Newsletter

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VA Bedford Community Recovery Connections Team creates and supports Veteran social networks in Bedford, on the North Shore, South Shore, Merrimack Valley, and surrounding areas. We are Veterans in recovery; we offer guidance and bridging developed through our own lived experience.

News Items

Veteran Coffee Socials are meet ups where Veterans socialize and find connection and support. We discuss benefits, events, and community. Many coffees meet weekly, but below are the few that meet monthly:

HULL | 1st Friday of the month, 9 – 10:30 AM, 1117 Nantasket Ave

COHASSET | 2nd Fridays, 9 – 10:30 AM, Willcutt Commons, 91 Sohier St

HINGHAM | 3rd Fridays, 9 – 10:30 AM, Town Hall, 2nd Deck Cafeteria, 210 Central St

WEYMOUTH | 4th Fridays, 9 – 10:30 AM, McCulloch Bldg, 182 Green St

Upcoming Events

Aug. 13, Healthy Teaching Kitchen; call 781-687-3441 Tuesdays; Open Studio Art Therapy (virtual); call 781-687-3199

Aug. 19, Free produce market; 12:30-2 behind bldg. 61 Saturdays, Skill Building Art Therapy; call 781-687-3199



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Vets Coffee on Facebook*

VA Bedford Healthcare System on Facebook

*Links to non-government websites provided as a public service only



WEEKLY VETERAN COFFEE SOCIALS

Tewksbury Mondays	Ayer Tuesdays
9 – 10 AM	7:30 – 9:30 AM
Bayberry Assisted Living	Union Coffee Roaster
Facility, 2000 Emerald Ct	25 Main St
Auburn Tuesdays	Chelmsford Tuesdays
6:30 – 8 PM	9:30 – 11 AM
Dunkin Donuts	American Legion
386 Southbridge St	90 Groton Rd, North
	Chelmsford
Bedford Thursdays	Haverhill Thursdays
7:30 – 9 AM	7:30 – 9 AM
VA Bedford Patriot	Battle Grounds Coffee
Canteen, 200 Springs Rd	39 Washington St
Danvers Thursdays	Gloucester Fridays
5 – 6 PM	8:30 – 10 AM
VFW Post 2359	Gloucester Veterans
5 Conant St	Services, 12 Emerson Ave
Billerica Fridays	Plymouth Fridays
9:30 – 11 AM	1 – 2:30 PM
High Octane Harley-	Nathan Hale Veteran
Davidson	Outreach Center
1 Chelmsford Rd	116 Long Pond Rd
Rockport Saturdays	Manchester-by-the-Sea
8 – 10 AM	Saturdays, 8:30 – 10 AM
American Legion Post 98	American Legion Post 113
32 Beach St	14 Church St
Beverly Saturdays	
8:30 – 10 AM	
Vittori-Rocci Post 56	
143 Brimbal Ave	

Veterans Crisis Line

If you are experiencing anxiety or other symptoms, the Veterans Crisis Line is always available. Talk, text, or chat.

Call **1-800-273-8255**, press **1** Send a text message to 838255 Confidential online chat session Veterans Crisis

