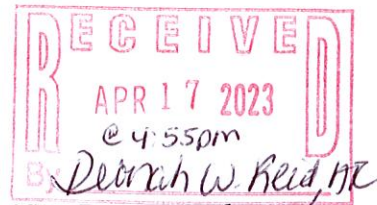


South Windsor Patriotic Commission Meeting Agenda  
April 24, 2023

7:00 PM in person the Madden Room, lower level, Town Hall

*Please bring the results of your essay groups. If your subgroup has clear winners, terrific. Report on those. If your subgroup does not, bring your numbers and we shall work through them with you.*



1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Acceptance of Minutes: March 27, 2023
4. Reading of Correspondence
  - Any correspondence at this time
5. Treasurer's Report: Ed
  - Current budget update (includes meeting result with Environmental Services for AFD)
6. Committee Reports:
  - Essay Contest 2023: Diane Behler and Will Coursey
    - Subcommittee report out, Grs. 3-5 (Herb, Gene, Daria); Grs. 6-8 (Bobbi Jo, Roger, Ken Lewis); Grs. 9-12 (Art, Ed, Paul)
  - Veterans Banner Project 2023 Update/Discussion: Herb, Daria
    - Additional banner (WWII veteran)
    - Banner placements
    - Discussion: Sharing banners with veterans
    - Placement date
  - Armed Forces Day, May 20, 2023 Ed, Daria
    - Virtual meeting with American Thunder regarding display
    - Town publicity (On Park/Rec Dept. site and PC government site)
    - Socially media advertising highly recommended
    - Town signage to be erected two weeks prior
    - JC financial oversight of cost overrun
    - Neon vests
  - Memorial Day Parade May 29, 2023: Paul Mozzicato
    - Participants to date
    - The who, what, when, where, how of it all
      - Commission member assignments
  - Memorial Day Ceremony May 29, 2023: Ed Gawlinski
    - Participants to date
      - Commission member assignments
  - Flags in Cemeteries Memorial Day May 29, 2023: Art Sladyk, report as needed

- **Flag Collection/Retirement 2022-23: Will**
  - Update as needed
- **Veterans in the Schools November 2023 Daria—no report until Sept. 2023**
- **Veterans Day Ceremony November 11, 2023 Daria—no report until Sept. 2023**
- **Wreaths Across America: Art Sladyk--Discussion as needed**
- **Memorial Park (VMP) Improvements (flagpoles, firepit, bricks): Art, Herb, Gene**
  - Discussion as needed
- **Wall of Honor: Herb**
  - Update as needed

**7. Old Business**

- **Magnetic pin replacements/cost, official Commission shirts—Will**
- **Dog Tag Project 3-D – any further information if available**
- **Brick frame for pictures**

**8. New Business**

- **Memorial Day Photo Contest suggestion**
- **Thank you stationery design (Mihika has designed)**
- **Suggestion for other methods of competition entry**
- **Interim secretary for May 22, 2023 meeting**

**9. Anything for the Good of the Order**

**10. Adjournment**

**Next meeting: May 22, 2023**