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National Museum of the Marine Corps Temporarily Closed

Triangle, VA - As a public health precaution, in relation to COVID-19 (coronavirus), the National Museum of the Marine Corps is temporarily closed beginning Saturday, March 14. The health and safety of visitors, staff and volunteers is the Museum's priority. The Museum grounds, to include Semper Fidelis Memorial Park and the playground, are also closed to the public.

Please follow the NMMC social media (@usmcmuseum) or website (www.usmcmuseum.com) for updates. In an effort to keep visitors engaged with the Museum during the closure "Behind the Scenes" and other content will be posted across social media platforms.

The Museum is a public-private partnership between the U.S. Marine Corps and the Marine Corps Heritage Foundation. The National Museum of the Marine Corps, under the command of Marine Corps University, preserves and exhibits the material history of the U.S. Marine Corps; honors the commitment, accomplishments, and sacrifices of Marines; supports recruitment, training, education, and retention of Marines; and provides the public with a readily accessible platform for the exploration of Marine Corps history. It is located at 18900 Jefferson Davis Highway in Triangle, VA. and open 9:00 am to 5:00 pm daily except December 25. Admission and parking are free. For more information, call 703-784-6107 or visit on the web at www.usmcmuseum.com.