



**American Legion Post 68, Leland
Meeting Room, Blossoms Restaurant, Magnolia Greens, Leland
Meeting Agenda for Thursday, July 19th, 2018 at 6 PM**

Officers In Attendance:

Dale Todd, Commander ___
Dan Dodge, Adjutant ___
Judi B Buongiorno, Financial Officer ___
Lane Adrian, Service Officer ___
John Marone, Logistics Officer ___
Gerald Decker, Post Historian ___
Lou Tranzillo, Exec Com. ___

Jim Zelenski, 1st Vice Commander ___
Art Dietrich, 2nd Vice Commander ___
Brian Danielson, Chaplain ___
Richard Fry, Public Affairs ___
Bill Smith, Sergeant at Arms ___
Kathy McDonough, Membership ___
Jim Thompson, Exec Com. ___ Greg Miller, Exec Com. ___

Call to Order: **Commander Todd**

Chaplain's Opening Prayer: **Chaplain**

POW/MIA Empty Chair Ceremony: **Sergeant at Arms Smith**

Pledge of Allegiance and Preamble: **All**

Old/Current Business:

Approval of prior meeting minutes – **Commander Todd**

Guest Speaker 1: Assistant Fire Chief Ronnie Hayes, Leland FD – **Commander Todd**

Guest Speaker 2: Tara Hunt – Representing Wilmington Veterans Day Parade - **Commander Todd**

Introduction of New Members and Guests: **Membership Chair, Kathy McDonough**

Post 68 Legion Riders Chapter now recognized by the AL Department of North Carolina – **Adjutant, Dan Dodge**

Committee Reports:

Financial Report: Finance Officer - **Judi Buongiorno**

Membership Report: Membership Chair - **Kathy McDonough**

Concerns and Sick Call: **Chaplain**

Service Officer Update: **Lane Adrian**

Current Activities:

July 4th Parade: **Lead, Historian Gerald Decker**

Wristband Sales, Augusts 19th, 9 Members signed up, need 8 – **Lead, Adjutant Dodge**

Founders Day, September 8 Update – **Lead, Public Relations Officer Fry**

Post Fish Fry. September 22nd – **Lead, Greg Miller**

North Brunswick High School / JROTC Activities – **Rick de Moya**

New Business:

Website help needed!

Brunswick County Veterans Coalition Update – **Commander Todd**

Washington Trip October 4th – 7th: **Lead, Historian Gerald Decker**

Bill Oxford Campaign for National Commander: **Commander Todd**

NC Department Convention Update: **Adjutant Dan Dodge**

BELK Sale Fund Raiser: August 25th **Commander Todd**

Women Veterans Expo and Veteran Banquet Sep 27th, 2018: **Commander Todd**

Wilmington Sharks: Post 68 Night at the Ball Park July 26th – **2nd Vice Commander Art Dietrich**

Short Timer:

Many thanks to KC White for his service to Post 68 over the years!

Next Membership Meeting – Blossoms Meeting Room, Magnolia Greens, Leland, August 16th, 2018 at 6 PM

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Closing Ceremony and Chaplain's Closing Prayer: Commander and Chaplain

Adjourned at: _____