



TOWN OF BROOKLYN

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BROOKLYN, CONNECTICUT 06234

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Memorial Day Parade Committee
Sub Committee Meeting Agenda
Thursday, February 23, 2023, 5:00 p.m.
Via Zoom & Clifford B. Green Memorial Center

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89243300378?pwd=ZGZpUm1jNXRvYUxYMUFhSkNYbW8zZz09>

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Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Approve Minutes of 1/26/23
3. Public Comment
4. Discussion on Possible Split of Committee
 - a) Fun Day for Recreation
 - b) Parade for Selectmen
5. Discussion on planning for 2023
6. Set Next Meeting Date
7. Public Comment
8. Adjournment

Austin Tanner
First Selectman

Brooklyn 2022 Memorial Day Parade May 30th

8:00 A.M. Memorial Post 2650 leaves for Blackwells Brook
8:00-9:00 A.M. **AT THE FAIRGROUNDS: Corner of Rte 169 & Fairgrounds Road Gate**
Form line of march (below)

9:00 A.M. Masters of Ceremonies: **Austin Tanner**
National Anthem: **Brooklyn Middle School Band**
Invocation:
Memorial Day Speech: **Austin Tanner**
Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg Address by: **Luke Landis**
General Logans Memorial Day Order: **Lou Brodeur**

Immediately after Ceremonies **PARADE LEAVES FAIRGROUNDS**
LINE OF MARCH AS FOLLOWS:

Marshal	Little League
Aides and Dignitaries	Soccer League
Boy Scouts w/wreaths	
Dale Werkhoven	Fire Departments
Young Marines	
Clergy	
Brooklyn Band	
Brownies	
Girl Scouts	
Cadets	
Cub Scouts	
Boy Scouts	
Firing Squad	
Veterans of All Wars	

Parade Proceeds North on Route 169 to Center of Town – **PAUSE TO PLACE WREATH AT WWI MONUMENT** - Left into Town Hall parking lot (entrance on 169), exiting through Wolf Den, left onto Putnam Place and crossing Route 6 to continue on Putnam Place and Right back onto 169, across from Mortlake Fire Station

Parade Halt in Vicinity of Pierce Baptist Home

Marshal, Color Guard, Firing Squad, Bugler
Clergy Offer Prayer, Proceed to Israel Putnam Monument
Clergy Offer Prayer
Firing Squad Fires Volley
Bugler Plays Taps (At Same Time Boy Scouts Place Wreath on Monument (3) in front of bank, (1) at Mortlake monument, (1) at Putnam Statue and (1) at Post Office statue)

Parade Re-Forms

Proceeds to South Cemetery, Circling the Flag Pole Area
Marshal Reads Speech: **Austin Tanner**
Poem **Cover Them Over With Beautiful Flowers** by: **Madison LaVallee**
Clergy: Offers Prayers
Firing Squad Fires Volley
Bugler Plays TAPS
Boy Scouts place wreath

Parade Re-Forms

Proceeds to Fairgrounds