



Veterans' Day Events in DC



Navajo Women's Color Guard team at Arlington Cemetery after participating in the Military Women's Memorial Veterans' Day event in 2024

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Tuesday, November 11 is Veterans' Day, a day of acknowledgment for the sacrifice of service of all past members in the United States military.

This year, the Diné Saani Silaltsoi Color Guard team will once again be participating in the [annual Military Women's Memorial Veterans' Day ceremony](#), at 3 pm. The color guard team participated in the original dedication of the Women's Memorial in 1997 and has been invited back repeatedly to help honor the service of women in the armed forces. Roughly 11% of all Native American servicemembers are women.

The National Museum of the American Indian is also hosting a [memorial ceremony](#) to recognize the service of Native Americans. Around 20% of Native Americans serve in the armed forces, compared to approximately 15% of the general American population.

The World War I Memorial will hold its annual [Bells of Peace Ceremony](#), beginning at 10:45am. The memorial is located next to President's Park, steps away from the White House. The World War II Memorial will host its [wreath-laying](#) ceremony at 10 am at the head of the Reflecting Pool.

The Navy Memorial, located across the street from the National Archives on Pennsylvania Avenue, will be hosting a [wreath laying](#) at 1 pm on November 11. The Vietnam Veterans Memorial will also be hosting a [wreath-laying](#) ceremony at 1 pm at The Wall on the National Mall.