

American Legion Monthly Meeting

Veterans are our business

Welcome to the

American Legion TH-02

Thomas Oliver Ahlberg Memorial Post

Pattaya Thailand

Before we start

- 1. Please silence your phones.
- 2. 50/50 tickets are available.
- 3. Beverages are available in the cooler

Open Today's Meeting 23 Mar @ 12:00

Commander:

The POW / MIA table for this meeting is set for one.

A moment of silence for remembrance please

Optional Ceremony: 5 minutes

Commander's pick:

Announcer:

Handler:

Placer:

Please join me at the podium as we set the table.

Commander:

Please stand

Sergeant at Arms:

Please prepare the room.

Place the flags and open the bible.

Step back and announce Hand Salute and Two.

Commander:

US citizens - Please join me in the pledge of allegiance to our country's flag.

Hand salute Two

Chaplin: Opening prayer please

Given Name	Middle Name	Family Name	Position	
William	Martin	Ahlberg	Commander	
Michael	Joseph	Chitwood	Finance Officer/Adjutant	
Frank	Р	Giusto	IT	
Gary		Mellor	2nd Vice/Service Officer	
Claude	Alfred	Storno	1st Vice Commander	
Joseph	Michael	Blasetti		
Sid	W	Cameron		
Jeffry	L	Dana		
James		Davidson		
Adolphus	Leon	Grisby		
John	J	Ketchledge		
George	Burdette	Knickerbocker		
Roger	Alan	Knorr		
Donald	L	Meurett		
Alvin	Edward	Shawver		
Robert		Uhrich		

Guests and Visitors

A. Veterans:

1.

B. Others:

- 1. Ketmanee Walker
- 2. Lilida Knickerbocker
- 3. Duan Wongduan Sriya
- 4. Khunlan Panachai
- 5. Dararat (Noi) Mellor

Reports

- C. Adjutant
 - a. Roll call and minutes
- D. Passings
 - a. Bobby Clark 80 USAF 08 Mar 2024
 - b. Bruce Templeman 64 USAF 19 Mar 2024
- E. Veterans or Family members with health issues
 - a. Rolf Berg-Hanson Norway Hospital
 - b. Lee Schading Continuing his recovery

Please keep these folks in your thoughts and prayers.

The post Chaplin is available for spiritual counseling.

Contact Jim or any officer

- F. Honor Guard
 - a) Robert (Bobby) Clark Chai Mongkhon Temple
- G. Membership
 - a) Current 111
 - b) New Members
 - 1.Jeffrey Stringfield USAF
 - c) Transfers
 - 1. Jeffrey Priest USA TFR from TX
- H. Finance Officer
 - a) NFCU Balance \$1,222.70
 - b) Bangkok Bank \$ 237,793
 - c) Nathan Kent
 - d) Donations \$ 1,713

- I. Service Officer
 - a) Assisted Post Members
 - b) Assisted Others

a. James Devore FMPb. Pranee Griffin SBPc. Samantha Tull SSA

d. Tutka Tull SBP/DIC

- J. Community Affairs
 - a) Absentee Voting
 - b) William Ketner Homeless Repeat
- K. 1st Vice Commander
 - a) Canteen-Due to unforeseen circumstances-Closed effective immediately
 - b) Future Event
 - 1. April 13-15 Songkran
 - 2. May 4 Founders Day of TH-02
 - 3. June 6 D-Day 80th Anniversary
 - 4. July 4 Independence Day
- L. 2nd Vice Commander

a)

M. Commander

- a) Member Spotlight
 - a.
- b) Member Awards

a.

- c) Nathan Kent Foundation
 - a. Bring your recyclable items to the post meetings. Cans & Plastic
- d) Post Home
 - a. Canteen We thought this was a great idea but; Due to proper licensing and other issues beyond our control the TH-02 Canteen is effective today Closed. If anyone wants to have any special functions

- birthday events or the like, please see the TH-02 events coordinator 1st vice Skip Storno
- b. 50 /50 (Reminder) From the post portion of the draw is where your free lunch comes from. Please donate to this worthy cause.
- e) Core events remaining for TH-02
 - a. October 26th Ceremony at Hell Fire Pass Interest
 - b. November 11th Veterans Day Khanchanaburi Interest
 - c. Dec 7th Pearl Harbor Day Nov 25 post meeting
 - d. TBD Family Day Committee Chairman
- f) Thai Holidays

a. October 13 King # Birthday Memorial Dayb. October 23 Chulalongkorn Memorial Day

c. November 24-25 Fireworks Festival

d. November 27 Loi Krathong

e. December 5 King #9 Birthday Memorial Day

f. November 24-25 Fireworks Festival

The reason for the 2 open forums is so you the members have a formal opportunity to ask questions, share ideas or gather information so that under the formal business session you can if you want, make a clear and communicative motion. The Business Session is the only place for motions. If you have a motion to present and or you are shy about presenting it, ask any officer for advice. Our mission is Veterans taking care of Veterans. The team approach. In the following or 2nd Open Form, is the opportunity for you to present something you may have forgotten during the 1st session, but no motions here please. Following this will help the meeting go faster and still have effective communication.

Open Forum

N. Open Forum	(No Motions)
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- A. Back to an original idea from the posts original opening
 - a. Open 5 days a week for member and walk in information
 - b. Desktop computer internet and printer for member use
- B. Some of the recent donations
 - a. Gas BBQ

O. Old Business

- b. 2 sets of table and Chairs on the way
- c. Red chairs and round tables are on loan to the post

Business

A.	•						
	1) Entertain a motion	as prese	ented				
	a						
	b. Second by						
	c. Discussion						
	d. Any opposed	Yes	No				
	e. Motion Passes	Yes	No				
P. New Bu	siness						
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	a						
	b. Second by						
	c. Discussion						
	d. Any opposed	Ye	es No				
	e. Motion Passe	es Ye	es No				

Before we close

Please Stand for the closing ceremony Chaplin Closing prayer please. Uncover Cover

Sergeant at Arms: Please retire the colors

Room Attention Hand Salute

Remove the flags and close the bible. Step back salute and announce Order Arms

Commander
This meeting is adjourned.