



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON

102ND CONVENTION JUNE 16 – 18, 2022

THE CENTENNIAL HOTEL

303 W NORTH RIVER DR SPOKANE WA 99201



FINAL AGENDA

Wednesday, June 15, 2022 **Dress is VFW Casual-all**

12:00 PM to 2:00 PM Arrival of Advance Party for Convention set up

List of Posts with Dinners and Menu

POST 51

Wednesday Dinner: Prime Rib \$20.00
Thursday Dinner: Chicken Cordon Bleu \$12.00
Friday Dinner: Hot Turkey Sandwich \$12.00

POST 1435

Wednesday Dinner: Steak & Bake with Salad \$15.00
Thursday Dinner: Chicken Enchilada, Rice & Beans \$10.00
Friday Dinner: TBD



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| 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM | Registration - LOCATION |
| 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM | VFW Office – (Luncheon and Banquet Tickets) (Fred Green) |
| 8:00 AM to All Weekend | Buddy Poppy Displays – Manito Room |
| | Patriotic Art – Manito Room |
| 9:00 AM | Introduction of Past Commanders and Presidents - Joint Opening and Guests –
Updates on Special Projects and Presentation of Fallen 13 Commander Challenge
Award |
| | Senator Chris Gildon – GWOT Memorial Briefing (5min) |
| | Spokane Mayor – (5 min Welcome) |
| 9:50 AM | Close Joint session VFW and Auxiliary |
| 10:00 AM to 11:20 AM | Post Service Officer Training - Carbon Room |
| 10:00 AM to 11:50 AM | Membership/Recruiting Training – Grant Room (Frank P., Tim G., Holly P.) |
| 10:00 AM to 10:50 PM | By-Laws and Resolutions Committee meeting – Liberty Room (Glenn Albert) |
| 10:00 AM to 10:50 AM | Class on New CSR/Hosp/Chap Report - Finch Room (Drew James/Don Wischmann) |
| 10:00 AM to 10:50 AM | New Quartermaster Training -Audobon Room (Paul Manly) |
| 11:00 AM to 11:50 AM | New Post and District Commanders Meet and Greet with
Department Sr Vice Commander – Riverfront Ballroom D (Paul Herrera) |
| 11:00 AM to 11:50 AM | Using Social Media – Audobon Room (Walt Tanimoto) |
| 11:00 AM to 11:50 AM | Chaplain Meeting – Finch Room (Wes Anderson) |

11:30 AM to 11:50 AM	Service Division Committee Meeting- Corbin Room
12:00 PM to 1:50 PM	Awards Luncheon (Tentative: Auxiliary Awards, Newsletter Awards, Humanitarian Awards, Quartermaster Award, Outstanding Community Service Post Award, Membership Awards {[Top 5 Recruiters]-[Fishing Trip for 4 (two winners)]}[Dec 31 Post Award drawing \$250][Dist with all Posts at 100%]}, Commander Cup Award)
2:00 PM	Convention Convenes Opening of Business Session – State Commander Chad Hassebroek Roll Call - Adjutant Fred Green Credentials and Rules – Ted Streete
2:15 PM	Military order of the Cooties – Hardy Nettles
2:30 PM	VFW Riders – Dean McKenny
2:45 PM	Service Division – (DSO Mel West)
3:00 PM	Adjourn convention until 9 AM Friday Morning
3:30 PM	Memorial Service rehearsal for Officers
4:00 PM	Joint Memorial Service – Department Chaplain Wes Anderson
7:00 PM to 8:00 PM	National Junior Vice Commander and Auxiliary Rep Meet and greet (State Commander's Suite)



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| 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM | Registration |
| 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM | VFW Office (Meal Ticket Pick up) |
| 9:00 AM | Convention reconvenes – State Commander Chad Hassebroek |
| 9:05 AM | Credentials and Rules – (Ted Streete) |
| 9:15 AM | Time and Place – (Fred Green) |
| 9:30 AM | Trustee Report – (Jim Trainer) |
| 9:45 AM | Veteran and Military Support – (Brad Peiratt) (VMS and Heroes in Ballpark Certificates by District) |
| 10:00 AM | Scouting – (Doug Hoople)(Awards by District) |
| 10:15 AM | VFW National Home – (State Jr Vice Craig Dougherty) (Certificates by District) |
| 10:30 AM | Commander and National Rep visit Aux - (State Commander Chad Hassebroek)
POW/MIA – (Richard Angeli) |
| 10:45 AM | Tahoma National Cemetery – (Al Zarb) |
| 10:50 AM | Homeless Veterans – (Randy Hahn) |
| 11:00 AM | State President and Auxiliary National Rep Visit - (Dept Aux President Barbara Moore) |
| 11:15 AM | National Legislative – (Tony Whetstine) |
| 11:30 AM | State Legislative – (Jerry Fugich and Senator Chris Gildon) |
| 11:45 PM | Newsletter – (Jim Daly) |

12:00 PM Adjourn until 1:00 PM – (State Commander Chad Hassebroek)

1:00 PM Membership – (Frank Persa)(100% Posts)(Recruiting Awards by District)

1:20 PM Community Service – (Don Wischmann) (Certificates by District)

1:40 PM Surgeon – (Drew James)(Certificates by District)

2:00 PM Candidate Announcements for 2022-2023 Year – (State Commander Chad Hassebroek)

2:30 PM Adjourn meeting until 9 am Saturday Morning to prepare for Banquet

Banquet **Dress is Business Casual (Business for Line and Award Presenters)**

5:30 PM No Host Social Hour (entertainment from 5:30 pm to about 7:00pm)

6:00 PM Arrival of Head Table-Welcome by Sr Vice-Invocation by Chaplain-Pledge by
Officer of the Day-National anthem by Special Guest

6:30 PM Banquet Begins with Dinner Served (Tentative Awards: Humana Award,
Auxiliary Awards, Scout of the Year Awards, Buddy Poppy Post of the Year, Chaplain of the Year, Howard
Shine Award, Claude Owens Award, Firefighter of the Year, Veteran of the Year, EMT of the Year, Law
Enforcement of the Year, Life-Time Achievement Award, All-State Awards)



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7:00 AM	Past Commander Breakfast -Post 51
8:00 AM to 10:00 AM	Registration
8:00 AM to 11:00 AM	VFW Office (Robbin P.)
9:00 AM	Convention Reconvenes (Dept Commander)
9:05 AM	Credentials and Rules – (Ted Streete)
9:15 AM	Recess close bible 4 Corner Caucus for Candidates
9:20 AM	5 Minutes
9:25 AM	5 Minutes
9:30 AM	5 Minutes
9:35 AM	5 Minutes
9:40 AM	Reconvene open bible
9:45 AM	Buddy Poppy – (Larry Weldon)(Certificate by District)
10:00 AM	Teacher of the Year – (Bill Thiel)(Awards by District)
10:15 AM	Public Servant – (Tim Gatton)(Certificates by District)
10:30 AM	Chaplain – (Wes Anderson)

10:45 AM Junior Activities – (State Jr Vice Craig Dougherty)(VOD, Patriot Pen, Youth Essay Awards by District)

11:10 AM Bylaws/Resolutions – (Glenn Albert)

11:30 AM Final Committee Chairman Reports

11:40 AM New Business

Nominations and Election of Officers

12:00 PM 2021-2022 Officer’s Final Reports

Inspector – John Beam

Chief of Staff – Jerry Herker

Adjutant – Fred Green

Chaplain – Wes Anderson

Quartermaster – Paul Manly

Surgeon – Drew James

Judge Advocate – Perry Taylor

Junior Vice Commander – Craig Dougherty

Senior Vice Commander – Paul Herrera

Commander – Chad Hassebroek

12:45 PM Adjourn Meeting until 2:00 PM Joint Installation

1:00 PM Joint Practice for Installation

Dress is Business-Incoming Elected and Appointed Officers being installed

2:00 PM Joint Installation (Dress is Business Attire)

New C of A Meeting immediately following

5:00 PM 2022-2023 Commander and President Reception at Post 1435

Business Casual defined as: (for men) shirt with collar, slacks with or without sports jacket; (for women) slacks, skirt, or casual dress. No jeans, denim, shorts, or athletic type footwear.

VFW Casual defined as: VFW apparel with slacks or skirt. No jeans, denim, shorts, or athletic type footwear.

Business defined as: (for men) Suit and tie; (for women) Slacks, skirt, or dress with (optional) jacket.

Formal defined as: (for men) a tuxedo; (for women) an evening gown or very smart cocktail dress

Semi Formal defined as: (for men) coat and tie, either bow or straight, and shirt should be simple button down; (for women) a dress, dressy pantsuit, or dress suit.

This final schedule is subject to change (times, locations, speakers, meetings, events and classes) by the Department Commander.

As of June 1, 2022