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# 2019 DEPARTMENT FALL CONFERENCE



*DOUBLE TREE, TUCSON*  
**Friday, November 8, 2019**

<b>11:00-5:30p.m.</b>	<b>Registration Open</b>	<b>Ballroom Foyer</b>
<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Finance Committee Meeting</b>	<b>Palo Verde</b>
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>100 Anniversary Committee Meeting</b> After-Action Reporting	<b>Palo Verde</b>
<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	<p><b>JOINT OPENING SESSION</b></p> <p><b>Call to Order:</b> Ken Queen, Department Commander  <b>Advancement of Colors:</b> Glenn White Sgt-at-Arms  <b>National Anthem:</b> Doug Keller  <b>Invocation:</b> Trish Carlisle, Chaplain  <b>Pledge of Allegiance:</b> All  <b>Opening Remarks:</b> Ken Queen, Department Commander</p> <p><b>Greetings:</b>  Richard Fimbres, Tucson City Council  Patricia Lugo, Auxiliary Department President  Sarah Araiza, Department Junior President  Cyndi Queen, National Executive Committeewoman  Cheryl Park, Western National Vice President  Chuck Treat, SAL Detachment Commander  John Moffitt, ALR Department Director  Angelo Nikitas, 40&amp;8 Grand Chef de Gare  Beth Nehring, Director VIP 20&amp;4  Others as RSVP</p> <p><b>Introduction of Guest Speaker:</b> Judi Beischel, NEC</p> <p><b>Address:</b> National Judge Advocate, Kevin Bartlett  <b>Presentation of Awards:</b> Ken Queen, Commander</p> <p><b>Membership Challenge</b></p> <p><b>Announcements</b></p>	<b>Grand Ballroom</b>

# Saturday, November 9, 2019

## Morning Sessions

ALL SESSIONS HELD AT THE DOUBLE TREE

7:30 – 4:00	<b>Registration Open</b>	Ballroom Foyer
8:30 a.m.	<b>SAL Conference</b> Chuck Treat, Commander	Bonsai Room
9:00 a.m. - Noon	<b>Service Officer Training</b> Ernest Lane/Angel Juarez	Upstairs Cottonwood
*Saturday 8AM-5PM	<b>*American Legion Training*</b> <b>Post Operations &amp; Member Activities</b> <i>Post Command, Post Adjutant, Executives</i> BeConnected, Transmittals, LEGION Act Activity reporting supported by ALR. MISSION Act	Boojum Room
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	<b>Education &amp; Scholarship</b> <b>Workshop</b> Jon Altmann, Chairman (Committee also meets later today at 1:30 in Salon A.)	Salon A
8:00 a.m.	<b>Convention &amp; Conference Committee</b> John Aldecoa, Convention & Conference Committee Chairman	Salon B
8:30 a.m.	<b>Judge Advocates Training:</b> John Moffitt, Assistant Judge Advocate with Special Guest National Judge Advocate, Kevin Bartlett	Salon C
8:30 a.m.	<b>Legislative Committee:</b> Larry Bahill, Chairman Neal Sundeen, Council Chairman	Palo Verde
10:00 a.m.	<b>Membership Retention &amp; Acquisition</b> Department Staff & Robert Krumwiede, Membership Director	Boojum Room
10:00 a.m.	<b>Chaplains Training:</b> Trish Carlyle, Dept. Chaplain	Salon A
10:00 a.m.	<b>Club Committee</b> PDC Ken Dowse, Club Committee Chairman PDC Domingo Bonilla, Bingo Committee Chairman	Salon B
10:00 a.m.	<b>Uniformed Groups &amp; Contests</b> Francisco Barraza, Chairman	Salon C
10:00 a.m.	<b>P.E.A.R. Committee:</b> Scott Miller, Chairman	Palo Verde
11:30 a.m.	<b>Gnuts Lunch</b> All GNUTS and newly appointed Adjutants invited to obtain lunch at this function. Fundraising \$20 lunch plate.	Post 36

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## Afternoon Sessions

1:30 p.m.	<b>Service Officer Training</b> Ernest Lane/Angel Juarez	Upstairs Cottonwood
1:30 p.m.	<b>SAL Training</b> Chuck Treat, Commander	Bonsai Room
1:30 p.m.	<b>Arizona American Legion College:</b> Arizona Cadre and Staff Jesse Fernandez, AZALC Dean	Boojum Room
1:30 p.m.	<b>Children &amp; Youth Bob Nixon, Chairman</b> National Financial Assistance Programs	Salon A
<b>Joint Session</b>	Education & Scholarship Committee, Jon Altmann, Chairman (Workshop also meets earlier today at 8:30 in Salon A.) <b>Americanism Wayne Chatfield, Chairman</b> Citizens Flag Alliance, George Cushing Oratorical (Also meets at 3PM today), Steve Chavez Voter Registration, Al Dunaway Establishment Law Clauses, Larry Bahill Scouting, Wayne Chatfield Boys State Foundation (501c3), TBD ALLECA, Matt Griffis ***Baseball committee immediately following*** ***Junior ROTC immediately Following***	Salon A
1:30 p.m.	<b>Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation</b> VA&R: Mike Espinosa, Veterans Employment	Salon B
1:30 p.m.	<b>Veteran Helping Veterans</b>	Salon C
1:30 p.m.	<b>JSSP Safety Workshop, Mike Simon Chair</b>	Palo Verde
3:00 p.m.	<b>Public Relations</b> Brad Heck, P.R. Chairman Angel Juarez, Press Association	Boojum Room
3:00 p.m.	<b>Oratorical Chairman's Meeting</b> Steve Chavez, Chairman	Salon A
3:00 p.m.	<b>D.E.R.T. Meeting</b> Glenn White, Chairman	Salon B
3:00 p.m.	<b>Trophies and Award Committee, Jeri Strande Chair</b>	Salon C
4:00 p.m.	<b>20 &amp; 4 Meeting</b>	Palo Verde
5:00 p.m.	<b>40 &amp; 8 Meeting</b>	Salon B
5:30 p.m.	<b>Department Adjutant Protocols</b>	Palo Verde

# Sunday, November 10, 2019

8:00 a.m. **Joint Memorial Service** **Ballroom ABCD**  
Trish Carlisle, Department Chaplain  
Stacey Mayberry, Auxiliary Department Chaplain

9:00 a.m. **Conference Reconvenes** **Ballroom ABCD**  
Trophies and Awards Jeri Strande, Chairman

Committee Reports

*Executive Committee Meeting to Follow*

## Doubletree Meeting Areas

