**FORT GEORGE G. MEADE**

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**June 5, 2019**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**Fort George G. Meade Hosts All Services Birthday Commemoration Run**

**WHAT:** Installation All Services Birthday Commemoration Run

**WHEN:** Friday, June 14, 2019 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m.

**WHERE:** McGlachlin Parade Field

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Fort George G. Meade will hold its All Services Birthday Commemoration Run, on the U.S. Army’s 244th birthday June 14. Traditionally, the run emphasizes the importance of espirit-de-corps and camaraderie among the joint forces on post. In the past, the run was known as the Army Birthday Run, however it was changed to All Services Birthday Commemoration Run to make it a joint birthday celebration. In past years, on post joint services held their own individual runs. Service members from all joint forces, civilians and family members can participate. Participants include the Garrison Headquarters Command, 902nd Military Intelligence group, Cyber Command, and 70th Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance Wing.

**BACKGROUND**

Fort Meade is the Nation’s Platform for Intelligence, Information and Cyber Operations. . With more than 56,000 employees representing each branch of military service, Fort Meade is the largest employer in the state of Maryland and the Army’s second largest installation based on population. Some of the Fort’s 119 tenant organizations include US Cyber Command, The National Security Agency, Defense Information Systems Agency, Defense Media Activity and federal agencies including the Architect of the Capitol and the Environmental Protection Agency.

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**EDITOR'S NOTE: Media interested in covering this event must RSVP by Day, Month, date. Please contact Mary Doyle in the Fort Meade Public Affairs Office at (301) 677-5592 or** **mary.l.doyle14.civ@mail.mil****. You will be given instructions for entering the installation.**

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