

Fleet Reserve Association Inland Empire Branch 38, Inc. Spokane, Washington

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2024 - 2025 Branch Officers

President Michelle Davis
Vice President James Grisham
Sec/Treasurer: Dave Lord

Chaplain Dennis McCully Master-at-Arms James Robertson

Board of Directors

Plus Branch Officers: Rick Baldwin (2020-2025) Harold Young (2021-2026) James Grisham (2023-2028)

2024–2025 Branch Cmte Chairs

Americanism Rick Baldwin
HW&R Michelle Davis
Public Relations Peg Burke
Veterans Services Dave Lord
Youth Activities Robert Bean

May 17, 2025 – Minutes

Introduction of non-member guests and visiting shipmates:

Invoke the Blessing of God – Chaplain

Shipmates, Please Recite with me the following:

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE

FLEET RESERVE ASSOCIATION PREAMBLE

Declare Meeting convened.

Read Minutes of April 19, 2025 meeting

Standing Committee Reports

Americanism-Patriotism - Chair, Rick Baldwin

Hospitals, Welfare & Rehabilitation - Chair, Michelle Davis

Membership & Retention - Chair, Michelle Davis

Public Relations – Chair, Peg Burke

Veterans Service - Chair, Dave Lord

Youth Activities – Chair, Robert Bean

Communications Received

Treasurer's Reports

Unfinished or Deferred Business

Shipmate Burke reminded everyone that the upcoming NWR Convention planning is on schedule for September 4-6, 2025 and everyone that wishes to go should get their reservations in,w

The Branch also voted to support RPNW Robert Bean in his bid for a 2nd term as the Northwest Regional President. The nomination resolution will be prepared and susbmitted to the Regional Officers.

New Business

The Election of the 2025-26 Branch 38 officers was held. The incumbent officers of President PRPNW Michelle Davis, Vice President Jame Grisham, and Sec/Treas Dave Lord were re-elected by unanimous vote. The expiring Board of Directors position held by Rick Balding was up for election. Shipmate Val Moon was elected to this position and she will serve for the next five years, i.e. 2025-2030.

2025 - 2026 Branch Officers		Board of Directors 2025–2026 Branc		ch Cmte Chairs
President	Michelle Davis	Plus Branch Officers:	Americanism	Rick Baldwin
Vice President	James Grisham	Harold Young (2021-2026)	HW&R	Michelle Davis
Sec/Treasurer:	Dave Lord	James Grisham (2023-2028)	Public Relations	Peg Burke
		Val Moon (2025-2030)	Veterans Services	Dave Lord
Chaplain	Dennis McCully	,	Youth Activities	Robert Bean
Master-at-Arms	James Robertson			

Good of the Order

Closing Prayer - Chaplain

President:

"Let us leave this meeting place fully aware of the obligation that we owe to our country, our Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and the Fleet Reserve Association, and till we meet again let nothing swerve us from our three cardinal principals: Loyalty, Protection, and Service. I now declare this meeting of Branch 038, Fleet Reserve Association, regularly adjourned."

<u>Dates for Calendar Year 2024 – 2025</u> All meetings are on the Third Saturday of the month.

January 11, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1000		
February 8, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1000		
March 8, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1200 Luncheon		
April 19, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1000		
May 17, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1000		
June 21, 2025	Black Angus 14724 E Indiana Ave Spokane Valley		
July 19, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1000 (need to change the Branch Website to correct date)		
August 16, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1000		
September 20, 2025	Twiggs Bistro and Martini Bar 4320 S Regal Spokane		
October 18, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1000		
November 15, 2025	VFW 1474 Hillyard 1000		
December 20, 2025	Rusty Moose 9105 W HWY 2 Spokane		