

Victory Ship Revival



AUGUST 18-29, 2025

In partnership with **Rosie the Riveter/World War II Home Front National Historical Park, International Boilermakers Local Union 549,** and **Rosie the Riveter Trust,** a team of Modern Day Rosies will complete essential repairs on the historic **SS Red Oak Victory Ship.**

THE LAST SURVIVOR

Red Oak Victory is the last surviving vessel of 747 ships of all types built at the Richmond Kaiser Shipyards during World War II. She continues to serve today as a museum ship and as a monument to the thousands of men and women who worked hard to build these ships in a time of national crisis.

WHY DOES SHE NEED REVIVAL?

Red Oak Victory is a treasured piece of history that has spent decades exposed to the elements. To maintain her structural integrity and historical authenticity, essential repairs, preservation efforts, and cosmetic restorations are needed.



Modern Day Rosies Answer the Call



Built by Women Then, Renewed by Women Now!

In a historic full-circle moment, a new generation of women, nicknamed “Modern Day Rosies”, will answer the call for *Red Oak Victory*’s newest restoration project.

In August, these Modern Day Rosies will carry forward the spirit of the original World War II Rosies—trailblazing women who stepped up to build the ships, planes, and infrastructure that fueled the war effort. They are welders and leaders in their communities who advocate for equity, mentorship, and the preservation of Rosie the Riveter’s legacy.

A Call to Action!

Together, we can ensure this powerful story continues to inspire. Join us in preserving history—act now!

HOW YOU CAN HELP

- Donate Today – Every contribution helps us reach our goal
 - Materials and supplies
 - Use of equipment
 - Labor support
- Spread the Word – Share our mission and story with your colleagues and community

PARTNERSHIP BENEFITS *(vary based on donation)*

- Recognition of your partnership on banners at the *Red Oak Victory* Ship site and as part of media day and beyond
- Free or discounted use of *Red Oak Victory* for group tours, private events, etc.
- Website, newsletter acknowledgment
- Annual passes to *Red Oak Victory* for employees, friends, and families

For more information and ways you and your organization can support the project, please contact Kim Abbott at *Red Oak Victory*: revival@redoakvictory.us

See our website for partnership benefit details and up-to-date information:

redoakvictory.us/victory-ship-revival

