

# Media Advisory

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## Japan's Chief of Staff to lay wreath at Tomb of the Unknown Soldier

**WHO & WHAT:** Gen. Koji Yamazaki, chief of staff, Japan Ground Self-Defense Force, will participate in an Army Full Honor Arrival ceremony and will lay a wreath at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier during an Army Full Honor Wreath-laying Ceremony Tuesday, July 10.

Gen. Mark A. Milley, chief of staff, the U.S. Army, will host the arrival ceremony and Maj. Gen. Michael L. Howard, commanding general, Joint Force Headquarters – National Capital Region and U.S. Army Military District of Washington will host the wreath-laying ceremony.

**WHEN & WHERE:** **9:30 a.m. Armed Forces Full Honor Arrival:** Whipple Field  
Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall, Virginia

**10:00 a.m. Wreath Ceremony:** Tomb of the Unknown Soldier  
Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia

### REGISTRATION:

Media interested in covering this ceremony must register by **10 a.m., Monday, July 9**. To be placed on the credentialed list, send an email to [usarmy.mcnair.mdw.mbx.mediadesk-omb@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.mcnair.mdw.mbx.mediadesk-omb@mail.mil) with the following information:

- **Full name (first, middle and last)**
- **Media organization and assignment (e.g. camera, still photographer)**
- **Contact phone number**
- **Email address**
- **Vehicle Info (tags, year, make, and model)**
- **Identify which ceremony you would like to cover (arrival or wreath-laying)**

### EDITOR'S NOTES:

- The U.S. Army Military District of Washington Public Affairs Office will contact media outlets with their credential status no later than **4 p.m., Monday, July 9**.
- Media interested in covering the events live are permitted to bring mobile broadcasting equipment capable of live feeds. Please provide this information when registering.

For additional details, media may contact the U.S. Army Military District of Washington Public Affairs Office at [usarmy.mcnair.mdw.mbx.mediadesk-omb@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.mcnair.mdw.mbx.mediadesk-omb@mail.mil) or call 202-685-4645.

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