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Lawrence Township, N.J. - Lawrence Township Announces Paul Tweedly (Captain Paul) as Grand Marshal for the 2023 Memorial Day Parade

The Lawrence Township Patriotic Committee is pleased to announce that Paul Tweedly, a retired captain from the Trenton, N.J. Fire Department, has been selected as the Grand Marshal for the 2023 Lawrence Township Memorial Day Parade. This prestigious honor recognizes Paul's exceptional dedication to the men and women associated with emergency services, the military, and their families, as well as his unwavering commitment to the Lawrence Township community.

As a devoted business owner of Captain Paul's Firehouse Dogs and a member of the Lawrence Township community, he has consistently demonstrated his commitment to supporting various organizations and fundraising efforts. His contributions to causes such as Toys for Tots and many community organizations have had a profound impact on the lives of numerous individuals.

In particular, Paul's support for the military and their families is visible for all to see. Passersby of Captain Paul's establishment witness his heartfelt display of patriotism and appreciation, serving as a constant reminder of the sacrifices made by those in uniform and their loved ones.

"We are honored to have Paul Tweedly serve as the Grand Marshal for the 2023 Lawrence Township Memorial Day Parade," said Kevin Nerwinski, Municipal Manager of Lawrence Township. "His unwavering dedication to the men and women in emergency services, the military, and their families, along with his outstanding support of various charitable causes, make him a deserving choice for this esteemed role. We are confident that his presence will inspire our community and make this year's parade truly exceptional."

The Lawrence Township Memorial Day Parade, a cherished tradition in our community, pays tribute to the brave men and women who have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to our nation. This year's parade promises to be a memorable occasion, with Captain Paul Tweedly leading the procession, symbolizing the indomitable spirit of Lawrence Township.

For more information about the Lawrence Township Memorial Day Parade, please contact the Lawrence Recreation Department at 609-844-7067 or visit www.lawrencetwp.com.

About Lawrence Township Memorial Day Parade: May 27, 2023, beginning at 10 A.M.

The Lawrence Township Memorial Day Parade is an annual event that honors the sacrifices of military personnel and commemorates their dedication to our nation. The parade brings together community members, local organizations, and veterans to remember and express gratitude to those who have selflessly served our country.

Spectators are encouraged to gather along the route. The parade will start at the Lawrence Township High School Parking Lot, proceed to Princeton Pike, then Darrah Lane, Birchwood Knoll, and Berwyn Place, and will end in Veterans Park.

The Lawrence Township Memorial Day ceremony will take place immediately after the parade at Veterans Park. The ceremony will feature the Grand Marshal, the Lawrence Patriotic Committee, and music from the Lawrence Township Community Band, a cannon salute, and wreath-laying.

All veterans who participate in the parade will receive a Lawrence Township Veterans Hat in recognition of, and appreciation for, their service (while supplies last). Free hot dogs and water (while supplies last) will be served by the Lawrence Township Recreation Advisory Committee at Veterans Park after the ceremony.