



**VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF MINNESOTA  
CONVENTION JUNE 13-16, 2024  
KAHLER GRAND HOTEL  
20 SW 2<sup>nd</sup> AVE, ROCHESTER, MN**



**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2024**

5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Early Registration for OTI	Heritage Hall Foyer
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	District Officers Leadership Training	Windsor Hall 1

**THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2024**

7:00 am – 9:00 am	VFW OTI Registration	Heritage Hall Foyer
7:30 am – 8:45 am	Pre-Con & Convention Committee	Director’s Boardroom
10:00 am – 2:00 pm	VFW Convention Registration	Heritage Hall Foyer
2:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Veterans Home Displays (15)	Heritage Hall Foyer
2:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Cmdr & Pres. Joint Project	Heritage Hall Foyer

**OFFICERS TRAINING SCHOOL**

8:00 am – 8:45 am	VFW Mental Health Session	Heritage Hall 1
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Commanders Class	Windsor Hall 1 & 2
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Quartermasters Class	Windsor Hall 3
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	OTI Lunch	Heritage Hall 3
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Commanders Class	Windsor Hall 1 & 2
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Quartermasters Class	Windsor Hall 3

**STATE CONVENTION BUSINESS**

11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Finance Committee Meeting	Director Ballroom
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	MN VFW Charitable Assoc. Meeting	Marriott Amphitheater
4:15 pm – 5:45 pm	Internal Affairs Committee Meeting	Director Ballroom
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	VFW Council of Administration Meeting	Heritage Hall 1 & 2

**FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 2024**

7:00 am – 4:00 pm	Veterans Home Displays (15)	Heritage Hall Foyer
8:00 am – 2:00 pm	VFW Convention Registration	Heritage Hall Foyer
8:45 am – 9:15 am	VFW Riders Arrive at Convention	Front Lobby of Kahler
9:30 am – 11:30 am	Joint Awards Session	Heritage Hall 2 & 3
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch	Hotel or local Restaurants
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	PDC & PDP Luncheon	Elizabethan Room

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

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| 1. National Security/Foreign Affairs/POW    | Director’s Boardroom |
| 2. Bylaws/Ritual/Rules                      | Elizabethan          |
| 3. General Resolutions/Extension/Membership | Windsor Hall 1       |
| 4. Finance/Internal Affairs                 | Windsor Hall 2       |
| 5. Legislative/Veteran’s Service            | Windsor Hall 3       |



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**FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 2024**

2:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Gambling Meeting	Heritage Hall 1
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Joint Memorial Service	Heritage Hall 2 & 3

**SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 2024**

8:00 am – 1:00 pm	VFW Registration	Heritage Hall Foyer
8:00 am – 3:00 pm	Veterans Home Displays Cmdr’s Project	Heritage Hall Foyer
9:00 am – 3:00 pm	Open VFW Convention	Heritage Hall 1 & 2
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch	Hotel or Local Restaurants
1:15 pm – 3:15 pm	VFW ALL Caucuses Districts 1-9	Heritage Hall 1 & 2
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Catholic Church Service	Windsor Hall 1
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Non-Denominational Bible Study **With State Chaplain Scott Hanson**	Windsor Hall 2
6:00 pm – 6:45 pm	Social (cash bar)	Heritage Hall Foyer
6:00 pm	Hospitality Rooms closed during Banquet	
6:45 pm	Doors Open	
7:00 pm	Banquet	Heritage Hall 1, 2 & 3

**SUNDAY, JUNE 16, 2024**

7:30 am – 8:30 am	VFW Registration	Heritage Hall Foyer
9:00 am – 11:00 am	VFW Convention	Heritage Hall 1 & 2
**Immediately Following	Joint Installation of Officers	Heritage Hall 1 & 2
Closing Business Sessions for the VFW & Auxiliary Convention**		
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	Council of Administration Meeting	Heritage Hall 1 & 2

**JOINT INSTALLATION RECEPTION**

**Rochester Post #1215  
 2775 43rd St NW  
 Rochester, MN 55901  
 507-289-6299  
 12:30 pm**