



AMVETS NATIONAL CONVENTION
Times are approximate & subject to change



TIME		EVENT	Location
Monday, August 5, 2024			
12:00 PM	2:00 PM	Bag Stuffing (volunteers needed)	Ottawa A/B
Tuesday, August 6, 2024			
8:30 AM	9:30 AM	National Service Foundation Meeting	Salon A-B
8:30 AM	12:00 PM	Convention Registration	Registration Booth 1st Floor
9:30 AM	10:30 AM	AMVETS Charities Board Meeting	Salon A-B
10:00 AM	5:00 PM	AMVETS Expo	Ballroom Foyer 1st floor
10:45 AM	12:00 PM	National Finance Committee (NFC) Meeting	Salon A-B
1:00 PM	1:45 PM	Joint First Timers Orientation	Ottawa A/B
1:00 PM	2:30 PM	NFC Meeting Convention Bids	Salon A-B
1:30 PM	4:00 PM	Convention Registration	Registration Booth 1st Floor
2:00 PM	2:45 PM	POW and MIA Committee	BOSB-6 W
2:00 PM	2:45 PM	VAVS & Medical Committee	BOSB-6 E
2:00 PM	2:45 PM	Community Services	BOSB-7 E
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	Uniform Committee	BOSB-7 W
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	Diversity Committee	BOSB-6 E
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	Suicide Prevention Committee	BOSB-6 W
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	Civil Service Committee	BOSB-7 E
3:00 PM	4:30 PM	Grievance Committee (Closed)	Governors Cabinet
5:00 PM	6:00 PM	Women Veterans Committee	BOSB-7 E
6:30 PM	7:30 PM	Traditions Committee	BOSB-7 W
Wednesday, August 7, 2024			
TIME		EVENT	Location
7:30 AM	8:30 AM	NEC Registration	Registration Booth 1st Floor
8:30 AM	10:00 AM	Pre-Convention NEC Meeting	BOSB-11 D
8:30 AM	11:30 AM	Convention Registration	Registration Booth 1st Floor
9:00 AM	5:00 PM	AMVETS Expo	Ballroom Foyer 1st floor
10:00 AM	6:00 PM	Quarter Master	Freeport A-C
10:30 AM	11:00 AM	AMVETS First Timers Orientation	Ottawa A/B
10:30 AM	11:30 AM	Dept/Post Commanders Training	BOSB-4 E
10:30 AM	11:00 AM	Americanism Committee	BOSB-7 E
10:30 AM	11:00 AM	Honor Guard Committee	BOSB-6 E
10:30 AM	11:00 AM	Armed Service Committee	BOSB-6 W
11:30 AM	12:00 PM	Personnel Committee	BOSB-7 W
1:00 PM	3:00 PM	AMVETS Joint Opening Ceremony	BOSB-11 A-C
3:00 PM	3:45 PM	AMVETS Joint Memorial Service	BOSB-11 A-C
4:00 PM	5:00 PM	AMVETS First Business Session <i>*National Committees Reports</i>	BOSB-11 A-C
7:00 PM	10:00 PM	Silver Helmet (ticketed event)	Grand Ballroom
Thursday, August 8, 2024			
TIME		EVENT	Location
8:00 AM	8:50 AM	Membership Training	BOSB-4
8:00 AM	8:50 AM	Resolution Writing Training	BOSB-3
8:30 AM	11:30 AM	Convention Registration	Registration Booth 1st Floor
9:00 AM	5:00 PM	AMVETS Expo	Ballroom Foyer 1st floor
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Judge Advocate Training	BOSB-1
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Programs Reporting and Training	BOSB-4
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Chaplain Training	BOSB-3
10:00 AM	6:00 PM	Quarter Master	Freeport A-C
10:30 AM	12:00 PM	AMVETS 2nd Business Session <i>*Membership, Programs, Comm & Chaplain Awards</i>	BOSB-11 A-C
1:00 PM	2:00 PM	AMVETS 2nd Business Session (cont.) <i>*1st Round of Nominations for National Officers Elections</i>	BOSB-11 A-C
1:00 PM	4:00 PM	Convention Registration	Registration Booth 1st Floor
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	Disciplinary Procedures	BOSB-3
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	Programs Roundtable	BOSB-4
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	Legislative Roundtable	BOSB-6 W
3:45 PM	4:45 PM	Membership Roundtable	BOSB-4
3:45 PM	4:45 PM	Bylaws Committee	BOSB-6 E
3:45 PM	4:45 PM	Women Veterans Committee	BOSB-7 E
3:45 PM	4:45 PM	Americanism/Posters	Ottawa A/B
6:30 PM	10:00 PM	AMVETS Night @ the State Fair	
Friday, August 9, 2024			

TIME		EVENT	
8:30 AM	12:00 PM	Convention Registration	Registration Booth 1st Floor
9:00 AM	12:00 PM	AMVETS 3rd Business Session	BOSB-11 A-C
		<i>*Resolutions & CBL Amendments</i>	
		<i>*2027 Convention Site Selection</i>	
9:00 AM	12:00 PM	AMVETS EXPO	Ballroom Foyer 1st floor
10:00 AM	3:00 PM	Quarter Master	Freeport A-C
1:00 PM	2:00 PM	Council of Past National Commanders/Awards	Governors Cabinet
1:00 PM	2:00 PM	Chaplain Corps Roundtable	BOSB-7 E
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	District I Meeting	BOSB-4 E
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	District II Meeting	BOSB-4 W
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	District III Meeting	BOSB-9
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	District IV Meeting	BOSB-10
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	Distict V Meeting	BOSB-3
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	District VI Meeting	BOSB-8
3:45 PM	4:00 PM	Convention Rules Committee	Governors Cabinet
6:00 PM	7:00 PM	General Reception	BOSB-11 D
7:00 PM	9:30 PM	National Commanders & President Banquet	BOSB-11 A-C
Saturday, August 10, 2024			
TIME		EVENT	
7:00 AM	9:00 AM	Convention Registration (Registration closes at 9AM)	Ballroom Foyer 1st floor
9:00 AM	11:30 AM	AMVETS 4th Business Session	Grand Ballroom
		<i>*Doors close, election starts at 10AM</i>	
12:30 PM	1:30 PM	AMVETS Post Convention NEC Meeting	Ottawa A/B
2:00 PM	3:00 PM	AMVETS Joint Installation Ceremony	Grand Ballroom
3:30 PM	4:30 PM	National Service Foundation Post Meeting	Governors Cabinet
3:30 PM	11:00 PM	Commander's Hospitality Suite	Rendevous (Wyndham hotel)
		AMVESHQ Office	Horner Suite
		FIRST AID	Mary Todd
Color Code Key			
		President Abraham Lincoln Springfield	701 E. Adams Street
		Bank of Springfield (BOS) Center	Next door to Pres. Lincoln Hotel
		Wyndham Springfield City Centre	700 E. Adams Street