

CAPITOL EVENTS

OFFICE OF THE CAPITOL COMMISSION

May

2016

May 1	State Holocaust Commemoration sponsored by Jewish Federation of Lincoln and Institute for Holocaust Education	3:00 p.m.	2nd Floor Rotunda
May 2-6	Quilt to Remember Display sponsored by Alzheimer's Foundation of America	All Day	1st Floor Rotunda
May 4	Governor's Proclamation Signing	10:00 am	Warner Chamber
May 4	Mother's Day Sale Landmark Store at the Capitol		20% off most items
May 6	Unionaires Concert sponsored by Union College	Noon	2nd Floor Rotunda
May 6-13	Law Enforcement Memorial Display sponsored by Nebraska State Patrol	All Day	1st Floor Rotunda
The 2016 Law Enforcement Memorial Day Ceremony will be held on Monday May 9 at 10:00 a.m. at the Nebraska Law Enforcement Memorial located on the grounds of the Nebraska State Fair at 409 East Fonner Park Road in Grand Island.			
May 15	Chief Standing Bear Trail Display sponsored by Nebraska Commission on Indian Affairs	All Day	1st Floor Rotunda
May 24-27	Supreme Court in Session	9:00 am	Supreme Court Chamber
May 30	State Holiday Memorial Day	10:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Capitol Open

May 30, 1868 was designated as a day of observance to lay flowers and fly flags over the graves of the soldiers and sailors who had given their lives to win a free and undivided republic by General Order #11 issued at the Headquarters of the Grand Army of the Republic in Washington D.C. by command of N.P. Shipman, Adjutant General, and John A. Logan, Commander in Chief. It was their hope that through this memorial day future generations would remember the cost of freedom.