

## Memorial Day May 31, 2021 Stratham, NH

On Monday, May 31, 2021, at 1:30 pm, Stratham will honor Memorial Day and those who have fallen with a ceremony at the Veterans Memorial Garden at Stratham Hill Park, followed by a silent procession of Stratham Fire apparatuses and police vehicles throughout the town. The public is invited to attend the ceremony while maintaining social distance from one another (and wearing masks when distancing is not possible). In addition, the ceremony will be livestreamed on Facebook.

The ceremony will include an Invocation, the Raising of the Colors, the Pledge of Allegiance, the National Anthem, a keynote speech, honoring NH Military members who have died in service, placing a memorial wreath, an SVFDA Honor Guard rifle salute, Raising of the Colors, Benediction and closing remarks.

Following the ceremony, at 2:00 pm, the Fire and Police departments will ride through town with lights on but with sirens silent, in respect for those who have fallen. The silent procession route and approximate times will be published on the town website and Facebook page and the public is invited to watch from the sides of the streets closest to their homes, while maintaining social distance.

