



Project Updates

Limited Elevator Access

Due to remodeling of the elevator lobbies in the Main Tower.

Starting Nov. 25th, access to the **7th Floor**

will only be available using the Main Building Freight Elevator or Freedom Pavilion Elevator.

Starting Dec. 2nd, access to the **5th Floor**

will only be available using the Main Building Freight Elevator or Freedom Pavilion Elevator.

Starting Dec. 9th, access to the **10th Floor**

will only be available using the Main Building Freight Elevator.

Remodeling in each lobby area will last approximately 45 days from the scheduled start date.

Please watch for directional signs posted in the facility. Thank you for your patience during this improvement!

Thank you!

We would like to thank all of the generous individuals and organizations that made donations for Veterans Day.

Smile!

VA Has you covered with the new VA Dental Insurance Program.

VA provides dental care to Veterans who meet eligibility standards; however, the benefit is not available to many Veterans. VA would like all Veterans and beneficiaries to have access to good oral health. The VA Dental Insurance Program (VADIP) offers dental insurance at a special low rate for Veterans.

Participants in VADIP pay a fixed monthly premium in addition to any copayments required by the plan. Eligibility for VADIP is limited to Veterans enrolled in VA health care and beneficiaries of VA's Civilian Health and Medical Program (CHAMPVA). To learn more about eligibility, visit www.va.gov/healthbenefits/VADIP.

Plans offered by Delta Dental and MetLife. Enroll now. Coverage begins 1/1/14. To learn more and sign up, contact the dental plans directly:

Delta Dental: www.deltadentalvadip.org or (855) 370-3303

MetLife: www.metlife.com/VADIP or (888) 310-1681

KCVA EVENTS

Great American Smokeout

11/21/13 9am – Noon
KCVA Hall of Heroes

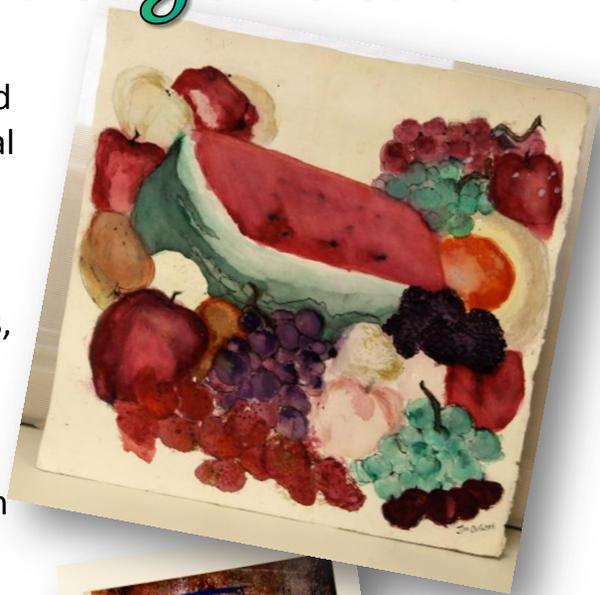
Thanksgiving

(Observed)
11/28/13

Recovery Through Art

In an effort to combat stigma about mental illness and highlight the artistic talent of Veterans in KCVA Mental Health programs, the KCVA Veterans Advisory Council on Mental Health sponsored "Recovery Through Art" on Wednesday, October 30th. Fifteen veterans displayed oil paintings, watercolor paintings, sketches, photography and Native American Art. For many of these Veterans, their art is an important part of their coping and recovery process. Several of the Veterans only recently discovered their talent when they began taking part in an art class at The Vet Center.

If you are a Veteran artist who is also taking part in Mental Health programs and would like to feature your artwork at a future art fair, contact Stana Eager, Local Recovery Coordinator, at 816-861-4700, ext. 56958.



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Veterans Crisis Line

1-800-273-8255



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