

#### **PARTNER**

**OPPORTUNITIES** 



#### **ANNUAL PARTNERSHIP LEVELS**









### ABOUT US



#### **OUR MISSION**

Foster hope and support post traumatic growth for veterans.

We believe there is no better medicine than being in a community with other veterans and their families, rediscovering purpose, and serving a cause which is greater than ourselves.

#### THE NEED

Issues confronting veterans include homelessness, mental health conditions, substance abuse, and wounds to the soul, caused by military service. As the needs of veterans evolve, we've done our best to evolve and meet them. We have learned that medical doctors can repair physical wounds, psychologists can help heal the mind, but there are very few resources to address soul injuries.



#### **LOCATION**

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#### **CONTACT**

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WEBSITE

EVERYTHIRDSATURDAY.ORG



## MEET THE TEAM

We couldn't do the work we do without the help of generous people, like you.

Thank you for supporting our cause - and for learning more about ways to get involved as a partner in 2025.

#### **EVERY THIRD SATURDAY (ETS)**

Jon: Warrior's Return Director

Kayla: Social Media Manager

Jessi: Executive Director

James: Front Desk Administrator

**Eric: Veterans Advocate** 

**Tom: Veterans Advocate** 

Krista: Growth & Marketing Director

Amos: Internship Program Director



# EMPOWER PARTNER





- Contribution: Donate \$20,000 or more
- Impact Opportunity: Fund a Warrior's Return cohort
   Provide veterans with an opportunity to address moral injury, recognize their value, heal soul wounds, and experience post-traumatic growth.



ETS hosts 5 Warrior's Return cohorts per calendar year. Each cohort typically consists of 6-8 veterans.

 Impact Opportunity: Support a veteran in the ETS Internship, providing employment and skill development opportunities.



Veterans in the internship work at ETS and/or Rick's Coffee Bar. They also meet with a career coach and life coach.

## CONNECT PARTNER





- Contribution: Donate \$10,000 or more
- Impact Opportunity: Fund and maintain the Veterans Resource & Empowerment Center (VREC) and ETS Community Events to bring veterans and their families together, offering vital opportunities for connection, and combating isolation while fostering a sense of belonging and camaraderie.



ets hosts 12 Community Events annually on the third Saturday of each month, providing lunch and a safe environment for veterans and their families.

 Impact Opportunity: Promote growth through the Fitness Center and Education Classes, providing veterans with personal development opportunities.



The Fitness Center is open Mon-Fri at no cost to veterans or family members.

## SUPPORT PARTNER





- Contribution: Donate \$5,000 or more
- Impact Opportunity: Help prevent evictions for veterans facing housing instability by offering assistance and resources to ensure they have a safe place to stay and avoid the stress of displacement.



ETS aids in short-term housing solutions while working with partner organizations to ensure veterans have the tools needed to secure a long-term housing option.

 Impact Opportunity: Provide veterans with emergency assistance for needs like car repairs and electric bills, to ensure they can maintain their independence and navigate challenges.



ETS helps veterans overcome transportation challenges that can directly impact their job security.

## COMMUNITY PARTNER





- Contribution: Donate \$2,500 or more
- Impact Opportunity: Help stock and maintain the Supply Store which serves as a vital resource, providing veterans and their families with essential clothing, boots, coats, and hygiene items at no cost. By ensuring access to these necessities, the Store helps veterans navigate their daily lives with dignity and comfort while fostering a sense of community.



The ETS supply store serves 200+ veterans every month.

 Impact Opportunity: Stock the Veterans Resource Snack Bar, providing daily necessities and fostering a welcoming environment.



There are 3,000+ visits by veterans to ETS each calendar year.

# PARTNER BENEFITS



#### **BENEFITS**

In appreciation of your generosity, we'd like to offer you the opportunity to promote your company. We would be happy to promote you as one of our partners on our website, in our newsletter, and on our social channels. The added hope would be that it's mutually beneficial and assists you in building your brand awareness and/or attracting new customers.

Contributions to ETS are also 100% tax deductible.

#### **ADDITIONAL BENEFITS**

As a partner, you become part of the ETS family. This is so very meaningful to us! Our journey is always better together with others, which is why we strongly believe in building community and learning from one another. By becoming a 2025 partner, you have the opportunity to make a positive impact in the veteran community as well as in the surrounding communities we serve. It's a ripple effect that can travel beyond what we may ever know - and YOU get to be a part of it.

# BENEFIT LEVELS



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Logo included on Partner page of ETS website  • Hyperlink from logo to your company website	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\odot$	
Name included on Partner page of ETS website				$\odot$
Opportunity to participate in ETS Resource Fair • Priority given to your organization	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$		
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YOUR SUPPORT CHANGES LIVES—HELP EMPOWER VETERANS TO REBUILD, RECOVER, AND RECONNECT.

## PARTNER THIRD SATURDAY EVENT

- Contribution: Sponsor a meal for veterans in the community during our third Saturday event. Partners provide and serve the meal. They are welcome to provide the activity if interested (Bingo, Music, etc.).
- Impact Opportunity: Bring veterans and their families together for a community meal and activity —completely free of charge. This gathering is about more than just food; it's about connection, camaraderie, and creating a safe, welcoming space for those who have served.

**Date:** Third Saturday of every month

**Time:** 11:00am - 1:00pm

#### Location:

Every Third Saturday 5402 43rd Ave S. Minneapolis, MN 55417

Partners will be featured in our newsletter and will receive a thank you call out on social media.



# **2025 EVENTS**



25 APR Black, Silver & Blue Gala

**GOLDEN VALLEY, MN** 

22 JUL ETS Golf Tournament

BROOKLYN PARK, MN

6 SEP ETS Salute the Troops Event

SUTTON RIDGE FARM

### THANK YOU



## WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU

If interested in becoming a partner and/or learning about any of our 2025 events, please email krista@everythirdsaturday.org