

## CALL FOR MID-WINTER CONFERENCE

February 17-18, 2023

Raleigh, NC

The Mid-Winter Conference of the American Legion Auxiliary, Department of North Carolina, will be held February 17-18, 2023, in Raleigh, NC at the North Raleigh Hilton, 3415 Wake Forest Rd, Raleigh, NC 27609 (800-445-8667).

The Department Committees will meet upon the call of the Chairmen. Please attend your meeting. Chairmen are asked to notify their committee members of the meeting. All Chairmen have five minutes for their reports with the exception of VA&R and Membership; they have fifteen minutes for their report. *(If a chairman feels more time is needed, she must contact the President in writing no later than February 1st.)*

### PURPOSE

The Mid-Winter Conference is called to evaluate the progress of the Auxiliary programs, to bring important committees together to work and establish their plan of action for the year, and to promote education of the membership and enthusiasm for the programs.

### REGISTRATION

There will be a registration fee of \$5.00 for Senior Members in attendance. **Register upon arrival at Mid-Winter Conference.** It is important that everyone registers because a registration badge is necessary for admittance to the Department Executive Committee meeting and the Conference General Session. Members of the Executive Committee with voting power are Department Officers: President, Division Presidents, Historian, Chaplain, District Presidents, Past Department Presidents, and Chairman of Standing Committees.

Department President: Mary Bartlett ATTEST:

Department Secretary/Treasurer: Carol Coleman

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### PROGRAM (Tentative)

#### FRIDAY, February 17

10:00 am	<b>FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING</b>	<b>Congressional</b>
10:00 am – 3 pm	Registration	
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Unit Leadership Workshop	Leadership Committee
		<b>Ballrooms 4&amp;5</b>
2:00 – 2:45 pm	Community Service & Poppy Workshop	Respective Program Chm
		<b>Ballrooms 4&amp;5</b>
3:00 pm	<b>DEC MEETING</b>	<b>Ballrooms 4&amp;5</b>
4:00 pm	<b>OPENING SESSION</b>	<b>Ballrooms 4&amp;5</b>
	Call to Order	Mary Bartlett
	Advancement of Colors	Elaine Jones/Amanda Pearson
	POW-MIA	Ann Moore
	Invocation	Susan Jones
	Pledge of Allegiance	Mary Wright
	National Anthem	Naomi Totten
	Preamble	Martha Whitaker
	Greetings	Mary Bartlett
	Host Committee Welcome	Janice McLeod
	Past Department President Greeting	Julie Smith
	Special Presentation	Debra Harris
		Tammy Snider
<b>HEAD TABLE REPORTS</b>		
	National Executive Committeewoman	Julie Smith
	Vice-President	Evelyn Lewis
	Chaplain	Susan Jones

Historian  
Sergeant -at- Arms  
Secretary-Treasurer  
Parliamentarian

Toni Reale  
Elaine Jones  
Carol Coleman  
Martha Corriher

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

State Headquarters  
Warren-Ragan Scholarship  
Finance  
Girl State  
Public Relations  
Children & Youth  
National Security  
Auxiliary Emergency Fund

Judy Stancil  
Faye Anderson  
Janice MacLeod  
Emily Cayton  
Dolly Fisher  
Wanda Moore  
Carol Barker  
Jenny Dowdy

8:00 pm

**THE AMERICAN LEGION MID-WINTER DANCE**

**Grand Ballroom**

**REGISTRATION**

8:00 am – 10:00 am  
Ballroom 4 & 5

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**SATURDAY, February 18**

8:00 AM  
8:50 AM  
9:00 AM

**MEMORIAL SERVICE  
DOOR PRIZES  
GENERAL SESSION**

Call to Order  
Prayer

**Ballrooms 1 - 3  
Ballrooms 4 & 5  
Ballrooms 4 & 5**  
Mary Bartlett  
Susan Jones

**INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL GUEST  
ALA Southern Division VP Address**

Mary Bartlett  
Linda Smiley

**DIVISION PRESIDENTS' REPORTS**

Division I President  
Division II President  
Division III President

Patricia Martin  
Carolyn Donnelly  
Beth Whitaker

**SPECIAL GUEST**

The American Legion Commander  
Sons of The American Legion

Mike Donnelly  
Jim Mayhew

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

HR  
Poppy  
Americanism  
Legislative  
Constitution and Bylaws  
VA & R  
Service to Veterans  
Past Presidents Parley  
Leadership  
Education  
Community Service

Jill Puett  
Tammy Snider  
Mary Wright  
Katie Pfeil  
Martha Whitaker  
Juli Zajc  
Jane Hoppenworth  
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Julie Hogan  
Lolita Jenkins  
Mary Thorsten

Junior Activities  
Membership Report/Rally  
President's Project

Debbie Harris  
Evelyn Lewis  
Wendy Edmisten

Announcements  
Closing Prayer  
Retirement of Colors  
Amanda Pearson  
Adjourn

Carol Coleman  
Susan Jones  
Elaine Jones  
Mary Bartlett

**THIS IS A TENTATIVE SCHEDULE. ALL CHAIRMAN PLEASE BE READY TO GIVE YOUR REPORT AT ANYTIME DURING THE CONFERENCE. WE WILL CONTINUE MOVING FORWARD WITH REPORTS AS TIME PERMITS.**