



American Legion Post Harriman-Hale Post 18
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Press Release

Once again American Legion Post Harriman-Hale Post 18 will sponsor the Annual Wolfeboro Memorial Day Parade and Ceremony on Monday, 27 May 2024 [Memorial Day].



Participants in the Parade will form up at 08:45 at Brewster Field next to the First Congregational Church on South Main Street in Wolfeboro. Once again, we are fortunate to have the Kingswood High School Band in the Parade. Due to construction on South Main, the march participants will march on the right side rather than in the center of South Main Street. The order of march will be:

- Police Escort
- American Legion Flag Unit
- Kingswood High School Band
- Veterans
- Post 18 Auxiliary
- DAR Members

The Parade *will start promptly* at 09:00! All veterans are encouraged to march in the Parade! The Parade route is a short one, just a block and a half down South Main Street. The Parade will turn left onto Dockside and move to the flag pole at Dockside.

At the Dockside Flag Pole, the Parade participants and the public will gather. The public will be invited to join in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. Then the Post 18 Chaplain will say a prayer, the National Anthem will be played, the flag lowered to half-mast, a poetic recitation from the Daughters of the American Revolution followed by short remarks from the Commander of Post 18.



Next Post 18 Women's Auxiliary will place flower petals into Lake Winnepesaukee while Taps is played and a ceremonial gun salute conducted.

The Kingswood High School Band will play music appropriate to the occasion and the ceremony will conclude.

The Memorial Day Parade and Ceremony is expected to last approximately forty minutes. The public and veterans are invited to attend.

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