

Post Honor Guard Needs a Few More Good Men



The Post 211 Honor Guard continues to need a few more Good Men to support all the scheduled ceremonies and community commitments

All current Veteran Members of Post 211 are encouraged to stop by and find out what it takes to become part of a growing tradition of service and excellence representing your Post in our Communities. The Color Guard leads Avon Lake's Memorial Day, High School Bandarama and Homecoming Parades. At the Post, Lake Shore Cemetery and Memorial Park on Memorial Day and on December 7, the Post 211 Rifle Squad will act as the official Firing Party during ceremonies. We participate in graveside services for Veterans as well as Prayer & Farewell Services during calling hours. The Honor Guard conducts a formal Retreat Ceremony to honor the Five Service Birthdays and the Birthday of the Post on November 20 each year. More Volunteers are needed to be part of the Honor Guard's Color Guard and Rifle Squad. If you are at all interested, please contact John Shondel, Sgt-at-Arms and Honor Guard OIC or any Post Officer to get more information on how you can help Avon Lake Post 211 as it carries on the proud traditions of the United States Armed Forces.

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What will be expected of Post Honor Guard Volunteers

- Become familiar with M1 Garand Rifle equipped with a blank adaptor
- Become familiar with the duties of a Rifleman participating in a military Firing Party and Color Guard
- Agree to attend Rehearsal(s) prior to the scheduled event
- Maintain the American Legion Uniform in good order so as to reflect well on your Post
- Encourage others by example to honor the military traditions of the United States Armed Forces

***“Whatever We Do,
We’ll Do Well”***