

**PARADE  
PRESENTED  
BY:**



**Honoring America's  
VETERANS**

# THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS!

**Medal of Honor: University of Phoenix and  
TriWest Healthcare Alliance**

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**Thanks to our Parade  
Team and the HAV  
Board!!!!**



**TEAM**

**THEME  
THIS  
YEAR**



**NEVER  
FORGET  
FOREVER  
HONOR**

Honoring America's Veterans  
**Phoenix Veterans Day Parade 2023**

**WORLD WAR II  
VETERAN GRAND  
MARSHAL  
NAVAJO CODE  
TALKER  
THOMAS BEGAY,  
USMC**



**KOREAN WAR  
VETERAN  
GRAND  
MARSHAL,  
JERRY HECHT,  
USN**



**VIETNAM WAR  
VETERAN  
GRAND  
MARSHAL,  
HERBERT  
PIERPAN,  
USMC**



**COLD WAR  
VETERAN  
GRAND  
MARSHAL,  
HUGUES BYRNE  
USMC**





**DESERT STORM  
VETERAN GRAND  
MARSHAL, PAT  
LITTLE-UPAH  
USA**



**OPERATION IRAQI  
FREEDOM  
VETERAN GRAND MARSHAL  
JEFF DEVORE,  
USAF**



**OPERATION ENDURING  
FREEDOM  
VETERAN GRAND MARSHAL,  
AMANDA TALLMAN  
USA**



**SALUTE TO WAR DOGS  
GRAND MARSHAL  
GARY SMITH AND  
VIETNAM VETERANS'  
MILITARY POLICE  
SENTRY DOG ALUMNI  
ASSOCIATION**



# **CELEBRITY GRAND MARSHAL**

- **SUPERMODEL KIM ALEXIS**



# ENTRY NUMBERS

- **# LETS ANNOUNCERS KNOW WHO IS NEXT SO THEY CAN ANNOUNCE YOU ACCORDINGLY**
- **LETS SPECTATORS KNOW WHICH UNIT YOU ARE SO THEY CAN FOLLOW ALONG IN THE PROGRAM**
- **GIVES YOU AN OPPORTUNITY TO HIGHLIGHT YOUR ORGANIZATION**





**AT THE END OF THE PARADE, PLEASE RETURN THE  
ENTRY NUMBER SO WE HAVE IT FOR NEXT YEAR!**

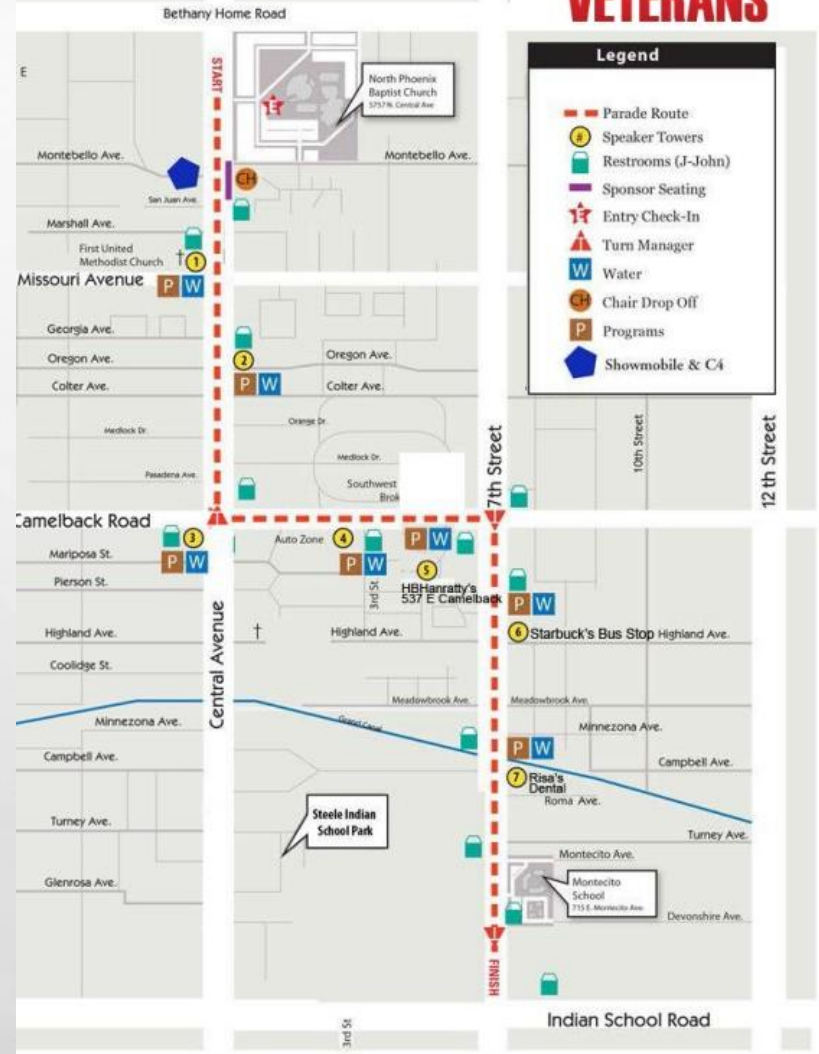


# ROUTE MANAGEMENT

- PROGRAMS
- WATER DISTRIBUTION
- ROUTE MOVEMENT
- SPEAKER TOWER ASSISTANCE
- OVERALL FLOW
- SAFETY FIRST

## Phoenix Veterans Day Parade

### PARADE ROUTE MAP





# NO CANDY OR THROWING THINGS

- SAFETY HAZARDS
- CAN INCREASE OUR LIABILITY
- DISQUALIFIES YOU FROM FUTURE PARADES



# MUST HAVE POOPER SCOOPERS!

- **NOTHING SAYS “THANKS VETERANS” LIKE A DIRTY DRESS BOOT OR BALLERINA SLIPPER.**
- **IF YOU HAVE ANIMALS, YOU MUST HAVE SOMEONE DESIGNATED TO CLEAN UP AFTER THEM THROUGHOUT THE ROUTE—NOT JUST *AFTER* THE PARADE!**
- **IT DOESN'T MATTER HOW BIG OR SMALL\* THE ANIMALS ARE.**
- **THOSE WHO DON'T HAVE SCOOPERS, WILL BE PULLED FROM THE PARADE.**



# WALKERS' MARCHERS PARK AT PARADE END

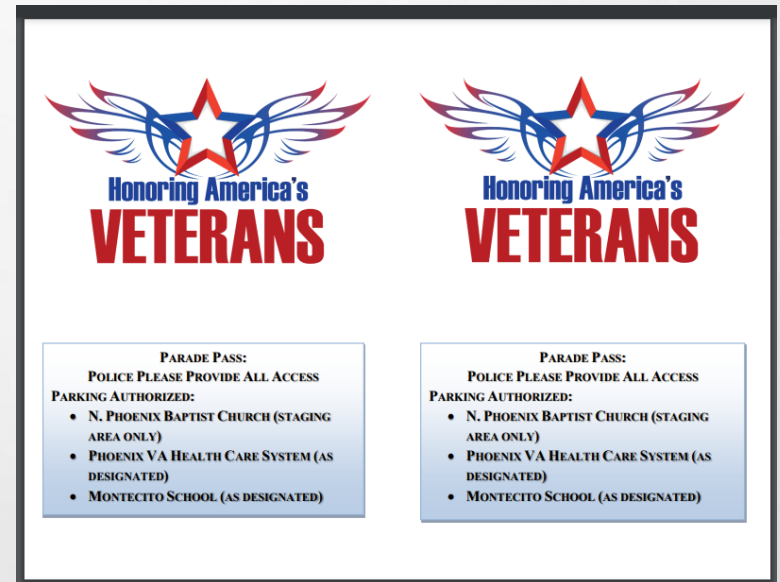
## Campus Map

### LEGEND

- Valet Parking
- Patient Parking
- Physician Parking
- Employee Parking
- City of Phoenix Parking
- Handicap Parking
- Emergency Room
- Parking Garage (Veterans only)
- No Parking



**ENTRY PARKING PASSES  
PLEASE PRINT AND HAVE  
THEM ON YOUR  
DASHBOARD,  
NO PHONES AS IT DELAYS  
THE PROCESS**



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POLICE PLEASE PROVIDE ALL ACCESS**

**PARKING AUTHORIZED:**

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# ENTRY SHOW TIMES

Entries: 0-49 Arrive: 0900-0930

Entries: 50-99 Arrive: 0930-1000

Entries 0-20, will be ready at 1100

Central Exit is NOT an Entrance

Every Entry North of Central Exit, use North  
Entrance

Every Entry South of Central Exit, use South  
Entrance

**PLEASE USE  
THE  
DESTAGING  
MAPS ONLINE**



**STAGING,  
DESIREE  
SIMMONS**



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STAGING MAP  
ONLINE**



**DESTAGING,  
STUART BURNS,  
USMC AND  
CARTER DOWDY,  
US NAVY**

# Parade Destaging Notes

- **PEDESTRIANS:**
  - **QUICKLY MOVE TO SIDEWALKS AFTER REACHING END OF PARADE.**
  - **DO NOT LOAD INTO VEHICLES WHILE IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD. MOVE TO SIDEWALK.**
  - **BE MINDFUL OF MOVING VEHICLES. MOST HAVE BLIND SPOTS AND CAN'T SEE YOU.**
  - **DO NOT SET EQUIPMENT/INSTRUMENTS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD.**

# Parade Destaging Notes

- **VEHICLES:**
  - **MOVE SLOWLY THROUGH DE-STAGING. USE A GROUND GUIDE THROUGH CONGESTED AREAS!**
  - **IF LOADING WALKERS INTO YOUR VEHICLE, PULL ALL THE WAY THROUGH THE END OF PARADE ROUTE AND TO ONE SIDE.**
  - **DON'T BLOCK THE ROAD! THE PARADE CONTINUES BEHIND YOU AND QUICKLY BACKS UP.**
  - **NEVER BACK UP WITHOUT A GROUND GUIDE.**

# Important De-staging Safety Notes

**New protective road barriers limit options for exiting the parade area.**

**Hazard: Pedestrians and Vehicles congest the road south of Indian School Road**

## **Control Measures:**

### **• Pedestrians:**

- Quickly move to sidewalks after reaching end of parade.**
- Do not load into vehicles while in the middle of the road. Move to sidewalk.**
- Be mindful of moving vehicles. Most have blind spots and can't see you.**
- Do not set equipment/instruments in the middle of the road.**

### **• Vehicles:**

- Move slowly through de-staging. Use a ground guide through congested areas!**
- If loading walkers into your vehicle, pull all the way through the end of parade route and to one side.**
- Don't block the road! The parade continues behind you and quickly backs up.**
- Never back up without a ground guide.**

# **AWARDS**

**Please check the  
online file of judging  
categories and let us  
know if you are in the  
right one!**



**1<sup>st</sup> Place trophy and 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Ribbons**

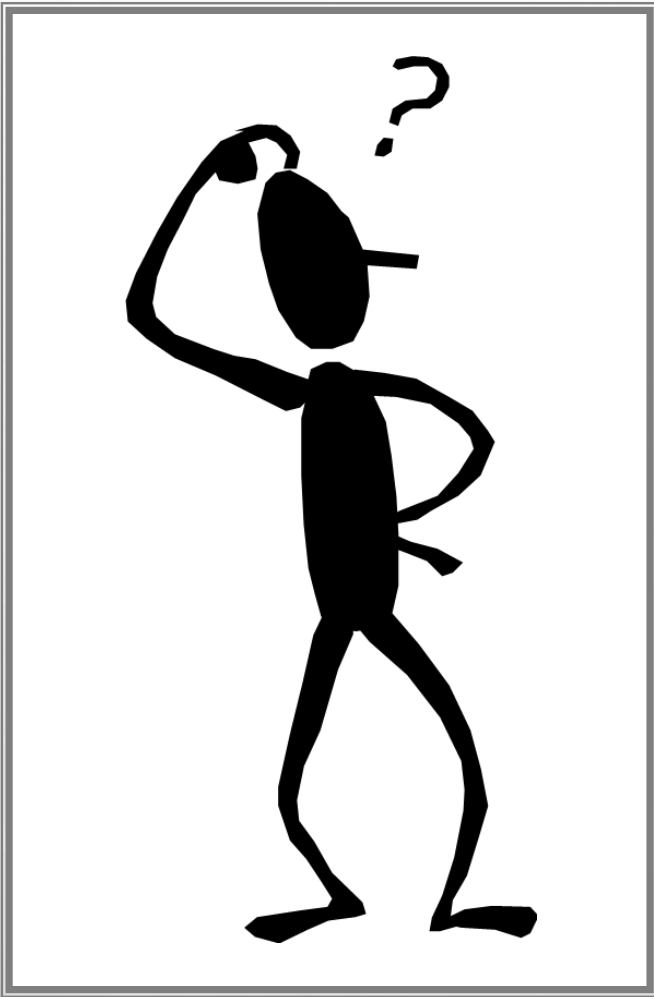
**WE NEED  
HELP**

**High school bands  
outreach/support**

**PR/Marketing**

**Sponsors**

**Volunteers**



# **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**THANK YOU!**

**WE APPRECIATE  
YOUR  
PARTICIPATION!**