



DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
60TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE KOREAN WAR COMMEMORATION COMMITTEE
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Department of Defense to Recognize Over 100 Korean War Veterans in Peachtree City
Pentagon Officer to Participate in One of the Nation's First Veterans Day Programs

WHAT: The Department of Defense (DOD) 60th Anniversary of the Korean War Commemoration Committee will participate in a special program organized by the Commemorative Air Force (CAF) Dixie Wing to honor over 100 Korean War Veterans at Falcon Field in Peachtree City, Georgia.

WHO: Colonel David J. Clark, the Director of the Department of Defense 60th Anniversary of the Korean War Commemoration Committee, will present the Korean War Veterans with certificates of appreciation for their service and sacrifice signed by Secretary of Defense Leon Panetta. Colonel Clark, and other members of the Committee, will participate in Veterans Day ceremonies across the nation. The program in Peachtree City is one of the first large Veterans Day events held to recognize and honor Veterans.

The Department of Defense 60th Anniversary of the Korean War Commemoration Committee, a three-year program authorized by Congress, is dedicated to honoring the service and sacrifices of Korean War Veterans, commemorating the key events of the war and educating the public about the historical significance of the Korean War.

WHEN: 10:00 a.m. Saturday, November 3, 2012

WHERE: Falcon Field
Peachtree City, Georgia

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The Department of Defense 60th Anniversary of the Korean War Commemoration Committee, authorized in the 2011 Defense Authorization Bill, is dedicated to thanking and honoring all the Veterans of the Korean War, their families and especially those who lost loved ones in that war. Through 2013, the Committee will honor the service and sacrifice of Korean War Veterans, commemorate the key events of the war, and educate Americans of all ages about the historical significance of the Korean War. For more information, visit our website <http://koreanwar.defense.gov> or contact us at koreanwar@conus.army.mil. Keep connected with the Department of Defense 60th Anniversary of the Korean War Commemoration Committee via [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#), through videos at [YouTube](#) or with photos on [Flickr](#).