

SEPTEMBER 2024

UPCOMING EVENTS

OC Veterans Advisory Council

- When: October 16, 2024, at 2 p.m.
- Where: Civic Center Community Room | City of Newport Beach 100 Civic Center Dr., Newport Beach, CA 92660



Pacific Air Show

- **About**: The Pacific Airshow comes to Orange County every year where airborne performers skim the shore, soaring over the Huntington Beach Pier.
- When: October 4-6, 2024, from 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Where: On Pacific Coast Highway between Huntington St. and Twin Dolphin Dr. (across the street from Waterfront Hilton)
- For more information: Pacific Airshow Events



REGIONAL CAREER EXPO

Connect with top employers and industry experts, all in one place.



OCTOBER 9, 2024 • 10 AM - 1 PM HONDA CENTER

2695 E Katella Ave., Anaheim, CA 92806

Register at owacareerexpo.vfairs.com
Questions? Contact info@orangeworkforcealliance.com



















Orange Workforce Alliance Career Expo 2024

- **About:** Discover opportunities in various industries, engage directly with recruiters, and explore career paths that match your skills and ambitions. This event is your gateway to making meaningful connections that could shape your professional future.
- When: October 9, 2024, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- Where: Honda Center, 2695 E Katella Ave., Anaheim, CA 92806
- Register: OWA Career Expo



Free Veterans Movie Night

- About: To support National Depression and Mental Health Screening Month, U.S. Vets Outside the Wire would like to screen the movie "Inside Out 2" at Coastline's Newport Beach Campus! This event will be open to all Veterans and their families. To ensure Veteran families with children can attend, Strong Families/Strong Children will provide an activity area for children.
- When: October 25, 2024, at 6 p.m.
- Where: Coastline College Newport Beach 1515 Monrovia Ave., Newport Beach, CA 92663
- Register: Veterans Movie Night

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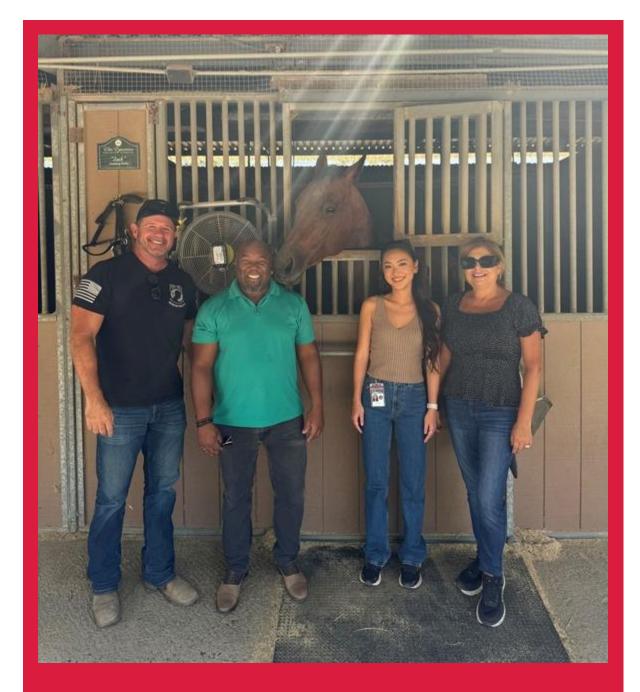


OC Veterans Service Office (VSO) Receives 2024 NACo Award

The VSO was recognized at the OC Board of Supervisors meeting on August 27, 2024, for earning a 2024 NACo Award for the Veteran Employment Program (VEP).

The VEP supports military personnel transitioning out of the armed forces, eligible dependents, and recently separated Veterans with career planning, employment readiness, and job placement services. The program offers comprehensive support including personalized assessment, counseling, mental health screenings, and more.

For more information about the VEP, visit <u>ocworkforcesolutions.com/veterans</u> or call (866) 500-6587.



VSO Teams Up with Veteran Strong to Support Veterans

The VSO toured Veteran Strong USA and learned more about their equine-assisted therapy and equine rider therapy programs. We look forward to partnering with together and serving our Veteran community, military, their family members and first responders.

To learn more about Veteran Strong, visit <u>veteranstrongusa.com</u>.

DID YOU KNOW?



Veterans can easily access their military service records through the National Archives Online. You can request a DD-214, medical records, replacement medals, or your official military personnel file. Records can be obtained by mail or fax.

To submit a request, visit <u>archives.gov/veterans</u>. The VSO can also help you submit a request. Visit our office at 1300 S Grand Ave., Bldg. B, Santa Ana, CA 92705, or book an appointment veterans.ocgov.com.

BY THE NUMBERS MONTHLY

Numbers are based on August 2024 service data.

Veterans Served (included emails, calls, and appointments): 3,532

Claims Filed: 1,180

Benefits Granted by Veterans Administration: \$686,421.98

College Tuition Savings: \$2,555,505

For more information, contact the VSO at (714) 480-6555 or ocvso@occr.ocgov.com.



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