

ORCUTT POST 534, THE AMERICAN LEGION

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COMMITTEE SELECTION SHEET

The American Legion has a fine and long tradition of service to active duty military, veterans, veteran's families and local communities. In keeping with the American Legion's long tradition of service our expectation is that all members of Post 534 will want to actively serve in a specific committee assignment. To provide the best service possible as a Post, we need your support to fill our committees.



Please enter your name, date of birth, primary phone and e-mail address.

Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Primary Phone: _____ **E-mail Address** _____

Rank your top three committee choices, by entering 1, 2, or 3 in the "Your Rank" column. We will then try to assign you to one of your top three committee selections. When finished, please return your Committee Selection Sheet to a Post officer.

Your Ranking	Committee name and basic description of duties
	Membership Committee has charge of all matters pertaining to membership growth, retention, and renewals.
	Uniformed Groups Committee is responsible for the Post's color guard, firing squad and bugler shall provide Military Funeral Honors at either a grave side or memorial service when requested by the next of kin of a deceased, eligible veteran. They will also: participate in Post services and functions; maintain the supply of uniforms; properly care for ceremonial rifles; and participate in other public events and parades.
	Public Relations Committee shall promote the Post by local publicity of Post programs and activities. The committee is responsible for the Old Town Report newsletter and the Post web site.
	Finance Committee. The Finance Committee shall supervise the receiving, disbursement, and accounting of all funds; prepare annual budget recommendations; and advise the Executive Committee on all financial policies.
	Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation Committee is responsible for bringing to the attention of members and their dependants the rights and benefits granted them by law. They shall assist veterans in the pursuance of veteran's rights and benefits; to visit and comfort members of their families when sick or bereaved.
	Ways and Means Committee shall develop projects to raise money for the Post. Once a project is approved by the Executive Committee they are responsible for the implementation and success of the project.
	Audit Committee. The Post shall keep books of account, and shall cause said books to be examined by a licensed accountant or Audit Committee of three (3) members, none of whom shall be the Commander, Adjutant, Finance Officer, or any other person charged with the responsibility of handling funds.
	Facilities Committee is responsible for the overall maintenance of the Post.
	Americanism Committee shall inspire patriotism and good citizenship through patriotic observances, patriotic and civic instruction in schools, Boy Scout support and other youth activities
	Children and Youth Committee shall have three main objectives: 1) to strengthen the family unit; 2) to maintain well-rounded youth programs; 3) to support other organizations which serve children and youth

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WHY YOU DO NOT WALK BETWEEN THE COLORS

Between these flags that proudly fly
Let no man dare to stand.
For here our fallen comrades lie,
A symbol, yes, but mark it well.
Here let us ever humbly pause
In memory of the lads who fell
In fighting for our sacred cause.

On sea or land these buddies died.
Some lie beneath a foreign sod
In graves caressed by wind and tide,
In spots unknown to all but God.

And so, this place is hallowed ground,
And it shall be forever blest
As though it were a grassy mound
Beneath which gallant heroes rest.

Be ever watchful, Legionnaire,
Of those two flags which signify
That we should guard this spot with care,
Where our departed comrades lie.

And, if a man should dare to tread
This spot where lie our gallant brave,
He desecrates those noble dead.
As tho' he walked upon their grave.



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