

**DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS
2026 CONVENTION
JUNE 11-14 - TOPEKA, KANSAS**

**YOU MUST TELEPHONE
THE MOTEL LISTED BELOW FOR ROOM RESERVATIONS**

(Please state this is for the VFW Department Convention to receive our group rates)

******* RESERVATIONS DEADLINE MAY 22, 2026 *******

Hotel Topeka
1717 SW Topeka Blvd
\$104.00 + TAX (Breakfast included)

1-785-431-4744 or 1-800-579-7937

Check in 4:00 pm/Check out 11:00 am

Online link

<http://bookings.ihotelier.com/bookings.jsp?groupID=4457929&hotelID=13576>

SAVE THIS TOP PART

MAIL THIS BOTTOM PART

2026 DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS V.F.W. CONVENTION - JUNE 11-14 – TOPEKA, KS

PRE-REGISTRATION & TICKETS **MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MAY 29, 2026**

PLEASE REGISTER BY COUPLE (2 WITH SAME LAST NAME) OR 1 INDIVIDUAL PER FORM

PRINT

NAME _____ SPOUSE _____
Last _____ First _____

MAILING

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____

STATE _____ ZIP _____ DAY PHONE (____) _____ EMAIL _____

(CIRCLE AFFILIATION)

VFW////AUX POST # _____ TITLE _____

SPOUSE

VFW////AUX POST # _____ TITLE _____

PURCHASE PACKET BY MAY 23rd AND SAVE \$5.00 PER PACKET ONLY - SEND \$55.00

Number of

Registration	\$ 15.00
Saturday Banquet	\$ 40.00
Dance	\$ 5.00
Packet per person	\$ 60.00

**MAIL CHECK & REQUEST TO:
DEPARTMENT OF KS, VFW
PO BOX 1008
TOPEKA, KS 66601-1008**

REFUNDS ONLY when CONFIRMED CANCELLATION with DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS by MAY 29th
NO REFUNDS FOR OVERPAYMENTS

REC HQ'S _____ PAID _____ CA/CK # _____ REG # _____

DEPARTMENT CONVENTION - VFW & AUXILIARY

REV 12-2-2026

June 11-14, 2026

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Thursday, June 11, 2026

4:00 PM - Budget & Finance Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

Friday, June 12, 2026

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM - Registration – **Emerald Foyer**

9:30 AM - 12:00 PM - Auxiliary Council Meeting – **Emerald I-II**

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING AUXILIARY COUNCIL MEETING – Auxiliary Floor Practice – **Emerald I-II**

10:00 AM - Buddy Poppy & Record Book Displays - **Emerald Foyer**

9:30 AM - 11:00 AM - Convention Corporation Meeting – **Amber**

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM - Resolution Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM - Rules of Order Committee – **Emerald III-V**

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM - VFW Council Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM - Lunch – **Buffet at hotel**

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM - VFW Business Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

(a) Assign Resolutions - Time & Place for meetings

(b) Introductions of guests

(c) Nomination of Officers

(d) Candidates Forum

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM - Auxiliary Business Meeting – **Emerald I-II**

(a) Auxiliary Credentials

(b) Opening Ceremony

(c) Nomination of Officers

(d) Candidates Forum

4:00 PM - Veterans Service Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

5:00 PM - Hospital Workshop – **Emerald I-II**

6:00 PM - VFW District Caucuses – **District Commander's Choice**

6:30 PM - Past State Auxiliary Presidents Dinner – **Topaz**

Saturday, June 13, 2026

8:00 AM - Memorial Service - VFW & Auxiliary – **Emerald III-V**

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM - Registration – **Emerald Foyer**

8:00 AM - Buddy Poppy & Record Book on Display by 12:00 Noon – **Emerald Foyer**

9:00 AM - Auxiliary Business Meeting – **Emerald I-II**

(a) Business Meeting Reconvenes

(b) Committee Reports

9:00 AM - VFW Business Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

(a) Committee Reports

(b) Introduction of guests

11:30 AM - Past State Commanders Luncheon – **Topaz**

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM - Lunch – **Buffet at Hotel**

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM - Auxiliary Business Meeting – **Emerald I-II**

(a) Committee Reports Resume

(b) Nomination of Officers

1:00 PM - 2:30 PM - VFW Business Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

(a) Other unfinished business

(b) Nomination of Officers

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING BUSINESS MEETING – Awards Program – **Emerald III-V**

6:30 PM - Convention Banquet – **Emerald Ballroom**

Sunday, June 14, 2026

8:00 AM - Past Commanders Club Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

9:00 AM - Closing of Auxiliary Credentials – **Emerald I-II**

9:00 AM - VFW Business Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

(a) Nomination, Election & Installation of Officers

9:15 AM - Auxiliary Business Meeting – **Emerald I-II**

(a) Nomination, Election & Installation of Officers

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING INSTALLATION OF AUXILIARY OFFICERS

- Auxiliary Council of Administration Meeting – **Emerald I-II**

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING INSTALLATION OF VFW OFFICERS

- Endowment Association Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

11:00 AM - Convention Corporation Meeting – **Emerald III-V**

11:00 AM - Lunch – **on your own**

12:00 PM - VFW Department Council of Administration & Luncheon – **Topaz**