

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

# Fourth of July Celebration

## Veterans Recognition

and

### DAR Pinning Ceremony

Friday, June 28, 2024, 1 p.m.-3 p.m.  
Mackey Auditorium/Shapiro ABCD



Join us for our annual Independence Day Celebration. This is the time that we recognize those brave men and women who served this great country maintaining the freedom that we all enjoy. We encourage all OLLI members and their guests to join in on this fun afternoon of celebration with music for all and salutes to our proud veterans.

OLLI will honor our veteran men and women a special celebration. We ask you to join us for a special presentation of our OLLI Veterans. We will once again have a display and PowerPoint presentation of veterans, along with an Honorary Pinning Ceremony, presented by Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR). Members wishing to have their personal photo included in this presentation may send a .jpeg of their military photo to [ellie.monroe@mindspring.com](mailto:ellie.monroe@mindspring.com). You may take your photo to one of your local stationery stores to have them scan your photo and give you a .jpeg copy on your flash drive.

Living U.S. veterans who served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces at any time during the period of November 1, 1955, to May 15, 1975, regardless of location, are eligible to receive a lapel pin, presented by Daughters of the

**American Revolution (DAR). This national commemoration is a Secretary of Defense initiative, authorized by Congress and launched by President Obama in 2012. Veterans' names will be pulled from our July 4, 2023, file.**

**Widows of Vietnam Veterans who have died are eligible to receive a "Blue Star Pin" in honor of their spouse's service.**

**Please arrive early. CSUF-ROTC Color Guard presentation will begin promptly at 1:00 pm, followed by the presentation of our OLLI Veterans. There will be a reception in Shapiro ABCD/Courtyard immediately after the program. Please join us for refreshments and visit with your fellow OLLI members and their guests.**

**DAR Presenters: June Edwards, DAR Veterans Chair; Hilary White**

**OLLI Coordinators: Ellie Monroe and Sara A. Clark (DAR Member)**

**Refreshments Coordinators: Members of the Hospitality Committee**