100th Annual



American Legion Family Convention



July 11-15, 2018

BOS Center 1 Convention Center Plaza Springfield, IL 62701

LEGION HOSPITALITY ROOMS

1st Division

2nd Division & 12th District

3rd Division 4th Division 5th Division 11th District

19th District

Rendezvous Room (Mezzanine level)

Plazas 1 & 2 (Mezzanine Level Wyndham) Vistas 1, 2 & 3 (29th floor Wyndham)

Vistas 4 & 5 (29th Floor Wyndham) Embassy Room (Lower Level Wyndham) Plaza 3 (Mezzanine Level Wyndham)

Vista 6 (29th floor Wyndham)

AMERICAN LEGION AGENDA

Wednesday, July 11, 2018

10:30 a.m. Trust Fund - B6-W - BOS Center

1:00 p.m Standing Meetings - BOS Center

Internal Affairs - Room B-10

Economic - Room B-7W Finance - Room B-4E

2:00 p.m. Standing Meetings - BOS Center

Constitution & By-Laws - Room B-9

4:00 p.m. VA&R - The Grille at the Wyndham

4:30 p.m. Americanism - B4-E - BOS Center

DEC Photo - Buddinger Room (lower level) BOS Center 6:30 p.m.

7:00 p.m. DEC Meeting - Buddinger Room (lover level) BOS Center

Thursday, July 12, 2018

7:30 a.m. Breakfast with Leading Candidate for National Commander

Wyndham - Capitol Room (Mezzanine level) by invitation only

9:00 a.m. Convention Committee Meetings - BOS Center

> Rules - B-1 Delegates-at-Large - B-9 Americanism - B-4 East Rehabilitation - B-10 Children & Youth - B-4 West Resolutions - B-3 Economics - B-6 West Judiciary - B-7 East

National Security - B-8

10:00 a.m. Credentials, Contests & Internal Affairs - B-2

Legislation - B-7 West

10:00 a.m. Chaplain's Seminar - B-6 East

11:00 a.m. 2:00 Basic Training Seminar - Lower level - B11-B,C,D

Sign up but will accept walk-ins

3:00 p.m. - District Caucuses

BOS Center (lower level)

14th - Room B-9

15th - Room B-1

16th - Room B-2

17th - Room B-6 East

18th - Room B-6 West

19th - Room B-7 East

20th - Room B-8

21st - Room B-7 West

22nd - Room B-4 West

23rd - Room B-10

24th & 25th - Room B-3

Commander's Party - Post #32

6:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

Friday, July 13, 2018

7:30 a.m. Past Department Commander's Breakfast

Wyndham - Capitol Room (Mezzanine level) (by invitation only)

5:00 p.m. - District Caucuses

BOS Center (lower level)

1st - Room B-8

2nd - Room B-7 East

3rd - Room B-7 West

4th - Room B-9

5th - Room B-6 West

7th - Room B-3

8th - Room B-6 East

9th - Room B-10

10th & 13th - Room B-1

11th - Room B-4 East

12th - Room B-4 West

Convention Session Opens - BOS Center (lunch break) 9:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Veterans Hiring Event

(Employers arrive at 8:30 a.m.)

Veterans Preview 10-11 a.m.

Public 11 a.m. -2 p.m.

5:30 p.m. Legion Riders Parade lineup

Leave Horace Mann parking lot at 5:45 p.m.

6:00 p.m. - Midnight Freedom Fest - 700 block of East Adams

(roadway between Wyndham and Doubletree)

Saturday, July 14, 2018

8:00 a.m. Legion Family Memorial Service - BOS Center

9:30 a.m. Convention Session Reconvenes - BOS Center (lunch break)

10:00 a.m. Bike Show - Prairie Capital Convention Center

(\$10.00 entry fee, judging ballots available at Legion Riders booth)

3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. American Legion Family Reception - BOS Center, B11 B-D (lower level)

6:00 p.m. Cocktails - Wyndham Mezzanine

7:00 p.m. Commander's and President's Dinner - Wyndham Ballroom

DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS HOURS

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 11, 2018

Thursday, July 12, 2018 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Friday, July 13, 2018 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 14, 2018 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

EMBLEM SALES

Wednesday, July 11, 2018 Thursday, July 12, 2018 Friday, July 13, 2018 Saturday, July 14, 2018 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

EXHIBITORS HOURS

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