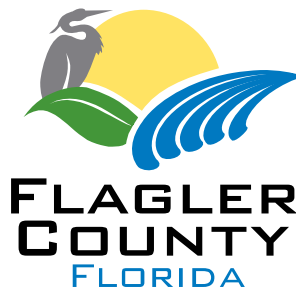


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Join Flagler County for Memorial Day Ceremony

May 20, 2019 – Join Flagler County at its Memorial Day Ceremony at 10 a.m. Monday, May 27, featuring Congressman Michael Waltz, who served for more than 20 years in the U.S. Army – selected as one of the elite Green Berets following his graduation from Ranger School.

“It is an honor to have a distinguished Green Beret like Lt. Colonel Waltz – who was also served Secretaries of Defense Donald Rumsfeld and Robert Gates at the Pentagon during the Bush administration – help us pay tribute to those who lost their lives in service to our country,” said Veterans Service Officer David Lydon.

Waltz served all over the world as a decorated Special Forces officer with multiple combat tours to Afghanistan and led the search for Bowe Berghdal. He was awarded four bronze stars including two for valor.

The ceremony will be at 10 a.m. in front of the Government Services Building, 1769 E. Moody Blvd., Bunnell. Local Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts will lead attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Flagler County’s first World War II hero – U.S. Marine Corps Private Joseph Brady Wadsworth – will be posthumously honored through a presentation by historian Sisco Deen, U.S. Air Force Captain, retired.

The Memorial Day event is sponsored by the Flagler County Commission and the Flagler County Veterans Advisory Council. Veterans groups to participate include: American Legion Post 115, Amvets Post 113, DAV Chapter 86, Marine Corps League 876, Military Officers Association of America, Military Order of the Purple Heart, Flagler County Veterans Service Office, VFW Post 8696, and the Knights of Columbus 2264 Color Corps.

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