

## Cincinnati Area

### **Patriotic events for Memorial Day weekend**

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#### **Friday, May 22, 2015**

**Military Tribute**, 6 p.m., Rose Hill Burial Park, 2421 Princeton Road, **Hamilton**. 21 veterans of WWII, Korea and Vietnam will be honored.



#### **Saturday, May 23, 2015**

**Memorial Day Parade**, 11 a.m.-noon, City of **North College Hill**. Free. 513-772-2488; [www.northcollegehill.org](http://www.northcollegehill.org).

**Cincinnati Warbirds WWII USO Show**, 6-10 p.m., **Coney Island**, 6201 Kellogg Ave., Anderson Township. Moonlite Pavilion. Cash bar and hors d'oeuvres available. With ceremony honoring local veterans. Prizes for best period dress and authentic uniforms. \$17. 513-232-8230; [www.cincinnatiwarbirds.org](http://www.cincinnatiwarbirds.org).



#### **Sunday, May 24, 2015**

**Memorial Day Flag-Raising Ceremony and Lunch with a Veteran**, 11 a.m., Arlington Memorial Gardens, 2145 Compton Road, **Springfield Township**. Garden of Patriotism. Picnic for local veterans and their families, flag raising ceremony, memorial balloon release. Guest speaker is Dan Perkins. Free. 513-521-7003; [www.amgardens.org](http://www.amgardens.org).

**Memorial Day Luncheon**, 12:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m., Lakota Hills Baptist Church, 6300 Tylersville Road, **West Chester Township**. Sanctuary. Free luncheon and time of honor for all active, reserve, and retired military personnel, veterans, police officers, firefighters, public servants and families living in Cincinnati area. Free. Reservations required. 513-777-4571; [www.lakotahillsbaptist.com](http://www.lakotahillsbaptist.com).

**Memorial Day Ceremony**, 1-2 p.m., Veterans' Memorial Park, 934 Neeb Road, **Delhi Township**. Roll call of 19 Delhi killed-in-action, 21-gun salute and TAPS, color guards from Delhi Veterans and American Legion Post 534 with bagpiper, patriotic songs. Chris Craven keynote speaker with remarks from township and Delhi veteran officials. Free. 513-4718693.

**Memorial Day Ceremony**, 2 p.m., Butler Technology and Career Development Schools, 3603 Hamilton-Middletown Road, **Hamilton**. Auditorium. Guest speaker is Dr. Al Miller. Fairfield Township police and fire honor guard will present colors. 513-8681911.

**Memorial Day Service**, 2 p.m. (Channel 12's John Lomax emcees.), Kenton County Veterans Memorial, Buttermilk and Collins Road, **Crescent Springs**. For fallen members of military. Free. 859-816-1516.

**Campbell County Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3205 Memorial Day Parade**, 2 p.m. (Gary Burbank is grand marshal.), Campbell County Middle School, 8000 Alexandria Pike, **Alexandria**. Parade begins in parking lot, goes south on Washington Street, turn on Main Street and west on Main Street across U.S. 27 to Spillman Drive. Parade turns south on Spillman Drive to end at post. Free. 859-750-7211.

**Patriotic Music Concert 338th Army Band**, 6-8:30 p.m., Blue Ash Towne Square, Cooper and Hunt roads, **Blue Ash**. Bring lawn chairs/ blankets, own snacks to enjoy while listening to music in honor of our country. Free. 614-693-9524; facebook.com/338thArmyBand.

**Monday, May 25, 2015**

## **Memorial Day**

**Crestview-Cold Spring Memorial Day Parade**, 9 a.m., Cline Elementary School, 5586 E. Alexandria Pike, **Cold Spring**. Parade route travels down Dodsworth Lane through Cold Spring until turning in Crestview onto Circle Drive. Route turns onto Uhl Road to end at Crestview Memorial at intersection of Dodsworth and Uhl. Free. 859-781-4544.

**Memorial Day Parade**, 9 a.m., Ralph Fulton VFW Post 6423, 4435 Dixie Highway, **Elsmere**. Participants gather in post parking lot 8 a.m. Small service for fallen commands from Korean War and Vietnam War given at intersection of Dixie Highway and Stevenson Road at Vietnam/Korean Memorials. Parade ends at Forest Lawn Memorial Park Cemetery. Free. 859-816-7423.

**Glendale Memorial Day Parade and Service, 9:30 a.m., Glendale Elementary School, 930 Congress Ave., Glendale**. Parade line starts out from Glendale School and proceeds along route as follows: South on Congress to Fountain; Fountain to Woodbine; Woodbine to Elk; Elk to Greenville; Greenville to Willow; Willow to Sharon; Sharon to the War Memorial for ceremony. Free. No phone; www.glendaleohio.org.

**City of Edgewood Memorial Day Ceremony**, 10 a.m., Freedom Park, 550 Freedom Park Drive, **Edgewood**. Boy Scout Troop 770 collects tattered and worn American flags to be properly disposed of during ceremony at the Kenton County Veteran's Memorial in Freedom Park. Free. 859-3315910; www.edgewoodky.gov.

**Memorial Day Parade, 10 a.m.** (Dennis Suttmiller, a US Navy Korean War veteran, is Grand Marshall.), Union Day School, 8735 Cincinnati-Dayton Road, **West Chester Township**. Community parade ends at Brookside Cemetery. www.westchesteroh.org.

**City of Florence Memorial Day Parade**, 10 a.m., Boone County High School, 7056 Burlington Pike, **Florence**. Parade begins at school and goes down Burlington Pike/KY 18 onto Ewing Boulevard to the Florence Government Center. Program begins at 11 a.m. Dress for weather. Free. 859-282-5655; www.florence-ky.gov.

**Middletown Memorial Day Parade**, 10 a.m., Smith Park, 500 Tytus Ave., **Middletown**. Participants in parade gather at 9 a.m. Free. 513-4236017; www.cityofmiddletown.org.



**Memorial Day at the Krohn**, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Krohn Conservatory, 1501 Eden Park Drive, **Eden Park**. All active military and veterans get free admission. Special activities planned. Sponsored by Cincinnati Fire Department. \$7, \$4 children 5-12, free ages 4 and under. 513-421-5707; [www.cincinnatiiparks.com/krohn](http://www.cincinnatiiparks.com/krohn).

**Southgate Memorial Day Parade**, 10 a.m., City of Southgate, 122 Electric Ave., **Southgate**. Begins at Electric and Bluegrass Ave. and ends at Veterans Memorial. Reception follows. 859-441-0075; [www.southgateky.org](http://www.southgateky.org).

**Memorial Day Parade**, 10 a.m., Express Scripts, 4865 Winton Road, **Fairfield**. Units leave Express Scripts, turn left onto Hicks Boulevard, right on Nilles Road, left on Bibury Road, right on Wessel Drive, ending at Veterans Memorial Park. Followed by celebration. 513-8675348.

**Vet's, Burgers and Dogs In Honor of our Veterans**, 10 a.m.-noon, Tufts Schildmeyer Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 129 N. Riverside Ave., **Loveland**. Free food, beverage, music and giveaways. View military memorabilia, military vehicles, movies and information about veterans' benefits. Free. 513-683-2430, ext. 1; [www.tuftsschildmeyer.com](http://www.tuftsschildmeyer.com).

**Memorial Day Service**, 10-11 a.m., Highland Cemetery, 2167 Dixie Highway, **Fort Mitchell**. 859-331-3220.

**Memorial Day Ceremony**, 10 a.m., Fort Wright City Building, 409 Kyles Lane, **Fort Wright**. 859-578-6399.

**Memorial Day Parade**, 10:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m., Blue Ash Municipal and Safety Center, 4343 Cooper Road, **Blue Ash**. Blue Ash Civic League sponsors parade with technical support provided by the City of Blue Ash. Parade ends at Blue Ash Towne Square with ceremony. Family friendly. Free. 513-745-8550; [www.blueash-.com](http://www.blueash-.com).

**Memorial Day Parade**, 10:30 a.m., Independence Memorial Park, 2001 Jack Woods Parkway, **Independence**. Parade starts at Independence Towne Center by Fire Station No. 1, to Kenton County Courthouse. 859-356-6264.

**Bellevue-Dayton Memorial Day Parade**, 10:30 a.m., City of **Bellevue**. Starts at corner of Sixth and Main streets, travel down Fairfield Avenue, ending at the Bellevue Vets. Dayton resident Tom Herms is grand marshal. This year's parade program will pay tribute to Dot Murphy, who died earlier this month. Murphy walked in first parade as a girl scout and helped organize parade for many years. Free. 859-431-8888; [www.bellevueky.org](http://www.bellevueky.org).

**Camp Springs Memorial Day Parade**, 10:30 a.m., St. John's Lutheran Church, 5977 Lower Tug Fork Road, **Melbourne**. Organizations wishing to participate should arrive by 10 a.m. Memorial services held at 11:30 a.m. at Camp Springs Fire House. Community reception follows. Free. 859-866-2494.

**Civil War Memorial Day Ceremony**, 11 a.m., Spring Grove Cemetery and Arboretum, 4521 Spring Grove Ave., **Spring Grove Village**. Section 100. Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Sister Anthony O'Connell Auxiliary and Sixth Ohio Volunteer Infantry reenactment group conduct patriotic ceremony in memory of thousands of Civil War veterans buried here, tradition started by Grand Army of the Republic in 1868. Free. 513-681-7526; [suvwcincinnati.org](http://suvwcincinnati.org).

**Memorial Day Remembrance and Bell Ceremony**, noon-1 p.m., Anderson Center, 7850 Five Mile Road, **Anderson Township**. Remember sacrifices of America's service men and women. Rain or shine. Free. 513-6888400; [www.andersontownship.org](http://www.andersontownship.org).

**Blue Ash Montgomery Symphony Orchestra**, 6-8 p.m., Blue Ash Towne Square, Cooper and Hunt roads, **Blue Ash**. Turn of the Century Pops concert and veteran's tribute. Bring lawn chair. Free. 513-549-2197; [www.bamso.org](http://www.bamso.org).

**May 25 is Memorial Day, how will **you** commemorate the day?**

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