



The American Legion

The American Legion, District 9 Meeting Post 239 Dahlonega, GA, 19 August 2023

11:00 – District Executive Committee Meeting (DEC)

Commander: “Hand salute”, “Two”

Pledge of Allegiance

Chaplain offers prayer.

- Claims event @ Post 127 Sept. 22-23 (9-3pm).
- Membership renewals of Post-paid members:
Pay dues now to avoid insurance lapse.
- Boys State June 9-15, 2024, at Valdosta, GA.
- Budget 2023-2024 - Vote
- Packet – Contents addressed.
- Escalating Post issues, follow chain of command.

Commander: “Hand salute”, “Two”

11:30 – District 9 General Meeting (LGN, AUX, SAL, Riders)

- Call to Order – Commander Ely
- Advance the Colors – SGT.-At-Arms
- Commander – Hand Salute, Two
- Prayer *Un-Cover* – Auxiliary Chaplain
- POW/MIA Remembrance - SGT-At-Arms & CDR
- Pledge of Allegiance
- **Preamble** *re-covered*.

Commander: “I now declare District 9 of the Department of Georgia regularly convened.”

Introduction of members and guests

Commander – Gary Ely ~ SAL – Lary Parker
Riders – Darlyn Tillery ~ Auxiliary – Rose Hineline
Department Jr. Vice Commander - Nathan King,

- Joint/Family Membership Ribbons
- DOG Fundraising mailer

Next District Meeting:

Saturday, November 4, 2023, Post 45, Canton, GA.
[160 McClure St, Canton, GA 30114](#)

Legion Chaplain: Meal Blessing

<Recess for lunch>

Commander - Legion Reconvenes

Adjutant:

- District Roll Call with number of attendees –
Quorum is 15; met? ___ yes ___ no.

Commander	Chaplain	Post 121
Sr. Vice CDR	SGT – At-Arms	Post 127
Jr. Vice 1	Service Officer	Post 149
Jr. Vice 2	Post 7	Post 247
Jr. Vice 3	Post 16	Post 248
Jr. Vice 4	Post 23	Post 251
Jr. Vice 5	Post 45	Post 307
Adjutant	Post 82	Post 316
Past Commander	Post 84	Post 328
Judge Advocate	Post 104	Post 2100
Finance Officer		

- MINUTES: Approved ___ yes ___ no,
(corrections ___yes ___ Correspondence)

Reports:

- Adjutant Report - Maria Klenhard
- Finance Report - Bob Palmerson
- Membership Report - Sr. Vice
- Service Officer - Johnny Varner
- Historian – Vacant
- Oratorical – David Mullis
- Boy State – David Mullis
- Sick Call, relief, and employment
- Other Reports

Commander:

- Legion Meetings
- Packets – Meeting protocols
- Membership – Buddy checks/retention
- Be-The-One – National Priority
- Claims Workshop: Sept. 22-23, 9-3pm
- Communication protocol hierarchy (D1)
- DOG new region 2023-2024 – Central
- National Convention – Delegate info
CDR Ely to be an Assistant Honor Guard. Also is a member of 2 DOG committees: Chair for the Nat’l & Homeland Security and Judge Advocate



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Continued:

Unfinished Business:

New Business:

- Budget same as previous year with the addition of Cherokee Homeless Veteran’s Shelter \$5,000 (in two installments).
- Caravans

For the Good of the Legion:

- Survey: Who does not have access to MyLegion.org?
- MyLegion.org Training

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Chaplain Closing Prayer: *Un-cover.*

Salute the Colors: *Re-cover*

Commander:

- There will be a JVC meeting immediately following adjournment.
- “I now declare this meeting of District 9, The American Legion, Department of Georgia adjourned. “

Georgia Department of Veteran Services

You're invited to [Be The One Suicide Awareness Training](#)
Saturday, September 30, 2023, 10am-1pm EDT
Location: **American Legion** 130 Veterans Club Road Newnan, GA 30263. Click the link to register its free.

Georgia Department and District 9 Media

<https://gadistrict9americanlegion.weebly.com/>
Contact [Webmaster](#) for updates, correction, and suggestions

<https://www.facebook.com/District9americanlegionDOG>

PREAMBLE TO OUR CONSTITUTION

“For God and Country, we associate ourselves together for the following purposes:
 “To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; “To maintain law and order;
 “To foster and perpetuate a one hundred percent Americanism;
 “To preserve the memories and incidents of our associations in all wars;
 “To inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation;
 “To combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses;
 “To make right the master of might;
 “To promote peace and good will on earth;
 “To safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy;
 “To consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness.”

HOW TO USE MYLEGION.ORG

<https://mylegion.org/PersonifyEbusiness/Resources/Help>

- [Account Registration](#)
Please read before registering an account.
- [Known Issues](#)
A list of known issues and their status.
- [My Account](#)
For all registered users of MyLegion.org
- [My Groups - Departments, Detachments, Posts, Squadrons, etc.](#)
For Legion and SAL Leadership
- [MyLegion.org Video Training Series](#)
Video series to help users navigate and get the most out of the features and tools available at MyLegion.org.
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PowerPoint presentations ranging from account registration to membership processing.

