



at **William & Mary**

Monday, November 6th

Veterans Expressions Exhibit Opening, 4-6pm Hart Family Gallery (Sadler)

Honor our veterans through the exhibition *Veterans Expressions: An Exhibition of Art from W&M's Veteran-to-Executive in Transition* program. The paintings on display were created during an art therapy session by American and Ukrainian Veterans with a particular focus on the war in Ukraine. Art Therapy can be a valuable tool for processing feelings, especially in contexts as emotionally charged as conflicts and war, and the potential to bridge gaps and communicate across cultural divides. The artwork will be on display until December.

Wednesday, November 8th

Veterans Day Reception and Book Talk, 6-8pm (Swem Library Special Collections, 1st Floor)

Please join us for a Veterans Day event with W&M alumni Brian J. Morra '78, who will be discussing his book *The Able Archers*. The talk will focus on Brian's writing process, the history of the Cold War period depicted in the book, and connections that can be drawn to the present-day Russian invasion of Ukraine. A reception and book signing will follow the talk, and the library's Special Collections Research Center will have select military collections on display. This event is produced in partnership with W&M Military & Veteran Affairs, W&M Libraries, and Association of 1775. [Seats are limited-register here.](#)

Thursday, November 9th

Law School Veterans Day Observance, 1-2pm (Law School flagpole and patio)

Join us for a Veterans Day observance as Law School Dean and U.S. Army Reserve Major A. Benjamin Spencer recognizes and honors the military veterans who are members of the Law School community.

Friday, November 10th

Raymond A. Mason School of Business Veterans Day Celebration, 12:30-1:30 p.m. (Alan B. Miller Hall (Business School) Brinkley Commons)

The Raymond A. Mason School of Business, the Center for Military Transition, the MBA Programs Team, and the Mason Military Association will recognize our military and veteran students, faculty, staff, and executive partners who have served our Republic and our allies in uniform. Attendees who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces are encouraged to wear uniforms or other attire representative of their branch. There will be a group photo at the end of the event for all military students, executive partners, faculty, and staff. Light refreshments will be served. [Register here.](#)

Veterans Day - Saturday, November 11th

Veterans Day Bell-Ringing Ceremony, 10:45am (Wren Building)

The ringing of the Wren Bell has become a Veterans Day tradition at William & Mary. On the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month, a William & Mary student veteran will ring the Wren Bell slowly to commemorate Armistice Day, the original inspiration for Veterans Day. All around the nation, bells will toll in unison at 11 a.m. on Veterans Day. William & Mary is proud to be among the institutions observing this time-honored tradition.

Monday, November 13th

Veterans Day Brunch, 9-11am (Sadler Center, The Slice)

The Offices of Student Transition Engagement Programs and Student Veteran Engagement are inviting student-, faculty- and staff-veterans to brunch in the Sadler Center's new Slice area. The Slice is located in the newly renovated side of the main floor, just down the hall from the Office of Student Veteran Engagement (OSVE). We honor your bravery, your sacrifice, and your service!

November Wellness for Veterans

Student Veterans have free access to Therapeutic Modalities at the McLeod Tyler Wellness Center. The modalities include: Acupuncture, Reiki, Yoga Therapy, and Massage. Specifically, the code is VET2023. Appointments are limited by availability; questions can be sent to wellness@wm.edu. Scan the QR code for more information and to schedule an appointment.

