

**Honoring America's Veterans (HAV)
Honor Our Heroes Competition OFFICIAL RULES**

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- a) Contest entry begins July 6, 2020 at midnight MST
- b) Contest entry ends August 15, 2020 at midnight MST

2. Eligibility:

- a) Honor Our Heroes Nominee must be a legal resident of Arizona, (proof of residency required).
- b) Active duty personnel are not eligible.
- c) You must be 18 years of age or older at time of entry.
- d) No purchase necessary to participate or win. Purchase will not improve chances of winning.

3. How to Enter and Win:

- a) Visit www.HonoringAmericasVeterans.org to enter and win.
- b) Enter all required fields, including but not limited to: your first and last name, your e-mail address, your phone number, nominees first and last name, indicate by checking a box adjacent to the choices, what era (war, conflict, etc.) the nominee served in, rank of nominee, 150-300 words describing why you feel the nominee should be named as one of the Phoenix Veteran's Day Honoring Our Heroes Awardees. Once all required fields are completely filled in, click the submit button. Incomplete entries will be disqualified.
 - *Information contained in the entry must not infringe any third party's intellectual property rights, must not include bigotry, racism, hatred or harm against any group or individual or discrimination based on race, gender, religion, nationality, disability, sexual orientation or age, must be non-defamatory.*
- c) HAV reserves the right to delay contest announcements due to breaking news or other unanticipated events.
- d) A panel of judges will select Seven (7) winners based on the persuasive nature of the nomination submission. Seven (7) winners will be selected (one representing each of the seven wars/conflicts listed at www.honoringamericasveterans.org). Honoring America's Veterans and the Phoenix Veteran's Day Parade Committee reserve the right to select more than or less than seven Grand Marshals as they deem necessary.

4. Prize(s): The following prize package(s) will be awarded:

- a) Seven Awardees will each receive:
 - i. Recognition in the Veterans Day Celebration online program.
 - ii. Recognition and special distinction in the Veterans Day Celebration Program on November 11, 2020.
 - iii. Additional events may be added Your participation in this promotion acknowledges your acceptance of these

5. How to Claim Prize(s):

- a) Winners will be notified once all entries have been reviewed and winners have been determined. Winners will have seven (7) days from the date of notification to accept nomination as an honoree. Failure to accept within this time for any reason will result in forfeiture of the prize.
- b) Nominee must provide a redacted DD214 upon notice of selection. Applicants without a valid DD 214 will be declined.
- c) Before any prize(s) will be awarded, you must provide:
 - i. Proof of age
 - ii. Photo identification (the only accepted types of photo identification are government issued photo identifications, including a valid driver's license or United States passport).
 - iii. DD 214 certifying your military service
- d) HAV reserves the right to deny awarding the prize if you fail to provide satisfactory identification, as determined HAV discretion.
- e) All federal, state and local taxes (including any sales taxes) are your sole responsibility.
- f) Any additional costs relating to the prizes, and incurred as a result of accepting the prizes, is your sole responsibility as the winner (gratuities, etc.).
- g) You agree to release and indemnify Honoring America's Veterans, sponsors, their officers, directors, agents, parent companies, subsidiaries, employees, or any other entity affiliated with the contest (the "Released Parties"), from any and all claims, demands, and/or causes of action or any nature or kind whatsoever, whether presently known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, that arises out of participation in the contest and acceptance of the prize.
- h) You agree to execute publicity release before any prize is awarded.
- i) Failure to execute any of these documents or comply with any of the terms will result in forfeiture of the prize.
- j) Signing for the prize(s) indicates you have received the prize(s), abide by these rules, and the publicity disclaimer. Prize is forfeited upon refusal to sign or provide required information. Your participation in this promotion acknowledges your acceptance of these OFFICIAL RULES.
- k) HAV is not responsible for any cancellation or rescheduling of the Contest or activities for any reason and has no obligation to reimburse, refund or otherwise substitute this award for another should the event not be rescheduled or vouchers not issued.

6. Restrictions:

- a) Void where prohibited by law.
- b) All federal, state, and local laws and regulations apply.

7. Conditions:

- a) HAV our sponsors and agents are not responsible for any:
 - i. Internet, e-mail, technical, hardware, software, or transmission failures of any kind.
 - ii. Entries that are lost, mutilated, illegible, inaccurate, incomplete, garbled, delayed.

- iii. Telephone calls or faxes that fail to be completed due to either equipment malfunction, busy lines, dropped lines, tied lines, or dialing the wrong number (if in doubt, contact your local telephone service provider prior to participating in the contest).
- iv. Equipment malfunctions or human error in the process of processing submissions for promotions, games, or contests which may limit your ability to participate. In any of these cases, another entrant will qualify whether caused by HAV, you, or third parties.
- b) HAV reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel, modify, or suspend a promotion, game, or contest if it is not capable of completion as planned for any reason including, but not limited to, infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention or technical failures of any kind.
- c) Your participation in this promotion acknowledges your acceptance of these OFFICIAL RULES.
- d) HAV in its sole discretion, may award prizes to entries received by alternate means.
- e) If you use fraudulent means to participate and/or win the contest, you will be disqualified.
- f) The decision of the HAV management is final.
- g) HAV is not liable for any injury or loss incurred in pursuit or use of prize(s).
- h) Publicity Release: Unless prohibited by law, your participation constitutes permission for Honoring America's Veterans and other contest sponsors, without any further obligation to you, to use your name, voice, biographical data and likeness for promotional purposes.
- i) Your contest entry becomes the property of Honoring America's Veterans who may use any of your entry for any purpose whatsoever, without further compensation to you.

8. Disqualification and Penalties:

- a) HAV, in its sole discretion, further reserves the right to disqualify you for:
 - i. Violating any of these rules.
 - ii. Tampering with the entry process or the operation of www.honoringamericasveterans.org nomination form.
 - iii. Gaining an unfair advantage in participating in the contest.
 - iv. Obtaining winner status using fraudulent means.
 - v. Engaging in otherwise unsportsmanlike, disruptive, annoying, harassing, or threatening behavior.
- b) Furthermore, any resale or auction or attempt to resell or auction of HAV complimentary prizes, if any, will result in disqualification for all future contests.
- c) ANY ATTEMPT BY YOU OR ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL TO DELIBERATELY CIRCUMVENT, DISRUPT OR DAMAGE ORDINARY AND NORMAL OPERATION OF THIS CONTEST, TELEPHONE SYSTEMS, OR <https://www.honoringamericasveterans.org/nominationform/> OR UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THE CONTEST IS A VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAWS. SHOULD SUCH AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, HAV RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES FROM ANY SUCH PARTICIPANT TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW.

9. Acknowledgement: Your participation in this promotion acknowledges your acceptance of these OFFICIAL RULES.

a) Copies of these rules are available:

i. www.honoringamericaveterans.org

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