

## **MIDWINTER CONFERENCE**

January 19-21, 2018

**TENTATIVE Friday- Sunday Midwinter Schedule as of 12/14/17**

### **FRIDAY – JANUARY 19:**

- 1:00 - 6:00 P.M. Registration and Banquet Tickets  
1:00 P.M. Auxiliary Hospital Board Meeting  
V.F.W. Finance Committee  
2:30 P.M. Auxiliary Budget Meeting  
**2:30 - 4:30 P.M. Gambling Seminar**  
3:00 - 4:30 P.M. Convention Committee  
3:00 - 5:00 P.M. Claims Staff Open Office  
3:00 – 6:00 P.M. Displays & Vendors  
**6:00 P.M. VFW Council Meeting**  
**6:30 P.M. Auxiliary Council Meeting**

### **SATURDAY – JANUARY 20:**

- 6:30 A.M. Rise & Shine Workouts TBD** (Pre-Registration Friday Recommended)  
**7:00 - 9:00 A.M. Register Poppy Displays**  
8:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M. Registration and Banquet Tickets  
Displays, Vendors & Health Fair  
**8:00 – 9:00 A.M. VFW Committee Meetings**  
VFW Finance Committee  
Legislative Committee  
Youth & Veterans Activities  
By-Laws Committee  
**8:30 A.M. - 3:30 P.M. Auxiliary Meeting**  
**9:15 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. VFW National Recruiting Class** (by National Membership Director Rick Butler)  
12:00 Noon Past Department President's Luncheon  
*Afternoon Plans being finalized:* 1:00 – 2:30 P.M. Service Officers School  
1:00 - 3:30 P.M. Seminar & Activity Opportunities  
2:00 – 3:30 P.M. District VOD Winners Party  
**2:30 P.M. Buddy Poppy Chairmen Meeting**  
*Poppy Displays Remain up through Grand Banquet Reception- takedown afterward*  
4:00 P.M. Church Service  
6:00 P.M. District V.O.D. Winners Reception  
6:00 P.M. Banquet Reception (Cash Bar)  
**7:00 P.M. Grand Banquet**

### **SUNDAY – JANUARY 21:**

- 9:00 A.M. V.F.W. Council of Administration**

### **WATCH FOR MORE...**

\*Parade of Checks for the State Commander's & State President's Projects

\*Special Seminar Sessions

\*EXPANDED Display & Resource Area

\*MN VFW Related Special History Display

Updates will be in December & January GOs, our website at [www.mn.gov/vfw/midwinter](http://www.mn.gov/vfw/midwinter) and in the Winter Gopher Oversea'r Issue

**ALL VFW Members  
MUST Attend**