



Department Membership Bulletin



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2019 Winter Conference Hosted By Minot Post #26

American Legion Department of ND Winter Conference Schedule Minot Grand Hotel

Thursday, January 24, 2019

11:00 am [DEC Meeting](#) – Viking Room
7:00 pm [Foundation](#) – Minot

Friday, January 25, 2019

8:00 am [Legion College](#)
1:00 pm [Legislative Committee Meeting](#)
1:00 pm District V-Cmdr Mtg with Cmdr-Elect
2:00 pm Registration
(until 7:00 pm) – Lobby
2:00 pm Americanism/Children & Youth
Committee Meeting
2:00 pm History Committee
2:00 pm [Dist & Reg Officers Meet with Cmdr](#)
3:00 pm [Legion Riders Meeting](#)
3:00 pm Centennial Committee Meeting
3:00 pm 40 et 8 Grand Cheminot Meeting
4:00 pm M&PA – District Officers
4:00 pm [VA&R Committee Meeting](#)
5:00 pm [Delegate Selection Committee](#)
5:00 pm Oratorical Committee Meeting
7:00 pm Joint Opening Session

Saturday, January 26, 2019

7:00 am SAL Meeting
7:00 am Athletic Committee Meeting
8:00 am Registration (until Noon)
8:30 am Legion Session
9:00 am [Boys State Committee](#)
9:00 am VA&R Breakout Session - MST
10:00 am Legionnaire's Round Table Discussion
11:00 am VA&R Breakout Session – PTSD
1:00 pm Programs Joint Session
1:30 pm High School Oratorical Contest
Finals
4:30 pm Regional Meetings
5:30 pm Winter Conference Banquet Social
6:30 pm Winter Conference Banquet
8:00 pm Dance by ND State Legion Band

Sunday, January 27, 2019

8:00 am Natl Guard and Reserve Cmt Mtg
9:00 am Natl Commissions and Cmt Mtg
9:00 am Membership Training Program
9:00 am Press Association Committee
9:00 am Post Service Officers
10:30 am Joint Memorial Service

Department Hits Goal at 85.15%

District Standings

- 2nd - 89.40%**
- 8th - 87.05%**
- 10th - 86.82%**
- 1st - 85.17%**
- 3rd - 85.05%**
- 4th - 84.45%**
- 6th - 83.99%**
- 9th - 83.30%**
- 5th - 81.96%**
- 7th - 81.88%**

Membership Contest

December 31 was the cutoff for posts to earn \$100 Cash Award from Department Commander Wahus. One post from each of the 4 post size categories could earn the cash award for having the highest percentage OVER their 2019 goal. Three of the four categories qualified:

- Cat 1 (under 50) - Lansford (108.33%)
- Cat 2 (50 - 100) - Mayville (104.84%)
- Cat 3 (100 - 500) - Park River (101.47%)
- Cat 4 (over 500) - n/a

High School Oratorical Contest

State Finals will be held on Saturday, January 26, as part of the Winter Conference in Minot hosted by Minot Post #26 at the Grand Hotel in Minot. The East Division Contest was held on Saturday, January 12 at the Park River High School. The West Division Contest was held Saturday, January 12, at the Watford City High School Media Center!

North Dakota Boys State

Registration materials will be mailed to all schools and posts the end of January. The dates for Boys State are June 9-14, 2019. Website address for Boys State is www.ndboysstate.org.

First ND Legion College Course at Winter Conference

The North Dakota Legion College will be holding their FIRST Class on Friday, January 25, 2019, at 8:00 am at the Winter Conference in Minot. This course is for members who have not attended the National American Legion College or taken the Basic Training Course online. This course will be enhancing the knowledge of the history of the American Legion.

The first class will be a Basic Training Course with the topics covering History, Organization, Veterans Affair & Rehabilitation, National Security, Americanism and Children & Youth.

If you have not signed up for the course call and make arrangements with the Department Headquarters. There is space available for anybody still interested.

HELMETS FOR HEROES

Starting with our Fall District meetings last year, we have been asking posts to distribute helmet shaped piggy banks in their communities. These helmets are to ask the communities to help us out and the proceeds will be used towards our programs such as Boys State, Oratorical, Baseball and our Commander's project to help Veteran's in need.

We will have more helmets to hand out at the Winter Conference. Please stop at the table with the helmets and sign out a few to take back and collect some money from your communities.

For those of you who have been collecting money for the past four months, please bring it to the Winter Conference and give it to Commander Wahus or to Teri or Sarah from the Department Headquarters Office.

Upcoming Events

January

25-27 - Winter Conference, Minot, ND

February

11 - 90% Membership Target

March

11 - 95% Membership Target

Membership Tabulation As Of: January 14, 2019

Jan-14 85 % Target Date

Vice Commander Larry Reed : larry0249@gmail.com : Eastern Region 2019 Goal is 5,515 : Jan-14 Target is 4,688

2019 Region Membership is 4,808 87.18 % of Goal 88 Posts ***** 2018 Region Membership 5,451

District 1					
Cmdr Michele Olson : michele.olson3@gmail.com					
Vice Cmdr Bennett Bush : bennett.g.bush.nfg@mail.mil					
Post No.		2019 Jan-14 Goal	2019 Jan-14 Target	2019 Mbshp %	2018 Goal Mbshp
111	Binford	9	8	7 77.78 %	8
010	Buffalo	57	48	44 77.19 %	57
172	/* \ Buxton	16	14	16 100.00 %	16
015	/ Casselton	59	50	53 89.83 %	58
143	Cooperstown	63	54	53 84.13 %	63
149	/! Dazey	23	20	22 95.65 %	21
223	Erie	33	28	25 75.76 %	33
002	Fargo	675	574	537 79.56 %	617
187	/* \ Fingal	12	10	12 100.00 %	11
013	/* Finley	62	53	62 100.00 %	66
210	Galesburg	35	30	27 77.14 %	35
132	/* Gardner	19	16	20 105.26 %	21
113	/ Hannaford	30	26	28 93.33 %	32
297	/ Harwood	212	180	188 88.68 %	213
070	Hatton	66	56	53 80.30 %	66
004	/ Hillsboro	92	78	84 91.30 %	88
018	/ Hope	66	56	57 86.36 %	64
293	Horace	22	19	18 81.82 %	21
044	/ Hunter	19	16	17 89.47 %	18
117	/! Kindred	25	21	24 96.00 %	24
074	/ Leonard	19	16	17 89.47 %	18
008	/* \ Mayville	62	53	65 104.84 %	63
400	NDSU	4	3	1 25.00 %	2
083	/! Nome	14	12	13 92.86 %	13
154	/ Page	18	15	15 83.33 %	18
093	/ Portland	80	68	73 91.25 %	79
202	/ Sanborn	49	42	47 95.92 %	49
169	/! Sharon	16	14	15 93.75 %	15
307	/* \ Sibley	18	15	19 105.56 %	16
060	Valley City	162	138	131 80.86 %	157
308	West Fargo	100	85	77 77.00 %	96
Dist 1 Totals		2,137	1,818	1,820	2,058
		31 Posts	85.17 % of Goal		

District 2					
Cmdr Clarence Carroll : abnavnlc@yahoo.com					
Vice Cmdr Paul Daley :					
Post No.		2019 Jan-14 Goal	2019 Jan-14 Target	2019 Mbshp %	2018 Goal Mbshp
237	/ Adams	28	24	26 92.86 %	28
016	Aneta	26	22	20 76.92 %	25
011	Cavalier	98	83	82 83.67 %	98
107	/* \ Crystal	46	39	46 100.00 %	46
159	Drayton	30	26	20 66.67 %	29
156	/ Edinburg	51	43	43 84.31 %	50
274	/ Fordville	26	22	25 96.15 %	26
251	/ Forest River	42	36	36 85.71 %	49
041	/ Grafton	98	83	84 85.71 %	94
006	/ Grand Forks	450	383	389 86.44 %	484
240	Hoople	23	20	17 73.91 %	22
021	/* \ Lakota	52	44	52 100.00 %	51
157	/ Lankin	86	73	78 90.70 %	88
097	/ Larimore	152	129	144 94.74 %	157
299	/ Manvel	127	108	124 97.64 %	126
135	/* \ McVile	59	50	60 101.69 %	57
238	/ Michigan	38	32	35 92.11 %	38
201	/ Minto	56	48	49 87.50 %	57

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Cmdr Clarence Carroll : abnavnlc@yahoo.com					
Vice Cmdr Paul Daley :					
Post No.		2019 Jan-14 Goal	2019 Jan-14 Target	2019 Mbshp %	2018 Goal Mbshp
227	Mountain	38	32	31 81.58 %	32
242	Neche	30	26	25 83.33 %	29
092	Northwood	89	76	73 82.02 %	89
147	/* \ Park River	136	116	141 103.68 %	141
182	Pekin	16	14	12 75.00 %	16
077	Pembina	67	57	53 79.10 %	67
247	Petersburg	37	31	30 81.08 %	37
208	/ Pisek	41	35	38 92.68 %	41
256	! Reynolds	6	5	4 66.67 %	4
168	/! St. Thomas	30	26	28 93.33 %	28
181	/ Thompson	45	38	42 93.33 %	48
162	/ Tolna	37	31	36 97.30 %	38
401	! UND	3	3	2 66.67 %	2
062	/ Walhalla	78	66	69 88.46 %	77
Dist 2 Totals		2,141	1,821	1,914	2,174
		32 Posts	89.40 % of Goal		

District 10					
Cmdr Thomas Manley : tmanley55@me.com					
Vice Cmdr :					
Post No.		2019 Jan-14 Goal	2019 Jan-14 Target	2019 Mbshp %	2018 Goal Mbshp
128	Abercrombie	22	19	18 81.82 %	21
294	/ Cavuga	11	9	10 90.91 %	11
038	Coqswell	22	19	15 68.18 %	22
146	/ Edgeley	50	43	47 94.00 %	48
137	Ellendale	70	60	38 54.29 %	69
106	/ Fairmount	37	31	32 86.49 %	37
277	Forbes	25	21	17 68.00 %	23
082	/ Forman	14	12	12 85.71 %	14
282	/ Galchutt	16	14	14 87.50 %	16
191	/* \ Gwinner	74	63	75 101.35 %	73
088	/ Hankinson	86	73	73 84.88 %	85
108	Havana	23	20	15 65.22 %	22
057	/ Kulm	12	10	11 91.67 %	12
019	/ LaMoure	57	48	51 89.47 %	54
084	/ Lidgerwood	73	62	67 91.78 %	70
007	/ Lisbon	63	54	55 87.30 %	62
148	/ Milnor	38	32	35 92.11 %	36
283	/ Mooreton	17	14	16 94.12 %	17
036	/ Oakes	140	119	128 91.43 %	144
215	/ Rutland	27	23	24 88.89 %	27
221	/* \ Sheldon	27	23	28 103.70 %	26
178	/* \ Verona	13	11	13 100.00 %	12
020	/ Wahpeton	230	196	200 86.96 %	230
166	Walcott	30	26	24 80.00 %	28
153	/ Wyndmere	60	51	56 93.33 %	60
Dist 10 Totals		1,237	1,053	1,074	1,219
		25 Posts	86.82 % of Goal		

* = Current Membership Goal ! = Previous Year's Membership + = Previous All Time High
/ = Achieved Target Date Goal

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Jan-14 85 % Target Date

Vice Commander Steven Anderson : usmcanderson7797@gmail.com : Central Region 2019 Goal is 3,480 : Jan-14 Target is 2,907

2019 Region Membership is 2,907 83.53 % of Goal 52 Posts ***** 2018 Region Membership 3,416

District 3						
Cmdr Troy Reemtsma : midnightmoon1969@hotmail.com						
Vice Cmdr Bryce Crosby : crosby@gondtc.com						
Post No.		2019 Jan-14 Goal	2019 Target	2019 Mbshp	% Goal	2018 Mbshp
262	Belcourt	63	54	41	65.08 %	58
129	/ Bisbee	15	13	13	86.67 %	15
061	Brocket	10	9	7	70.00 %	10
079	/ Cando	71	60	66	92.96 %	73
024	Devils Lake	73	62	59	80.82 %	74
185	/ Dunseith	17	14	16	94.12 %	17
193	Edmore	15	13	10	66.67 %	13
266	/*! Hampden	12	10	12	100.00 %	11
217	/*! Knox	10	9	10	100.00 %	10
098	/ Langdon	167	142	150	89.82 %	165
101	/ Leeds	28	24	25	89.29 %	28
123	/ Maddock	56	48	51	91.07 %	54
179	Milton	26	22	21	80.77 %	24
086	/*! Minnewaukan	29	25	30	103.45 %	30
164	Osnabrock	12	10	9	75.00 %	12
194	/ Rolette	79	67	68	86.08 %	79
235	Rolla	88	75	67	76.14 %	88
023	/ Rugby	140	119	123	87.86 %	130
276	/ Sarles	42	36	37	88.10 %	42
125	St. John	9	8	7	77.78 %	9
268	York	21	18	14	66.67 %	21
Dist 3 Totals		983	838	836		963
		21 Posts	85.05 % of Goal			

District 4						
Cmdr Ladon Smith : don57chev@gmail.com						
Vice Cmdr Marjorie Rosenquist-Moya : natureskare@msn.com						
Post No.		2019 Jan-14 Goal	2019 Target	2019 Mbshp	% Goal	2018 Mbshp
175	/*! Bowdon	6	5	5	83.33 %	5
025	Carrington	75	64	54	72.00 %	70
033	Fessenden	44	37	35	79.55 %	40
250	/* Gackle	80	68	81	101.25 %	82
056	/ Goodrich	56	48	54	96.43 %	59
220	/*! Hamberg	1	1	1	100.00 %	1
028	Harvey	79	67	34	43.04 %	79
014	Jamestown	232	197	187	80.60 %	216
103	/ Kensal	56	48	54	96.43 %	56
124	/ McClusky	41	35	37	90.24 %	39
160	McHenry	17	14	12	70.59 %	16
245	/ Medina	26	22	25	96.15 %	26
030	/ New Rockford	94	80	85	90.43 %	94
265	/ Streeter	46	39	43	93.48 %	49
017	/ Sykeston	41	35	35	85.37 %	42
236	/* Wimbledon	59	50	60	101.69 %	62
205	/ Woodworth	31	26	29	93.55 %	31
Dist 4 Totals		984	836	831		967
		17 Posts	84.45 % of Goal			

District 5						
Cmdr Jared Klempel : jkklemp83@yahoo.com						
Vice Cmdr Jonathan Kaatz : superkatz22@gmail.com						
Post No.		2019 Jan-14 Goal	2019 Target	2019 Mbshp	% Goal	2018 Mbshp
053	Ashley	33	28	24	72.73 %	31
001	Bismarck	640	544	486	75.94 %	615
231	/ Dawson	40	34	35	87.50 %	44
260	/* Fredonia	21	18	22	104.76 %	23
049	/ Garrison	127	108	108	85.04 %	126
126	/*! Hazelton	25	21	26	104.00 %	25
054	/ Linton	100	85	97	97.00 %	108
072	/ Napoleon	120	102	105	87.50 %	117
212	/*! Tappen	12	10	12	100.00 %	12
133	Turtle Lake	105	89	87	82.86 %	99
012	Washburn	130	111	108	83.08 %	125
163	/ Wilton	52	44	46	88.46 %	55
065	/ Wing	52	44	44	84.62 %	51
087	Wishek	56	48	40	71.43 %	55
Dist 5 Totals		1,513	1,286	1,240		1,486
		14 Posts	81.96 % of Goal			

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Jan-14 85 % Target Date

Vice Commander Alan Fehr : alanfehr_ndng@usa.com : Western Region 2019 Goal is 4,515 : Jan-14 Target is 3,838

2019 Region Membership is 3,802 84.21 % of Goal 69 Posts ***** 2018 Region Membership 4,351

District 6					
Cmdr Heather Thompson : hdthom@srt.com					
Vice Cmdr :					
Post No.	2019 Goal	Jan-14 Target	2019 Mbshp	% Goal	2018 Mbshp
292 / * \ Benedict	8	7	8	100.00 %	8
171 / Berthold	27	23	26	96.30 %	27
042 / Bottineau	93	79	84	90.32 %	90
127 / Bowbells	25	21	21	84.00 %	24
270 / Butte	77	65	67	87.01 %	76
195 / Donnybrook	39	33	31	79.49 %	38
032 / * \ Drake	41	35	41	100.00 %	41
155 / * Granville	34	29	34	100.00 %	36
064 / Kenmare	36	31	34	94.44 %	36
279 / * \ Lansford	12	10	13	108.33 %	12
035 / Lignite	24	20	22	91.67 %	23
230 / Makoti	48	41	44	91.67 %	47
241 / * \ Max	6	5	6	100.00 %	4
026 / Minot	510	434	411	80.59 %	483
304 / * \ Minot AFB	1	1	1	100.00 %	1
052 / Mohall	68	58	54	79.41 %	68
302 / Newburg	10	9	6	60.00 %	10
119 / Plaza	21	18	19	90.48 %	21
109 / Portal	14	12	8	57.14 %	14
099 / Ryder	26	22	24	92.31 %	26
213 / Sherwood	57	48	45	78.95 %	53
034 / Towner	16	14	11	68.75 %	14
269 / * \ Upham	26	22	26	100.00 %	27
039 / Velva	108	92	95	87.96 %	109
253 / White Shield	33	28	12	36.36 %	29
112 / Willow City	39	33	32	82.05 %	38
Dist 6 Totals	1,399	1,190	1,175		1,355
	26 Posts		83.99 % of Goal		
District 7					
Cmdr James Erhardt :					
Vice Cmdr Vernon Laning : vlaning@bis.midco.net					
Post No.	2019 Goal	Jan-14 Target	2019 Mbshp	% Goal	2018 Mbshp
261 / Almont	23	20	19	82.61 %	23
259 / Cannon Ball	20	17	9	45.00 %	10
045 / Carson	44	37	34	77.27 %	37
090 / * \ Center	69	59	73	105.80 %	75
246 / Elgin	59	50	49	83.05 %	58
069 / Flasher	82	70	75	91.46 %	81
173 / * \ Fort Yates	1	1	1	100.00 %	1
239 / Glen Ullin	24	20	15	62.50 %	23
189 / Hazen	98	83	86	87.76 %	103
100 / Hebron	61	52	49	80.33 %	60
040 / Mandan	290	247	224	77.24 %	254
211 / New Leipzig	31	26	24	77.42 %	30
091 / New Salem	47	40	35	74.47 %	44
142 / * \ Solen	3	3	3	100.00 %	3
078 / Stanton	20	17	18	90.00 %	19
Dist 7 Totals	872	742	714		821
	15 Posts		81.88 % of Goal		

District 8					
Cmdr George Petermann : bmann@ndsupernet.com					
Vice Cmdr Leslie Ross : bigsiouxfan@gmail.com					
Post No.	2019 Goal	Jan-14 Target	2019 Mbshp	% Goal	2018 Mbshp
005 / Beach	92	78	74	80.43 %	96
144 / Belfield	179	152	146	81.56 %	168
048 / Bowman	56	48	47	83.93 %	57
003 / Dickinson	240	204	199	82.92 %	211
258 / Halliday	42	36	39	92.86 %	40
115 / Hettinger	71	60	63	88.73 %	71
046 / Killdeer	86	73	75	87.21 %	83
071 / Mott	111	94	103	92.79 %	113
066 / New England	82	70	79	96.34 %	82
051 / Reeder	34	29	33	97.06 %	34
273 / Regent	32	27	26	81.25 %	27
188 / Rhame	28	24	26	92.86 %	27
180 / Richardton	72	61	65	90.28 %	77
151 / Scranton	41	35	40	97.56 %	41
Dist 8 Totals	1,166	991	1,015		1,127
	14 Posts		87.05 % of Goal		
District 9					
Cmdr Dan Brown : willistonlegion@yahoo.com					
Vice Cmdr Lucinda Bolyard : lucinda.bolyard@yahoo.com					
Post No.	2019 Goal	Jan-14 Target	2019 Mbshp	% Goal	2018 Mbshp
094 / Alexander	14	12	13	92.86 %	14
075 / Crosby	73	62	71	97.26 %	73
116 / Grenora	68	58	62	91.18 %	69
271 / Mandaree	38	32	2	5.26 %	38
290 / ! \ New Town	100	85	90	90.00 %	90
243 / Noonan	38	32	29	76.32 %	36
121 / Parshall	55	47	43	78.18 %	53
096 / * \ Powers Lake	19	16	19	100.00 %	19
009 / * \ Ray	35	30	35	100.00 %	34
134 / Stanley	100	85	75	75.00 %	96
139 / Tioga	65	55	50	76.92 %	64
029 / Watford City	134	114	118	88.06 %	134
110 / Wildrose	39	33	27	69.23 %	36
037 / Williston	300	255	264	88.00 %	292
Dist 9 Totals	1,078	916	898		1,048
	14 Posts		83.30 % of Goal		

Department Totals	2018	2019
Department Membership Goal	13853	13,593
Post 500 Membership	97	57
Eastern Region Total:	5,451	4,808
Central Region Total:	3,416	2,907
Western Region Total:	4,351	3,802
Total Dept. Membership	13,315	11,574

209 Posts 2019 Percent of Goal is 85.15 %

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