



# Media Advisory

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## Department of Defense Celebrates President John F. Kennedy's 105th Birthday

*U.S. Armed Forces to honor the 35th American president*

**WHO & WHAT:** The U.S. Armed Forces are scheduled to honor America's 35<sup>th</sup> president, John F. Kennedy, for his 105th birthday.

Maj. Gen. Allan M. Pepin, commanding general, Joint Task Force-National Capital Region and the U.S. Army Military District of Washington, will lay the wreath.

Karen Durham-Aguilera, executive director, Army National Military Cemeteries will host the ceremony.

**WHEN:** Sunday, May 29 at 10 a.m.

**WHERE:** **President** John Fitzgerald Kennedy Gravesite  
Arlington National Cemetery  
Arlington, Virginia

### REGISTRATION:

Media interested in covering this ceremony must register by **noon, Monday, May 23**. 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 your full name, news media organization and assignment (e.g. camera, still photographer, etc.), contact phone number, email address, and vehicle information (year, make, model, color and tags).

### 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 **3 p.m., Monday, May 23**.
- President Kennedy is one of two U.S. presidents interred at Arlington National Cemetery (the other is President Taft).
- Media interested in covering the ceremony live are permitted to bring mobile broadcasting equipment capable of live feeds. Please provide this information when registering.
- Media will not be permitted to conduct interviews or stand-ups at Arlington National Cemetery or the President John Fitzgerald Kennedy Gravesite.

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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 Lauren Mick, Chief of Media Relations, 202-497-2011.

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