

**Post 133 meets at 7 p.m.
on the Third Tuesday
of the month
in Room 207
at SW Community Center
All veterans are welcome.**

Membership Eligibility:

Anyone who served in any branch of the U.S. Armed Forces or anyone who served with a government associated with the U.S. government during the following periods:

- a) Apr. 6, 1917 to Nov. 11, 1918
- b) Anytime after Dec. 7, 1941 and
 - 1) was a citizen of the U.S. upon entering service, and
 - 2) was, or will be, honorably discharged or separated.



This is a “No Obligation” invitation to attend one of our monthly meetings.

Come and see for yourself what we stand for.

No frills, no bar, no obligation.
Just Veterans helping Veterans.

Meet fellow veterans and hear what our Post is involved with here in South Windsor and surrounding areas. We are a special band of brothers and sisters having had the Honor of serving our Great Nation.

Again, there’s “No Obligation” but we feel you’ll like what you see and hear.

One hour of your time is all we ask.

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DEFINITION OF A VETERAN
"A Veteran - whether active duty, retired, national guard or reserve - is someone who, at one point in their life, wrote a check made payable to 'The United States of America', for an amount of 'up to and including my life'. That is Honor, and there are way too many people in this country who no longer understand it."

- Author Unknown





Our Color Guard

WHAT DO WE DO

Post 133 is a very active American Legion post in the town of South Windsor, CT. In addition to the few programs described below we are also active participants and supporters of the following programs: the food bank, state police youth week, veterans in the classrooms, legion baseball, veteran home bingos, blue star banner, annual car show and color guard.



**WE ARE
THOSE WHO SERVED
AND ARE STILL SERVING
IN THE TOWN OF
SOUTH WINDSOR.**

**OUR POST SERVICE OFFICERS
ARE AVAILABLE 24/7.
THEY ARE ALSO AVAILABLE AT THE
SOUTH WINDSOR COMMUNITY
CENTER ON THE FIRST THURSDAY OF
EVERY MONTH FROM 8 TO 10:30 A.M.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
ABOUT US,
OUR PROGRAMS
AND ACTIVITIES
VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT:
WWW.SWLEGION133.ORG**

TRAINED POST SERVICE OFFICERS:

We have two post service officers specially trained to provide free assistance, information, referrals and resources, to veterans and their families for:

- VA disability benefit applications
- education, employment and business, GI Bill benefits
- death benefits and other important topics
- State of CT Soldiers, Sailors and Marine Fund
- and more

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA:

The goal of Post 133 Wreaths across America program is to place a Remembrance Wreath on the graves of all veterans buried in South Windsor during the holiday season; and to educate our citizens to remember, honor, and teach that our freedoms are not free. Someone had to pay a price for them.

We have met this goal for the last five years

VISITS WITH VETERANS:

To let them know they are not forgotten volunteers assist the director in organizing events at local nursing homes to recognize their resident veterans. We will also send annual 'thank you' cards on veterans day to all town nursing home veterans.

BOY – GIRLS STATE:

In these two programs, participants spend a week learning first hand about how our political parties work to protect the rights, privileges and responsibilities of franchised citizens. The training is objective and centers on the structure of city, county and state governments.

ORATORICAL CONTEST:

The Oratorical Contest presents participants with an academic speaking challenge that teaches important leadership qualities, the history of our nation's laws, the ability to think and speak clearly, and an understanding of the duties, responsibilities, rights and privileges of American citizenship.

BOY – GIRL SCOUTS:

Our post attends ceremonies for Eagle and Gold Award Scout award ceremonies. We present certificates to these outstanding young American boys & girls. Contact Frank Simao at 860-644-6043 if you have an event at which you would like patriotic flags displayed