

105th Annual Department of Arkansas Convention

Program of Events

Friday June 14, 2024

8:00 am- Noon	Registration	Silver City 6
8:00 am – 9:00	Executive Committee Meeting	Silver City Room 1-2
9 :30 am	Joint Opening Session	Silver City Room 1 & 2
Program Call to Order		
Advance Colors		
National Anthem Sung By Shelly Bradley and Lisa Hussmaster		
Invocation		
POW/MIA		
Pledge of Allegiance		
Preamble to the Constitution		
Introduction of Department Officers		
Introduction of Past Department Commanders		
Introduction of Department Auxiliary Madam President	Betty Cupples	
Introduction of SAL Detachment Commander	Bob Wade	
Introduction of ALR Department Director	Michael Stambough	
Convention Committee Instructions	Kevin Caldwell	

Welcome and Greetings

North Little Rock Mayor Representative	Terry Hardwick
Past National Commander 2013-2014	Daniel Dellinger
VA Medical Director Little Rock	Dr. Michael Moore
VA Medical Center Director Fayetteville	Dr. George Velez
VA Volunteer Coordinator Fayetteville	Sue Hess
VA Volunteer Coordinator LR	Michael Dobbs
VA Regional Office, Fort Roots, N. Little Rock	James McLean
ALA President	Betty Cupples
VFW Commander	Elvin Tate

Meeting and Room Announcements

11:30 am – 1 pm **RECESS / LUNCH**

*******Certification of Delegates Cease at 12:00 Noon*******

1:00 pm **CONVENTION RECONVENES** Silver City Room 1 and 2

1:00 pm Roll Call for Quorum

1:15 pm Certification of Credentials

1:20 pm Convention Rules

1:30 pm Activities Committee Report

1:45 pm Americanism Program

Reports:

Boy Scout Chairman

Boys State Chairman

Oratorical Chairman/Foundation Report

Baseball Chairman

Jr. Shooters Chairman

2:15 pm Membership Report

2:40 pm American Legion Riders Report

3:00 pm Financial Officer Report

3:15 pm Training Committee

3:30 pm Policy Committee Report

Announcements:

Benediction

Adjourn

Friday Schedule of Events

Hospitality Room Open

7:00 am – 9:30 am

Huntersville & DeCantilion

Vendor Hall

7 am – 7 pm

Silver City 6

Hospitality Room

11:30 – 1:00 pm

Huntersville & DeCantilion

8:00 – 12:00

Registration

Silver City 5

Convention Rules Committee

12:00 pm

Silver City 5

Hospitality Room

4:00-6:30 pm and 9:00 pm.-11:00 pm

– Closed during Red, White and Blue Party

Red, White and Blue Party

6:30 pm – 10:00 pm

Silver City Rooms 2 – 4

