

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, DEPT OF LA
TENTATIVE MID WINTER CONFERENCE AGENDA
JAN 22 - 25, 2026
 THE BENTLEY HOTEL
 200 Desoto St., Alexandria, LA.

VFW

Thursday – January 22, 2026

4:00pm – 5:30pm	Registration	TBD (2 nd Floor)
6:00 pm	Convention Committee MTG	Board Room

Friday – January 23, 2026

(Officers dress is Business Casual or Cmdr.'s Polo)

7:00am – 9:00am	Breakfast	Bayou Chicou
9:00am – 11:30am	Registration	Lobby
9:00am – 10:15am	Suicide Prevention	Ball Room
10:30am – 12:00pm	Round Table Trn. (A/QM/CDR)	Ballroom 1 st Floor
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Lunch (National Home Fundraiser) Presented by JVC James Bourque	
	Gumbo	Lobby
12:30pm – 4:00pm	Registration	Lobby
1:00pm – 2:00pm	Budget Meeting (if needed)	Ballroom 1 st Floor
1:00pm – 2:00pm	VA Benefits Seminar (Possible)	Bayou Robert
2:00pm - Until	Pastalaya Cook Off Begins	Outside
2:30pm - 4:00pm	Council of Administration	Ballroom 1 st Floor
4:15pm – 5:15pm	Auxiliary Bingo	Lobby 1 st Floor
5:00pm	Pastalaya Judging	TBD
5:00pm – 6:00pm	MOC & MOCA Meeting	Bayou Robert 2 nd Floor
6:00pm – 8:00pm	Dinner - Auxiliary Fundraiser	Lobby 1 st Floor
	Buddy Poppy Hat Contest	Lobby 1 st Floor
8:15pm	Music (DJ from Church Point)	Ballroom 1 st Floor

Saturday – January 24, 2026

(Officers dress is Blues & Grays and/or Suit for Joint Opening)

7:00am – 9:00am	Breakfast	Bayou Chicou
8:45	VFW & Aux Officers Line Up	Lobby 1 st Floor
9:00am – 11:30am	Registration	Lobby
9:00am – 11:30am	Joint Opening	Ballroom 1 st Floor
10:00am – 2:00pm	Blood Drive	Valet Area
11:30am – 1:00pm	Lunch Auxiliary SRVP Fundraiser	Lobby
12:00pm – 1:00pm	PSC Luncheon	Bayou Robert 2 nd Floor
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1:00pm – 3:30pm	VFW Business Session	Ballroom 1 st Floor
6:30pm	Banquet (Dress is Banquet Attire)	Ballroom 1 st Floor
	VFW NATIONAL REP: NATIONAL SR. VICE CIC COREY GEISLER	
8:15pm	Music (DJ from Church Point)	Ballroom 1 st Floor

Sunday – January 25, 2026

7:00am – 9:00am	Breakfast	Bayou Chicou
9:00am – 11:00pm	Final Business Session (if needed)	Ballroom 1 st Floor

HOSPITALITY ROOM – BEAUREGARD – 2ND FLOOR