



**AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
2024 DEPARTMENT CONVENTION
EL CONQUISTADOR RESORT
TUCSON, AZ**

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

Thursday, June 20, 2024

<u>Registration: 11:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</u>		<u>Presidio Desk</u>
12:00 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting	Agave I
1:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting	Agave I
	All Department Officers, including District Presidents, and Past Department Presidents	Agave I
2:30 p.m.	Girls State Directors Meeting	Agave I
3:30 p.m.	Credential Committee Meeting	Agave I
	Rules Committee Meeting	
	Resolutions Committee Meeting	
	Courtesy Resolutions Committee Meeting	
6:00 p.m.	Joint Opening	Turquoise I
7:00 p.m.	Unit, District & Department Color Guard meet with Americanism Chairman Maggie Montijo for Instructions	Turquoise III

Friday, June 21, 2024

<u>Registration: 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.</u>		<u>Presidio Desk</u>
7:00 a.m.	Sgt @ Arms, Pages, meet with Chairman of Pages for instruction	Presidio III
7:45 a.m.	Processional Lineup – All Department Officers, District Presidents, and Past Department Presidents... <i>Don't forget sashes.</i>	
8:15 a.m.	<u>Opening Ceremony</u>	<u>Presidio III</u>
Processional	Maggie Montijo	
Call to Order	Rose Ficklin, Dept Pres	
Opening Prayer	Lynda Griffin, Chaplain	
Pledge of Allegiance	Maggie Montijo	
National Anthem	Alma Mattingly	
Preamble	Danny Murphy, C&B Committee	
POW/MIA Chair	Rose Ficklin, Dept Pres	
	Stacey Mayberry & Dolores Chavez	
Welcome and Purpose	Rose Ficklin, Dept Pres	
Response	Stacey Mayberry, Dept VP	
Introductions and Greetings		
	TBD – Honorary Junior Department President	
	Barbara White – ALA National Executive Committeeman	
	Lisa Williamson – National President	
Introduction of Convention Appointees	Rose Ficklin, Dept Pres	
	Registration – ALA Unit 132	

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 & Tonya Gatton
 Resolution Committee Chairman – Debra Munchbach
 Rules Committee Chairman – Debra Munchbach
 Courtesy Resolutions Committee – Viki Jackson & Linda Miller

Rules of Convention	Debra Munchbach
Partial Credentials Report	June Moyer
Constitution & Bylaws 1 st Reading	Debra Munchbach

Nominations of Officers & National Convention Delegates
 SAMPLE BALLOTS

Instructions for Elections of Department Officers, Delegates and Alternates to National Convention	Debra Munchbach
Sample Ballots by Roll Call of Units with number of votes announced: Nominations for Department Officers 2024-2025 Nominations for Delegates and Alternates for National Convention August 2024	Maggie Montijo

10:00 a.m.	Program	Chairman
	Legislative	Kathy Amery
	National Security	Barbara White
	Poppy	Kat Sticklin
	Creative Arts	Anita Ritter
	Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation	Dolores Chavez
	Service to Veterans	Sara Decker
	Prescott VAMC	Trish Aljets
	Phoenix VAMC	Gloria Torres
	Tucson VAMC	Kathy Szakonyi
	State Veterans Home Phoenix	Cat Ludwick
	State Veterans Home Tucson	Nancy Morrow
	State Veterans Home Yuma	Winnie Moir
	Phoenix Gift Shop	Christine Paulson
	Whipple Gift Shop	Trish Aljets
	Tucson Gift Shop	Carla Neill
	Poppy Making	All Units

BREAK

11:30 a.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m.	Reconvene	Presidio III
	Call to Order	Rose Ficklin
	Roll Call of Units	Maggie Montijo
	Credential Report	June Moyer
	Program	Chairman
	Americanism	Maggie Montijo
	Education	Julie Vietri
	Cavalcade of Memories	Paula Burgess

Community Service
 Auxiliary Emergency Fund
 Children & Youth
 Junior Activities
 Girls State

Lisa Young
 Patti Hartfiel
 Katie Wojahn
 Patricia Lugo
 Penny Maklary

Introduction of 2024-2025 District and Unit Presidents by the 2023-2024 District Presidents

RECESS

3:00 p.m. Incoming Unit & District Presidents round table

Saturday, June 22, 2024

Registration: 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.		Presidio Desk
8:00 a.m.	Reconvene	Presidio III
	Call to Order	Rose Ficklin
	Invocation	Lynda Griffin
	Roll Call of Units	Maggie Montijo
	Credentials Report for Elections	June Moyer
	Head Teller	Debra Munchbach
	Introduction of Tellers	Debra Munchbach
<i>Each candidate is given the opportunity to have a witness present during the ballot counting.</i>		
	Distribution of Ballots by Roll Call	Maggie Montijo

Election of 2024-2025 Department Officers
 2024-2025 Delegates & Alternates to National Convention

Program	Chairman
Public Relations	Danny Murphy
Membership	Stacey Mayberry
Constitution & Bylaws	Danny Murphy
Finance	Yolanda Bonilla
Past President's Parley	Cindy Queen
Chaplain	Lynda Griffin
Historian	Marge Christianson
Scrapbook	Shauna Taylor
Music	Alma Mattingly

RECESS

11:30 a.m.	Past President's Luncheon	Presidio I & II
1:00 p.m.	Reconvene	Presidio III
	Call to Order	Rose Ficklin
	Roll Call of Units	Maggie Montijo
	President's Special Project	Shannon Mead
	Leadership	Karen Smith
	New Units	Rose Ficklin & Barbara White

Final Credentials Report	June Moyer
President's Report	Rose Ficklin
Membership 101	Stacey Mayberry & Rae Hopf
Announcements	Maggie Montijo
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3:00 p.m.	Installation Practice	Ginger Cox	Presidio III
4:15 p.m.	Choir Practice	Alma Mattingly	Presidio III
6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	President Elect Reception		TBA

Sunday, June 25, 2023

8:00 a.m.	Joint Memorial Service The American Legion American Legion Auxiliary American Legion Family Choir	Turquoise I Stephen Larance, Dept Chaplain Lynda Griffin, Dept Chaplain Alma Mattingly
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9:15 a.m.	Reconvene	Presidio III
	<hr/> Installation of 2024-2025 Officers	

Break 15 Minutes

	Call To Order	Rose Ficklin
	Membership Challenges for 2024-2025	Dolores Chavez
	Courtesy Resolutions	Viki Jackson and Linda Miller
	Introduction of 2024-2025 Department Commander and presentation of the Beri Award	
	Final Comments	Rose Ficklin, Dept Pres
	Announcements	Maggie Montijo
	Benediction	Lynda Griffin, Chaplain
	Retirement of District and Unit Colors	Maggie Montijo
	Retirement of 2023-2024 District Presidents	
	Retirement of Department Officers	
	Retirement of Department Colors	
11:00 a.m.	Adjournment	Rose Ficklin, Dept Pres

HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME!

Immediately following 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 in Turquoise III



Call to Order	Newly Elected Department President
2024-2025 Department Executive Committee Meeting	Stacey Mayberry