

Comal ISD Veterans Day Activities

November 11, 2008



*Veterans and guests must check in at the school's front office.
All events are on November 11 unless otherwise noted.*

Bill Brown Elementary

Veterans Day Program, 8:30 am

Comal Elementary

A Wall of Honor featuring veterans within the Comal family will be on display. A Veterans Day ceremony at 8:15 am and again at 6:30 pm will be held and conducted by fifth graders and Paulette Davis, music teacher.

Freiheit Elementary

A Veterans Day performance at Canyon High conducted by Beth Odell, music teacher. Assorted classroom activities recognizing veterans.

Goodwin Frazier Elementary

Tuesday, Nov. 11 - The 4th grade Art & Concert Program, 6:30 pm

Friday, Nov. 14 - The 4th grade will perform, 12:50 pm

Hoffmann Lane Elementary

Morning activities include breakfast, a tribute to the veterans on morning announcements, Parade of Veterans and Spotlight presentations by the 4th grade SAGE students. All veterans within the HLES family are invited to attend.

Morningside Elementary

A Wall of Honor featuring veterans within the Morningside family will be on display. Faculty, staff, and students will wear red, white and blue on Nov. 11.

Rahe Bulverde Elementary

The 4th grade will read essays and sing Patriotic Songs, time TBA
Chris Walker, SVHS student, will play his trumpet

Rebecca Creek Elementary

Monday, November 10th – Friday, November 14th

The veteran's Wall of Honor will be on display in the front entrance hallway of the school. Individual certificates for veterans in the students' families will be displayed to include the veteran's name, rank, branch, and years of service.

Tuesday, November 11th

A Patriotic Sing-Along assembly in the cafeteria will be held and parents are invited to attend. Faculty, staff, and students will wear red, white, and blue. Students will wear Veterans Day poppies that they will have made in art class. The times for the Patriotic Sing-Along Assemblies are:

Grades: K, 1, & 2 @ 1:15 – 1:45 pm

Grades: 3, 4, & 5 @ 2:00 – 2:30 pm

Arlon Seay Elementary

Assorted classroom activities

Specht Elementary

A 5th grade poetry contest for Veterans Day with the themes of Sacrifice, Freedom, and What it Means to Serve our Country. The winners will read their poems over the TV announcements. During announcements a group of Boy Scouts will present the flag and then show the audience the proper way to fold the flag. A story will be read to the school called "The Wall" by Eve Bunting. Patriotic songs performed by Lisa Davis' music class will be presented. Students have created the "Specht Wall of Honor" that includes the names of Specht relatives and family members that have served in the military.

Startzville Elementary

The 5th grade music classes will present a Veterans Day program, "Sing America Sing", at 9 am in the cafetorium. All area veterans are invited to attend and be recognized during the program.

Timberwood Park Elementary

A veteran's Wall of Honor will be on display. All veterans within the TPES family will be invited for lunch on November 11.

Canyon Middle

Veterans Breakfast 8:45-9:15

Assembly begins 9:20

Welcome and Introductions, Steve Foster, Social Studies Specialist

Posting of the colors – Heroes of '76

Pledge of Allegiance

"National Anthem" – Morris Vader

"Military Salute" – CMS Band

Flags of the American Revolution Presentation – Heroes of '76

Introduction of Guest Speaker – Mario Contreras Jr.

Guest Speaker – Mario Contreras Sr., Chief Warrant Officer 3

"God Bless America" – 6th Grade CMS Choir

Closing – Steve Foster

Church Hill Middle

A reception for all veterans will be held in the Library, 9:00 am

Veterans Day Celebration, 10:00 am

The Colors will be presented by the Canyon High School AFJROTC

Mountain Valley Middle

Veterans Day Program for 8th graders, 10:35 - 11:35 am

All veterans are invited to attend; please RSVP to Michele Clark by November 7. The MVMS band and choir will perform; refreshments will be served.

Smithson Valley Middle

Veterans Day Assembly, Friday, November 7, 2:30 pm in the main gym.

The U.S. Marines will present the flags and serve as guest speakers. The band and choir will perform. We will recognize staff and guests that are veterans, as well as active duty and reservists.

Spring Branch Middle

The veterans will be honored during an assembly at 8:30 am. The theme will be the celebration of the five branches of service: Army, Air Force, Navy, Marines, and Coast Guard. There will be a speaker and representative for each branch. Speakers at the assembly will be Debbie Seguin, a teacher at SBMS and veteran of the Army; Jeff Walker, father of student Cody Walker and representing the Air Force; Vince Quidachay, father of Kendi Quidachay, representing the Navy; Omar Palos, faculty member at SBMS, representing the Marines; and Grant Failing, former SBMS student, graduate of Smithson Valley High School and currently serving in the United States Coast Guard. The band and choir will perform and there will be a slide show tribute honoring veterans who are loved ones of SBMS faculty and/or students.

Canyon High

The Canyon High School Student Council invites any veteran and their family members to attend the annual Veterans Day Ceremony and Reception. A breakfast will be provided at 8:10 am for the veterans and their families. The ceremony will begin at 8:40 am in the Cougar Stadium.

Canyon Lake High

11:00 am - JROTC will assist the VFW in Sattler with a flag retirement ceremony

3:25 pm - JROTC will conduct a Veterans Day ceremony at the flag pole

- National Anthem-CLHS Choir
- Laying of wreath
- History of Veteran's Day
- Patriotic Music-CLHS Band
- Veteran's Roll Call
- Guest Speaker
- Closing remarks-Ms Koury

Smithson Valley High

Veterans Day Assembly and Ceremony, 11 am

*These events were available as of press time
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