

1940s Day

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SEPTEMBER 6, 2025 10 A.M. TO 5 P.M.

1940s Day is presented by our Official Veterans Sponsor

Veterans Service Commission of Hamilton County





Schedule of Events:

* If you are a veteran, from any era, or a member of a Holocaust survivor's family, we'd love to have you join our Moment of Honor parade at noon. Please meet near the Cincinnati History Museum entrance at 11:45 a.m. to line up.

10 to 11 a.m.

 WWII Duffle Bag & Telephone (Cincinnati in Motion, Cincinnati History Museum)

10 a.m. to Noon

P&G Big Band (3rd Ramp, Cincinnati History Museum)

10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

· Cincinnati Public Library Card Signups (Rotunda)

10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

- Wartime Kitchen Tablescape & Mock Apple Pie Samples (Cr(eat)e Culinary Studio)
- Silly Putty Making with Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc. Beta Iota Chapter (STEM Lab)

10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

 Katherine Gould, CMC Curator, History Objects & Fine Art Collections (You Are Here, Cincinnati History Museum)

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

 View Moving Images with Arabeth Balasko, Curator of Photographs, Prints & Media (Newsreel Theater)

10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

- Vintage Vehicles (Outside)
- Free Rotunda Tours with Cincinnati Heritage Programs (Rotunda)

10:15 a.m.

 Lecture: My Father's Story: From Nazi Germany To An American Soldier by Fred Miller (Reakirt Auditorium)

10:30 a.m.

- D-Day: Normandy 1944 (OMNIMAX® Theater)
- 1940s Children's Dance Party (Corbett Theater, The Children's Museum)
- Tower A Tours (Tower A) \$
- 1940s Lady Hat Making Workshop with Patti Schultz (History in the Making Classroom, Cincinnati History Museum)

10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Keith Scherer (Cr(eat)e Culinary Studio)

11 a.m.

Naturalization Ceremony (Catwalk, Rotunda)

11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

 Union Terminal Printing (Made in Cincinnati, Cincinnati History Museum)

11:15 a.m.

 Lecture: Crossing Border/Expanding Boundaries by Dan Hurley (Reakirt Auditorium)

11:30 a.m.

- Broadcast to the Past Radio Show (Austin E. Knowlton Foundation Science Stage, Museum of Natural History & Science)
- 1940s Lady Hat Making Workshop with TenAndSix (History in the Making Classroom, Cincinnati History Museum)

11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

• The Gimlets (Cincinnati Dining Room)

Noon

- Moment of Honor and Parade* featuring Bugles Across America (Rotunda)
- Tower A Tours (Tower A) \$

12:15 to 1:15 p.m.

Queen City Sisters (roaming throughout the building)

12:30 p.m.

• D-Day: Normandy 1944 (OMNIMAX® Theater)

12:30 to 1:30 pm.

 Toy Hall of Fame: 1940s Edition (You Are Here, Cincinnati History Museum)

1 p.m.

- Lecture: My Father's Story: From Nazi Germany To An American Soldier by Fred Miller (Reakirt Auditorium)
- 1940s Lady Hat Making Workshop with Patti Schultz (History in the Making Classroom, Cincinnati History Museum)

1:30 p.m.

- Tower A Tours (Tower A) \$
- Storytime: 1940s Classics (Corbett Theater, The Children's Museum)
- Al Howey Music Popular Songs of World War II (Cr(eat)e Culinary Studio)

1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

• WWII Duffle Bag & Telephone (Cincinnati in Motion, Cincinnati History Museum)

2 p.m.

- Costume Contest Sign Up (Reakirt Auditorium)
- Lecture: Brotherhood Amid the Rails by Professor Cordel George (Sun Classroom)

2 to 4 p.m.

- Oxford Folk Jazz (3rd Ramp, Cincinnati History Museum)
- Knitting Through Time (Public Landing, Cincinnati History Museum)

2 to 5 p.m.

 Mask Making Workshop with ROMAC (KidSPACE, The Children's Museum)

2:30 p.m.

- D-Day: Normandy 1944 (OMNIMAX® Theater)
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- 1940s Lady Hat Making Workshop with Patti Schultz (*History in the Making Classroom*, Cincinnati History Museum)

3 p.m.

 Costume Contest with special presentation by Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc. – Beta Iota Chapter (Reakirt Auditorium)

3:30 p.m.

• Daniel Bennett & The Dirty Shirleys (Cr(eat)e Culinary Studio)

4:30 p.m.

• D-Day: Normandy 1944 (OMNIMAX® Theater)

Community Partners & Vendors:

All booths in the Rotunda from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. unless otherwise noted

- 4 Paws for Ability
- American Red Cross Greater Cincinnati Tri-State Chapter
- American Sign Museum
- APIA History Cincinnati (You Are Here, Cincinnati History Museum)
- Butler County Warbirds Military History
- Casablanca Vintage
- Cincinnati & Hamilton County Public Library
- Cincinnati Parent Empowerment Network (Coney Island, Cincinnati History Museum)
- Cincinnati Railroad Club
- Easterseals Redwood
- Greater Cincinnati Chapter Tuskegee Airmen, Inc.
- Greater Cincinnati Homeless Coalition
- Harriet Beecher Stowe House
- Nancy & David Wolf Holocaust & Humanity Center
- · Kentuckiana Vintage Society
- · King Records Legacy Foundation
- Lunken Cadet Squadron OH-078 of Civil Air Patrol
- May Festival (You Are Here, Cincinnati History Museum)
- OH-KY-IN Amateur Radio Society (Get Into Nature, Museum of Natural History & Science)
- Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc. Beta Iota Chapter (Mezzanine)
- Robert O'Neal Multicultural Art Center
- SPCA Cincinnati
- Tri-State Warbird Museum
- US District Court Southern District of Ohio
- Veteran's Service Commission of Hamilton County (Rotunda and Dinosaur Hall, Museum of Natural History & Science)
- WMKV Radio

Performers & Presenters:

Cincinnati History Museum

- P&G Big Band
- Oxford Folk Jazz

Cincinnati Dining Room

The Gimlets

Cr(eat)e Culinary Studio featuring the Kroger Food Lab

- Keith Scherer
- Al Howey
- Daniel Bennett & the Dirty Shirleys

Reakirt Auditorium

- · Fred Miller and Family
- Dan Hurley
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