

Our Community Salutes of Connecticut 2024 High School Enlistee Recognition Ceremony



Our Community Salutes
Honoring and supporting our nation's newest and youngest service members

2024 OCS Ceremonies

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- **WHEN:** 18 May 2024
 - Doors open at 09:00 am
 - Ceremony begins 10:00 am
- **WHERE:** Hartford Armory
 - 360 Broad Street, Hartford, CT 06105
- **WHY:** To honor the Class of 2024 high school seniors and their families.
- **UNIFORM:** Business, business casual, military service uniform.
- **POC:** Christine Prutzman (970) 290-3712
- Registration ends 11 May 2024. There is no cost to attend the event.

About OCS

Supporting our Next Generation of Service

Our national communities honoring the generation of service members.



Our Community Salutes (OCS) is a national, non-profit organization helping communities recognize, honor and support high school seniors who plan to enlist in the U.S. Armed Services after graduation.

- Founded in 2009 by educator and former U.S. Army officer, Dr. Kenneth Hartman

Provides:

- guidance
- information
- resources
- community support

Our Community Salutes includes:

- community leaders
- government officials
- educators
- Businessmen
- veterans / veteran service organizations

About Our Communities

Since 2009, OCS enlistee recognition ceremonies have been held by local communities in banquet halls, auditoriums, and sports arenas from New York to California, with tens of thousands of people attending, a testimony to the appreciation of the young men and women of OCS entering military service.

OCS ceremonies are events organized by parents, educators, business and community leaders, and veterans to provide community support for students, parents, and families as their family member transitions into military service and joins the 1% of Americans who serve in uniform.

Each OCS student-enlistee receives a Certificate of Recognition from Our Community Salutes, a pocket guide of the U.S. Constitution, gifts by supportive sponsors, and the recognition that their community of veterans, parents, and community leaders supports their decision to serve.

Attending a Ceremony

Register online

<https://www.ourcommunitysalutes.org/sponsor-a-ceremony>



2024 High School Enlistee Recognition Ceremony

Welcome to OCS of Connecticut! We are now accepting registrations for our upcoming ceremony.

- 📅 Time** : May 18, 2024 10:00 am
📍 Location : Hartford Armory
➔ Direction : 360 Broad Street Hartford, CT 06105

Our Community Salutes of Connecticut will host its Inaugural High School Enlistee Recognition Ceremony to honor the Class of 2024 high school seniors and their families on May 18, 2024.

Doors open for check-in at 9:00am.
The ceremony will begin promptly at 10:00am.

Speakers, to date, include

- Major General Fran Evon, The Adjutant General, Connecticut Military Department

There is no cost to attend this event. Local businesses and individuals are underwriting the entire cost of the ceremony in honor of our Class of 2024 high school enlistees who have made the selfless decision to serve our country.

Suggested dress attire is business or business casual. Everyone must register to attend the event.

Please be sure to register by: May 11th.

Attendee Info

First Name *	<input type="text" value="Your First Name"/>
Last Name *	<input type="text" value="Your Last Name"/>
Address 1 *	<input type="text" value="Your Street Address"/>
Address 2	<input type="text" value="Apt, Suite, etc."/>
City *	<input type="text" value="Your City"/>
State *	<input type="text" value="Choose an option"/>
ZIP *	<input type="text" value="Your ZIP"/>
E-mail *	<input type="text" value="Your E-mail"/>
Mobile Phone *	<input type="text" value="Your Mobile Phone"/>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Send me text updates
Attendee Type *	<input type="text" value="Choose an option"/>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Keep me informed on other OCS updates

Register

Sponsoring a Ceremony

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Various levels of sponsorship

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://www.ourcommunitysalutes.org/sponsor-a-ceremony>. The page features the 'OUR COMMUNITY SALUTES' logo and a navigation menu. The main content area is titled 'Ceremony Sponsor' and contains a registration form with the following fields and text:

- Sponsor Name**: A text input field.
- Alternate Sponsor Name (for appearance on signage)**: A text input field.
- Phone: (856) 489-8679**: A label for a phone number field.
- Organization Type**: A dropdown menu.
- Which OCS event would you like to be a part of?**: A dropdown menu.
- Our Community Salutes USA**: 504 Centennial Blvd. #11881, Voorhees, NJ 08043.
- Security features**: 'I'm not a robot' checkbox, Cloudflare, and Formsite logos.

The screenshot displays a page titled 'Support OCS of Connecticut Ceremony May 18th'. It features four sponsorship options, each with a representative image, a title, a price, a description, and a 'DONATE' button:

- Gold Supporter \$1,000**: Supports up to 10 future service members and their families to attend this event.
- Silver Supporter \$500**: Supports up to 5 future service members and their families to attend this event.
- Bronze Supporter \$250**: Supports 2 future service members and their families to attend this event.
- Associate Supporter \$125**: General support for this event.

Below these options is an 'Other Amount' section with a representative image and the text: 'Support this event with a donation of any amount'. A 'DONATE' button is also present for this option.