

Indiantown Gap National Cemetery to Observe Memorial Day

Community Encouraged to Attend

Indiantown Gap National Cemetery (IGNC) announced it will host its 40th Annual Memorial Day Program on Sunday, May 28, 2023, at 2 p.m. rain or shine. Attendees are encouraged to dress appropriately for the weather. This year's program is cosponsored by the Indiantown Gap National Cemetery Memorial Council and the Marine Corps League, Department of PA.

John Spruyt, director of IGNC, will welcome the audience. Senior Marine and Assistant Professor at the Army War College in Carlisle, Colonel Keit E. Burkepile, will deliver the keynote address. Joseph Snyder, Memorial Council Vice President, will serve as the master of ceremonies.

The program will be held in the parking lot above the Pennsylvania Veterans Memorial while it undergoes renovations.

Parking will be at MSC Industrial Supply Co. 100 MSC Drive, Jonestown located just east of Fort Indiantown Gap. Shuttle bus transportation will begin running at 12 noon to and from the designated parking area to the Cemetery. If entering the area from the west, there is construction on Fisher Avenue at Biddle Road. Attendees should follow the detour sign on Biddle road around the Post. There will be limited handicapped parking at the Cemetery itself.

The Avenue of Flags display on the Cemetery will be flown through Veterans Day Week. The Avenue of Flags is made up of casket flags that have been donated by Veterans' families. State, territories, and service flags will also be flown.