



NEWS RELEASE
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CITY OF NORCROSS TO HOST MEMORIAL DAY REMEMBRANCE EVENT

Let's spend this special day together! Music, food, special guests and more.

NORCROSS (GWINNETT COUNTY), GA (MAY 23, 2019) – The City of Norcross will be hosting a patriotic memorial event for Memorial Day on May 27th in Thrasher Park beginning at 11:30 a.m. that will include food, music and a special guest speaker, Tyler Reiss.

The memorial event is a perfect place to gather with friends and family in honor of the holiday. Special guest speaker Tyler Reiss, a Norcross Police employee and Army Ranger, will lead us in thanking those who have sacrificed for our country and a 5-piece band, The 116th Army Band, will perform for the crowd and our veterans. The Norcross Masonic Lodge will also be giving out hot dogs.

"We are pleased to gather in honor of our fallen men and women who sacrificed their lives to serve our military and serve our country", said City of Norcross Mayor Craig Newton. "We invite all our citizens, families and friends of our city to join with us as we honor this day and the lives of our heroes, together."

The Memorial Day Remembrance takes place from 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. on Monday, May 27th at Thrasher Park.

For more information, please visit www.aplacetoimagine.com.

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ABOUT THE CITY OF NORCROSS

Incorporated in 1870, the city of Norcross has been very busy securing a solid standing as both an eco-conscious community and world-class art district in the nearly century and a half since. Voted Gwinnett County's "Best Arts & Cultural Scene" by Gwinnett Magazine, Norcross has become well known for its unconventional public arts projects. Norcross was recognized by the Atlanta Regional Commission as one of only two Platinum-Certified Green Communities in the region and was named a "Best Green Government" by Gwinnett Clean & Beautiful and "Tree City USA" by The Arbor Day Foundation. The Sustainable Norcross Commission has earned regional applause for its efforts to spearhead the City's local pro-environment practices. The city's famed tree canopy, 13 parks and more than 31 acres of beautifully maintained public green space serve as popular gathering spaces for residents and visitors alike. A jam-packed calendar of events and eclectic collection of

shops and restaurants serve to keep the historic downtown area bustling year-round. Creative souls from all walks of life are encouraged to “come unwind” and enjoy the positive energy that earns Norcross its reputation as “a place to imagine.”

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