

Kleberg County Veterans Day Parade

Wed, 11 November 2026 | Historic Downtown Kingsville, TX

Sponsored By: Roy E. Davis VFW Post 2375, Kingsville, TX (<https://linktr.ee/vfw2375>)

Parade Coordinator: Ode Moreno | 361-455-5060 | odemoreno1@hotmail.com

REGISTRATION: Complete the Entry Forms (Pages 4-7) and email them to the Parade Coordinator above. Line-up location(s) will be assigned for all entries received on or before 01 November 2026. For late submissions, please contact the Parade Coordinator.

PARADE LINE-UP: Line-up will begin at 4:00 p.m. at the corner of E. Kleberg Ave & N. 11st St, between the Kleberg County Courthouse and the Old Armory Building.

JUDGING & AWARDS: Please be in line before 5:00 p.m. if you wish to be judged/participate in the Parade entry contest. Award Certificates will be sent after the parade to the entry's POC and advertised on social media as well as the local newspaper. Prizes will be awarded in the following categories:

1. Best Patriotic Entry
2. Best Youth Entry
3. Best Service Organization
4. Best Civic Entry
5. Best Faith-Based Entry
6. Best Business Entry
7. Best School Entry
8. Most Creative
9. Judge's Choice

PARADE ROUTE: The route will continue down Kleberg Avenue towards the US Post Office, then turn right onto 6th Street, then another right on E. Yoakum Avenue, returning to the parade starting point next to the County Courthouse. The route is subject to change due to permit finalization, safety concerns, and/or determination by the Parade Committee to better serve the flow of not only the parade but also traffic before, during, and after. We will keep parade participants and the public updated.

More information about this year's Kleberg County Veterans Day Parade can be found by visiting: <https://vfw2375.org/parade/>

LINE UP AT 4:00 PM

STEP OFF AT 5:00 PM



VETERANS DAY PARADE

NOVEMBER 11, 2026



HONORING ALL WHO BRAVELY SERVED!

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN KINGSVILLE, TEXAS

For More Info & To Register:

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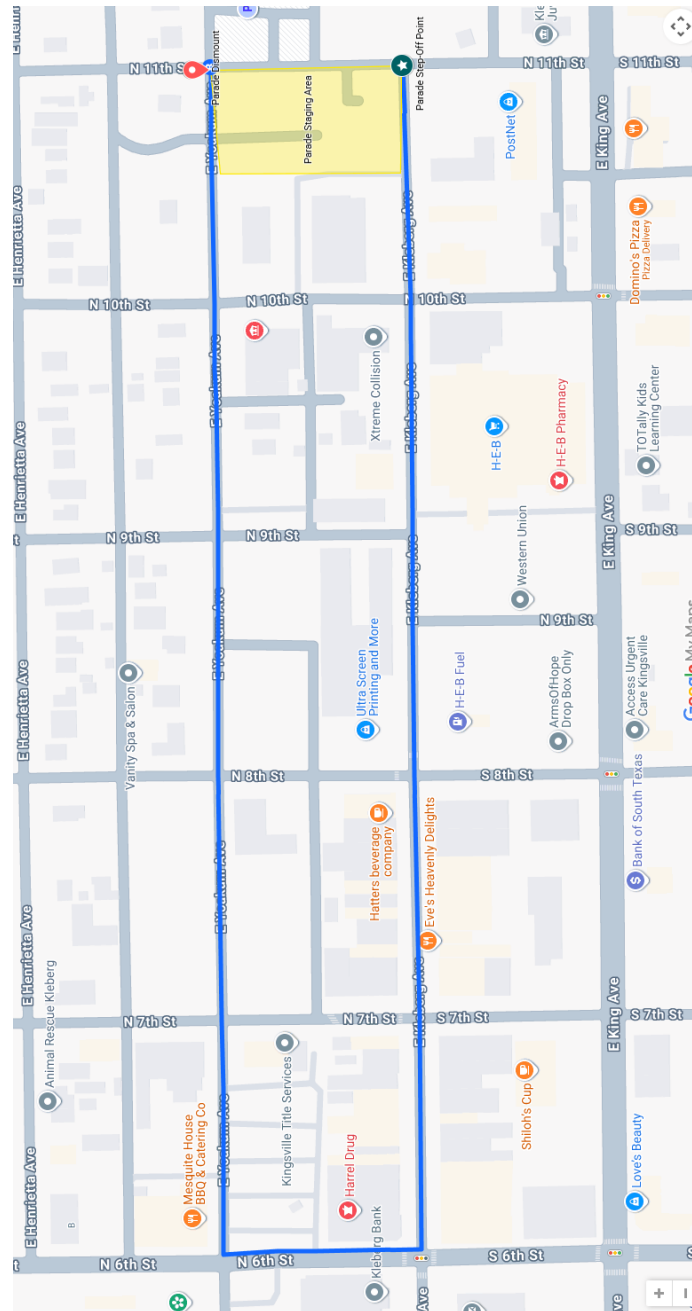
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

Post 2375

Important Parade Information

- The parade will be on Wednesday, 11 November 2026, with the starting time of (step-off) 5:00 p.m., Line-up starts by or before 4:00 p.m.
- The Parade Sponsor(s) reserve the right to refuse any Parade Entry.
- Throwing candy/items to the crowd during the parade is not permitted! Anyone doing so will be removed from the parade. Individuals walking the parade route may hand out candy, marketing materials, and other items.
- Entries will be lined up based on a first-come basis, after the Veteran Org entries, to support our Veterans.

Tentative Parade Route & Staging Area



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Entry Form

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Entry/Sponsor Information

Name of Entry (Group, Club, School, Business, Etc.): _____

Please note that your place in the parade and entry number will be assigned to you at registration only. We understand that you may have a preference due to a time conflict. We will do our best to accommodate as we are able.

Name/Title of the Person Responsible for Parade entry: _____

Address _____ City/State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Email: _____

Description of Entry (Please Be Specific)

Category (Select **all** that best describes your entry): ☐ School/Educational Org ☐ Civic Org
☐ Church/Religious Org ☐ Color Guard ☐ Military/Veteran Org ☐ Business
☐ Band ☐ Politician/Public Official ☐ Other: _____

Type: (Select **all** that best describes your entry): ☐ Marching Group ☐ Horse(s) ☐ Autos
☐ Tractors/Heavy Equipment ☐ Floats ☐ Truck w/Trailer ☐ Other: _____

Specific Details of Entry: (Example: One truck pulling a 12' trailer or 3 motorcycles and a golf cart):

(This is very important so we can provide the proper amount of space for lining up the parade entries.)

Estimated number of people participating: _____

Does your entry contain sound/music? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Does your entry contain motorized vehicles? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, how many? _____

Does your entry contain animals? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, how many of each type of animal(s)?

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I, the undersigned, on behalf of myself and the participants involved in our entry, hereby consent to our participation in the Kleberg County Veterans Day Parade.

Printed Name/Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Entry Narrative

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This will provide us with information for the parade announcer(s). We reserve the right to shorten your description as needed.

Name of Entry:

Entry Description:

*******Official Use Only*******

Assigned Entry Number: _____ Judging Category: _____

Judge(s) Notes: _____

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Release & Waiver

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1. AUTHORITY:

I confirm that I have the authority to speak for and legally bind the association or organization listed below (**the “Entrant”**). This includes all members /participants who are part of our Parade entry.

By signing this form, the Entrant agrees to follow all rules set by the **Parade Sponsors**: Roy E. Davis VFW Post 2375, City of Kingsville, Kingsville Independent School District, Kleberg County, and the Parade Committee.

We agree to behave responsibly, act safely, and avoid any actions that could cause harm or damage to people or property during the **2026 Kleberg County Veterans Day Parade** (the “Parade”) and its related activities.

2. INDEMNIFICATION/RELEASE:

In exchange for being allowed to participate in the Parade, the Entrant and all related individuals (members, officials, officers, employees, volunteers, heirs, representatives, and anyone else connected to the Entrant) agree to:

Release, indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Parade Sponsors and all of their officials, employees, volunteers, and representatives from **any and all claims or legal actions** related to any injury, damage, or loss—including **death**—that may occur to the Entrant or the Entrant’s property during or because of Parade participation.

If any claim or lawsuit is brought against the Parade Sponsors related to Parade participation, the Entrant agrees that the Parade Sponsors may choose the attorneys, and the Entrant will pay the related legal costs as allowed by law.

If the Entrant uses a motor vehicle in the Parade, the Entrant guarantees that:

- The driver will be properly licensed
- The vehicle will carry active, comprehensive auto insurance
- Proof of insurance will be provided upon request

The Entrant understands the risks involved in participating in a parade and **voluntarily accepts all risks**, including injury or death. The Entrant also confirms that no outside promises were made that are not written in this form.

This release and agreement remain in effect even after the Parade ends. The person signing this form confirms they are at least 18 years old, of sound mind, and authorized to bind the Entrant.

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3. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY AND RISK:

I, _____ (name of Participant/Sponsor), and all individuals participating as part of my Entry ("Entry Participants"), voluntarily agree to take part in the Parade.

We understand that accidents or injuries may occur during Parade participation, and we accept full responsibility for any personal injury that may arise from our voluntary involvement. We also recognize that Parade participation can be physically, mentally, and emotionally demanding.

Even with proper preparation, instruction, equipment, and care, risks may still be present. These risks include, but are not limited to: overexertion, slips and falls, inadequate physical conditioning, defective or insufficient equipment, poor technique, limited supervision, carelessness, horseplay, and other hazards naturally associated with Parade participation.

We acknowledge that not all dangers can be anticipated and that **the Parade Sponsors cannot guarantee absolute safety**. By participating, we accept these risks on behalf of ourselves and the entire Entry.

4. PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE:

I give the Parade Sponsors permission to use my image and the images of participants in my Parade entry in photos or videos in any Parade Sponsor publications, including online materials. I agree that:

- I will not receive payment or compensation
- The materials become the property of the Parade Sponsors
- The Parade Sponsors may edit, copy, publish, or share these images for any lawful purpose
- I waive my right to review or approve the final materials
- I waive any right to royalties or compensation

I release the Parade Sponsors from any claims related to the use of these photos or videos.

I CONFIRM THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND EVERYTHING ABOVE. I AM AUTHORIZED TO BIND THE ENTRANT AND ITS MEMBERS. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS DOCUMENT IS BOTH A WAIVER OF LEGAL RIGHTS AND AN ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSIBILITIES.

Parade Entry: _____

Printed Name/Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____