



Valley community college to honor service members

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AVONDALE, AZ (KPHO/KTVK) - Some of our nation's bravest will be honored by Estrella Mountain Community College.

The school is hosting Veterans/Military Appreciation Week from Nov. 9 to Nov. 13.

The week-long event will include art, fitness and ceremonies to recognize the sacrifices made by our nation's past and current members of the military.

"Our campus is located about five miles from Luke Air Force Base, and many of our military students appreciate having a real college campus as a learning home-base," said Nancy Fisher, Coordinator of Veterans Services. "But EMCC is home to all branches of the military, and we welcome veterans, current military and their dependents to learn here...not just on Veterans Day or during Appreciation Week, but all through the year."

There is also a Veterans Day [Fitness Fun Run & Celebration](#) on Nov. 11.

After the race, runners, veterans and military members will receive a free pancake breakfast prepared and served by EMCC Culinary students.

Veterans/Military Appreciation Week will wrap up Nov. 13 with the posting of colors by EMCC Marine Corps Veteran students.

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