VFW Nebraska Genmail

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

As of 03-16-2018

VFW WEB SITE: //vfwne.com/ email: johnl@vfwne.org

March 2018

18 Hot Springs VA Medical Center St. Patty's Day Party at

11:00 am 500 North 5th Hot Springs SD

31 Scholarship Student Applications to Department



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April 2018

(T-4) Trustee Quarterly Report to Department (Jan 1 to March 31)

- 1 Easter Sunday
- 1 Eagle Scout State Entry to Department
- 8 Dist 10 mtg in Omaha Post 2503 to host. Award Banquet for VOD & PP at 12:30, mtg to follow. Auxiliary same time and place. Rep: Larry Gerlt
- 8 Dist 7 mtg in North Bend Post 8223 to host at the Post at 1:30 lunch to follow Auxiliary same time and place. Rep: Jerry Chlopek
- 8 Dist 13 mtg in Harvard Post 5539 to host at 2:00. VFW to meet at the Community Center, Auxiliary to meet at the Methodist Church. Light snacks to follow. Rep: Gary Bush
- 15 Dist 4 mtg in Imperial Post 4688 to host at the Post at 12:00mt. Auxiliary same time and place. Rep: Joe Smith
- 15 Dist 3 mtg in Norfolk Post 1644 to host at 12:00 reg \$5.00 Meeting at 1:00. Auxiliary same time and place. Lunch to follow. Rep: Larry Gerlt
- 15 Dist 11 mtg in Broken Bow Post 3576 to host at 2:00. Reg fee \$2.00 evening lunch Auxiliary same time and place. Rep: Dan Kramer
- 15 Dist 15 mtg in Columbus Post 3704 to host at 1:30 entertainment to follow. Auxiliary same time and place. Rep: Jerry Chlopek
- 22 Dist 1 mtg in Gering Post 1681 to host at 1:30. Lunch at 12:30 \$5.00 reg. fee. Auxiliary same time and place. Rep: Gary Bush
- 22 Dist 6 mtg in Beatrice Post 1077 to host at 2:00, pot luck to follow meeting. Auxiliary same time and place. Election of officers at this meeting. Rep: Joe Smith
- 27-28 Grand MOC/MOCA Convention Grand Island, NE
- 29 Dist 9 mtg in Seward Post 4755 to host at the Post at 2:00.

Lunch to follow. Auxiliary same time and place.

Rep: Larry Gerlt

30 Post Service Officer entry to Department

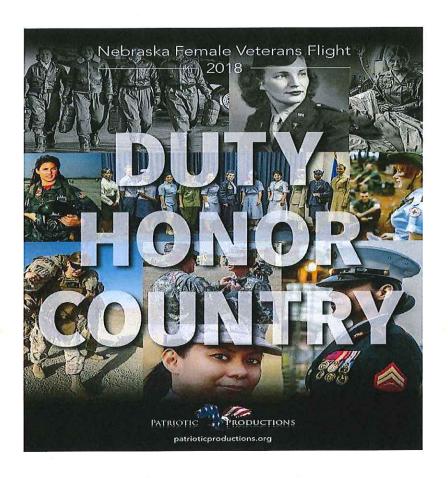
May 1, 2018 Cut off For Election Reports!!!

- 1 Americanism Post Scrap Book to Department
- 1 Blood Report
- 1 Chaplain Memorial Record to Department
- 1 Community Service Record Book to Department
- 1 Loyalty Day (May 1, 2017 activity) Record book to Dept.
- 1 Post Color Guard Report to Department
- 1 Youth Activities—Post Scrap Book to Department
- 1 Volunteer of the Year (Letter of Nomination)
- 1 6 Month Community Service Report (November to April)
- 15 Delegate Registration Due To Department



June 2018

Cut Off (For All Awards Fall Council Oct 5-6, 2018) All State Commander & QM/ Top Dist Cmdr 8-10 State Convention The Comfort Inn & Suites. Reservation Form enclosed.



Coming Soon by Patriotic Productions— 2018 Nebraska Female Veterans Flight! Monday, September 24, 2018

If you are a Nebraska resident and a female veteran who deployed to a war zone, we invite you to apply. The application can be found at www.PatrioticProductions.org
On the other hand, follow link for application:
http://www.patrioticproductions.org/uploads/2/5/8/25587689/2018 female flight app.pdf

Remember to include a copy of your DD-214 (with your SS# blacked out).

If you would like to donate to help with expenses for the veterans, you can donate on line:

http://www.patrioticproductions.org/donate.html or if you would like to make a donation by check, you may do so by making it payable and mailing to:

Patriotic Productions 16213 Lamp Street Omaha, NE 68118

Questions? Please call 402-612-0210 or email info@PatrioticProductions.org

Thank you



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Plated Lunch

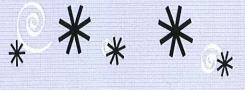
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Hot Roast Beef

Slow-roasted beef, served open faced over Texas toast with Mashed potatoes and beef gravy.

Also served with grilled vegetables.

Coffee, tea, water



Tickets in advance: \$12.00





Names of people attending!!

Name:

Name:

Mail check to:
VFW Headquarters
2431 N 48th
Lincoln, Ne 68504











VFW Nebraska State Convention

June 8-10, 2018
The Comfort Inn & Suites
7007 Grover St
Omaha, NE 68106
Room Rates \$89.00 + Tax

Call Department or mail in form for Reservations!!

VFW Department of Nebraska 2431 N. 48th St. Lincoln, NE 68504

402-464-0674 email to: <u>trudie@vfwne.org</u>

Deadline for Reservations is May 18, 2018

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	Personal and Billing Information
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Credit card number	
Credit card expiration date	
Number of Banquet Tickets? (purchase at Convention)	
Check in date?	
Check out date?	
Cost per night	\$89.00 + tax
Number of people	
Room preference (e.g., king, double, single)	
Special requests?	

Veterans of Foreign Wars Department of Nebraska

97th Annual Department Convention

June 8th thru the 10th, 2018 Comfort Inn & Suites in Omaha

Friday, June 8th

2:30 to 4:00 QM school: Trustees reports, Bonds, Online program reporting and Service Officer school (Ballroom A,B)

3:00 to 5:00 Delegate registration

Saturday, June 9th

8:00 to 11:30 Delegate registration

8:00 to 9:00 Council Meeting (Ballroom D)

9:30 to 11:30 Convention opening session (Ballroom D)

11:45 am All Past Commanders luncheon (Ballroom C)

1:00 to 2:30 Joint session - Includes Guest Speakers and

Volunteer Awards (Ballroom D)

1:00 to 2:30 Delegate registration

2:45 to 4:00 Reconvene VFW meeting - Nomination of Officers

1st call (Ballroom D)

4:15 pm Poppy Display judging

6:00 to 7:00 No host cocktail hour (Ballrooms A,B,C)

7:00 pm Banquet (Ballrooms A,B,C)

Sunday, June 10th

8:00 am Joint Memorial Service (Ballroom D)

9:00 am Resume meeting (Ballroom D)

Noon Lunch on your own

1:15 pm Resume meeting - Election of Officers, Installation and

New Council Meeting (Ballroom D)

Reception to immediately follow (Ballroom A)

FREE LEGAL SERVICES FOR VETERANS

- BY APPOINTMENT ONLY -

University of Nebraska College of Law Civil Clinic and the Veterans Advocacy Project Present:

VETERANS COFFEE & COUNSEL

NEXT EVENTS:

Wednesday, March 14, 2018

Wednesday, April 18, 2018

Starbucks - 33rd & O Street

Veterans will be paired with senior certified law students who will provide legal advice under the supervision of clinical law faculty.

Assistance limited to the following legal issues: Estate Planning, Criminal Conviction Set-Aside and Pardon, Debt Collection Defense, Rental Disputes, Bankruptcy, Child Support Modification, Divorce, Small Claims

VA Staff Will Be Available to Assist with Enrollment for VA Health Care

To schedule an appointment*, call (402) 472-3271 (press "0" and tell the receptionist you are calling to enroll in Coffee & Counsel)

*Limited appointments available





University of Nebraska



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Veterans Advocacy Project

(402) 472-3271 • <u>civilclinic@unl.edu</u>



119th VFW National Convention 2018 July 21-25, 2018 · Kansas City, MO

Official Hotel Reservation Form

INSTRUCTIONS

Reservations can be made in one of the following ways:

INTERNET: Visit the VFW web site at www.vfw.org.

TELEPHONE:

Toll-free US: (877) 464-6840 International: (980) 337-3372 8:30 am to 9:00 pm ET, Mon-Fri

FAX: (816) 691-3880

MAIL:

Visit KC 1321 Baltimore Avenue Kansas City, MO 64105

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housing@ihs-housingteam.com

DEADLINE

Reservations must be made by phone, fax, mail or internet by June 18, 2018. Reservations received after this date will be subject to space and rate availability.

CONFIRMATIONS

Visit KC Housing will send you an email confirmation of your reservation. Please review all information for accuracy. If you do not receive a confirmation or have questions, please call Visit KC Housing at the above listed phone number.

TAX RATE & REQUESTS

All rates are per room and are subject to a room tax up to 18.1% and a city development fee of \$1.75 (subject to change). Special requests cannot be guaranteed; hotels will do their best to honor requests. Hotels will assign specific rooms upon check-in, based on availability.

ROOM DEPOSIT REQUIRED:

Reservations must be accompanied with a \$190 room deposit in the form of a credit card guarantee, money order or cashier's check. Cashier's checks and money orders must be made out to Visit KC. The mailing address is Visit KC 1321 Baltimore Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64105. Forms and deposits must be received by June 18, 2018.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations after June 18, 2018 will be subject to a \$25 processing fee. Most hotels require cancellations at least 72 hours prior to arrival to avoid additional penalties. Please refer to your confirmation notice for more details.

GUEST INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)

FOR BEST AVAILABILITY AND IMMEDIATE CONFIRMATION, MAKE YOUR RESERVATION ONLINE AT www.vfw.org OR BY PHONE AT (877) 464-6840 (toll-free) OR (980) 337-3372 (international).

Arrival Date:	Departure Date:	
First Name:	_Last Name:	
Email Address:		
Daytime Phone:	Fax:	
Company:		
Address:		
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	State/Province:	
Zip Code:	Country:	
HOTEL SELECTION		
Each state/department has been assigned a hotel with an allocation of rooms. In the event the allotment has been filled, a room will be reserved at another VFW hotel based on your preference of rates or proximity and availability.		
If hotel assignment is sold out, which is more important? (check one) $\ \square$ Room Rate $\ \square$ Location		
State you reside in:		
Room Type Requested: One Bed Two Beds Submit only one room request per form, please make copies if additional forms are needed.		
List all room occupants:		
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6 ☐ Check here if you have special needs and specify below.		
Special Requests:		
NOTE: All hotels are non-smoking properties. All have designated outdoor smoking areas.		
DEPOSIT INFORMATION		
All reservations requests must be accompanied with a \$190 room deposit in the form of a credit card guarantee, cashier's check or money order. Housing Forms received without a valid guarantee/deposit will not be processed. Cashier's checks and money orders must be mailed with a completed housing form.		
☐ Visa ☐ American Express ☐ Discover	☐ MasterCard	
Card Number:	Exp. Date:	
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Cardholder's Signature*: * I hereby authorize the participating hotel retain / o tax, whichever is greater, if I fail to cancel my resellisted on my confirmation.	charge the \$190 deposit or a one night's room & rvation by my hotel's given cancellation policy as	
☐ Cashier's check or money order deposit of \$190 enclosed and made payable to Visit KC. Mail		

check or money order with completed housing form to: Visit KC 1321 Baltimore Avenue, Kansas City,

MO 64105. Must be received no later than June 18, 2018.

2018 DEPARTMENT HOTEL ASSIGNMENTS

MARRIOTT DTN KC (VFW HQT)

Ohio

New Mexico New York Kentucky Missouri Illinois Indiana Iowa

Minnesota Nebraska South Dakota Wisconsin California

HOTEL PHILLIPS

Arizona Nevada North Dakota Oregon Utah Washington Alaska

ALADDIN HOLIDAY INN

Idaho Pacific Areas Montana Wyoming Colorado Kansas

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Pennsylvania
Connecticut
Delaware
Europe
Maine
Rhode Island
New Hampshire
Vermont

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Louisiana
Mississippi
North Carolina
Oklahoma
South Carolina
Tennessee
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