

# DEPARTMENT OF MARYLAND VFW AUXILIARY



## HOSPITAL PROGRAM

November 2024



To My Maryland Rays of Sunshine,

Thank you for your VA hospital work, donations and reports. Please remember to include your donations in the project cost on your report form.



This month - Hours \_\_\_\_\_ Projects Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Mileage \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteers # \_\_\_\_\_

### Hospital Treats & Hospital Fund:

Please remember your Hospital Fund and Hospital Treat donations. Mail all donations to the Department Treasurer Jackie Kimball, 1019 Queen Street, Salisbury, MD 21801.



### BIG Thank You

A huge sunshine shout-out to all who donated to the Martinsburg Baby Shower.

### Upcoming Events

**Veterans Day Activities:** If your group would like to participate in providing any activities during November 4-12, please contact the specialist at the facility where you volunteer.

Variety Show...more information will be forthcoming.

Christmas Conference... Holiday Quilt tickets are 6 for \$5.00. Drawing at Christmas Conference. Need not be present.



Did you serve or do you know of a woman Veteran who served? Learn more about what earned benefits and services are available to you! VA offers benefits, services, and programs such as: Benefits, including: Service-Connected Disability Compensation. Home loans.

Celebrated each year on **June 12** in recognition of the anniversary of the 1948 Women’s Armed Services Integration Act signing, 2024 is the 76th anniversary of that groundbreaking legislation for America’s military women, granting women a permanent place and an opportunity for a career in the nation’s military.

The day, celebrated yearly on **June 12**, recognizes, honors and remembers the signing of the Women’s Armed Services Integration Act (pub.L. 80–625, 62 Stat. 356), granting women the right to permanently serve in the regular armed forces.

Plan an event to honor Women’s Veterans during this Holiday Season and sent me your report include pictures if possible.

### Hospital Item Requests

Perry Point	Loch Raven	Baltimore
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full sized body wash</li> <li>• Shampoo</li> <li>• Deodorant</li> <li>• Toothpaste</li> <li>• K-Cups medium and dark roasts</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Laundry detergent pods (unscented or mild)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Men’s and women’s sweat suits (all sizes)</li> <li>• Men’s and women’s underwear (all sizes)</li> <li>• Large Print wordsearch books</li> <li>• Adult coloring books and colored pencils</li> </ul>

### Volunteer Requests

































Perry Point volunteer needs: Sunday, 9:00 a.m. Protestant Service Escorts, Thursday coffee station (8:00-12:00), Roving musicians for CLC unit, patient visitors for CLC unit, Groups to conduct bingo or other activities on 23H.

Baltimore volunteer needs: Afternoon escorts, volunteer drivers, transportation office helpers, Red Coat Ambassadors, Greeter Cart (Mondays), Groups to conduct activities on 6A inpatient unit.

Loch Raven volunteer needs: Escorts (morning and afternoon), and Greeters.

# November

## Adopt a Turkey Month

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						 1 Day of the Dead
 2 Cookie Monster Day	 3 Sandwich Day	 4 Use Your Common Sense Day	 5 Donut Day	 6 Men Make Dinner Day	 7 Chocolate and Almonds Day	 8 Cook Something Bold and Pungent Day
 9 Tongue Twister Day	 10 Sesame Street Day	 11 Origami Day	 12 Pizza with Everything Day	 13 World Kindness Day	 14 Loosen Up/ Lighten Up Day	 15 Bundt Pan Day
 16 Button Day	 17 Homemade Bread Day	 18 Mickey Mouse Day	 19 Have a Bad Day Day	 20 Peanut Butter Fudge Day	 21 World Television Day	 22 Humane Society Anniversary
 23 Dr. Who Day	 24 Celebrate Your Unique Talent Day	 25 Hat Day	 26 Shopping Reminder Day	 27 Thanksgiving Day	 28 Sink Day	 29 Square Dancing Day
 30 Mousse Day	DailyHolidayBlog.com					

Hospital Report Forms are available at [www.vfwauxmd.org](http://www.vfwauxmd.org)

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