

Gary Sinise and the Lt. Dan Band to perform at 2016 DoD Warrior Games Closing Ceremony

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ALEXANDRIA, Va. —

Gary Sinise and the Lt. Dan Band will perform during the 2016 Department of Defense (DoD) Warrior Games closing ceremony and concert Tuesday, June 21, at the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, New York. The closing ceremony and concert, free and open to the public, will begin at 5 p.m. at the outdoor amphitheater at Trophy Point. It will also include performances by Stolen Silver and the West Point Band, as well as a U.S. Air Force flyover and fireworks. The Lt. Dan Band, and Stolen Silver performances are made possible with the support of the Gary Sinise Foundation, along with their sponsors American Airlines, and Envoy.

"It's always such a privilege to play in gratitude and appreciation of our service men and women, those brave defenders who have sacrificed so much for this great country," said Sinise.

The DoD Warrior Games is an adaptive sports competition for wounded, ill and injured service members and veterans. Approximately 250 athletes will participate in eight sporting events, representing teams from the Army, Marine Corps, Navy/Coast Guard, Air Force, U.S. Special Operations Command and United Kingdom Armed Forces. The DoD Warrior Games highlight the resiliency and warrior spirit of service members, veterans and their families and caregivers. Spectators are encouraged to attend and cheer on the athletes as they compete throughout the DoD Warrior Games, beginning at 8 a.m. on June 15 and concluding on June 21.

The celebration will honor the athletes and their families with heartfelt and exciting performances. The festivities will begin with West Point's Benny Havens Band, a high-energy all genre cover band, followed by rock duo Stolen Silver. According to The Lawton Constitution, "Stolen Silver's acoustic-driven music entangled with harmonies is influenced by bands like the Eagles and Bread, along with songwriters like James Taylor and Cat Stevens." The concert headliner, Gary Sinise and the Lt. Dan Band, is a twelve-member all genre cover band who has been delivering lively performances for service members and veterans at military bases and festivals across the globe since 2003.



"After all they've been through, the Warrior Games is an excellent opportunity to see these inspirational heroes compete and conquer and I am honored the Gary Sinise Foundation, along with our partners American Airlines and Envoy can support our performance at the closing ceremony on June 21st," said Sinise.

For more information on attending, volunteering, covering or participating, please visit http://warriorgames.dodlive.mil or follow the Games on Facebook at https://facebook.com/warriorgames.

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