



CELEBRATING 100 YEARS

UNITED VETERANS COUNCIL OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY PRESENTS THE 105TH ANNUAL

# VETERANS' DAY ★ PARADE ★

★ SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2023 ★  
★ DOWNTOWN SAN JOSE ★

*United We Serve*

HONORING THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO HAVE WORN THE UNIFORM OR  
ARE PRESENTLY SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES

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*Ceremony begins at 10:45 AM*

Downtown San Jose on Market Street at Plaza de Cesar Chavez

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**Parade begins at 12:00 Noon**

from SAP Center, along Santa Clara Street to  
Market Street, ending at San Carlos Street





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VETERANS COMMISSION OF  
SANTA CLARA COUNTY  
COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA  
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WE HONOR THE NUMEROUS  
MEN AND WOMEN WHO HAVE  
SERVED IN THE ARMED FORCES  
AND GIVEN THEIR LIVES TO  
PROTECT OUR FREEDOM.

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE.



## UVC HERITAGE

THE VARIED VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS IN SAN JOSE HAD BEEN FORMED IN WHAT WAS CALLED THE "SAN JOSE UNITED WAR VETERANS COUNCIL." DELEGATES FROM GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC (GAR); UNITED SPANISH WAR VETERANS (USWV); VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS (VFW); AMERICAN LEGION; AMERICAN DISABLED VETERANS OF THE WORLD WAR (FORERUNNER OF THE DAV) MADE UP THE MEMBERSHIP.

THE COUNCIL WAS DESIGNED TO SERVE AS A LIAISON COMMITTEE TO LINK UP THE ACTIVITIES OF THE VARIOUS VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS AND TO ACT AS A CLEARING HOUSE OF INFORMATION THAT MIGHT BE OF COMMON BENEFIT TO ALL.

IN 1922 THE COUNCIL PROPOSED TO EXPAND TO INCLUDE THE WHOLE OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY AND BECAME THE UNITED VETERANS COUNCIL OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY (UVC) WITH THE STATED PURPOSE TO ACT AS THE CENTRAL BODY OF ALL THE VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS IN THE COUNTY TO ELIMINATE DUPLICATION OF EFFORT WHERE COMMON INTERESTS POINT TO THE SAME END. THE OBJECTIVE OF THE COUNCIL WAS TO COORDINATE, SUPPORT AND STRENGTHEN THE EFFORTS OF THE VARIOUS VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS IN SANTA CLARA COUNTY.

TODAY THE UVC IS COMPOSED OF TWENTY-THREE ORGANIZATIONS, WITH A TOTAL OF SIXTY-NINE AUTHORIZED DELEGATES FROM TWELVE MAJOR VETERAN GROUPS.

# UNITED VETERANS COUNCIL OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY



## WELCOME

Welcome to the 105th San Jose Veterans Day parade. The United Veterans Council of Santa Clara is proud to present this community event to honor all veterans from all branches of military service. This parade brings neighbors and families from all over Santa Clara County to publicly demonstrate their appreciation for the men and women who have served our country in uniform, or are still serving in the armed forces. In a time where we long for unity, this parade reminds us that honoring service to our country is a value that brings us together.

On this day we celebrate Veterans from all wars and conflicts past present and future. We honor the courage and sacrifice of the American men and women who have defended our nation, some of whom have paid the ultimate price. Veterans day is a day of celebration of our heroes and gratitude for their service to our country.

The theme this year is "Proudly We Serve". Veterans are proud of their service to our country and many continue to serve in the community long after their military service. Serving a cause bigger than oneself, such as serving in the military, is a life-long source of pride.

We thank all of the parade supporters today, whether you watched the parade or marched with a group. Thank you to all of the military units, Veterans organizations, bands, first responders, organized labor and community organizations who participated. We thank and appreciate our parade sponsors, including the County of Santa Clara and the City of San Jose.

Thank you to our community for joining us in honoring our military Veterans.

Happy Veterans Day to all.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rose Herrera".

President  
United Veterans Council  
Santa Clara County





## UNITED VETERANS COUNCIL OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

For the 101st consecutive year, The United Veterans Council of Santa Clara County is honored to stage a Veterans Day Parade for the community of Santa Clara County; an opportunity for its citizens to demonstrate an appreciation for the service and sacrifices of our men and woman who are serving, or have served in the military armed forces of our Country.

Since the majority of active duty military commands have been withdrawn from the Bay Area, and reserve units are constantly in a rotational mode, it is difficult to have large representations of military components as in yester year in a public event, so as to allow our community to show and share an appreciation for those of our Santa Clara County who are, and who have, served our country in military uniform.

This annual parade is a tribute to our active duty and veteran military family members of the community of Santa Clara County. It is an opportunity for us to step forward as parade participants and attendees to demonstrate we care about our young men and women who are serving today, and respect the service of those who served.

In our parade today are some veterans who saw combat; who still suffer the physical ormental results of their service. They are members of our community; they are family members: fathers, mother, uncles and aunts, and brothers and sisters from our community. Thank them as they pass in review in the parade. For some it will be the first time they heard the words "Thank you" for your service.

And we have active duty family members in the parade: Blue Star Mom's, and each of you who have remembered this day by being here. Our show of appreciation by our entire community is needed, because although proud, there is always concern. After all, "Freedom Is Not Free".

So today we are expressing our appreciation by remembering there is a Veterans Day for a reason. A tribute and a thank you to those in uniform and to those who were. Remember too that military families endure because community members such as yourself are alongside them; especially when a worldwide crisis arises, and a dark side of humanity becomes more apparent. Today we publicly thank them by this tribute.

We thank today's parade participants for being here: bands, organizations, businesses, and neighborhood groups. We thank the support of our sponsors and donors, and are grateful of the behind the scenes support by the City of San Jose and the County of Santa Clara, as well as numerous public officials.



Gene B. Fanucchi

Veterans Day Chairman  
United Veterans Council of Santa Clara County

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# PROGRAM AGENDA

## **PARADE WELCOME & INTRODUCTION OF EMCEE**

Rose Herrera, President United Veterans Council of Santa Clara County, Former San Jose Vice Mayor

## **WELCOME**

Master of Ceremonies: Damian Trujillo, News Reporter NBC Bay Area/Telemundo48 Producer and Host of Comunidad Del Valle, the longest running public affairs show in NorCal

## **PRESENTATION OF COLORS**

American Legion Clifford R. Rodriguez, Post # 809

## **NATIONAL ANTHEM**

Angela Tirado, Voice of San Jose

## **INVOCATION**

Chaplain Captain Terri Sykes, Camp Parks Reserves Forces Training Area

## **GRAND MARSHAL INTRODUCTION**

Rose Herrera, President United Veterans Council of Santa Clara County, Former San Jose Vice Mayor

## **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

Mr. Douglas A. Beck, Director Defense Innovation Unit Director, and Senior Advisor to the Secretary of Defense; Captain, United States Navy

## **PRESENTATIONS**

Civic Proclamations and Resolutions National, State, County and Municipal  
Damian Trujillo

## **INTRODUCTION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS**

Damian Trujillo

## **PARADE EMCEES**

### **LISSA KREISLER**

San Jose morning radio host for forty years, Now in Los Gatos Host of Community Story Telling on KCAT-TV Los Gatos

### **SAL PIZARRO**

The Around Town column for the San Jose Mercury News, since 2005, covering the valley's interesting people, places and events. He served as president of the Rotary Club of San Jose for 2022-23.

## **COMMENCEMENT OF VETERANS DAY PARADE**

# PARADE GRAND MARSHAL

## **Mr. Douglas A. Beck, Director Defense Innovation Unit (DIU), Senior Advisor to the Secretary of Defense; Captain, United States Navy**

Doug Beck is the Director of the Defense Innovation Unit (DIU), reporting directly to the Secretary of Defense. In this role, Doug oversees efforts to accelerate the Department's adoption of commercial technology throughout the military and also serves as a senior advisor to the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of Defense on technology innovation, competition, and strategic impact. In his previous experience with DIU, Doug founded and led its joint reserve component from the inception in 2015 through 2019.



Prior to joining DIU, Doug was Vice President at Apple, reporting directly to its CEO, Tim Cook from 2009-2023. At Apple, Doug co-led the worldwide business development and sales functions, led the company's businesses across Northeast Asia and the Americas, including five years resident in Tokyo, and, most recently, led several of Apple's purpose-driven businesses worldwide, including in health, education, and other institutions of public impact.

Before joining Apple, Doug served as Senior Vice President and Chief Strategy Officer at Charles Schwab. Prior to Schwab, he was a partner at McKinsey & Company, co-leader of McKinsey's global strategy practice, and a leader of other industry and functional practices in the United States and Asia. In 2000, he was elected as one of the youngest partners in McKinsey history, while resident in Shanghai. He has lived and worked for many years in Asia, including in Japan, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Singapore, Hong Kong, and across China.

Currently a Captain in the U.S. Navy Reserve, Doug served in Iraq and Afghanistan from 2006-2007 with a joint special operations task force. He has also served extensively throughout the Asia Pacific region during his 26 years of service, including command of a large joint reserve unit supporting U.S. Indo-Pacific Command in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. His personal and unit awards include the Defense Superior Service Medal (two awards), the Bronze Star Medal, the Combat Action Ribbon, and the Presidential Unit Citation.

As a civilian, Doug has served as a member of the Secretary of State's Foreign Affairs Policy Board, an executive advisor to three Chiefs of Naval Operations and to Special Operations Community leadership, and, for over fifteen years, as a formal and informal advisor to senior civilian and uniformed Defense Department leaders. He also served from 2015-2023 as a member of the Board of Directors of the Center for a New American Security. He is a Trustee of the Rhodes Trust, which oversees the Rhodes Scholarships worldwide, and a member of the Advisory Board of Yale's Jackson School of Global Affairs.

Doug holds a bachelor's degree summa cum laude from Yale and an M.Phil in International Relations from Oxford, where he was a Rhodes Scholar.



# UNITED VETERANS COUNCIL MEMBER VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS



*Est. 1881*



*Est. 1899*



*Est. 1919*



*Est. 1920*



*Est. 1928*



*Est. 1942*



*Est. 1946*



*Est. 1948*



*Est. 1961*



*Est. 1978*



*Est. 1981*



*Est. 1990*



## **Armistice - The End of World War I, 1918**

The final Allied push towards the German border began on October 17, 1918. As the British, French and American armies advanced, the alliance between the Central Powers began to collapse. Turkey signed an armistice at the end of October, Austria-Hungary followed on November 3rd.

Germany began to crumble from within. Faced with the prospect of returning to sea, the sailors of the High Seas Fleet stationed at Kiel mutinied on October 29. Within a few days, the entire city was in their control and the revolution spread throughout the country. On November 9 the Kaiser abdicated; slipping across the border into the Netherlands and exile. A German Republic was declared and peace feelers extended to the Allies. At 5 AM on the morning of November 11 an armistice was signed in a railroad car parked in a French forest near the front lines.

The terms of the agreement called for the cessation of fighting along the entire Western Front to begin at precisely 11 AM that morning. After over four years of bloody conflict, the Great War was at an end.



Soldiers celebrating the news of the Armistice





### **Celebrations in the U.S.**

Bells burst forth into joyful chimes, fireworks were exploded, bands paraded the streets followed by cheering crowds of soldiers and civilians and cities gave wholeheartedly to rejoicing.



Cheering New York shipyard workers celebrate the news of the Armistice



Processions of soldiers and munition girls arm in arm were everywhere



## Celebrations in the U.S.



American soldiers during an Armistice Day Parade in New York City



Crowds gather outside of the White House in Washington, D.C.



# ORIGIN OF VETERAN'S DAY

## DO YOU KNOW YOUR HISTORY?

### 1918

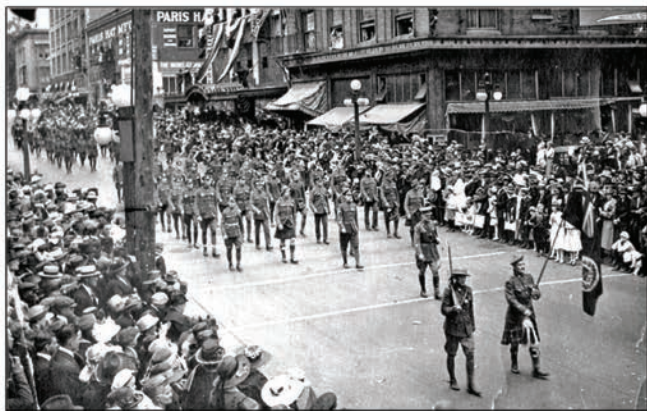
World War I, referred to simply as The Great War, or the War To End All Wars, ended with the implementation of an armistice on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month in 1918.



November 11, 2018 will mark the Centennial of the World War One Armistice. The end of the First World War became official when the Treaty of Versailles was signed on June 28, 1919 in the Hall of Mirrors in the Palace of Versailles in Paris, France.

### 1919

On November 11, 1919, President Wilson signed the Proclamation that established Armistice Day as November 11th of each year. The original concept for the celebration was for suspension of business for a two-minute period beginning at 11:00 AM with the day also marked by parades.



*Armistice Day Parade on November 11, 1919*



## 1926

Congress adopts a resolution directing the President to issue an annual proclamation calling on the observance of Armistice Day. Throughout the 1920s and 1930s, most states establish November 11 as a legal holiday and at the Federal level, an annual proclamation is issued by the President.

## 1938

Congress passes legislation on May 13, 1938 making November 11 a legal Federal holiday, Armistice Day. The United States has no 'actual' national holidays because the States retain the right to designate their own holidays. The Federal government can in fact only designate holidays for Federal employees and for the District of Columbia. But in practice the States almost always follow the Federal lead in designation of holidays.

## 1941 - 1954

World War II and the Korean War create millions of additional war veterans in addition to those of the First World War already honored by Armistice Day. On June 1, 1954 President Eisenhower signs legislation changing the name of the legal holiday from Armistice Day to Veteran's Day.

## 1968 - 1975

Congress passes the Monday Holiday Law which established the fourth Monday in October as the new date for the observance of Veteran's Day. The law is to take effect in 1971. Initially all states follow suit but through the 1970s many States reverted back to November 11th.

## 1975 - 1978

Legislation passed to return the Federal observance of Veteran's Day to November 11, based on popular support throughout the nation. Since the change to the fourth Monday in October, 46 states had either continued to commemorate November 11 or had reverted back to the original date based on popular sentiment. The law took effect in 1978.

## HONORING VETERANS OF ALL WARS

Before we look at San Jose, and Santa Clara County, Veteran Parades, we must first take a step back in time to what may have been the parade of War Veterans that initiated the tradition to honor those who served and sacrificed for their country.

Veterans have paraded at the end of every war. It might be said that the granddaddy of all veteran parades might be the Grand Review down Pennsylvania Avenue at the end of the Civil War. **This year marks the 153rd anniversary of that parade which took six hours a day over two days in May 1865 as 145,000 troops passed in review.** The parade honored all those who served, and gave the ultimate sacrifice, during the Civil War. The following year, on April 6, 1866, Union Veterans of that most horrific war, one that had more American casualties than all wars that the U.S. has been involved in from the Revolution until today, formed **the first Veterans organization in the United States, the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR).**



*Grand Review, Washington, DC, May 1865*



## SAN JOSE HONORS ITS VETERANS

One of the first recorded parades in downtown San Jose, with Veteran participation, may have taken place in 1918, perhaps on Independence Day.

The parade featured participation by members of the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR),



*Sheridan-Dix GAR Post 7 Civil War Veterans (circa 1918)*

as well as World War, or the Great War, "Doughboys."



*World War Doughboys (circa 1918)*

*(courtesy of History San Jose)*

## WELCOME HOME DOUGHBOYS



During the 2006 United Veterans Council Veterans' Day Parade, members of the Welcome Home Doughboys entertained the assembled gathering in their authentic World War One uniforms and vintage vehicles.



Image 06-V2-014



Image 06-V2-016



Image 06-V2-018



## UNITED VETERANS COUNCIL VETERANS' DAY EVENTS

In 1919, and for the next two years, a ceremony was held in San Jose marking Armistice Day. That first event, honoring World War I Veterans, took place on November 11, 1919.

It was a large gathering in St. James Park in downtown San Jose. There was no parade but speeches were given, a concert was held and Taps were played. San Jose's American Legion Post 89, which was formed in September 1919, organized events and activities that drew up to 10,000 spectators.

After the formation of the United Veterans Council of Santa Clara County (UVC) in 1922, parades to honor those who served during World War One, as well as those who served in previous wars, were organized by the UVC and held in downtown San Jose. Since that first UVC parade, an annual Armistice Day Ceremony and Veterans Day Parade has been held in San Jose on the 11th of November.



(Image 06-V1-057)



(Image 05-267)

With support from the City of San Jose and Santa Clara County, the UVC honors all those who have served, and those continuing to serve their country, during the largest Veterans' Day Parade in Northern California.



(Image 06-V3-044)



Over 80 numbered units march in the two-hour parade to honor veterans of all wars and pay tribute to our military service personnel, and their families, who have given so much for their country.

(Image 04-022)



(Image 5-vet-534)



(Image 03-464)



(Image 6-V3-003)



# 2016 Parade







# 2017 Parade







# 2018 Parade







# 2018 Parade





The United Veterans Council of Santa Clara County wishes to extend its sincere appreciation to the following organizations for their support of Veterans and providing transportation for the Annual Veterans Day Parades.



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[www.rodandwheelers.net](http://www.rodandwheelers.net)



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[www.sccorvettes.org](http://www.sccorvettes.org)



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On this Veterans Day we're reminded of the service by those on our team and we salute all who have proudly served their country.



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