



Vermont Veterans Golf Tournament Committee

HONORING VERMONT'S SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

Since 2012 the Vermont Wounded Warriors Golf Tournament Committee has coordinated a golf outing and banquet to help raise awareness for and in support of Vermont's Veterans! This year's event is scheduled for September 5, 2018 at the Manchester Country Club in Manchester, Vermont. The event highlights our continued support of Veterans who have served and made sacrifices for our Country.

The truism that the Committee is well aware of, "there are no prostheses for a broken spirit" is what motivates all of us to engage as many area Veterans as possible to participate in the event. Accordingly, in the past, over 175 of Vermont's Veterans have participated in the day of golf and the follow-on evening banquet. Past performances by the USO's New York City Show Troupe has delighted everyone's evening paying tribute to our Honored Guests.

One hundred percent of all donations and Sponsorships go to selected organizations, everything supports Vermont's Veterans. Prior events have distributed over \$240,000 to local organizations providing services to Vermont's Veterans and their families. Past contributions have been donated to The Vermont Veterans Home for the installation of Physical Therapy equipment desperately needed to aid in Veterans recovery and to The Dodge House to help during a time of need after an unanticipated "disaster" requiring extensive work to keep the Women's portion open for Women Veterans.

The Committee is pleased to announce this year's Title Sponsor continues to be Mack Molding of Arlington, Vermont and joining them as a Lead Sponsor is Manchester VFW Post #6471.

If you wish to show your support you can do so by filling out the enclosed Sponsorship Form and returning it to the address listed below. All levels of support are greatly appreciated.

If you wish to enter a team for the Tournament, where your team of three will be paired with a Veteran as the fourth player, please visit our website, www.vtww.org, and click on the "Register" tab and download the entry form. Teams will be filled on a first come first serve basis so please send in the forms as soon as possible.

All support is greatly appreciated, please make checks payable to: MCC-Vermont Veterans

Please send your Sponsorship Letters and/or Team Entry Forms to:
Vermont Veterans Golf Tournament
c/o Manchester Country Club
P.O. Box 947
Manchester Center, VT 05255

If you have any questions please contact us at committee@vtww.org, this will allow for a quick response. Also follow us on Facebook, Vermont Veterans Golf Tournament. Again, we appreciate the support for Our Vermont Veterans.

Honor, Courage and Commitment,

Thomas L. Jackson, ETC(SS), USN, Retired
Chair of the 2018 Vermont Veterans Golf Tournament

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Sponsorship Opportunities

Vermont Veterans Golf Tournament
Manchester Country Club
September 5, 2018

**Download Golf
Registration forms:**
www.vtww.org/rsvp/

Levels of Sponsorship

Title	\$7,500*
Lead	\$5,000*
Division	\$2,500
Battalion	\$1,000
Company	\$500
Platoon	\$250
Contributor	All Other Contributions
Tee Sign Contributor	\$100**

Any amount would be appreciated: \$_____

* Includes golf for 3 players and sponsoring a Vermont Veteran as the 4th golfer, plus lunch and dinner.

** Revenue from Tee Sign sponsorships is partly used to cover Tournament expenses.

100% of your sponsorship goes directly to Vermont community organizations serving Veterans

All golf players receive a Tournament gift and Tournament challenge coin.

If you plan to play in the golf event please download the application at <http://www.vtww.org/rsvp/> and send the application to the address listed below.

Level of Sponsorship: _____ Amount: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____ Phone: _____

Contributions should be made out to: MCC – Vermont Veterans Golf Tournament

Mail your check to:
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The Committee is entirely staffed by volunteers and there are no administrative expenses. Tournament costs are paid through golf registrations, tee sign advertising and in-kind donations. The event is at no cost to Veterans.

How sponsorship donations are used:

The Vermont Veterans Golf Tournament was created to raise awareness for Our Veterans and to support organizations in our community that help Veterans in need. To date, the tournament has raised \$220,000 for support of Veteran services in Vermont.

The following organizations have received financial support from earlier Tournaments.

Vermont Veteran's Home Resident's Assistance Fund

These funds are utilized to assist Veterans residing at the Home, most who have no personal resources.

These include the following: 1.) Numerous personal items for the Veterans. (Clothing, haircuts, dentures, clothing repair, phones), 2.) Medical care not covered through healthcare providers. (eye and dental exams, prescription and reading glasses), 3.) Furniture, mattresses, specialty beds, lift chairs, 4.) Entertainment items. (TV's, remotes, radios, headphones, tickets for events), 5.) Transportation to off-site events, 5.) Other amenities for residents to enjoy. Funds are not used for general operations of the Home.

Veterans Outreach and Family Resource Center

The Outreach provides support and services for returning or retired Veterans and their families. All staff are volunteers and donations help to provide services directly to Veterans and their families. This includes: Temporary housing, food and clothing, referrals to health care, needed medications, funds for gas and car repair, heat and power and other home repairs if needed. We also work with Veterans to obtain healthcare benefits through the federal Veterans Administration.

www.gmvevac.com

Dodge House Homeless Shelter

The Dodge House provides transitional housing for Veterans who find themselves homeless. They offer housing that is substance abuse-free and provide a safe place with support where Veterans can rebuild their lives. Their goal is to provide homeless veterans with a specific program tailored to meet their needs and goals mutually agreed upon by the Veteran, Staff, and the referral source. They hold high expectations of all residents to contribute to their own success.

www.gmvevac.com/dodge-house.html

Meals on Wheels of Bennington County

More than half of the fresh, home-cooked meals provided by this community meal program are served to Veterans or their spouses.

In addition, proceeds from previous events were used to construct a storage freezer at the Meals on Wheels facility in Bennington. The funding for the freezer allowed them to triple frozen storage space, access more donated food as it becomes available, improve the quality of meals, and reduce food costs. Having more capacity to access donated food will help them meet the challenge of a growing population of elders, especially Veterans.

www.mowbennington.com

Purple Hearts Reunited

Purple Hearts Reunited returns lost or stolen military medals of valor to veterans or their families, in order to honor their sacrifice to the nation. Founded in 2012 by Purple Heart Recipient Major Zach Fike, Active-duty Army National Guard, the organization has been able to locate and return medals to over 150 military families to date. Funds from our donation are used to cover the cost of research and travel while returning medals to their owners.

www.purpleheartsreunited.org