

NATIONAL CONVENTION INFORMATION
Charlotte, North Carolina
August 25 – August 31, 2023

HOUSING – The Department of Ohio will be housed in the **Hampton Inn Charlotte, 530 E Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd, Charlotte, NC 28202** telephone (704) 887-4088

REGISTRATION - Ohio delegation (SAL, Auxiliary) will register in **Catawba Room**

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| THURSDAY | AUGUST 24 | 9:00AM – 12:00 PM | 1:00AM – 4:00 PM |
| FRIDAY | AUGUST 25 | 9:00AM – 12:00 PM | 1:00AM – 4:00 PM |
| SATURDAY | AUGUST 26 | 9:00AM – 2:00 PM | |

DELEGATES MUST REGISTER BY SATURDAY, AUGUST 26 OR
HAVE SOMEONE PICK UP THEIR PACKET DURING REGISTRATION HOURS OR CALL 740-513-1550

OHIO CAUCUS – **SUNDAY, AUGUST 27TH – 3:30 PM** – **Dogwood Room** - Delegates are **REQUIRED** to attend, and roll call will be conducted, dress business casual.

OHIO PARTY – A reception will be held at The Nacsar Hall of Fame located 400 E Martin Luther King Blvd. There will be tickets sold for \$20 each which covers admission and dinner. There will be a cash bar starting at 7:00pm

NATIONAL COMMANDER'S BANQUET – **TUESDAY, AUGUST 29, 6:30 PM** – at Crown Ballroom at the Convention Center. The price of the tickets is \$60 each. limited tickets are available.

CONVENTION SESSION – **TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, AUGUST 29- 31ST** Hall A, exhibit level starting at 7:30am.

DRESS CODE- Polio shirts and khakis pants, capris, or skirts will be acceptable. ***If you are required to be on stage, you need to be in Legion dress uniform.***

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS HOTEL –, **JW Marriott**, 600 Collage St, Charlotte, NC (740) 333-1101 and **Westin** 601 Collage Charlotte, NC (704) 375-2600

NATIONAL AUXILIARY HEADQUARTERS HOTEL – **Hilton Charlotte Uptown 222 East Third St., Charlotte NC 28202 (704) 377-1500**

DELEGATION CHECKS – Will be mailed out after we return from the National Convention. The amount of the Delegate checks will be based on thirty (30) cents per paid Ohio member thirty days prior to the National Convention. The registration fee (\$25) will be automatically deducted for Delegates.

REQUIREMENTS OF DELEGATES – Delegates from the Department of Ohio to the National Convention are required to register prior to the end of our registration, **SATURDAY, AUGUST 26**, to receive their credentials or arrange to have them picked up.

ALL DELEGATES MUST:

- Attend the Ohio Caucus
- Attend all sessions of the Convention.
- Attend assigned Committee/Caucus
- Remain on the floor until all new National Officers are elected.

If you are unable to meet these requirements, kindly notify your District Commander so an Alternate can be substituted in your place. Those missing the required meetings will have their checks deducted accordingly - please take these requirements into consideration when planning your schedule.

Attest:

John Robinson
Delegation Secretary

Charles Stennis
Delegation Chairman