

DEPARTMENT OF NEW MEXICO LEADERSHIP MANUAL



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ATTENTION: ALL POST AND DISTRICT COMMANDERS:

IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT THAT YOU SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOUR POST AND DISTRICT QUARTERMASTER, ADJUTANT AND COMMITTEE CHAIRMEM AND ALL POST MEMBERS AT YOUR MEETING

DEPARTMENT OF NEW MEXICO VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

1. Bataan Memorial March is coming up in March. Chairman Raul Sanchez is requesting for Volunteers to work 2-3 hour shifts from 8 AM – 5 PM on March 17th, 18th and 19th at Bataan Memorial March Recruitment Booth. Chair Sanchez is requesting that all volunteers email him your availability no later then December 31, 2021 so he can start to fill out the roster. His email is sraul7175@gmail.com
2. Congratulations to the following Posts for making 100% by Mid-Winter Conference:
Post 6917 Las Cruces
Post 10124 Las Cruces
Post 2951 Santa Fe
Post 12184 Roswell
3. Midwinter Conference is January 21-22, 2022. The registration forms are online at VFWNM.org and also in the December Newsletter. Early Registration is \$8 before January 5. After January 5 registration is \$15. Registration for the Awards Luncheon is also located there. All luncheon tickets need to be purchased by January 5. All registration and meal requests go to Adj Mark Decker.
4. At Mid-Winter after the Conference there will be classes given on the All-American Dashboard, State Compliance Dashboard, VMS Donation, and Membership. Other classes will be available if requested ahead of time.
5. Commander Maldonado will be doing another Commander Visit tour in 2022 West/Northern NM (7- day trip). The following is the trip agenda with exact dates to be determined at Mid-Winter:
1.Grants 3221 2. Farmington 2182 3.Aztec 614
4. Tierra Amarillo 5. Questa 7688 6. Taos 3259

7. Mora 1131 8. Las Vegas 1547 9. Bernalillo 4243
10. Rio Rancho 5890 11. Los Luna 9676 12. Belen 2387

6. For all Posts and Districts that have not donated to the Commander's Special Project, he is asking for a \$25 donation from all Posts and Districts by Mid-Winter. The VFW and VFWA Department of New Mexico would like to present our checks to the Special Project at Mid-Winter.

7. VFW National did their annual scrubbing of Life Members. This year they did all Life Members, not just those over 70. We as a Department have been keeping up with our reporting very well. We only lost 417 members this year that we had not already listed. Keep up the good work of reporting your deceased member as soon as you can.

By Order of:



Rogelio Maldonado, Commander Department of New Mexico Veterans of Foreign Wars

Official:

Mark Decker, Adjutant Department of New Mexico Veterans of Foreign Wars