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LITTLE BIGHORN BATTLEFIELD ANNOUNCES MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE, AND SUMMER SCHEDULE HOURS

In honor of America's veterans, active duty personnel, and casualties from all our nation's wars, Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument will pay homage to these individuals at Custer National Cemetery on Memorial Day.

The Memorial Day program will begin on Monday, May 26, 2014 at 11:00 AM. In the event of inclement weather, services will be held in the visitor center.

Following tradition, the approximately 5,000 interments at Custer National Cemetery will be decorated with miniature American flags by Pretty Eagle Catholic School students on Thursday, May 22. A register of interments is available at the visitor center information desk and touch-screen kiosk. Memorial floral decorations are permitted at Custer National Cemetery gravesites, provided they are removed no later than the following Sunday, June 1st.

Summer hours at Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument will begin Sunday, May 25, from 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM, and remain in effect through Labor Day. The visitor center will be open from 8:00 AM to 7:30 PM daily. The self-guiding tour road to Last Stand Hill/Battle Ridge and the Reno-Benteen Battlefield will be open from 8:00 AM to 7:30 PM.

Scheduled interpretive park ranger programs will be offered at the visitor center daily during the summer. Park entrance fees are \$10.00 per private vehicle or \$5.00 per person if hiking or traveling by motorcycle or bicycle. Entrance to the Custer National Cemetery is free of charge.

Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument administers the site of one of the most famous battles in American history, the Battle of the Little Bighorn. For more information, please call (406) 638-2621 or visit our web site at www.nps.gov/libi. We are also on [Facebook](#).

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