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**FAYETTEVILLE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA PRESENTS THEIR
FIFTH ANNUAL FREE SYMPHONIC SALUTE TO THE U.S. ARMED
FORCES CONCERT OVER MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND**

The Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra will be presenting their fifth annual free concert: A Symphonic Salute to the U.S. Armed Forces on Sunday, May 28th, 2017 at 7:30pm in Festival Park in Downtown Fayetteville, NC. Conducted and led by Dr. Timothy Altman, UNC Pembroke Music Department Chair, Professor of Trumpet, and Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra Principal Trumpet, the orchestra will perform a series of patriotic and popular works to honor all members of our armed forces for Memorial Day Weekend. This concert is free admission, but attendees are asked to bring their own lawn chairs or blankets to sit on if needed. Food trucks will also be on site in order to purchase food. In the event of inclement weather, the concert will be moved indoors to Huff Concert Hall at Methodist University.

This concert is sponsored by: Terri Union, Bryan Honda, Hutchens Law Firm, Select Band&Trust, and the Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County. Special thanks to Fayetteville Parks and Recreation Center for allowing us to use the park another year.

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The Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra, founded in 1956, is the longest standing performing arts agency in Fayetteville, NC. It is a professional, regional orchestra whose mission is to educate, entertain, and inspire the citizens of the Fayetteville, North Carolina region as the leading musical resource. Praised for its artistic excellence, the symphony leads in the cultural and educational landscape for Fayetteville and the southeastern North Carolina region.



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