

Vet Fest 2019 Schedule of Events
African-American Research Library & Cultural Center

Saturday, November 2, 2019

| | Main Stage | Outdoor | Indoor |
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| 11:00–11:30AM | Color guard/pledge of allegiance. U. S. Army. Guest speaker: U. S. Army Staff Sergeant Kendra LeShoure | | |
| 11:30 – 12:00PM | Coffee & Conversation with a Librarian | Raise a Flag at Library’s Flag Pole Vet Fest 2019 is a great day to raise a flag and talk about the meaning and importance of the flag | 11:00-4PM Ongoing Activities (Booth Table or Room) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •BCL Virtual Reality, Flight Simulator & A Legacy of Honor and Valor Exhibit by Buffalo Soldiers Historical Society •BCL Register to Record Your Story: Library of Congress History Project •Youth Flight Simulator: Civil Air Patrol •Family Art Workshop: Young at Art Museum •Face Painter (Military Themed) •African-American Library Outreach Table: Library card registration, flyer distribution, youth book giveaway, challenge coin giveaway Vendor Tables (Health, Education, Housing & Entertainment Vendors) Balloon Artist (Military Themed) Food provided by Memorial Healthcare System. Served inside the African-American Research Library & Cultural Center (12:30PM) |
| 12:00 – 12:30PM | Family Puppet Performance by Oopsy Entertainment | The Civil Air Patrol will talk about the rules of respect for the flag and proper ways to retire a worn out flag Games: Giant wooden Connect 4 and classic cornhole toss | |
| 12:30 – 1:00PM | Patriotic music performance by Preserving, Archiving, and Teaching Hip-Hop (PATH) | Games: Giant wooden Connect 4 and classic cornhole toss | |
| 1:00 – 1:30PM | We Love Our Veterans Talent Show by Miss Broward Scholarship Scholarship recipients will conduct a veteran themed musical, dance and talent show | Raise a Flag at AF’s Flag Pole Vet Fest 2019 is a great day to raise a flag and talk about the meaning and importance of the flag The Civil Air Patrol will talk about the rules of respect for the flag and proper ways to retire a worn out flag | |
| 1:30 – 2:00PM | Mental Health Assistance by Fort Lauderdale VA. Derek Gainer will engage the audience and answer questions regarding mental health for veterans. | Games: Giant wooden connect 4 and classic cornhole toss | |
| 2:00 – 2:30PM | Family Veteran Magic Show by Magic Jack | Games: Giant wooden connect 4 and classic cornhole toss | |
| 2:30 – 3:00PM | Cypher Event: Preserving, Archiving, and Teaching Hip-Hop (PATH) will display its veteran themed dancing, singing and musical talent (A hip hop cypher is an improvised freestyle rapping session) | Raise a Flag at AF’s Flag Pole Vet Fest 2019 is a great day to raise a flag and talk about the meaning and importance of the flag | |

Marine Birthday Cake
Marine birthday cake served inside the African-American Research Library & Cultural Center (2 PM).

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| 3:00 – 4:00PM | <p>Spoken Word Performance by Combat Hippies</p> <p>MC Host: Closing ceremony</p> | Games: Giant wooden connect 4 and classic cornhole toss | |
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Vendor Tables:

Health: CarePlus, Humana, Connected Warriors, Colgate Bright Smiles Bright Futures, Broward Health, Miami VA Healthcare System, Florida Initiative for Suicide Prevention, Florida Department of Health in Broward County, and The ALS Association Florida Chapter

Education: Broward College, Broward Technical College, Family Success Administration Division, Consolidated Credit Solutions, Veterans Ocean Adventures

Housing: Mission United, Broward County Property Appraisers, Housing Finance Authority of Broward County,

Entertainment: Mobile Video Game Truck, Animal Care and Adoption Division of Broward County

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