

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

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Special Thanks to:

- Shrewsbury Cub Scout Pack # 114 for decorating the Veterans Squares around Shrewsbury on May 19th.
- Shrewsbury Girl Scouts for placing flags on Veterans graves at Mountain View Cemetery on May 27th.

Featured Speaker

Commander Jamie Godwin, USN, Retired

Commander Jamie Godwin earned his commission through the US Naval Academy in Annapolis, MD. He first served as a Surface Warfare Officer aboard USS Peoria and USS Russell, a guided missile AEGIS destroyer, both in the Pacific Fleet.

He was then selected to attend naval flight school in Pensacola, FL and south Texas.

His aviation tours included deployments to Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan, Operation Iraqi Freedom, and Operation Joint Guardian in Kosovo. He then served as Executive Officer of the Naval Expeditionary Guard Battalion at Guantanamo Bay during a 15 month geographically isolated tour.

CDR Godwin selected orders to NROTC Holy Cross serving as Executive Officer, Commanding Officer, and faculty member. He then established the NROTC unit at Yale University as its Commanding Officer and a Professor Adjunct.

He retired from the Navy in 2015 after 30 years of service. He is married to the former Tonya Daniels Bryan of Denver, CO with whom he has four children; all of whom have graduated or will graduate from Shrewsbury High School.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM SHREWSBURY, MASSACHUSETTS



MONDAY, MAY 28, 2018

*This is the 150th Anniversary of the Founding of Memorial Day
by the Grand Army of the Republic (G.A.R.)*

Parade will form at 9:00 a.m. at the Richard D. Carney Municipal
Office Building, 100 Maple Avenue.

PARADE FORMATION

Shrewsbury Police Department
Shrewsbury Fire Department
Staff and Local & State Officials
Active Military Personnel & Persian Gulf Veterans
Shrewsbury High School Band
Charles J. Murphy Post #10278, V.F.W.
Ray Stone Post #238, A.L.
Victor R. Quaranta Post #397, A.L.
Visiting Veterans Groups
Blue Star Mothers of Central MA Chapter 3
Veterans Inc.
Veteran's Vehicles
Shrewsbury Boy Scouts Troops
Shrewsbury Girl Scouts Troops
Shrewsbury Sweethearts
Parents and Friends of Active Military Personnel
Shrewsbury Oak Middle School 8th Grade Band
Shrewsbury Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)

SOLDIER'S STATUE - POLICE STATION

(9: 20 a.m.)Welcome- John Lebeaux,
Chairman Board of Selectman

Parade will begin at 9:30 a.m.

WAR MEMORIAL – TOWN CENTER

Welcome- John Travers, Ray Stone Post, Master of Ceremonies

Gettysburg Address by
Jessica Peng, Shrewsbury High, Speech & Debate Team

**2018 MEMORIAL ADDRESS BY
Commander, US Navy, Jamie Godwin, Retired**

Selection by Oak Middle School 8th Grade Band

Pledge of Allegiance by Shrewsbury Boy Scouts
Boy Scout Troop 114

Wreath Ceremony and Salute by
Victor R. Quaranta Post # 397, American Legion
Taps played by SHS Band Members

MOUNTAIN VIEW CEMETERY

Parade continues to Veterans' Lot in Mountain View Cemetery to
conduct services for Veterans of All Wars.

Parade participants line up on main roadway in cemetery.

National Anthem
Members of Shrewsbury High School A Capella Choir

Reading of General Logan's Orders by
Preston Karp, Shrewsbury High, Speech & Debate Team

Wreath Ceremony and Salute by
Ray Stone Post # 238, American Legion
Taps played by SHS Band Members

Benediction by Msgr. Michael Rose

Reading of the Names of Town Memorial Squares by
Members of Shrewsbury Boy Scouts

Selection by Shrewsbury High School Band

*At the conclusion of the parade: Ray Stone Post #238, A.L., will
continue to the World War I Veterans' Lot for services. Victor R.
Quaranta Post #397, A.L., and Charles J. Murphy Post #10278, V.F.W.,
will continue to their respective memorial lot for services and disband.*