



**AMERICAN LEGION POST 113**  
“Lloyd E. Hutcheson”

July 16, 2024 Monthly Meeting  
Dinner: Scout Troop One

**COMMANDER:** The meeting is about to open. Please turn off or silence all cell phones and alarms at this time. Sergeant-at-Arms, is everyone in attendance who wishes to be?

**COMMANDER:** **3 Raps of the Bell**—Please stand if you are able. The colors of our nation are in place. All hands - Hand Salute - Two.

**COMMANDER:** All members and guests in attendance please **uncover** and remain standing with their caps removed and placed over their hearts from the Opening Prayer, through the POW/MIA ceremony, and concluding with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**COMMANDER:** The Chaplain will offer prayer.

**COMMANDER:** A POW/MIA empty chair is placed at all official meetings of The American Legion as a physical symbol of the thousands of American POW/MIAs still unaccounted for from all wars and conflicts involving the United States of America. Accordingly, Sergeant-at-Arms, please place the POW/MIA flag on the Empty Chair—a reminder for all of us to spare no effort to secure the release of any American prisoners from captivity, the repatriation of the remains of those who died bravely in defense of liberty, and a full accounting of those missing. Let us rededicate ourselves for this endeavor!

**COMMANDER:** Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

**COMMANDER:** Everyone please **recover** and join in reciting the Preamble to our Constitution.

**COMMANDER:** I now declare Lloyd E. Hutcheson Post 113 of the Department of Idaho regularly convened. Please be seated. **1 Rap of the Bell**

**Introduction of guests and prospective new members.**

**Adjutant** - Roll Call of Officers  
**Chaplain** - Sick Call –Dan Pruett  
**Adjutant** - Minutes of our last meeting

**REPORTS:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander** – Dan Pruett  
Membership Reports  
Repatriation of Veterans  
Buddy Check  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander** – Ernest Cook  
Upcoming events  
**Finance Officer** – John Brekke  
Comments. See written report.  
**Service Officer** – Doug Hanks  
**Honor Guard** – Doug Hanks – see report in the Newsletter  
**Boys State** – Doug Hanks  
**Building Manager** - Mark Grothe  
Building and Projects Update  
**Scouts** – Report from Troop One.  
**Radio Club Report** (see report in Newsletter) – Rich Dees  
**Historian** – Doug Foote  
**Legion Riders** – Max Badesheim  
**Post 113 American Legion Auxiliary**  
**Post 113 Sons of the American Legion** – Brandon Owens  
**Ada County Veterans Council** – John Brekke

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**Bylaws Rewrite Committee** –Update - Rich Dees

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Special Event August 6 – National Commander Visit**

**CORRESPONDENCE:** - Rich Dees

**FOR THE GOOD OF THE LEGION:**

**Report from the Department of Idaho meeting**  
**Boise Zoo Military Appreciation Night** – Doug Foote

**COMMANDER:** Is there any further business to come before this meeting?

**Drawings**

**CLOSING**

**COMMANDER:** **3 Raps of the Bell**—Please stand and **uncover** while the **Chaplain** leads us in Prayer.

**COMMANDER:** Till we meet again, let us remember that our obligations to our country can be fulfilled only by the faithful performance of all duties of citizenship. Let service to the community, state, and nation be ever the main objective of the American Legion.

**COMMANDER:** Please **recover** and join me in saluting the Flag of our Country, all hands--Hand Salute—Two

**COMMANDER:** I now declare this meeting of the American Legion Lloyd E. Hutcheson Post 113, Department of Idaho, adjourned.

**1 RAP OF THE BELL**