

# VETERANS TREATMENT COURT

# THE VETERANS' SIX

JULY  
2025



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## MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Lake Havasu Veterans Treatment Court is to promote public safety through the collaborative effort of the criminal justice team by establishing individualized treatment plans and providing the tools necessary for successful community reengagement, thereby breaking the revolving door cycle among our Justice Involved Veterans.

*THE LHC VETERANS TREATMENT COURT MONTHLY NEWSLETTER DEDICATED TO HAVING THE SIX OF EVERY JUSTICE INVOLVED VETERAN*

# LAKE HAVASU CITY COURT DATES



Save  
THE  
Date



## Hearing Dates

All Hearings are held at 1:30pm  
92 Acoma Blvd S.

July 11, 2025 Graduation  
July 25, 2025

August 8, 2025  
August 22, 2025





## Family Day




10<sup>th</sup> Annual Mark S Nexsen  
Veterans Treatment Court Family Day  
July 12<sup>th</sup> 11:00 - 2:00  
Relics & Rods Hall, Aquatic Center, LHC

## Clothes Closet

**July 26, 2025**

7:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.- meet there  
1968 Mesquite Avenue, LHC, AZ 86403





Veteran has successfully  
completed the Lake Havasu  
Veterans Treatment  
Court Program

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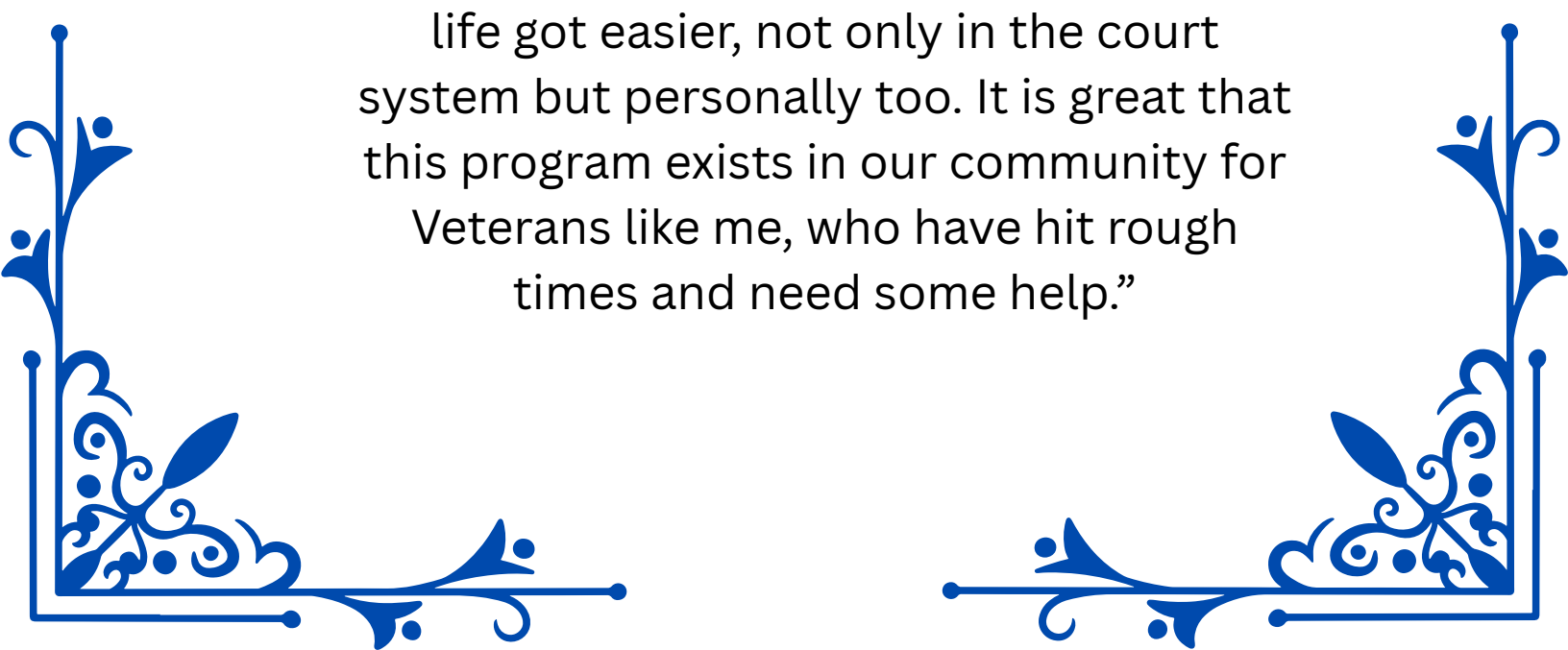
**NAVY**

VTC Graduation Date

**October 14, 2016**

My experience in the program

“My Vet Court experience was wonderful. It was the best of times, it was the worst of times, but it was worth it. The program connected myself and my fellow Veterans to all the help that is available to us in our community. When I followed the 3 rules—I was honest, I showed up even with transportation being hard, and I tried—my life got easier, not only in the court system but personally too. It is great that this program exists in our community for Veterans like me, who have hit rough times and need some help.”



# KINGMAN VETERANS TREATMENT COURT

## Kingman Court Dates

July 2, 2025 1:30pm  
July 16, 2025 1:30pm

## Kingman VRT

July 2, 2025  
at 11:30am

## Alexis Timm

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## Mentor Corps

The mission of VTC mentors is to serve their justice involved veterans by being a source of positivity, moral support, and guidance as they work toward successfully completing the VTC Program.



219 N. 4th St. Kingman AZ 86401

# Service and Benefits

YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE  
**10TH ANNUAL - MARK S. NEXSEN**  
**VETERANS TREATMENT**  
**COURT FAMILY DAY**

**JULY 12TH**

**11:00 - 2:00**



**In honor of our Justice Involved Veterans, Graduates, and  
their families, please come and enjoy -**

FREE BBQ - LIVE ENTERTAINMENT - KID ZONE -  
SWIMMING - FACE PAINTING - ANIMAL BALLOONS  
VETERANS INFORMATION BOOTHS

**LHC AQUATIC CENTER  
RELICS & RODS HALL  
100 PARK AVE, LHC, AZ 86403**

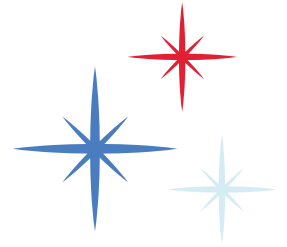
Transportation available 928-230-0392 Call between 8am-12pm

For vendor information contact Kim Stirling

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# This month in Military History



## Independence Day Facts

The Declaration of Independence wasn't unanimously signed by all 56 delegates at one time. The majority actually signed on August 2nd, 1776 and the last signature (Thomas McKean) wasn't recorded until sometime in 1781. Of the 56 signers, 8 were born outside North America.

On July 4th, 1776, Congress formally adopted the Declaration of Independence, which had been written largely by Jefferson. Although the vote for actual independence took place on July 2nd, from then on the 4th became the day that was celebrated as the birth of American independence.

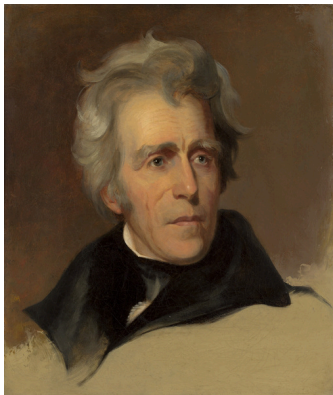
The average age of those who signed the Declaration of Independence was 45. The youngest, at age 27, was Thomas Lynch, Jr of South Carolina. The oldest delegate was Benjamin Franklin of Pennsylvania at age 70. Thomas Jefferson was 33.

The Pennsylvania Evening Post was the first newspaper to print the Declaration of Independence on July 6th, 1776. This served as both notice and explanation to the public for the need to declare independence from Great Britain.

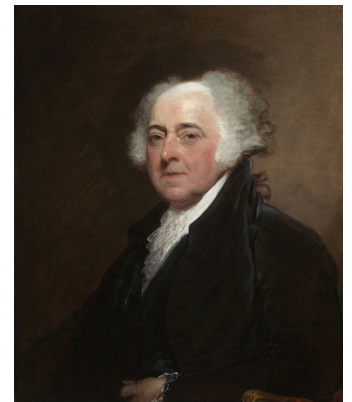
Fireworks were first used in celebration of the 4th of July in 1777 to mark the first anniversary of the Declaration of Independence.

Thomas Jefferson changed the wording of the Declaration of Independence from "the pursuit of Property" to "the pursuit of Happiness." Jefferson was also the first U.S. President to celebrate the 4th of July at the White House.

John Adams believed that July 2nd was the correct date on which to celebrate the birth of American independence, and would reportedly turn down invitations to appear at July 4th events in protest. Adams and Thomas Jefferson both died on July 4, 1826—the 50th anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence.



Thomas Jefferson



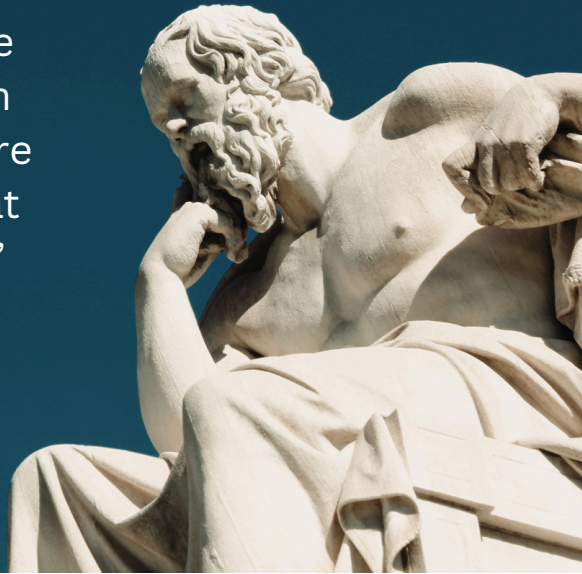
John Adams



# Judge K's Corner

“Initiating change can be difficult, but it's through change that we learn more about ourselves and what we are truly capable of.”

— Judge K



## MENTORSHIP

We want YOU to be involved in our LHC Veterans Treatment Court Mentor Program! Upcoming meetings will be held in the Courthouse Jury Assembly Room

For more information, please contact Joan:

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### VTC Alumni Meeting

VTC Graduates, Phase 3 participants, Mentors, & the Staffing Team are welcome!

The first Thursday of each month  
at 6:00PM

Havasu Community Health Foundation:  
Shambles Village

2126 McCulloch Blvd. N. Suite 7

July 3, 2025 at 6:00pm

August 6, 2025 at 6:00pm

### The General

Monday – Friday (ONLY)

The General is available for  
U/A testing (M-F)

Counseling appointments &  
In-person Court Hearings

The van number is 928-230-0392  
Call between 8am – 12pm to schedule

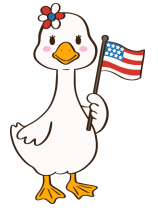
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