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BATTLESHIP MISSOURI MEMORIAL TO CLOSE FOR ONE DAY ON SUNDAY, JUNE 30

Pearl Harbor, HI – (June 17, 2013) – The Battleship Missouri Memorial announced today that the historic attraction will be closed to the public for one day on Sunday, June 30. Usage of the battleship has been bought out for that day to accommodate a special filming project.

The memorial will reopen on Monday, July 1, with normal operating hours.

The Battleship Missouri Memorial is open daily from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. during the summer (June, July and August). General admission, which includes choice of an optional tour, is \$22 per adult and \$11 per child 4-12. Military, *kama'aina* (local resident) and school group pricing is available. For more information or for reservations, call (toll-free) 1-877-644-4896 or visit USSMissouri.org.

The Battleship Missouri Memorial, located a mere ship's length from the USS Arizona Memorial, completes a historical visitor experience that begins with the "day of infamy" and the sinking of the USS Arizona in Pearl Harbor and ends with Imperial Japan's unconditional surrender aboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo Bay.

Following an astounding career that spans five decades and three wars, from World War II to the Korean conflict to the Liberation of Kuwait, the "Mighty Mo" was decommissioned and donated to the USS Missouri Memorial Association, Inc., a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, which operates the battleship as a historic attraction and memorial.

The association oversees her care and preservation with the support of visitors, memberships, grants and the generosity of donors.

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