



For Immediate Release:

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Busy Memorial Day Weekend Upcoming: Events and Closings

DELAWARE – A Memorial Day ceremony Monday, May 27 will begin at 10 am at Oak Grove Cemetery, 334 S. Sandusky Street. The ceremony, organized by local Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 1095, will include a flag presentation, speeches, the playing of “Taps,” and a rifle and cannon volley. The group asks attendees to please bring a lawn chair.

Also on the schedule:

- **Saturday, May 25:** The pool at Mingo Park and the splash pad at Veterans Park both will open for the season Saturday, May 25. Hours for Jack Florance Pool, 500 E. Lincoln Ave., will be noon- 4 pm, closing early Saturday because of the New Moon race course using Mingo Park that evening. Florance Pool will be open noon-7 pm Sunday, May 26 and noon-7 pm on Monday, May 27. The Spray and Play splash pad, 1121 S. Houk Rd., is open dawn to dusk through Labor Day.
- **Saturday, May 25:** Celebrate the unofficial arrival of summer Saturday, May 25 at the 5th New Moon Half & Quarter Marathon and the Crescent Moon 5K. All three races begin and end in the downtown and include a post-event celebration block party. Races begin downtown on Sandusky Street at 6 pm.
- **Monday, May 27:** City offices are closed May 27. Residential refuse and recycling crews will operate on the “next day” collection schedule for the week, beginning Tuesday, May 28, through Saturday, June 1. Questions concerning the schedule may be directed to the Customer Service Request Line, 740-203-1810.

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