

CONVENTION 2025
RESOLUTION SUMMARY

RESOLUTION 1: APPROVED Raised Nursing and Health Care Occupations Scholarships to awards of \$1000.00. Total of 10 awarded between the 2 scholarships per year.

RESOLUTION 2: APPROVED Added VA&R Finance Policy to Department Policies and Procedures Manual.

RESOLUTION 3: APPROVED Added Emergency Procedures for Department continuation of business during times of restricted personal contact similar to the COVID pandemic.

RESOLUTION 4: APPROVED Allows Department Headquarters to obtain and use a Credit Card.

RESOLUTION 5: APPROVED Changes the title of the Department Secretary-Treasurer to Executive Director of Operations.

RESOLUTION 5-2: APPROVED Changes the title of the Department Membership Processor to Office Coordinator.

RESOLUTION 6: WITHDRAWN

RESOLUTION 7: APPROVED Added Confidentiality and Conflict-of-Interest Policies to Department Policies and Procedures Manual.

RESOLUTION 8: APPROVED Further spells out American Legion Auxiliary Department of Arizona campaigning restrictions.

RESOLUTION 9: APPROVED Adds steps for “Discipline of a Member” to Policies and Procedures Manual.

RESOLUTION 10: APPROVED Suggests Penalties for a wide continuum of behaviors which may require Discipline.

RESOLUTION 11-1: APPROVED Re-defines Department VA&R Committee as: The Department Second Vice President as VA&R Chairman, the Department Service to Veterans Chairman as the Vice Chair, one Chairman from each State Veterans Home, One Gift Shop Chairman from each VA Medical Center, Certified VAVS Representatives and Deputies, the overall Department Creative Arts Chairman and one local Creative Arts Chairman from each VA Medical Center.

RESOLUTION 11-2: APPROVED Officially adds VAMC Gift Shop Chairmen to Department Policies and Procedures Manual.

RESOLUTION 11-3: APPROVED Housekeeping; Officially updates, clarifies, and corrects any discrepancies in VA&R Policies when compared with National Policy and other Department Governing Documents.

RESOLUTION 12: APPROVED Department portion of membership dues will increase by \$5 in 2026-2027. (one year from now) Dept. dues will be \$12 and National dues will be \$18. (More educational information to follow all year long.

RESOLUTION 13: APPROVED Allows diversification of investment of Department Reserve Funds.

RESOLUTION 14: APPROVED Hoyal-Chilton Scholarships; adds Grand Canyon University to ASU, U of A, and NAU for eligible students and raises award to \$3000.00 per year per each of the major Arizona Universities.

RESOLUTION 15: APPROVED Housekeeping; Officially updates, clarifies, and corrects the identified discrepancies in listed Policies when compared with National Policy and other Department Governing Documents. In particular updates Department Membership Policy and Auxiliary Emergency Fund Policy in the Policies and Procedures Manual to current National guidelines.

RESOLUTION 16: APPROVED Gives Department responsibility for budgeting the attendance of the incoming Membership Chairman at the annual Department Leadership National Conference (DLNC).

RESOLUTION 17: APPROVED Approved the 2025 update of the Office Policies and Employee Manual.

MEMBERSHIP JULY 3, 2025

		UNIT	CITY	OBJECTIVE	JUNIOR	SENIOR	TOTAL	PERCENT
01		0100	Phoenix	193	5	159	164	84.97%
		Total		193	5	159	164	84.97%
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		0019	Yuma	216	7	175	182	84.26%
		0046	Bouse	58	2	58	60	103.45%
01		0056	Yuma	80	1	71	72	90.00%
		Total		354	10	304	314	88.70%
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		0007	Tucson	45	0	42	42	93.33%
		0036	Tucson	279	5	238	243	87.10%
02		0059	Tucson	145	3	124	127	87.59%
		0066	Green Valley	900	0	876	876	97.33%
		0068	Tucson	61	1	55	56	91.80%
		0073	Tucson	35	2	23	25	71.43%
		0109	Vail	390	16	398	414	106.15%
		0125	Tucson	16	1	14	15	93.75%
		0131	Green Valley	580	0	595	595	102.59%
		0132	Oro Valley	85	1	76	77	90.59%
		Total		2536	29	2441	2470	97.40%
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03		0011	Douglas	145	2	114	116	80.00%
		0016	Bisbee	64	0	48	48	75.00%
		0024	Tombstone	415	10	424	434	104.58%
		0045	Benson	50	5	40	45	90.00%
		0052	Sierra Vista	210	4	178	182	86.67%
		0141	Pearce	22	0	20	20	90.91%
		Total		906	21	824	845	93.27%
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04		0008	Casa Grande	35	1	26	27	77.14%
		0009	Florence	125	2	165	167	133.60%
		0051	Coolidge	70	8	59	67	95.71%
		0054	Coolidge	93	1	79	80	86.02%
		0097	San Tan Valley	40	2	34	36	90.00%
		0129	Queen Creek	21	1	25	26	123.81%
		0133	Maricopa	35	1	22	23	65.71%
		Total		419	16	410	426	101.67%
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05		0004	Globe	40	2	38	40	100.00%
		0028	Clifton	85	1	84	85	100.00%
		0032	Safford	155	0	139	139	89.68%
		0095	Solomon	82	5	76	81	98.78%
		Total		362	8	337	345	95.30%
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06		0030	Springerville	90	0	91	91	101.11%
		0037	Holbrook	25	0	36	36	144.00%
		0069	Payson	130	0	76	76	58.46%
		0086	Overgaard	415	2	448	450	108.43%
		Total		660	2	651	653	98.94%
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07		0003	Flagstaff	73	4	63	67	91.78%
		0013	Williams	50	3	62	65	130.00%
		0014	Kingman	145	3	128	131	90.34%
		0022	Golden Valley	150	4	142	146	97.33%
		0042	Grand Canyon	38	7	33	40	105.26%
		0057	Ash Fork	80	2	65	67	83.75%
		0081	Lake Havasu City	670	7	723	730	108.96%
		0087	Bullhead City	132	3	121	124	93.94%
		0088	Dolan Springs	10	0	39	39	390.00%
		0103	Meadview	43	0	48	48	111.63%
		0123	Seligman	40	0	35	35	87.50%
		0136	Yucca	15	0	14	14	93.33%
		Total		1446	33	1473	1506	104.15%
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08		0006	Prescott	263	7	281	288	109.51%
		0025	Cottonwood	306	9	315	324	105.88%
		0040	Chino Valley	95	0	97	97	102.11%
		0078	Humboldt	160	2	146	148	92.50%
		0079	Yarnell	183	0	172	172	93.99%
		0090	Black Canyon City	75	1	64	65	86.67%
		0093	Camp Verde	112	0	114	114	101.79%
		0108	Prescott Valley	38	3	28	31	81.58%
		0135	Cornville	47	8	34	42	89.36%
		0140	Prescott Valley	23	4	13	17	73.91%
		Total		1302	34	1264	1298	99.69%
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11		0001	Phoenix	127	1	93	94	74.02%
		0005	Phoenix	65	4	57	61	93.85%
		0012	Wickenburg	220	5	214	219	99.55%
		0029	Glendale	250	8	224	232	92.80%
		0053	Buckeye	30	0	34	34	113.33%
		0061	Avondale	215	3	225	228	106.05%
		0062	Peoria	1000	31	1047	1078	107.80%
		0105	Phoenix	215	7	261	268	124.65%
		0115	Glendale	35	6	29	35	100.00%
		0145	Peoria	14	0	20	20	142.86%
		Total		2171	65	2204	2269	104.51%
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12		0002	Tempe	111	2	99	101	90.99%
		0026	Mesa	235	2	242	244	103.83%
		0027	Apache Junction	1920	4	1982	1986	103.44%
		0034	Cave Creek	320	1	314	315	98.44%
		0035	Chandler	316	9	285	294	93.04%
		0039	Gilbert	520	14	581	595	114.42%
		0041	Phoenix	350	19	331	350	100.00%
		0044	Scottsdale	340	0	312	312	91.76%
		0058	Fountain Hills	405	8	398	406	100.25%
		0064	Phoenix	25	0	16	16	64.00%
		0065	Phoenix	350	51	303	354	101.14%
		0084	Sacaton	50	9	47	56	112.00%
		0091	Chandler	275	21	273	294	106.91%
		0107	Phoenix	210	2	209	211	100.48%
		0114	Scottsdale	25	0	8	8	32.00%
		0117	Phoenix	265	3	240	243	91.70%
		0124	Guadalupe	30	5	23	28	93.33%
		0138	Mesa	54	1	103	104	192.59%
		Total		5801	151	5766	5917	102.00%
	Total			5801	151	5766	5917	102.00%
Total	Total			16150	374	15833	16207	100.35%



**2025 SAVAHCS
Creative Arts
Competition**

August 12-15

Do you create using Art, Music,
Drama, Dance, or Creative Writing?

Any Veteran who receives medical
care within SAVAHCS is eligible!

All veterans interested in participating, please contact Creative Arts
Therapy at 520-792-1450 extension 1-3747

ANNOUNCING THE 2025 VETERANS CREATIVE ARTS COMPETITION AND SHOW

HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE YAVAPAI COUNTY
FAIR @ 840 RODEO DRIVE PRESCOTT, AZ

SEPTEMBER 4TH - 7TH

THURS, FRI & SAT 9:00 AM TO 9:00 PM, SUNDAY 9:00 AM TO 6:00 PM

Award Presentation Friday Sept 5th @ 1300
Including 2024 National Medal Presentation



NATIONAL VETERANS
**CREATIVE ARTS
COMPETITION**

Northern Arizona VA Health Care System

ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED

August 25th or 26th

@

840 Rodeo Dr., Freeman Building

0900 to 1200 or 1300 to 1500

*Please contact Cory @ (928)445-4860 x6342 or
cory.sanders@va.gov for more info and for applications.
Leave a voicemail with email, we'll send you info.*

ART MUST BE PICKED UP 6:00 - 7:00 PM SUNDAY the 7th

In- patients, Out-patients and NAZ Veterans with current enrollment are eligible.

ALA DEPT OF AZ MEMBERSHIP TRANSMITTAL 2025 & 2026

UNIT #		Transmittal #		Check #					
	ID#	Last Name	First Name	MI	New Rej	S/Jr	New Female Vet	2026	2025
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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY DEPARTMENT
OF ARIZONA

POPPY ORDER FORM FOR 2026 POPPIES

Order deadline is September 30, 2025

**NO EXCEPTIONS OR LATE ORDERS ACCEPTED THIS
FORM MUST BE USED TO ORDER POPPIES**

Cost of poppies are \$15.00 per hundred and must be ordered in increments of 100

Date poppies needed _____ Unit number _____

Name of person to receive poppies _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip code _____ Phone _____

Number of poppies _____ Amount enclosed \$ _____

NOTE: If requesting poppies prior to Fall Conference and poppies need to be mailed, there is a charge for postage of \$19.00 for 400 and under or \$25.00 for orders over 400.

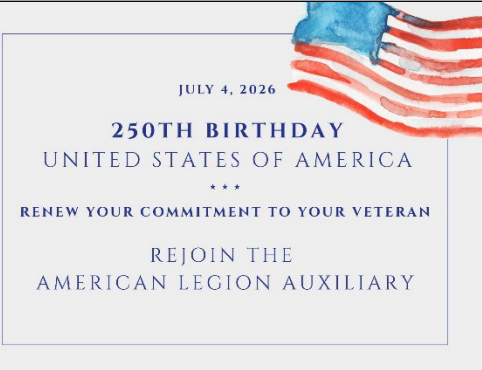
Make check payable to American Legion Auxiliary Dept. of AZ and mail order form and check to: ALA Dept. of AZ

4701 N. 19th Ave., Ste. 100
Phoenix, AZ 85015

Your Unit must order at least 100 poppies by the deadline to be in competition for any Department awards at the end of the year other than Membership awards.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY
DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
Membership Postcard ORDER FORM

- Renew/Rejoin Postcards will be available for distribution at Fall Conference. Each Unit will receive 5 free, additional postcards are available for \$2.50 per 25 cards.
- Order Postcards before September 30 to receive at Fall Conference and avoid postage costs.
- Orders received after September 30 will have cost of mailing added to the order. ORDER NOW!

 Front	YOUR MEMBERSHIP IN THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY MATTERS: Your membership represents influence-- in legislation, community and support services for veterans and their families. You can make a difference! Renew or rejoin today: Call 317-569-4570 to talk with a real person or drop by your local American Legion Post  Back
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Postcards are \$2.50 per 25 and must be ordered in increments of 25

Unit Name & number _____

Name of person to receive postcards _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip code _____ Phone _____

Number of postcards _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____

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