

Memorial Day Observance Monday 29 May 2017

Order of Service

In the event of rain, the ceremony will be held at the Hollis Lawrence Barn

5:15 PM	Assemble the Color Guard	Memorial Park, Broad St.
MC invites all veterans present to assemble at Memorial Park with the VFW.		
5:30 PM	VFW Chaplain Reads POW-MIA Prayer	From Memorial Park
5:32 PM	Setting of Wreaths by DAR – Scouts	Memorial Park Under direction of VFW Post Commander
5:35 PM	Assembly (Post marches to Town Common) Town Band plays marching music	Town Common
	Welcome Remarks	Hollis Selectman
	Opening Remarks; Thank Supporters	VFW Post MC
	National Anthem	Hollis Town Band
	Invocation	Rev Mike Rattin
	God Bless America	Hollis Town Band
	Guest Speaker (10 min)	NH House Speaker Shawn Jasper
	Possible 2 nd guest speaker	TBA
6:00 PM	Announce VOD, DAR & VFW Essay contest winners.	M.C., VFW & DAR Representative
	Armed Forces Salute	Hollis Town Band
6:15 PM	Historical Narrative (4 minutes)	Sound CD
6:30 PM	Firing of Volleys	Hollis VFW
	Taps	Hollis Town Band
	Retreat Ceremony (2 minutes)	Hollis Town Band
	Benediction	Rev Mike Rattin
6:45 PM	Thanks and Closing Remarks	Hollis Selectman
	Two Closing Musical Selections	Hollis Town Band

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Order of Service for inclement weather

5:30 PM	Assembly	Hollis' Lawrence Barn Community Center
5:30 PM	Presentation of colors	VFW
	Welcome	Hollis Selectman
	Opening Remarks; Thank Supporters	VFW MC
	National Anthem	Hollis Town Band
	Invocation	Rev Mike Rattin
	Prayer for MIA/POW	VFW Chaplain
	God Bless America	Hollis Town Band
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	Placing of Wreaths	DAR & Scouts
	Historical Narrative (4 minutes)	Hollis VFW Tape/CD
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