

# Veterans of Foreign Wars Department of New Jersey Annual Convention



# May 29th - June 1st Convention Planning Guide



Dear VFW & Auxiliary Members,

Enclosed is your Post or Auxiliary Planning Guide for the 2024 Department Convention in Wildwood, NJ for the dates of May 29th to June 1st.

The first form is the Convention Member & Guest Housing Registration Form:

# THIS IS NOT A DELEGATE REGISTRATION FORM

A Delegate Registration Form will be mailed out to each Post in April from the Department Quartermaster.

For the Auxiliary, your Delegate Registration Form was sent to your Auxiliary President in the planning guide at the beginning of the year.

It is to be submitted by "EACH" person registering. If you have 10 people registering, you should be sending in 10 separate forms. If you have friends, or family who are not members of the VFW or AUX staying at your hotel, or motel/ their own rooms, please have them fill out a registration for (marked as Guest). There is no fee for them to register.

The deceased member form is no longer required as the State HQ has a list of all deceased comrades in OMS.

Enclosed, are the Ads, Booster, and Parade Registration Forms. Again, be sure to mail this to the **address** at the **BOTTOM** of the forms. You may check with businesses in your community to see if they would like to take out an ad.

The forms we have enclosed are the <u>ONLY</u> forms that will be accepted for the 2024 Department Convention.

Jeff Walding State Commander Ken Hagemann State Adjutant/QM

# A POST DELEGATE FORM WILL BE MAILED TO EACH POST QUARTERMASTER IN MARCH.

(SAMPLE ENCLOSED)

# DO NOT USE THE ENCLOSED HOUSING FORM TO REGISTER YOUR POST DELEGATES



### 2024 State Convention - Post Delegate Registration

**Section 222** (c) of the National By-Laws states "Each Post will pay, in advance, in accordance with its Department By-Laws, a delegate registration fee for each and every delegate to which the post shall be entitled.

**Article IV** of the State By-Laws states "Each post will pay in advance, a State Convention Registration fee of Twenty dollars (\$20.00) The registration fee of twenty dollars will include the registration for the Post Commander, the Post will also pay ten dollars (\$10.00) for each additional entitled delegate."

The Department Quartermaster shall verify the delegate strength of each Post using the month-end membership of March 31st of each year.

Each delegate will receive a Convention Pin and Ad Journal Book. Make all checks payable to: VFW Department of New Jersey

Registration Type	Membership Number	Member Name	Member Address	E-Mail
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Please type or print each member's information below

(Any change to a delegate's status shall be reported to the State Quartermaster)

(See back of form for more delegate registrations).

Make all checks payable to: VFW Department of New Jersey

Number of Delegates Entitled: TOTAL ENCLOSED

Signature of Adjutant or Quartermaster:

Post #

Mail completed form before May 1st to: VFW Dept of NJ 171 Jersey St Bldg 5 Flr 2 Trenton NJ 08611



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This form is to be used to register your housing/hotel information for the State Convention as a **Member** or **Guest.** If you wish to receive a **Convention Journal and Pin**, the fee is \$10.00 in advance due by **April 30<sup>th</sup>** The fee will be \$20.00 on-site. Limited supply may be available on-site. All VFW Delegates receive a complimentary pin/journal at check-in.



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Attendee Info	<b>Emergency Contact Information</b>
First Name	Contact First Name
Last Name	Contact Last Name
Address	Contact Phone
City/State/Zip	Hotel Information (If commuting to/from the Convention, please use "Home" for Hotel Name)
	Hotel Name
District # Post #	Room #
Email (if applicable):	Arrival Date
	Departure Date
Phone	Person(s) Sharing
	Name 1
	Name 2
	Name 3
Mastercare DISCOVER AMERICAN DORRESS Debit/Credit Cards Accep	Make checks payable to: VFW Dept of NJ 171 Jersey Street Bldg. 5 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Trenton NJ 08611
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# 2024 **STATE CONVENTION** JOURNAL AD FORM



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#### PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION

ORGANIZATION NAME:			
CONTACT NAME:			
CONTACT PHONE:			
	ADVERTIS	EMENT SIZE	
	(CHECK DESI	RED AD SIZE)	
FULL PAGE:	\$130.00	HALF PAGE:	\$ <b>75.00</b>
	BOOSTERS:	\$5.00 PER LINE	
,	Application Dead	dline: April 29, 2024	
		Make ch	necks payable to: VFW Dept of NJ 171 Jersey St
			Bldg. 5 Flr 2 Trenton NJ 08611
Card Number:			
Exp:/ Security	Code:	Billing Zip code:	



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## CONVENTION JOURNALBOOSTERS

All boosters cost \$5.00 each. All titles must be abbreviated

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		171 Jersey Street
		Bidg 5 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Trenton NJ 08611
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## 2024 STATE CONVENTION COMMERCIAL JOURNAL ADVERTISEMENT FORM



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#### PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION

COMPANY ADDRESS:				
PHONE:				
CONTACT PERSON:				
ADVERTISEMENT SIZE				
(CHECK DESIRED AD SIZE)				
FULL PAGE: \$200.00 HALF PAGE: \$150.00				
With each full-page ad, each advertiser may send 1,000 flyers to the Wildwood Convention Hall ATTN: VFW Convention Flyers must arrive prior to May 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2024				
Application Deadline: April 29, 2024				
Make checks payable to: VFW Dept of NJ 171 Jersey St Bldg. 5 Flr 2 Trenton NJ 08611				
Card Number:				
Exp:/ Security Code: Billing Zip code:				



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#### REGISTRATION FORM 105<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CONVENTION PARADE WILDWOOD, NJ

Please complete the following Registration form if you will be participating in the Annual Parade.

Forms MUST BE MAILED IN TIME TO BE RECENED NO LATER THAN MAY 1, 2024.

After that date, registration forms can be turned in at the Parade Registration desk on the Thursday or Friday (May 30<sup>th</sup> & May 31<sup>st</sup>) at the Convention Center. The Parade Coordinator will be available to answer any questions. He will be at the Registration desk on Thursday and Friday during the Convention hours. Judging criteria for the parade will be available.

**Reminder:** District Commanders will act as Marshals for their respective Divisions and submit their line of march by Saturday morning for their District.

MAIL FORM TO	Joseph Orlando – Parade Chairman 105 W. Rochester Avenue Wildwood Crest, NJ 08260 609-602-4230
District # Post # Name of Unit Post # Contact Name	
Phone #   Post Color Guard – 7 or more   Post Color Guard – 6 or less   Post Marching Unit   Aux Color Guard – 7 or more   Aux Color Guard – 6 or less   Auxiliary Marching Unit   Auxiliary Junior Marching Unit   Non – VFW Group/Marching Unit   (Group/Band Name)	Marching Band Name:
	ARTICIPANTS TO MARCHING INSTRUCTIONS ON

LAST PAGE OF PARADE PROGRAM