



# *Marchin' & Swingin'*

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## **MAY - JUNE SCHEDULE**

This month, Maryland Wing Music will begin rehearsing at the National Naval Medical Center, also called Bethesda Naval Hospital, in Bethesda, Maryland (except May 19<sup>th</sup>, when we'll be at The Heights School in Potomac). We are deeply indebted to Captain Frederick Lippert, USNR and the National Naval Medical Center or NNMC, for permitting us to use the facility. We will, of course, treat it with the utmost care and consideration and strictly obey all rules regarding its use.

NNMC is located at 8901 Wisconsin Ave [or Rockville Pike], Bethesda, Maryland. It is east of Rockville Pike and north of Bethesda, just across from the National Institutes of Health. It is identified by a large tower. Enter the facility on Southwood Road (going south on Rockville Pike, turn left; if going north on the Pike, turn right). Follow Southwood and make your first right, which will put to the right of the facility. Pass the main entrance and then to a second stop sign. Turn left. You should see the visitor's parking structure on your left, across from the facility. Park in the garage. Walk down or take an elevator to street level. Enter through the doors marked "Outpatient Entrance."

Go into the hospital, past the orthopedic department (right) and turn right at the first corridor. Continue down this corridor (which zig-zags] past the chapels (on right) ophthalmology (right) and the medical library (left). The Post Office is on the left, as well as an ATM. Keep walking straight ahead to a bank of two elevators. Take either to the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor.

When you leave the elevator go straight ahead about 50 feet. This is the auditorium, your destination. **IMPORTANT:** please observe all stop signs and yield to pedestrians. Parking regulations are strictly enforced by Navy Security Police.

May 12<sup>th</sup> -- 1000 to 1600 -- NMMC auditorium [Field Music 1200; Concert Band 1300]  
May 19<sup>th</sup> -- 1000 to 1600 -- The Heights School [Field Music 1200, Swing Band 1300]  
May 26<sup>th</sup> -- 1000 to 1600 -- NMMC amphitheater [Field Music 1200, Concert Band 1300]  
June 2<sup>nd</sup> -- 1000 to 1600 -- NMMC amphitheater [Field Music 1200, Concert Band 1300]  
June 9<sup>th</sup> -- 1000 to 1600 -- NMMC amphitheater [Field Music 1200, Swing Band, 1300]  
June 16<sup>th</sup> -- 1000 to 1600 -- NMMC amphitheater [Field Music 1200, Concert Band 1300]  
June 23<sup>rd</sup> -- 1000 to 1600 -- NMMC amphitheater [Field Music 1200, Swing Band 1300]  
June 30<sup>th</sup> -- 1000 to 1600 -- NMMC amphitheater {Field Music 1200, Concert Band 1300}

Note that the **amphitheater** is not the same as the **auditorium**. Directions to amphitheater will be given at the May 12<sup>th</sup> practice.

1000 to 1200 [10:00 AM to 12:00 PM] is reserved for Senior Member Level One and Cadet Protection training. If you are a CAP member and have not completed this training, please arrange with Lt. Goolsby to do so as soon as possible.

The following performances are scheduled for May - June, please contact Lt. Goolsby or Major Carroll and let us know, if you have not already done so, whether or not, you can make these performances.

May 27<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> -- Memorial Day observances in Lewes, Delaware {Swing & Concert bands}  
June 10<sup>th</sup> - Swing band performance Arlington Community TV, Arlington, VA 1100 - 1400  
June 16<sup>th</sup> - Swing band at the Virginian, [9229 Arlington Blvd. Fairfax VA] 1915 to 2015

Volunteers are needed for this year's National Military Music Academy. The activity will be held at Camp Frettered, Maryland, near Baltimore, July 17<sup>th</sup> to August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Civil Air Patrol Cadets will come from across the U S A to learn the fundamentals of military music and improve their musical skills. This is part of our mandate to implant music programs throughout the CAP. The NMMA will conduct clinics and drills daily. A number of activities are being planned for the NMMA band, including participation in memorial ceremonies with the Korean War Veterans at Korean War Memorial in Washington, DC, July 27<sup>th</sup>. The NMMA will give a musical performance at the White House Elipse, Sunday evening, July 29<sup>th</sup>. All members of Maryland Wing Music are urged to give what time and effort they can spare to help train these outstanding young men and women.

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

The United States Coast Guard Band was organized in March 1925 with the assistance of Lt. Charles Benter, leader of the U.S. Navy Band, Dr. Walter Danrosch, Director of the New York Philharmonic, and "March King," John Philip Sousa. In 1965, President Lyndon B. Johnson signed legislation officially recognizing the organization as the U.S. Coast Guard Band.