



9:45 AM Report of Resolution Committee . . . . . SJA Tony Propst

10:00 AM Report of Constitution & By-Laws Committee . . . . . SJA Propst

10:15 AM Break

10:30 AM Presentation of Membership Awards . . . . . Commander Schwartz  
. . . . . Senior Vice Commander Humphrey

11:45 AM Law Cadet Program Award. . . . . Commander Schwartz  
. . . . . Law Cadet Program Chair Dewey Moss

11:55 AM Announcements . . . . . Adjutant Fultz

12:00 NOON Special Order of Business . . . . . Commander Schwartz  
Nominations of 2026-2027 Department Officers

12:30 PM Candidates for Department Officers, Acceptance Speeches

1:00 PM Lunch

2:15 PM **CAUCUSES BEGIN**

3:15 PM New Vice Commanders/District Commanders/Adjutants Orientation (**Salon 3**)

3:15 PM Round Table Briefing and Discussion  
(**Georgia Legion College, Boys State, Georgia Oratorical, LIT**)

4:15 PM Announcements. . . . . Adjutant Fultz

4:20 PM Closing Remarks . . . . . Commander Schwartz

**\*\*\*\*\* 1:00 PM - PNC, PDC, and Vice Commanders Luncheon (Board Room 1)**

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**Dress for the Convention is Legion Casual (Slacks and Polo's) with the exception of the Banquet which is Legion Business (Coat and Tie)**

**Saturday, 27 June 2026**

**8:30 AM Georgia Ballroom**

**American Legion Department Convention, (Joint Session)**

Call to Order . . . . . Commander Michael Schwartz  
Salute of Colors . . . . . Northwest Georgia Young Marines  
Invocation . . . . . Chaplain Arthur Wesley  
Pledge of Allegiance . . . . . Chief Sgt-At-Arms Jessie Frazier  
POW/MIA Ceremony . . . . . POW/MIA Chair Rhoda Basey

8:40 AM Commanders Remarks . . . . . Commander Schwartz

8:45 AM Report of the American Legion Auxiliary . . . . . President Gail Ramey

8:55 AM Report of the Sons of the American Legion. . . . . Commander Mark Hines

9:05: AM Report of the American Legion Riders . . . . . Director Gabrielle Barnett

9:15 AM Present Employment Awards. . . . . Employment Committee Chair Sam Perry

9: 45 AM Georgia Veterans Fund (Mustache Incentive)

10:00 AM Break

10:15 AM Introduction of Speaker . . . . . Commander Schwartz  
Address . . . . . **National Regional Vice Commander Jan Larson.**

10:30 AM Presentation of Awards . . . . . Commander Schwartz  
**(Legionnaire of the Year, LEO & Firefighter of the Year, and Others)**

10:45 AM Report of the Credentials Committee . . . . . Sam Perry

10:50 AM Confirmation of Delegates to National Convention. . . Commander Schwartz

10:55 AM Introduction of VA Officials . . . Department Service Officer Raven Holstick

11:00 AM Georgia Veterans Fund Presentation to VA Hospitals.... Commander Schwartz

11:30 AM Final Report of Resolutions Committee . . . . . SJA Tony Propst

11:35 AM Final Report of Constitution & By-Law Committee . . . . . SJA Tony Propst

11:45 AM Final Report of Credentials Committee . . . . . Sam Perry

11:50 AM Announcements . . . . . Adjutant Jim Fultz

- 12:00 NOON Special Order of Business . . . . . Commander Schwartz  
Election of 2026-2027 Department Officers
- 1:00 PM Recess
- 2:15 PM ALL NEWLY ELECTED DEPARTMENT OFFICERS AND DISTRICT  
COMMANDERS WILL MEET . . . . . (Salon 3)
- 6:00 PM Outgoing Commander, Auxiliary President, SAL Detachment Commander, and  
ALR Director Banquet. . . . . **Georgia Ballroom**
- 8:30 PM Dance for Convention Delegates . . . . . **Georgia Ballroom**

**\*\*\*1:00 PM - Department Legion College Graduates (Luncheon/Meeting (Salon 4)  
(All Department Legion College Graduates (Invited)**

**\*\*\*6:00 PM at the Banquet.  
(Special Entertainment – “Nashville Recording Artist” – Jason Earl**

**\*\*\*Plated Dinner for Banquet – “Steak & Cod Fish, A Special Desert, Wine”**

**Sunday, 28 June 2026**

- 8:30 AM Joint Memorial Service . . . . . **Independence Ballroom**
- 9:15 AM Installation “**Department ALR,**” “**SAL Detachment**” and Newly Elected  
**Department Officers to include District Commanders - Georgia Ballroom**