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Oakland County Parks recognizes those who served on Veterans Day
Parks system also celebrates Military Family Appreciation Month in November

OAKLAND COUNTY, MI – Nov. 7, 2024 – Oakland County Parks (OCP) thanks all residents who served in the military as the nation prepares to mark Veterans Day on Monday, Nov. 11.

“We look for every opportunity we can to support and celebrate Oakland County veterans. Several OCP staff members are veterans and we are proud of the contributions they have made to our country,” Parks Director Chris Ward said.

November is also Military Family Appreciation Month, the perfect time to thank veterans and their families for their commitment and sacrifice through the years.

OCP’s military recreation voucher program has been popular among veterans, active military personnel and Gold Star Families, those who have experienced the loss of an immediate family member who died during active-duty military service. The vouchers are good for one free night of camping, a free waterpark visit or free entry to the ORV park.

Information about the 2025 Military Appreciation voucher program and other veterans programming will be announced in the spring. Call 248-858-0916 for more information.

With approval of the 2024 OCP millage, park entry fees have been eliminated at all OCP parks and dog parks, including Addison Oaks, Groveland Oaks, Highland Oaks, Independence Oaks, Lyon Oaks (park and dog park), Orion Oaks (park and dog park), Red Oaks Dog Park and Rose Oaks.

“We thank voters for their support of the millage request and are pleased to immediately offer free park entry. We look forward to seeing everyone in the parks. The fall and winter seasons are beautiful and quite peaceful,” he said.

There will continue to be fees for pay to play attractions such as golf courses, waterpark, campgrounds and the off-road vehicle park.

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