

# 2025-2026 State Commanders' Schedule

DATE..... EVENT ..... LOCATION

## JUNE 2025

June 19–22..... State Convention ..... DoubleTree by Hilton, Columbia, SC  
June 24 @ 6:00pm..... CoA Budget Approval Meeting ..... Zoom  
June 28..... VFW National Home 100th Anniversary Celebration..... Eaton Rapids, MI

## JULY 2025

July 9 @ 10:00am ..... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC  
July 19 @ 10:00am ..... Department School of Instruction (SOI)..... HQ 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC

## AUGUST 2025

August 6 @ 10:00am ..... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC  
August 9-13..... VFW National Convention ..... Columbus, OH

## SEPTEMBER 2025

September 5-7 ..... Department Recruiting Event ..... Darlington Raceway  
September 10 @ 10:00am.... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC  
September 8-11 ..... Fall Legislative Committee (Tentative)..... Washington, DC  
September 25-28..... Commander-in-Chief's Homecoming ..... Des Moines, IA

## OCTOBER 2025

October 2-5..... Department Adjutant/Quartermaster Training ..... Kansas City, MO  
October 8 @ 10:00am ..... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC  
October 11 @ 10:00am ..... Council of Administration (CoA)..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC  
October 16-19..... Department Junior Vice Commander Training..... Kansas City, MO  
October 25 @ 9:00am ..... Freedom Festival - Trunk or Treat..... HQ 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC

## NOVEMBER 2025

November 6-9..... Southern Conference ..... Montgomery, TX  
November 12 @ 10:00am .... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC

## DECEMBER 2025

December 7 ..... Pearl Harbor Memorial USS Yorktown ..... Patriots Point, Mt Pleasant, SC  
December 10 @ 10:00am..... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC

## JANUARY 2026

January 7 @ 10:00am ..... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC  
January 22-25 ..... Mid-Winter Conference ..... Hilton Resort Myrtle Beach, SC

## 2025-2026 State Commanders Schedule – Continued

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### FEBRUARY 2026

February 4-10 ..... National Presidents Mid-Year Conference..... TBD  
February 28-March 1 ..... Auxiliary Café Event..... Washington, DC  
February 28-March 5 ..... Washington Legislative Conference ..... Washington, DC  
February 11 @ 10:00am ..... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC

### MARCH 2026

February 28-March 1 (cont).. Auxiliary Café Event..... Washington, DC  
February 28-March 5 (cont).. Washington Legislative Conference ..... Washington, DC  
March 18 @ 10:00am ..... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC

### APRIL 2026

April 8 @ 10:00am ..... Staff Meeting ..... Zoom  
April 11 @ 10:00am ..... Council of Administration (CoA) ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC  
April 16-19 ..... Department Senior Vice Commander Training ..... Kansas City, MO

### MAY 2026

May 12 @ 10:00am ..... Staff Meeting ..... HQ/Zoom 210 Glassmaster Rd. Lexington, SC

### JUNE 2026

June 18–20..... State Convention ..... DoubleTree by Hilton, Columbia, SC

### AUGUST 2026

August 9-13..... VFW National Convention ..... Salt Lake City, UT