



*Please join us at*

*The Columbia City Veterans Park*

*to honor*

*US Veterans & their Families*

*on*

*Monday, May 27, 2024 - 11:00 a.m.*

*Columbia City, Oregon*

*Memorial Day Ceremony*

## *Memorial Day Program*

**“Dawning of the Day”**

*Mark Mullaney, Oregon Piper*

**Master of Ceremonies**

*Rob Forman, Council President*

**“The Greatest Gift”**

*Margaret Magruder  
Columbia County Commissioner*

**Color Guard**

*Scout Troop 106*

**“To the Colors”/Flag Raising**

*Jacob Graichen, Trumpeter/Scout Troop 106*

**Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag**

*Kim Karber, City Administrator*

**“Star Spangled Banner”**

*Aron Eisenschmidt*

**United States Service Branch Flag Raising**

*US Army, US Marine Corps, US Navy, US Air Force, US Coast Guard and US Merchant Marine  
Flags raised by local members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)*

**Unveiling and Dedication of Gold Star Families Memorial Marker**  
*Jane Sercombe, Oregon State Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc*

**“Taps”/Placement of Wreaths**

*Jacob Graichen, Trumpeter*  
*Jane Eggleston, St. Helens Garden Club Co-President, Blue Star Marker*  
*Kathy Hupp, St. Helens Garden Club Vice President, Gold Star Marker*

**Missing Man Table and Honors Ceremony**

*Frank Hupp/David Beldon*

**“What are the Greatest Attributes of Democracy”**

*Rian Hamblin, Voice of Democracy Speech Contest Winner*

**Prayer**

*Alta Lynch, Veterans Chair of the St. Helens Elks Lodge No 1999*

**“God Bless America”**

*Aron Eisenschmidt*

**"Amazing Grace"**

*Mark Mullaney, Oregon Piper*

**“Scotland the Brave”**

*Mark Mullaney, Oregon Piper*

*Refreshments provided compliments of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mt. St. Helens Chapter*



*God Bless America Lyrics by Irving Berlin*



God bless America, land that I love  
Stand beside her and guide her  
Through the night with the light from above  
From the mountains, To the prairies,  
To the oceans white with foam  
God bless America, My home sweet home.

