

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND
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present

DEFENDERS' DAY

FORT MCHENRY

NATIONAL MONUMENT AND
HISTORIC SHRINE
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND



featuring

The 3d U.S. Infantry Regiment (The Old Guard) *and* The U.S. Army Field Band

Open to the Public

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2019

- 9:00 a.m. - Park opens
- 10:00 a.m. - Living History Dress Parade and Morning Flag Change
- 11:15 a.m. - “Home of the Brave” Walking Tours with Park Rangers to experience the history of the U.S. Army at Fort McHenry
- 2:00 p.m. - 1814 Historical Weapons Demonstration
- 4:00 p.m. - Evening Flag Change
- 5:00 p.m. - Special Performance by the U.S. Army Field Band’s “Six String Soldiers” guitar ensemble
- 5:30 p.m. - Future Soldier Swearing-in Ceremony by Maj. Gen. Omar Jones IV, Commander Joint Force Headquarters - National Capital Region/Military District of Washington
- 5:40 p.m. - Special performance by The U.S. Army Old Guard Fife and Drum Corps and The U.S. Army Drill Team
- 6:30 p.m. - War of 1812, Civil War & WWI era Living History “Pass in Review”
- 7:15 p.m. - Patriotic Concert by The U.S. Army Field Band’s Concert Band with the Presidential Salute Battery
- 8:15 p.m. - Mock bombardment with the Presidential Salute Battery
- 8:25 p.m. - Flag raising with National Anthem followed by fireworks display with the underscore by The U.S. Army Field Band
- 9:00 p.m. - Park closes



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