



**VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF MINNESOTA
CONVENTION JUNE 8-11, 2023
CROWNE PLAZA
3131 CAMPUS DRIVE, PLYMOUTH, MN
5/24/2023**



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 2023

5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Early Registration for OTI	Fireside Lounge
6:00 pm – 8:30 pm	District Officers Leadership Training	Oslo/Stockholm

THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 2023

7:00 am – 9:00 am	VFW OTI Registration	Fireside Lounge
7:30 am – 8:45 am	Pre-Con & Convention Committee	Boardroom 1
9:00 am – 5:00 pm	VFW Convention Registration	Fireside Lounge
2:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Veterans Home Displays	Conference Room C
2:00 pm – 6:00 pm	MACV Joint Project	Conference Room C

OFFICERS TRAINING SCHOOL

8:00 am – 8:45 am	VFW Mental Health Session/Dr. Jim Tuorila	Scandinavian Room
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Commanders Class	Scandinavian Room
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Quartermasters Class	Conference Room D
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch	Europa/Copenhagen
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Finance Committee Meeting	Boardroom ONE
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Commanders Class	Scandinavian Room
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Quartermasters Class	Conference Room D

STATE CONVENTION BUSINESS

3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	MN VFW Charitable Assoc. Meeting	Conference Room E
4:15 pm – 5:45 pm	Internal Affairs Committee Meeting	Boardroom ONE
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	VFW Council of Administration Meeting	Scandinavian Ballroom

FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 2023

7:00 am – 4:00 pm	Veterans Home Displays/MACV Project	Conference Room C
8:00 am – 5:00 pm	VFW Convention Registration	Fireside Lounge
9:00 am – 11:30 am	Joint Awards Session	Regency
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch	Hotel or local Restaurants
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	PDC & PDP Luncheon	Studio 2/Crowne Plaza

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm COMMITTEE MEETING ASSIGNMENTS

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| 1. National Security/Foreign Affairs/POW | Conference Room E |
| 2. Bylaws/Ritual/Rules | Oslo/Stockholm |
| 3. General Resolutions/Extension/Membership | Conference Room D |
| 4. Finance/Internal Affairs | Conference Room F |
| 5. Legislative/Veteran's Service | Conference Room G |

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2:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Gambling Meeting Steve Pedersen, Regulatory Mgr	Oslo/Stockholm
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Joint Memorial Service	Regency

SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 2023

8:00 am – 3:00 pm	SILENT AUCTION	Hallway by Conf Rm B-E
8:00 am – 1:30 pm	VFW Registration	Fireside Lounge
8:00 am – 3:00 pm	Veterans Home Displays/MACV Project	Conference Room C
9:00 am – 3:00 pm	Open VFW Convention	Scandinavian Ballroom
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch	Hotel or Local Restaurants
1:15 pm – 3:15 pm	VFW ALL Caucuses Districts 1-9	Scandinavian Ballroom
4:30 pm – 5:30 pm	Church Service(s)	Conference Room B
6:00 pm – 6:45 pm	Social (cash bar)	Lobby Downstairs
6:00 pm	Hospitality Rooms closed during Banquet	
6:45 pm	Doors Open	Scandinavian Ballroom
7:00 pm	Banquet	Scandinavian Ballroom

SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2023

7:30 am – 8:30 am	VFW Registration	Fireside Lounge
9:00 am – 11:00 am	VFW Convention	Scandinavian Ballroom
**Immediately Following	Joint Installation of Officers	Regency
Closing Business Sessions for the VFW & Auxiliary Convention**		
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	Council of Administration Meeting	Regency

JOINT INSTALLATION RECEPTION

**Charles R. Knaeble Post #494
5222 56th Ave N.
Crystal, MN 55429
12:30 pm**