

## **TENTATIVE AGENDA**

### **VFW 127<sup>th</sup> National Convention Reno, Nevada Reno Sparks Convention Center July 25-29, 2026**

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#### **Friday, July 24, 2026**

9:00 a.m.	VFW Riders National Advisory Committee	A10-11
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	VFW Pre-Registration	Silver Legacy-Lobby
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	National Veterans Service Advisory Committee	A7-9

#### **Saturday, July 25, 2026**

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	VFW Registration/Exhibits	Hall 2-3
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Buddy Poppy Display/Silent Auction	Hall 2-3
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Budget and Finance Committee	A7-9
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	VA Walk-in Claims Clinic	Hall 2-3
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Uniting to Combat Hunger (Community Service Activity)	Hall 2-3
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Vander Clute Memorial Ride	Off-Site
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.	First Time Attendees Welcome Orientation	Hall 4-5
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	National Council of Administration Meeting	A2-5
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Eastern Conference	A1/A6
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Southern Conference	C1-3
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Big Ten Conference	C4
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Western Conference	D1-3

#### **Sunday, July 26, 2026**

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	VFW Registration/Exhibits	Hall 2-3
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Buddy Poppy Display/Silent Auction	Hall 2-3
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Joint Memorial Service	Hall 4-5
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	VA Walk-in Claims Clinic	Hall 2-3
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	VFW Riders National Advisory Committee	A7-8
10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	District Commander Responsibilities Workshop	A10-11
10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	Member Rights & Post Commander Authority	A16-17
10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	QMG Workshop	A12-13
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Update on VFW Legislative Priority Goals	C3
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Providing Local Benefits Assistance	A18-20
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Finance and Internal Organization (200 series)	A10-11
1:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.	General Resolutions (300 Series)	A16-17
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	National Bylaws, Manual of Procedure and Ritual	A7-8
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	National Veterans Service Resolutions (600 series)	A12-13
	Sub-committee – Health	
	Sub-committee – Benefits	
	Sub-committee – Economic Opportunity/Other	
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	National Security and Foreign Affairs (400 series)	C3
	Sub-committee – POW/MIA	
3:45 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Women's Veterans Committee	A7-9
3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	VFW Programs Town Hall	A1/A6
3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Parliamentary Procedure Workshop	C1

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3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	OMS for Quartermasters Workshop	<b>A16-17</b>
3:45 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Convention Voting Procedures	<b>A7-8</b>
4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	2026-2027 Membership Program Review	<b>A10-11</b>
6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.	127 <sup>th</sup> VFW National Convention Awards Banquet <i>(ticketed event)</i>	<b>Silver Legacy Reno Ballroom</b>

#### **Monday, July 27, 2026**

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	VFW Registration/Exhibits	<b>Hall 2-3</b>
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Joint Opening Session	<b>Hall 4-5</b>
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	VA Walk-in Claims Clinic	<b>Hall 2-3</b>
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	VFW Business Session	<b>Hall 4-5</b>
4:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Afghanistan War Commission Briefing	<b>A7-8</b>
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Cornhole Tournament Championship	<b>TBD</b>

#### **Tuesday, July 28, 2026**

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	VFW Registration/Exhibits <b><i>(EXHIBIT HALL CLOSSES AT NOON)</i></b>	<b>Hall 2-3</b>
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	VFW Business Session (Nominations)	<b>Hall 4-5</b>
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	VA Walk-in Claims Clinic	<b>Hall 2-3</b>
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	2026-2027 Department Commanders Luncheon <i>(by invite only)</i>	<b>D4-5</b>
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	2026-2027 Department Sr. Vice Commanders/ Sr. Vice President's Luncheon <i>(by invite only)</i>	<b>D3</b>
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	2026-2027 Department Jr. Vice Commanders/ Jr. Vice President's Luncheon <i>(by invite only)</i>	<b>D2</b>
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	All-American Commanders Luncheon <i>(ticketed event)</i>	<b>C1-3</b>
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Department Adjutant/Quartermasters Association Lunch <i>(by invite only)</i>	<b>D1</b>
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Chaplains Workshop	<b>D7</b>
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Recruiting at the Post Level Workshop	<b>A10-11</b>
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	VFW National Home	<b>A16-17</b>
2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	QMG Workshop	<b>A12-13</b>
2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Grant Seeking & Fundraising Ideas for VFW & Auxiliary Posts	<b>A1/A6</b>
3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Retention and Recovery of Members Workshop	<b>A10-11</b>
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Advocacy Story Telling Workshop	<b>A16-17</b>
5:15 p.m.	Parade Line-up	<b>Hall 2</b>
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Patriotic Rally & Entertainment <i>(concessions available for purchase)</i>	<b>Hall 4-5</b>

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**Wednesday, July 29, 2026**

8:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.	VFW Business Session	<b>Hall 4-5</b>
	Election/Installation of National Officers	
TBA	National Council of Administration Meeting	<b>A2-5</b>
	<i>(one-hour following close of the business session)</i>	
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Commander-in-Chief's and National President's Reception	<b>RSCC Ballroom</b>
	<i>(ticketed event)</i>	