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CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE HOSTS MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE *In Remembrance of Our Fallen Military Heroes*

May 15, 2024.... San Clemente, California... The City of San Clemente invites you to come together with community leaders and show gratitude to the brave men and women who have given their lives for our freedom on Memorial Day, Monday, May 27, 2024. The program is held from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the San Clemente Community Center lawn, located at 100 N. Calle Seville.

On this solemn occasion, we pay tribute to the brave men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice in defense of our freedom and to safeguard our nation. We honor their selfless service and unwavering commitment to the cause of liberty. The featured keynote speaker is Lieutenant Colonel Patrick Holland, Commanding Officer, 2nd Battalion, 4th Marines. The program will also feature the presentation of wreaths and florals, posting of the colors, taps buglers, and live music.

The City invites all local civic organizations to participate in the presentation of wreaths and floral ceremony. This program is free and open to the public. Seating is limited. Please come early to ensure time to find parking.

Additionally, the City seeks to honor all San Clemente area veterans and service members who have passed away over the past year. If you would like to commemorate a service member who has passed this year, please e-mail the name of the service member, military branch of service, and ranking, making note of any particular battles or wars in which the servicemember served. Names can be emailed to Recreation@san-clemente.org, with attention to Alexandra Gallardo, Recreation Supervisor.

For more information, contact the City of San Clemente's Recreation Division at (949) 361-8264, (949) 429-8797 or www.san-clemente.org/recreation.

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