

2025 FALL CONFERENCE

Department of Minnesota
Veterans of Foreign Wars



“STRIVE TO SERVE”



September 19 - 21, 2025

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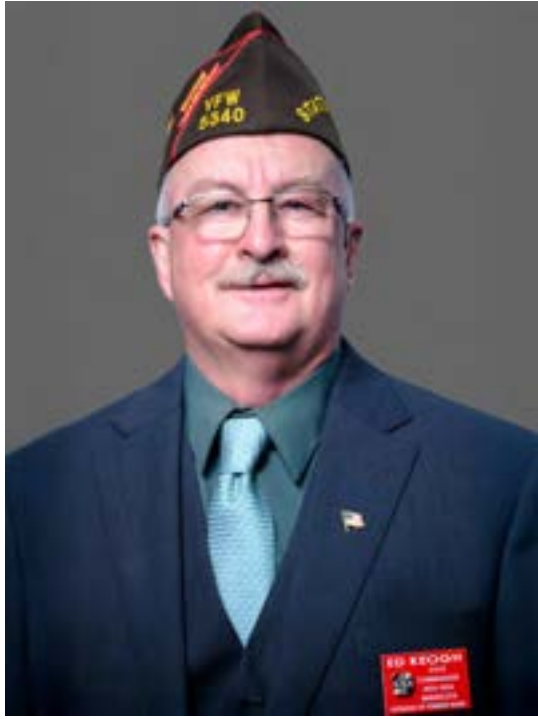
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Greetings From:
Ed Keogh
State Commander



Greetings and welcome to the Fall Conference.

I am truly honored to serve as your Department Commander.

This Fall Conference offers an excellent opportunity for you to attend a variety of informative training sessions. I encourage you to take full advantage of these sessions to learn more about our programs, responsibilities, community service initiatives, Post consolidation, membership, and more.

Beyond training, this Conference is a wonderful chance to build lasting friendships, enjoy camaraderie, and exchange ideas with fellow members. I especially encourage Post and Auxiliary members to connect with one another throughout the weekend. By strengthening these bonds, we can work together more effectively and accomplish great things.

I hope you find this Conference to be both valuable and enjoyable. When you return home, please share what you've learned with your Posts and Auxiliaries so the benefits can extend throughout our entire Department.

Also, I ask you to consider supporting the 2025–2026 Commander's and President's Project: VFW National Home and Magnus.

I look forward to a productive and inspiring year working alongside all of you.

Ed Keogh
State Commander

"STRIVE TO SERVE"



Greetings From:
Lynn W. Rolf III
VFW National Director of Programs



Greetings Department of Minnesota Fall Conference attendees!

I am deeply honored to serve as your national representative this year and would like to extend my gratitude to all the members of the Department of Minnesota. Your tireless efforts continue to make a lasting difference in the lives of our nation's veterans, service members, and their families.

This conference is a special opportunity for us to come together, share ideas, and strengthen the bonds of comradeship. By working side by side, we ensure this historic organization reaches its fullest potential.

With Commander Keogh's leadership and your unwavering support, I am confident this gathering will inspire in each of you an even greater passion, devotion, and drive to achieve future successes.

In the spirit of Commander-in-Chief Carol Whitmore's theme, "*For Veterans, By Veterans*," let us carry forward the dedication and teamwork that define the Department of Minnesota. Her theme is a powerful reminder that the VFW, as the nation's oldest and largest combat veterans' organization, thrives because of the warrior spirit within each of us—and because we are always stronger together.

Congratulations on all you have accomplished and thank you for your continued hard work and devotion.

Here is to a successful and inspiring conference!

Yours in Comradeship,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lynn W. Rolf III". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Lynn W. Rolf, III
Director, VFW Programs
VFW National Headquarters



Greetings From:
Julie Stoehr
State President



Greetings Auxiliary Sisters, Brothers and Comrades:

Welcome to the Minnesota VFW and VFW Auxiliary Fall Conference. We are looking forward to an exciting meeting and thank you all for attending.

We have some exciting things planned and it may be different from previous years, but the change is good. Congratulations to all our newly elected officers throughout the state of Minnesota. The schedule is full, and our Program Chairs will be providing the current information from this year's National Ambassadors.

With this information our Auxiliaries can continue to learn and grow, trying new ideas, some will work, some may not, just a little bump in the road, but we keep on trying. Communication is a big key; we need this to grow. If we don't share, we lose our teamwork. Our membership equals strength, teamwork and above all cooperation. It represents a sense of Patriotism and support for our Veterans, families and Military. With this also creating mentoring opportunities, whether we realize it or not, teamwork is mentoring, embracing a goal for making a difference for our Veterans!

Enjoy fall conference, learn lots and greet all with a smile and remember we are and always will be 100% for our Veterans! My project this year is for Magnus Veterans Wellness Campus, located in Dayton Minnesota. Their Mission is to Heal and honor our Veterans and their families through community fellowship and a comprehensive approach to restoring the body, heart, mind and spirit. Their Vision: Fully restore the Warrior Spirit by bridging the gap between those who serve and those whom they serve.

Remember who the success of Department is, all members, through leadership, hard work and the dedication and love for our Veterans, Families, Military and our Community...THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO AND CONTINUE TO DO!

Loyally,

Julie Stoehr
President, Department of Minnesota

"BE THE ANCHOR TO OUR VETERANS HEARTS"



Greetings From:
SONIA TATGE
Auxiliary National Council Area E



Dear Sisters, Brothers, and Comrades:

I am so honored that National President Lois Callahan selected me to be the Official Representative for your Fall Conference. I want to commend the Department VFW Auxiliary for their 100 years of service to our veterans, service members and their families.

Minnesota continues to fulfill the mission of our organization that makes a difference in so many lives, and I am proud to be a 60-year member of the VFW Auxiliary.

Now, I have another obligation to all the members in Minnesota Auxiliaries. As a newly installed member of the NDCM Area E (National District Council), it is my duty to keep members informed of the business of the National Council.

Your attendance at this conference allows you to take advantage of training and educational opportunities presented and take this valuable information back to others in your Auxiliaries and Districts. As a new program year begins, there have been changes and updates. To continue to be successful, we need to share and mentor those who cannot attend this conference.

Let us look forward to another successful year led by Department Commander Ed Keogh and Auxiliary President Julie Stoehr. I wish them the very best in the year ahead.

Sonia Tatge
National Council Member, Area E 2025-2027

VFW MN Commander's & President's Joint Project 2025-2026



Our Mission

The VFW National Home assists military, veterans, and their families with children, by creating a foundation of services and resources to achieve their personal and family goals to move forward in a positive, safe and healthy environment.

Send payment to: VFW National Home, 3573 S. Waverly Rd, Eaton Rapids, MI 48827.

Attn: "2025-2026 VFW MN Commander and Presidents Project". **Online**

<https://vfwnationalhome.org/donate/> Enter donation and post/individual information. In comments section, please write "2025-2026 VFW Minnesota Commanders & Presidents Project".

YOUR CONTRIBUTION will help support the upkeep and renovations of Minnesota Home. In 2026, there will be several upgrades to our home including new flooring, window dressings, painting and duct cleaning.

YOUR CONTRIBUTION will be used to purchase coolers, freezers, and shelving for the new VFW National Home resident convenience store. Residents will have a store where they can purchase items with an issued debit card instead of having to travel several miles to the nearest town for much needed items.

YOUR CONTRIBUTION will also support the VFW National Home Veteran and Family Resource Center. This serves as a central hub of support, guidance, and empowerment for military and veteran families. Dedicated to improving the lives of those who have served, the VFRC connects families with vital resources, programs, and partnerships that foster stability, growth, and personal development.

Ed Keogh, VFW MN State Commander

Julie Stoehr, VFW MN State Auxiliary President



FALL CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

September 19-21, 2025

Crowne Plaza – 3131 Campus Drive, Plymouth, MN

REVISED August 5, 2025



FRIDAY, September 19, 2025

10:30 am – 11:30 am	Internal Affairs Committee	Boardroom 1
12 pm - 5:00 pm	<u>Registration</u> VFW Pick up program book & Banquet Tickets	Fireside Lounge
8:00 am – 1:00 pm	Registration AUX	Fireside Lounge
8:00 am – 3:30 pm	DISPLAY/PROGRAM EXHIBITS	Europa/Copenhagen
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Finance Committee	Boardroom 1
2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Gambling Meeting Instructor TBD	Scandinavian
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Claims Office Hours with Jon Gohn	Boardroom 1
4:15 pm – 5:30 pm	MNVFW Charitable Association Meeting	Boardroom 1
6:00 pm – 8:30 pm	VFW Council of Administration	Scandinavian
6:00 pm - 8:30 pm	Auxiliary Council of Administration	Regency
After Meetings Hospitality Rooms Open		Second Floor

SATURDAY, September 20, 2025

7:00 am - 1:00 pm	<u>Registration</u> VFW	Fireside Lounge
8:00 am – 1:00 pm	AUX Registration	Fireside Lounge
8:00 am – 3:00 pm	VFW OTI Sessions	Scandinavian
9:00 am – 3:00 pm	ATS (Auxiliary) Sessions	Regency
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	LUNCH	
8:00 am – 3:00 pm	Display/Program Exhibits/Poppy Contest Exhibit set up from 7 – 7:45 am	Europa/Copenhagen
4:30 – 5:30 pm	Non-Denominational Services Catholic Services	Conf. Room C Conf. Room B
6:00 – 6:45 pm	General Reception	Atrium
7:00 – 9:30 pm	Casual Dinner Event	Scandinavian

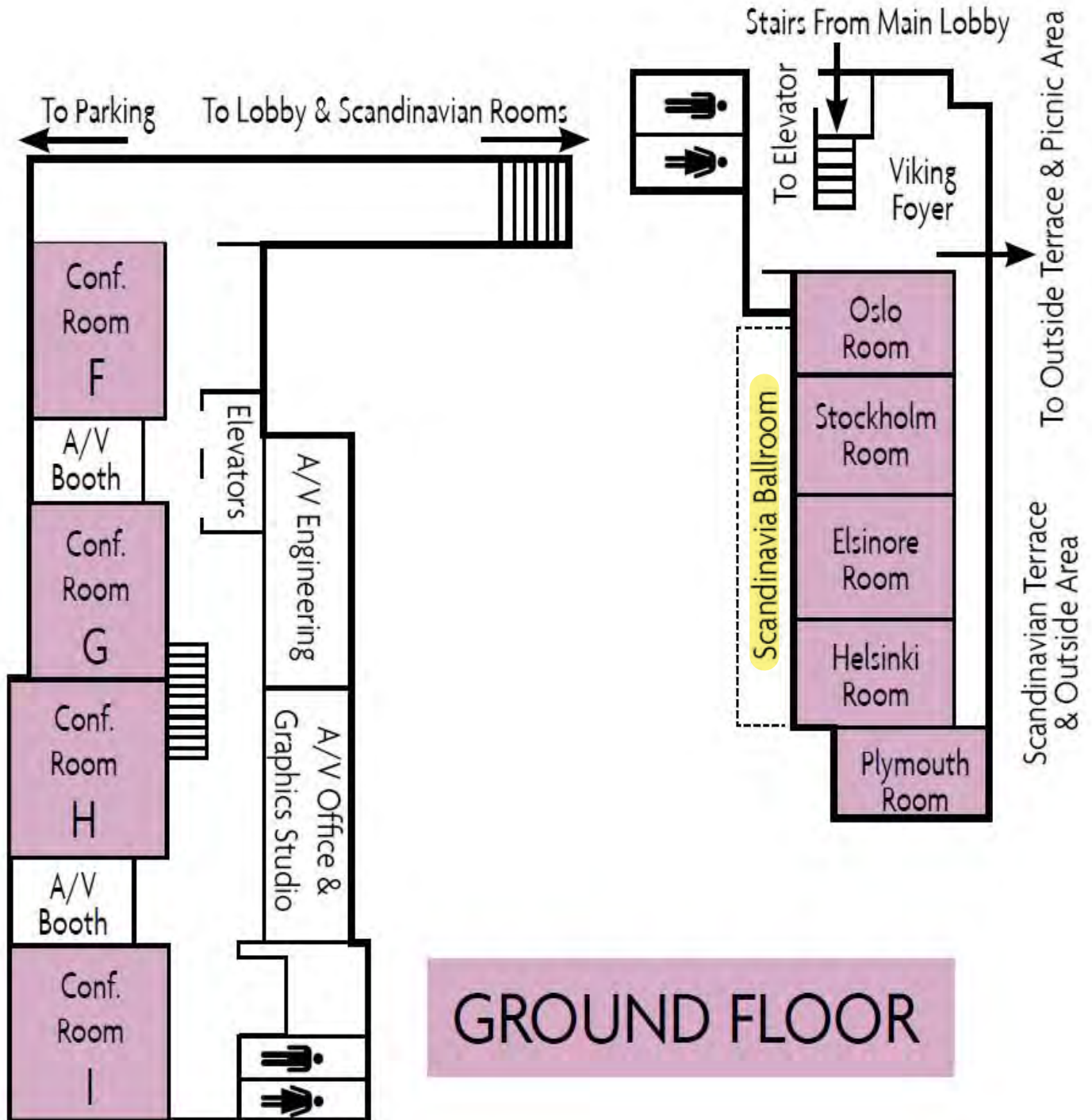
VFW OTI Sessions – Saturday, June 20, 2025

8:00 – 8:50 am	Commander's Leadership Session Taught by State Commander, Ed Keogh -Membership (National & State Programs) -Post Issues (Disciplinary Actions, etc.) -Consolidation vs Surrendering Post Charter	Scandinavian
9:00 – 9:50 am	Adjutant/Quartermaster OTI Session Taught by Adj/QM Barry Henriksen -How to do an Audit/Audit Issues -What is a Bond? It's not your Post Insurance. -Assessments: Why do Posts have to Pay -Dashboard -OMS	Scandinavian
10:00 – 10:50	ScholarsApp (Duane Hermanson) -VOD/PP Online Program	Scandinavian
11:00 – 11:45 am	Inspections (Darrin Ewing)	Scandinavian
11:45 – 1:00 pm	Lunch Buffet \$20/person <i>Garden Salad with Choice of Dressings. Includes Beef Burger and Hot Dogs. Toppings: Sauteed Mushrooms & Onions, Sliced Tomato, Sliced Cheese, Pickles, Mayo, Mustard, BBQ Sauce, Shredded Lettuce, and Ketchup. Served with French Fries and Potato Salad. Assorted cookies and bars.</i>	Hotel Restaurant
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Claims Office Hours with Jon Gohn	Boardroom 1
1:00 – 3:00 pm	Veterans & Youth Activities Program Explanation and Bids	Conf Room D Main Floor
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Let's Talk about Programs (Joint) -Commander's Project/National Home Taught by Jim Dalziel -Legislative by Barry Henriksen -Community Service by Mary Thompson -Buddy Poppy by Charlie Cossette	Scandinavian
2:10 – 3:00 pm	Let's Talk About Programs (cont'd) -Safety by Duane Frank -Scouting by Chris Trebelhorn -Teacher of the Year by Jim Swanson	Scandinavian

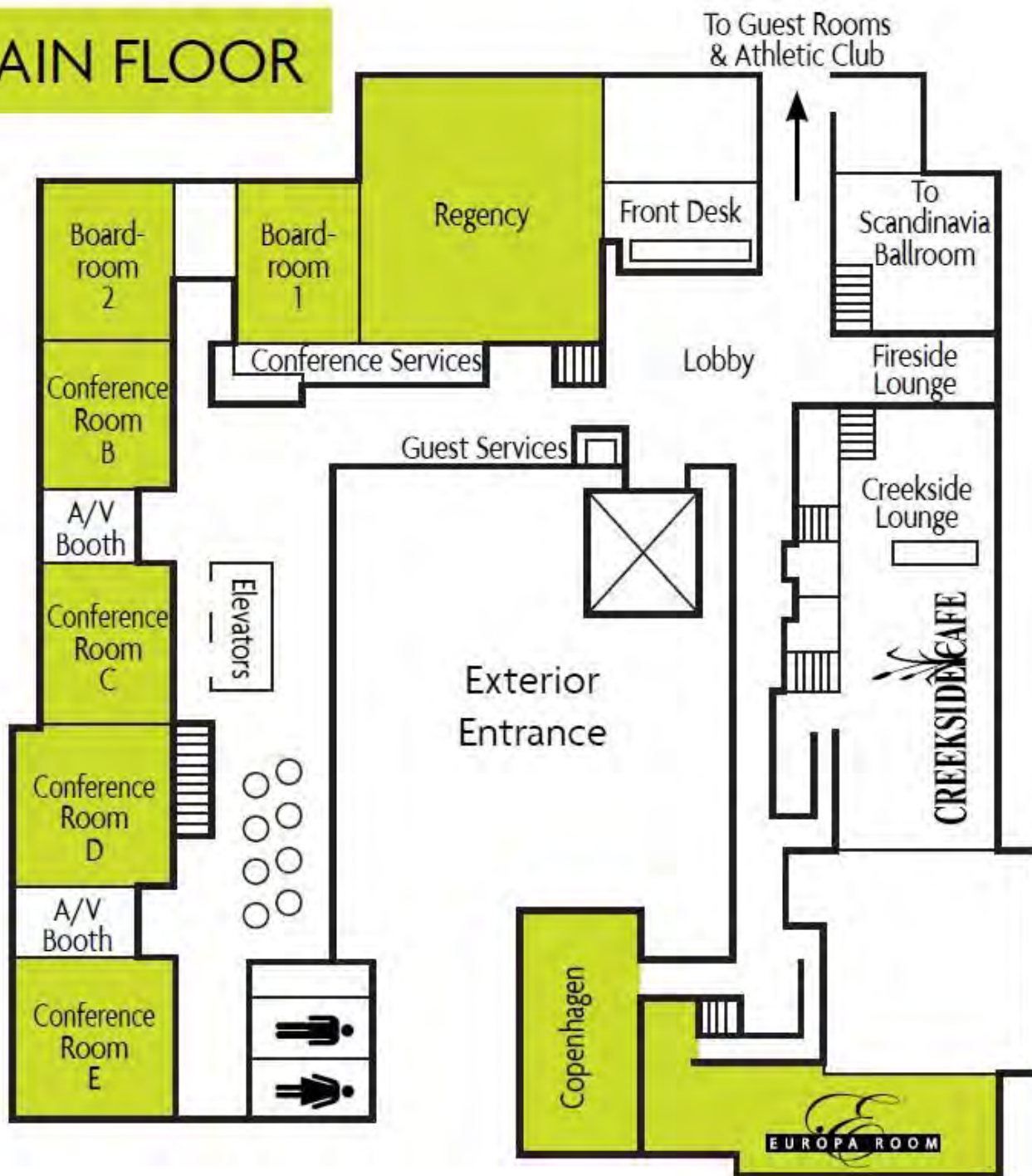
SUNDAY, September 21, 2025

8:00 am – 11:00 am	VFW Council of Administration	Scandinavian
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CONTACT: KEVIN OLSON

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– Ed Keogh, MN VFW State Commander



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Candidate for
Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief
2027-28

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- Afghanistan Veteran – Operation Enduring Freedom
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 - Department Commander 2021-22
 - Big 10 Chairman 2023-24

CHRIS HAYNES

CANDIDATE FOR JR. VICE COMMANDER IN CHIEF

2027 - 2028



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- ♦ PAST COMMANDER IN CHIEF AL LIPPHARDT
- ♦ PAST COMMANDER IN CHIEF KEITH HARMAN
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- ♦ PAST COMMANDER IN CHIEF JOHN MOON



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All-American Post Commander
All-American District Commander
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**We welcome all VFW and Auxiliary members
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**Friday Bargo 7PM, Saturday meat
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Commander
John Naastad



President
Margaret Booge

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David Staehlin

All-American State Commander (2024-2025)

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2027-2031

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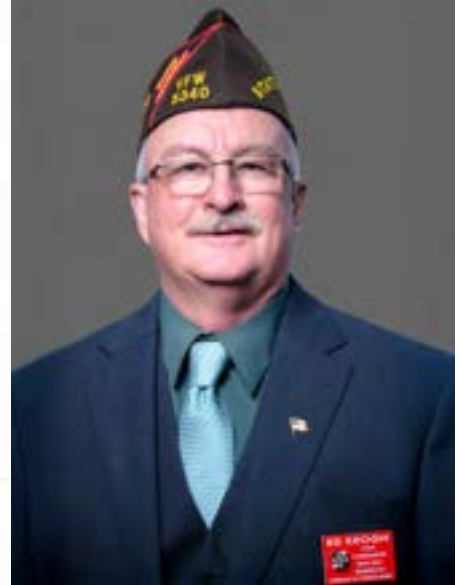
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Dale Hooegeveen, Post 1791
National Council Member
Past Department Commander
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2022-2023



Ed Keogh, Post 5340
Department Commander
2025-2026

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Geral Chapman

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Chuck Dresen
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Mike Labovitch
Larry Grindland

Mike Lindberg
Jerry Tews
Don Heuer
Terry Pieper
Dale Hooegeveen
Ed Keogh

Leon Grack
Maria Maldonado

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Commander
Post 6208

Dave Thompson
Sr. Vice Commander
Post 6208

Bubba Chambers
Jr. Vice Commander
Post 9433

Larry Grindland
Quartermaster
Post 1210

Dale Hooegeveen
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Post 1791

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Post 2854

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Francis Rowe
Post 6031

Officer of the Day
Don Heuer
Post 9433

Chief of Staff
Chuck Dresen
Post 6208

Past 2nd District Cmdr
Maria Maldonado
Post 1791

2nd District Posts

210 Lakeville
900 Jackson
906 Hutchinson
950 Mankato
1210 Hastings
1222 Fairmont
1648 New Ulm

1778 Wells
1783 Young America
1791 Chaska
1803 Le Center
1914 St James
2854 Jordan
3842 Madelia

4046 Shakopee
4078 Winthrop
4297 Le Sueur
4743 Lakefield
5102 Glencoe
5145 New Prague
5338 Mapleton

5340 Montgomery
5462 Waconia
5833 Burnsville
6031 Arlington
6202 Belle Plaine
6208 Prior Lake
7662 Farmington

8261 Sherburn
9232 Winsted
9433 Rosemount

4th District ALL State



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Post 1782 Keep-Zimmer

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Post 6690 Vasatka-Goers World War II

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955 Onamia	2701 Walker	4847 E St Cloud	7664 Maple Lake
1112 Little Falls	2747 McGregor	5160 Holdingford	8391 Browerville
1647 Brainerd	2762 Isle	5460 Watkins	8731 Monticello
1721 Palisade	2818 Litchfield	6037 Swanville	9073 Randall
1727 Aitkin	2853 Sauk Centre	6206 Menahga	10794 Milaca
1731 Braham	3839 Jenkins	6318 Eagle Bend	

7th District MN VFW Welcomes All to the 2025 Fall Conference



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Department Commander
2014-2015



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Department Commander
2019-2020



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Department Commander
2012-2013



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Department Commander
2009-2010



All-American District 2024-2025
Dennis Maddox,
District Commander



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Department Commander
2004-2005



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Department Commander
2003-2004



Pat Bohmer, Post 246
Department Commander
1984-1986



Mike Brainard, Post 6587
Department Commander
1989-1990

7th District Posts

* All-American Posts 2024-2025

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230 Columnia Heights
246 Minneapolis
424 Hopkins
* 494 Crystal
1296 Bloomington
1678 Shafer

* 2735 Isanti
* 3915 Brooklyn Park
4210 Forest Lake
* 5518 Elk River
5555 Richfield
5903 Hamel

5919 Excelsior
* 6316 Blaine
6424 North Branch
6587 Spring Lake Park
6692 Rush City
* 9625 Coon Rapids
11543 Osseo

7th District Officers - 2025-2026

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Post 5518

Kyle Morton
Sr. Vice Commander
Post 9625

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Post 9625

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Ideal Profit 21.2% = \$1170

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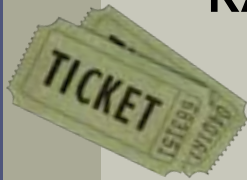


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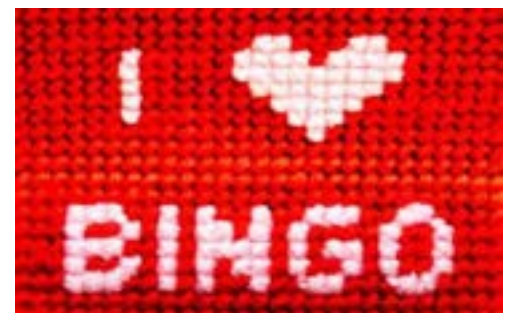


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Post 1647

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Pull Tabs: Mon-Sat 11am to Closing

Sunday: Noon - Closing

**We have 8 boxes of Various Pull tab games;
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Bar Bingo: \$1/Card

Saturday 2 pm - 4 pm

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Meat Raffles: \$1/Ticket

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Hall Rental Available: Banquet seats 240; Fireside Room Seats 54

License #00185

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KITCHEN HOURS

Monday / Tuesday 3pm - 8:30pm

* 1st Tuesday of each month: 3pm - 7pm

Wednesday - Saturday 3pm - 8:30pm

Sunday - Kitchen closed until football season.

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Tuesday – Turkey Commercial; Wednesday – Wings Pasta Special
Thursday – Meatloaf, Beef or Pork Commercial (rotates weekly)
Friday – Tacos & Nachos; Saturday – Cook's Choice & Shrimp Basket

Check out E-tabs, Pull-tabs and other Games of Chance!

Bar Bingo - Mon. & Thurs. @ 5:30 pm

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Meat Raffles or Horse Racing Fridays: October thru April

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Starts at 6:45 PM

\$14 A Packet

Game 7: \$500

Game 12: \$1199

**Hotball: Up to an
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Horse Racing

Every Tuesday

Starts at 5 PM

Paddle Wheel

Every Friday

Starts at 4:30 PM

Pulltab Hours

Monday-Friday: 10 AM-2 AM

Saturday-Sunday: 9 AM-2 AM

Bar open 8 AM-2 AM

VFW GRANITE POST 428

9 - 18th Avenue N.

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Saturdays @ 4pm
Horse Racing
Following the Raffle

License #
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Daily



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Bingo

Mon. & Wed. 6pm

Sat. 2pm

(two coveralls)

Meat Raffle

Mon., Wed. & Fri.

5:30pm

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First Saturday of the Month - Prime Rib

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Happy Hours

11am - 1pm • 3pm - 5pm 10pm -
12am

Breakfast

Wed. - Fri. 7:30am - 11am

Sat. & Sun. 7:30am - 2pm

VFW CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION



**DEPARTMENT OF MINNESOTA
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS**

The MN VFW Charitable Association is a 501(c)(3) charity organized for charitable and educational purposes.

The Association provides direct support to veterans; active duty and reserve forces, and their families; and also donates to other 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(19) non-profit organizations in support of programs that share our purposes, including supporting the programs of the Department of Minnesota , Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Programs include but are not limited to:

- Veterans in Need
- Commander's & Presidents Project
- Veterans Activities
- Military Family Vehicle Donation Program
- Youth Baseball
- Youth Hockey
- Youth Activities (Other)
- Voice of Democracy
- Patriot's Pen
- Department of MN, VFW
- Disaster Relief Fund
- Greatest Need

Information on these programs can be found at www.vfwmn.org

The Association's funds are derived from sales of the MN VFW Charitable Association Raffle Calendar, grants and donations from other 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(19) organizations, and private individuals.



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Gambling License #00150

CLUB HOURS

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Friday 10am to 12am
Saturday 9am to 12am
Sunday 9am to 11pm

RESTAURANT HOURS

Monday - Closed
Tues, Wed, Thur 11am-8pm
Friday 11am-9pm
Saturday 11am-9pm
Sunday 10am-7pm

HAPPY HOUR

Mon-Fri 3pm-6pm
Sunday ALL Day!

PULL TAB HOURS

Mon-Thurs 2pm-10pm
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