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San Bruno to Host Annual Veterans Day Ceremony

San Bruno, CA – The City of San Bruno proudly announces that the 2025 Veterans Day Ceremony will take place on Tuesday, November 11, 2025, at the San Bruno Senior Center, located at 1555 Crystal Springs Road. This ceremony is being organized in partnership with the Avenue of Flags Committee.

“It is essential that we continue this tradition and honor our community members and neighbors who have served their country,” said Mayor Rico E. Medina. “In times of uncertainty, it is our duty as elected officials to help provide a way forward and maintain the things we hold dear.”

Event Details

- **Date:** Tuesday, November 11, 2025
- **Location:** San Bruno Senior Center, 1555 Crystal Springs Road; free shuttle service will be provided between the Recreation and Aquatic Center and the Senior Center
- **10:30 a.m. – Music Prelude** featuring the *U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps Band of the West* and vocalist **Eric Ribeiro, Jr.**
- Complimentary donuts and coffee will be provided.
- **11:00 a.m. – Formal Program** begins

The ceremony will include the Presentation of Colors by the San Bruno Police Department Honor Guard, Pledge of Allegiance by the Golden Gate Young Marines, and patriotic performances by the Capuchino High School Chamber Singers.

Mayor Rico E. Medina and Helen Wong, President of the Avenue of Flags Committee, will deliver opening remarks, followed by a keynote address from Gil Sanborn, Past Civilian Aide to the Secretary of the U.S. Army. Major Brian Flaherty, USMC Reserves, will serve as Master of Ceremonies.

The program also includes a Blue Star Wreath Presentation led by Amy Walsh, President of the San Mateo County Blue Star Moms, a stirring Armed Forces Medley, and performances of “America the Beautiful” and “God Bless America” by Eric Ribeiro, Jr.

Since 1977, the Avenue of Flags Committee has hosted Memorial Day and Veterans Day Observances in San Bruno, traditionally held at Golden Gate National Cemetery. This year’s venue change reflects the City and Committee’s steadfast dedication to ensuring the community can still gather to honor the service and sacrifice of our nation’s veterans, despite external challenges.

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