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**Giving Back To Those Who Have Served On Veterans Day**

*Patriots Point Offers Free Admission and Live Watercolor Workshop for Veterans*

**MOUNT PLEASANT, S.C.** – This Veterans Day weekend, November 10-11, Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum is proud to offer veterans and one guest free admission to the museum in recognition of their dedicated service and sacrifice.

“Granting veterans free admission on Veterans Day is our heartfelt salute to their unwavering dedication and sacrifice, ensuring their valor is remembered and honored.” said Allison Hunt, Patriots Point Executive Director.

In addition to free admission, the Summerall Guards, a silent precision military drill platoon at The Citadel, will perform on the Flight Deck of the USS Yorktown at noon, and veterans are also invited to join nationally renowned artists Mary Whyte and Stan Miller for a live watercolor workshop aboard the USS Yorktown from 10am – 2 pm. Tuition is free and beginners are encouraged to attend.

Veterans wishing to participate in the live watercolor workshop are asked to register in advance through the Patriot Art Foundation at [info@patriotsartfoundation.org](mailto:info@patriotsartfoundation.org). The workshop is limited to forty veterans.

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### **About Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum**

*Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum, on the Charleston Harbor, is the #1 attraction in Mount Pleasant, S.C., and is home to a fleet of National Historic Landmark ships, and the only Vietnam Support Base Camp in the U.S. Patriots Point is also headquarters to the Congressional Medal of Honor Society and the agency's official Medal of Honor Museum. Visit [www.patriotspoint.org](http://www.patriotspoint.org) for more details, or find us at @patriots\_point on Twitter and Instagram, and Facebook at [www.facebook.com/PatriotsPoint.org](http://www.facebook.com/PatriotsPoint.org).*

### **About the USS Yorktown Foundation**

*The USS Yorktown Foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization dedicated to raising funds to provide scholarships for educational programs at Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum, as well as supporting new exhibits, symposiums and special programs. The Foundation's mission is "to cultivate a unique learning environment that connects generations by celebrating America's history and its heroes, inspiring freedom, patriotism, leadership and service." For more information, please visit [www.USSYorktownFoundation.org](http://www.USSYorktownFoundation.org) or call 843.881.5925.*