



Carencro Veterans Day Celebration

The City of Carencro is honoring local servicemen and women with a special Veterans Day Celebration from 10-11:30 a.m. on Nov. 11 at the Carencro Veterans Memorial. There are several ways to participate:

- WWII veterans will receive special recognition during the ceremony.
- An on-site photographer will create then-and-now photos of veterans.
- Military photos on display; bring photos to Melancon Funeral Home by Oct. 31 to be included.
- An in-memoriam reading of names of local servicemen and women who have passed away in the last year. Submit names to Carencro City Hall, 337-896-8481.

Follow the [Carencro Veterans Memorial](#) on Facebook for more information.

HonorFest/ Veterans Day

HonorFest be held on Nov. 11 at Parc International, downtown Lafayette. Gates open at 5 p.m., show begins at 6 p.m. HonorFest, sponsored by Super Chevy Dealers of Acadiana, will feature country music star Trace Adkins. Other talents include Kip Sonnier, Steve Grisaffe, and Jeff Dugan & Friends. Tickets are on sale for \$25 in advance.

Veterans may purchase tickets at American Legion Post 69, 1501 Surrey St. These tickets are only \$15 each, and 100 will be available.

The event will also feature a photo booth, courtesy of Farm Bureau Insurance, and a phone charging station, by Hampton Toyota. For more information please call 371-5434.

Locating Veterans and Service Members

The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs has compiled a list of organizations that can assist you in locating your former comrades. For a complete listing, please visit <http://www.archives.gov/veterans/locate-service-members.html>

Veterans Meetings

- Civil Air Patrol, Lafayette Composite Squadron at 1303 Petroleum Pkwy., Broussard, on Monday evenings from 6-8:30 p.m. For more information, please contact Lt. Col. Poirrier at 337-322-0267 or capmcrunch@cox.net.
- Disabled American Veterans Chapter 2, 7 p.m., every first Tuesday at the Broussard Community Center, 108 Broad View. Contact Commander Johnnie Mercer at 337-344-8933.
- Marine Corps League, Detachment 488, 6:30 p.m., every first Tuesday, at the Marine Reserve Center, Surrey Street across from the Lafayette Airport, Contact: Joe Fruge 337-983-9700.
- American Legion Post 241, 6 p.m., every first Wednesday, at 'The Hall', 407 East Gloria Switch Road. Contact Rudy Bourg at 298-3201.
- Acadiana Veterans Honor Guard, 6 p.m. every first Thursday of the month, American Legion Post 69, 1501 Surrey St. Contact Commander Cal Tabor at 337-349-6051 or Vice Commander Barry Dufour at 337-356-2156 www.avhonorguard.com.