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VING Family Program Office celebrates Military Family Month.

In celebration of Military Family Month, the Family Program Office of the Virgin Islands National Guard is scheduled to host a multitude of events in November to show appreciation for the military family.

Below are the scheduled events.

St. Croix:

Nov. 11- Veterans Day parade pot luck on Frederiksted Beach immediately after the Veterans Day activities.

Nov. 14 - (Family night) roller-skate, poetry and karaoke at Malibu Fun Spot 6p.m. to 9:30p.m.

Nov. 27 -Sun Down Service at Buddhoe park Frederiksted 3p.m. - 5p.m.

St. Thomas:

Nov 11- Veterans Day parade and Food Sale on from 10a.m.– until

Nov 18 - (Movie night) Market Square East

Nov 20 - Church service at Frederick Evangelical Lutheran Church 9a.m.

While the VING and the VI community are honoring military families, they are also being recognized on a national level. In a presidential proclamation, President Barack Obama states the following:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BARACK OBAMA, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim November 2011 as Military Family Month. I call on all Americans to honor military families through private actions and public service for the tremendous contributions they make in the support of our service members and our Nation.

For more information on Military Family Month and the activities planned contact Nicolette Stout, Senior Family Readiness Support Assistant, at 340-712-8021 or 340-332-3940; email nicolette.stout@us.army.mil

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