

Department of Washington, VFW Auxiliary
Mid-Winter Conference
Yakima, Washington
January 11-12, 2018
Tentative Schedule

Friday, January 11, 2018

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| 11:00 AM | Department Audit - President's Suite Room 271 |
| 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM | Department Line Officers/District Presidents Meeting President's Suite Room 271 |
| 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM | VFW Office (Banquet tickets) Conference Room |
| 12:00 PM – 6:00 PM | Registration Lobby Hallway |
| 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM | Floor Team Practice (No line officers or district Presidents) |
| 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM | Recruitment Class S Ballroom |
| 5:00 PM -6:30 PM | Dinner for National Representative (Line Officers & Spouses) |
| 6:30 PM – 7:45 PM | Council of Administration Meeting |
| 8:00 PM | Reception honoring VFW & Auxiliary National Representatives - Commander's Suite Room 171 |

Saturday, January 12, 2018

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| 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM | VFW Office (Banquet tickets) Conference Room |
| 7:00 AM – 12:00 PM | Registration Lobby Hallway |
| 8:00 AM – 9:30 AM | Joint Opening S Ballroom Intro of Guests and Dignitaries by Commander Linda Fairbank and President Ruth Lamoureux |
| 9:45 AM (OR 15 minutes following close of Joint Opening) | Opening Session Call To Order Department President Welcome by District 17 President Barbara McDonald & Mid-Winter Conference Chairman Carolyn Hope Roll Call Department Secretary Lois Mezek Escort National Representative PNP Dixie Hild Escort Past National President & Past Department Presidents |

National Program Reports

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| Veterans & Family Support | Jackie Brazier |
| Americanism & Patriotic Instructor | Linda Roloff |
| Buddy Poppy/National Home | Elaine Taylor |
| Community Service | Robin Piatt |
| Extension/Retention | Jennifer Viestenz |

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| 12:00 Noon – 1:30 PM | Lunch |
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Return from Lunch 1:30 PM

Historian/Media Relations
Hospital
Legislation
Membership
Scholarship
Youth Activities

Joan Nihart/Rose Greene/Karen Flynn
Liz Herrera
Fanette Stewart
Karen Flynn
Teresa Coe
Joan Nihart

Remarks by National Representative

Announcements

3:00 PM Closing Ceremony

4:45 PM – 5:45 PM

Award Winner Reception

5:30 PM

General Seating for Dinner

Ballroom DE

5:45 PM

**Escort of Students into Banquet
hall by Districts**

6:00 PM

Voice of Democracy Banquet

Ballroom DE Jr Vice

Commander Traci Williams

Presiding

Dress Code Formal/ Semi-Formal for banquet