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Veterans Affairs Newsletter

August 2024

Check out these featured events and resources for veteran and military-connected students at CSM for the month of August. If you have valuable information concerning VA news or updates, please email veteransbenefits@csmd.edu.

Getting Started in IT



Join CSM on Friday, **Aug. 30** to learn more about earning Microsoft certification credentials for free through Project Veteran House.

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Mark Your Calendars: CSM's 2nd Annual Veterans Week is Nov. 4-8

During Veterans Week, we honor the service, devotion, and sacrifice of the members of our armed forces. CSM's Veterans Affairs team hopes you'll join us **Nov. 4-8** for a week of camaraderie, commemoration, and celebration of those who've worn the uniform in service to our country, with events including:

- **Inaugural breakfast with CSM President Dr. Yolanda Wilson;**
- **Microsoft Certification Course (provided free of charge by Project Veteran House);**
- **"Lunch and Learn" opportunities;**
- **...and much more!**

FEATURED OPPORTUNITY

Military Spouse Entrepreneurship Course



Military spouses can learn how to research, write, and develop a business plan with Project Opportunity's Military Spouse Entrepreneurship Course. Classes include presentations by experts in marketing, finance, credit, insurance, social media, and more. Classes meet Thursday evenings at Prince George's Community College from **Sept. 5 - Nov. 14.**

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Workforce Rebound Job and Resource Fair

Connect with more than two dozen local businesses and explore exciting job opportunities at the Workforce Rebound Job and Resource Fair on Wednesday, **Aug. 14**, presented by the Tri-County Council for Southern Maryland.

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Free Orioles Tickets for Disabled Veterans

Come cheer on the Baltimore Orioles as they stomp the Boston Red Sox (see what we did there?) on Thursday, **Aug. 15!** Veterans with a disability rating of 75 or higher and their immediate family members can get free admission to the game, courtesy of Operation Second Chance. To

learn more and get your ticket, please
email
stephanie@operationsecondchance.org.



Walk With Me Fundraiser

Join Easterseals DC/MD/VA in its mission of enhancing quality of life for veterans, servicemembers, and their families at the Walk with Me fundraiser on Saturday, **Sept. 21**. Each year, Walk with Me raises thousands of dollars to support the families who depend on Easterseals. We welcome walkers, riders, and anyone who believes in inclusion, access, and high-quality care for children and adults, people with disabilities, and military families. (Dogs are welcome, too! On a leash, please.)

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