance energy. FREE 1 hr sessions aid relaxation
Healing Touch (HT) Practitioners Group	Private Group for Healing Touch Practitioners, meets 2nd Thursday of month
Chat Technology	Chat with St. Cloud Library about technology concerns or topics.
Meat Raffle: Rice American Legion: 80 Division St. N, Rice; Winners Bar & Grill, 311 2nd St. S., Sartell; & Goodfellows: 14351 78th St NE, Foley Bingo: Blue Line South, 1004 Sunridge Dr., St. Cloud; Prize Raffle: Park Event Center	Join VREC CREW to raise funds to improve the lives of our Veterans and their families. Volunteers are welcome to work the events. Sign up in advance
Mending Hearts Sewing	Learn how to sew simple straight lines to make a quilt
Nail Care & Wellness Tai chi, massage bed - chair, hand massage, foot detox, etc.,	Pamper you & Buddy up for nail self-care. Looking good, feel good, for health
Notary & HCD	By appointment. Get documents signed by a Notary FREE! Bring ID & Docs
Light the Way: Kids ages 10 to 18 ONLY Jr Warriors Adventure series	Teen leadership program designed to help kids release energy & find
Photography Creative CREW & Visionaries – ENTER MONTHLY CONTEST	Mindfulness photography-learn basic or advanced, editing, video, audio
Veterans Support Group & HER Circle and HIS Space	Meet Marissa at 107 Doctor's Park, St. Cloud & VREC activity for camaraderie!
Special Projects/Trips -	Special projects/trips to have fun or community service activities

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YR GOAL: **THRIVE**

OCTOBER 2026

OCT AFFIRMATION: RESTORED Healing deepens. Veterans experience renewal-physically, emotionally, and spiritually-through enrichment and holistic support.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
COMING SOON: Mending Hearts Sewing Class with 29 Stiches -Learn to sew Laundry Bag Project				OCT 1 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 1:30pm Fly Tying 7:30pm Elks meeting	OCT 2 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 5:00pm CLOSED @ 5P 6:00pm Meat Raffle - Winners	OCT 3 CLOSED ALL DAY 3:00pm Meat Raffle - Goodfellows
OCT 4 CLOSED ALL DAY Taking Furniture and Welcome Home Kits to Veterans	OCT 5 12:00pm Coffee Creations 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 4:00pm Nail Care	OCT 6 CLOSED @ 4pm 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 6:00pm DAV Meeting	OCT 7 7:30am DAV Clothing Help 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 12:00pm Games 1:30pm Smart Recovery 5:00pm Garden Oasis CREW 6:00pm Bingo - Blue Line S.	OCT 8 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 6:00pm Healing Touch Practioners Group 6:00pm Photography Visionaires 6:30pm WhatNot Show	OCT 9 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 5:00pm CLOSED @ 5P 6:00pm Meat Raffle - Winners	OCT 10 9:00am Build-Craft-Create; with Elks Lodge 1:00pm Photography Creative CREW
OCT 11 CLOSED ALL DAY 11:00am Women Of Today Volunteers - Halloween Bags (Seeking CANDY to fill bags)	OCT 12 Columbus Day 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Coffee Creations 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 4:00pm Nail Care 6:00pm Sound Quest	OCT 13 CLOSED @ 4pm 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 7:00pm VFW 428 Post Mtg	OCT 14 7:30am DAV Clothing Help 11:00am Reiki w/Patrick 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 12:00pm Games 1:30pm Smart Recovery 5:00pm Garden Oasis CREW	OCT 15 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 6:30pm WhatNot Show 7:30pm Elks meeting	OCT 16 CLOSED ALL DAY Elks Conference-Camp 5:00pm RCN Recovery Banquet 6:00pm Meat Raffle - Winners	OCT 17 CLOSED ALL DAY
OCT 18 CLOSED ALL DAY 11:00am Bingo Prize Raffle - Park Event Center 	OCT 19 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Coffee Creations 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 4:00pm Fishing - Fresh water 4:00pm Nail Care	OCT 20 CLOSED @ 4pm 12:00pm Enrichment Fun	OCT 21 7:30am DAV Clothing Help 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 12:00pm Games 1:30pm Smart Recovery	OCT 22 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 6:30pm WhatNot Show	OCT 23 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 2:00pm Fall Craft Activity 5:00pm CLOSED @ 5P 6:00pm Meat Raffle - Winners	OCT 24 CLOSED ALL DAY 2:00pm Trunk or Treat - Runnings 
OCT 25 3:00pm HER Circle 6:00pm HIS Space	OCT 26 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Coffee Creations 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 4:00pm Nail Care 5:00pm Essential Oils	OCT 27 CLOSED ALL DAY STAFF TNG & VOLUNTEERS	OCT 28 7:30am DAV Clothing Help 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Birthday Cake 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 12:00pm Games 1:30pm Smart Recovery	OCT 29 11:00am TAI CHI 12:00pm Enrichment Fun 6:30pm VREC BOD Meeting 6:30pm WhatNot Show	OCT 30 CLOSED UNTIL 1pm 9:00am Standdown Event 1:00pm Enrichment Fun	OCT 31 HALLOWEEN 12:00pm Cooking Class - Military Families Make your own Pizza & Decorate cookies. 6:00pm 29 Stiches Celebration 

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13,000sq ft of Family Fun!

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Live Calender, Register, Volunteer sign-ups at: <https://schedulesplus.com/vrec/>