



**AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY  
DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA  
2026 DEPARTMENT CONVENTION  
CROWN PLAZA SAN MARCOS  
CHANDLER, AZ**

*This schedule is subject to change.  
Chairmen, please sit up front prior to speaking.*

**Thursday, June 26, 2025**

<b>REGISTRATION: 11:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.</b>		<b>CROWN PLAZA SAN MARCOS</b>
12:00 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting	LA VISTA
1:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting	LA VISTA
	All Department Officers, including District Presidents, and Past Department Presidents	
3:00 p.m.	Girls State Directors Meeting	LA VISTA
3:30 p.m.	Credential Committee Meeting	LA VISTA
	Rules Committee Meeting	
	Resolutions Committee Meeting	
	Courtesy Resolutions Committee Meeting	
6:00 p.m.	Joint Opening	BALLROOM A & B

**Friday, June 27, 2025**

<b>REGISTRATION 7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.</b>		<b>CHANDLER COMMUNITY CENTER 125 E. COMMONWEALTH</b>
7:00 a.m.	Sgt @ Arms, Pages, meet with Chairman of Pages for instruction	
7:45 a.m.	Processional Lineup – All Department Officers, District Presidents, and Past Department Presidents... <i>Don't forget sashes.</i>	
<b>8:15 a.m.</b>	<b>OPENING CEREMONY</b>	<b>CHANDLER COMMUNITY CENTER 125 E. COMMONWEALTH AVE</b>
Processional		Maggie Montijo, Americanism Chairman
Call to Order		Stacey Mayberry, Dept Pres.
Opening Prayer		Stephanie McMullen, Chaplain
Pledge of Allegiance		Maggie Montijo, Americanism
National Anthem		Alma Mattingly, Music Chairman
Preamble		Danny Murphy, C&B Chairman
POW/MIA Chair		Stacey Mayberry, Dept Pres. Dolores Chavez, Dept VP and

Welcome and Purpose  
Response

Marge Christianson, Dept 2<sup>nd</sup> VP  
Stacey Mayberry, Dept Pres.  
Dolores Chavez, Dept VP

## Introductions and Greetings

Johnna Norman – Honorary Junior Department President

Rose Ficklin – ALA National Executive Committeeman

## Introduction of Convention Appointees

Stacey Mayberry, Dept Pres.

Registration – ALA Unit 35

Chairman of Pages – Anita Ritter

Personal Pages – Sara Decker and Rebecca Rocha

Sgt-at-Arms – Anita Ritter and Kathy Hampton

Color Bearers – Unit 29 Color Guard

Credentials Committee – June Moyer

Resolution Committee Chairman – Debra Munchbach

Rules Committee Chairman– Debra Munchbach

Courtesy Resolutions Committee – Viki Jackson & Linda Miller

Roll Call of Units

Rules of Convention

Partial Credentials Report

Constitution & Bylaws 1<sup>st</sup> Reading

Rose Ficklin, Dept. Secretary

Debra Munchbach, Rules

June Moyer, Credentials

Debra Munchbach, Rules

## Nominations for Officers & National Convention Delegates

### SAMPLE BALLOTS

Instructions for Elections of Department Officers,  
Delegates and Alternates to National Convention

Debra Munchbach,  
Head Teller

Sample Ballots by Roll Call of Units with number of votes announced:

Rose Ficklin,  
Dept Secretary

Nominations for Department Officers 2025-2026

Nominations for Delegates and Alternates for National Convention August 2025

## BREAK

**10:00 a.m.**

### PROGRAM

### CHAIRMAN

Legislative

Kathy Amery

National Security

Barbara White

Poppy

Kat Sticklin

Creative Arts

Anita Ritter

Service to Veterans

Sara Decker

Announcements

Rose Ficklin, Dept. Secretary

**11:30 a.m. LUNCH****1:00 p.m. RECONVENE****CHANDLER COMMUNITY CENTER  
125 E. COMMONWEALTH AVE**

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Call to Order  
Roll Call of Units  
Credential ReportStacey Mayberry  
Rose Ficklin  
June Moyer**1:15p.m. PROGRAM****CHAIRMAN**Americanism  
Education  
Cavalcade of Memories  
Community Service  
Auxiliary Emergency Fund  
Children & Youth  
Junior Activities  
Girls StateMaggie Montijo  
Julie Vietri  
Paula Burgess  
Lisa Young  
Katherine Pittman  
Daphne Coleman  
Patricia Lugo  
Penny Maklary**Introduction of 2025-2026 District and Unit Presidents by the 2024-2025 District Presidents****RECESS****Saturday, June 28, 2025****REGISTRATION: 7:00 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.****CHANDLER COMMUNITY CENTER  
125 E. COMMONWEALTH AVE**

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**8:00 a.m. RECONVENE****CHANDLER COMMUNITY CENTER**Call to Order  
Invocation  
Roll Call of Units  
Credentials Report for Elections  
Head Teller  
Introduction of TellersStacey Mayberry  
Stephanie McMullen  
Rose Ficklin  
June Moyer  
Debra Munchbach  
Debra Munchbach

***Each candidate is given the opportunity to have a witness present during the ballot counting.***

Distribution of Ballots by Roll Call

Rose Ficklin

Election of 2025-2026 Department Officers  
2025-2026 Delegates & Alternates to National Convention

<b>PROGRAM</b>	<b>CHAIRMAN</b>
Public Relations	Shannon Mead
Membership	Dolores Chavez
Constitution & Bylaws	Danny Murphy
Finance	Yolanda Bonilla
Past President's Parley	Cindy Queen
Historian	Lynda Griffin
Scrapbook	
Music	Alma Mattingly
Chaplain	Stephanie McMullen

**Memorial Service for Past Department President's lost in 2024-2025**

**11:30 a.m. LUNCH**

**1:00 p.m. RECONVENE**

**CHANDLER COMMUNITY CENTER**

Call to Order  
Roll Call of Units  
Final Credentials Report  
Leadership  
New Units/UD&R  
President's Special Project  
P.A.W.S.S.

Stacey Mayberry  
Rose Ficklin  
June Moyer  
Karen Smith  
Ginger Cox  
Chris Rodriguez

President's Report  
Membership 101

Stacey Mayberry  
Dolores Chavez & Rae Hopf

Announcements

Rose Ficklin

**RECESS**

3:15 p.m. Installation Practice

4:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Alma Mattingly

6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. President Elect Reception

TBA

**Sunday, June 29, 2025**

8:00 a.m.

Joint Memorial Service

Ballroom A,B,C San Marcos Hotel

Stephen Larance, Dept Chaplain  
Stephanie McMullen, Dept Chaplain  
Alma Mattingly

**CHANDLER COMMUNITY CENTER**  
**125 E. COMMONWEALTH AVE**

## Installation of Officers 2025 -2026

## Break 15 Minutes

Stacey Mayberry  
Marge Christianson  
Viki Jackson and Linda Miller

Introduction of 2025-2026 Department Commander and presentation of the Bieri Award

Stacey Mayberry  
Rose Ficklin  
Stephanie McMullen  
Maggie Montijo

Stacey Mayberry

**HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME!**

**Immediately following the adjournment of this convention there will be a meeting of the Department Executive Committee. All Department Officers which include the new seated District Presidents and Past Department Presidents are required to attend.**

**The meeting will be at the Chandler Community Center**

## Newly Elected Department President

Dolores Chavez