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### **MEMORIAL DAY ACTIVITIES**

FORT GORDON, GA - Fort Gordon speakers, band, color guard and military units are set to participate in Memorial Day observances in the Augusta-Aiken area.

The Aiken Marine Corps League Memorial Day parade on Saturday, May 29, features support from the Signal Corps Band, color guard, along with the U.S. Navy Information Operations Command, the 15<sup>th</sup> Signal Brigade and the Wounded Warriors Transition Unit from Fort Gordon. The parade begins at 1 p.m. on Laurens Street.

Colonel Jeffrey Lepak, assigned to the commanding general's staff, U.S. Signal Center of Excellence and Fort Gordon will be guest speaker for Columbia County's Red, White and Blue celebration at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, May 29 at the Columbia County Courthouse, Ronald Reagan Drive. The U.S. Army Band, color guard and Wounded Warrior Transition Battalion will take part in the ceremony.

Command Sergeant Major Thomas Clark, U.S. Army Signal Center of Excellence and Fort Gordon will speak at the Georgia War Veterans Nursing Home on 15<sup>th</sup> Street at 9 a.m. Monday, May 31. The Signal Corps Band and color guard will participate.

The Fort Gordon color guard will participate in Bellevue Memorial Gardens Cemetery observance of Memorial Day, at 10 a.m. Monday, May 31 on Wrightsboro Road in Grovetown.

Colonel William Lukens, 7<sup>th</sup> Signal Command, will speak at the CSRA Veterans Memorial Day Ceremony at the Monument of All Wars on 4<sup>th</sup> and Broad Streets, 11 a.m.

Monday, May 31. Also participating in the ceremony will be the Fort Gordon color guard, the Signal Corps Band, the 706<sup>th</sup> Military Intelligence Group and the Navy Information Operations Command.

Memorial Day honors the men and women killed or missing in action in all wars fought by the United States.

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