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Remarks by retired Gen. Gordon Sullivan



The U.S. Army War College and the U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center commemorates the U.S. [Army's 242nd Birthday](#) and the Military History Institute's 50th Anniversary on Wednesday, June 14, 2017, beginning at 1:30 p.m. inside the USAHEC.

The highlight of this year's celebration is a presentation by General (Retired) Gordon Sullivan, who served as the 32nd Chief of Staff of the Army, a culmination of more than 36 years of service on active duty. General Sullivan's remarks will honor both the long history of the Army and the history and significance of the Military History Institute.

Other event features include a reading of the Congressional Resolution, passed on June 14, 1775, [establishing the Army](#), a cake cutting, and singing of the Army Song.

Commemorating the [Army's birthday](#) provides an opportunity to celebrate its rich history with fellow Soldiers and look toward the future of the nation. Selfless service by Soldiers, Civilians, and Families keeps the nation ready today and prepared for tomorrow.

This event is free to attend and is open to all military and civilian employees of Carlisle Barracks and the public. For questions or more information, please call: 717-245-3972.