

AMERICAN EXCEPTIONALISM



an AVM Production

AVM DEDICATION

Sunday May 28, 2017

1700 hrs. (5:00 P.M.)

VIP SOCIAL – Cocktails, *Hors d'oeuvre* and Tours

1800 hrs. (6:00 P.M.)

CALL TO ORDER ~ Picatinny Arsenal's Larry C. Taylor

RAISING OF THE FLAGS ~ 8 U.S. WWII Veterans / Mark Noyes on the bagpipes

NATIONAL ANTHEM ~ Soloist Cheryl Krapohl

THE PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE ~ Bill & Linda Sohl lead

INVOCATION ~ LTC Terrence Walsh

KEYNOTE SPEAKER ~ Brigadier General Alfred Abramson

PLACEMENT OF THE MEMORIAL WREATH ~ Brigadier General Alfred Abramson / LTC Jeffery Ivey

CANNON SALUTE ~ U.S. ARMY / Picatinny Arsenal

TAPS ~ Mount Olive High School Marching Band

WWII VETERAN RECOGNITION ~ Brigadier General Alfred Abramson / AVM Founder Charlie Uhrmann

DEDICATION PRODUCTION OPENING ~ Colonial Musketeers

DEDICATION OF THE LIBERTY WALL ~ Bill of Rights Recital / James Madison

PATH TO ENDURING FREEDOM ~ Presentation of the Period Flags / Re-enactors - Will Barr

WAR DOG MEMORIAL ~ Re-enactment – WWII Veteran / Trainer William "Bill" Wynne

DEDICATION OF THE SPIRITUAL CENOTAPH ~ If you're reading this / Steve Belton & Steve Yeager

DEDICATION OF THE WARRIOR OBELISK ~ Fallen Soldier / Steve Yeager & Andrea Beatty

NORTH STAR SEATING ~ My heart will go on / Vocalist Cheryl Krapohl / Signer Mara Barr

DEDICATION OF THE PARK ~ Hallelujah / Vocalists ~ Steve Belton, Steve Yeager, Caren Kennedy, Andrea Beatty, Mel Kent

PLACEMENT OF THE MEMORIAL WREATH(s) ~ Will Barr / Charlie Uhrmann

TAPS ~ Mount Olive High School Marching Band

BENEDICTION – Chaplin Adam Charmann

MEMORIAL REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY

Monday May 29, 2017

10:30 a.m. – NOON

DRUM CADENCE / PROCESSION / PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS

RISING OF THE COUNTY AND MILITARY FLAGS ~ Bagpiper Mark Noyes

NATIONAL ANTHEM ~ Michelle Rhoads

PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE ~ Bill & Linda Sohl lead

INVOCATION

LIBERTY WALL ~ James Madison cites

PRESENTATION OF THE FLAGS / WARS ~ Will Barr

WAR DOG MEMORIAL~ Re-enactment William "Bill" Wynne

CENOTAPH ~ If you're reading this / Steve Belton & Steve Yeager

WARRIOR OBELISK ~ Fallen Soldier / Steve Yeager & Andrea Beatty

NORTH STAR SEATING / PRESENTATION OF THE MEMORIAL FLOWERS

My heart will go on / Vocalist Cheryl Krapohl, Signer ~Mara Barr, Memorial Flowers MOGS

PRESENTATION OF THE MEMORIAL WREATHS ~ Charlie Uhrmann, Will Barr,

DEDICATION OF THE PARK ~ Hallelujah / Soloists Steve Belton, Steve Yeager, Caren Kennedy, Andrea Beatty, Mel Kent

TAPS ~ Mount Olive High School Marching Band

BENEDICTION / DISMISSAL