# SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION DETACHMENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FALL CONFERENCE – SEPTEMBER 2018 AUSTIN, TEXAS

#### Call to Order

By order of the Commander and pursuant to the Constitution and Bylaws, Article IV, Section 1 of the Sons of the American Legion, Detachment of Texas, I, Bill Kuehner, Detachment Adjutant, do herby call all members of the Detachment Executive Committee to convene on Saturday, September 22, 2018 at 10:30AM and, Sunday, September 23, 2018 at 9:00AM in the Amphitheater Room at the Omni Southpark Hotel in Austin, Texas.

#### **Meeting and Hotel News**

Where: Amphitheater Room, Omni Southpark Hotel, 4140 Governors Row, Austin, Texas, 512-448-2222. Room rates are \$109.00 per night plus tax. All room reservations must be made as soon as possible.

When: Saturday, September 22, 2018 @ 10:30AM Sunday, September 23, 2018 @ 9:00AM

#### **Agenda**

You will find the agenda for the meetings within

### **Adjutant's Notes**

Please make sure all Officers, Chairman, and District and Squadron Commanders address changes are reported to me as soon as they occur, including email addresses. Please email all correspondence if possible.

All Squadrons and Districts need to make sure their Certification of Officers is turned in as soon as possible. This will help our mailings.

The minutes from the 2018 Detachment Convention are enclosed. Please review and bring all corrections to this meeting in September.

#### **Commander's Comments**

All Detachment Officers and Chairman, please bring a coat and tie so we can take your picture to update the website. Thanks.

Other comments are attached.

#### **Department Headquarters Policy**

There have been some changes at Department Headquarters that we all need to observe. From this day forward until further notice, these are the new policies that have been mandated. If anyone or any Squadron has complaints, concerns, issues, or need information concerning membership or other matters, all comments and/or questions must go through the Detachment Adjutant, Bill Kuehner, or if he is unavailable contact the Detachment Commander Jon Kingston All items must be in letter or email form when possible. Adjutant Kuehner can be reached at 817-845-2990 or by email at <a href="mailto:bkuehner@sbcglobal.net">bkuehner@sbcglobal.net</a>. Commander Kingston can be reached at 940-367-0165 or by email at <a href="mailto:jonkings@centurytel.net">jonkings@centurytel.net</a>. Please follow these rules so that all issues can be resolved expediently and properly.

#### **FALL CONFERENCE AGENDA**

## **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2018**

Training – Flag Etiquette & Leadership 9:00AM

Opening Session 10:30AM

Call to Order Commander Kingston

Post Colors Sgt-at-Arms Jennings

Invocation Chaplain Jeff Saul

Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance Division 1 Commander Tom Arista

Preamble Division 4 Commander Ken Dorsett

Roll Call Adjutant Kuehner

Reading of Minutes Adjutant Kuehner

Special Introductions (if any) NEC David Blair

NEC Report NEC David Blair

Department Advisor Report

LUNCH BREAK 11:45AM-1:00PM

Milton Chatham

(Reconvene)

**COMMITTEE REPORTS** 

Internet Gary Winters

Legislative Anthony Lambert

Americanism Roy Fowler

VA&R

Children & Youth Tracy Wood

CWF Shannon Boyce

Public Relations Dustin Moore

Marketing Ray Hartline

Convention City Tom Arista

Boys State Travis Arreaga

Awards Wesley (Buck) Jones

PUFL Steve Slaughter

Internal Affairs / Membership Juan Torres

Finance Eddy Seegers

RECESS UNTIL SUNDAY 9:00AM

# **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2018**

Reconvene 9:00AM

Call to Order Commander Kingston

Post Colors Sgt-At-Arms Jennings

Continue Committee Reports (if needed)

**Unfinished Business** 

**New Business** 

Good of the Sons of the American Legion

Benediction Chaplain Jeff Saul

Retire Colors Sgt-at-Arms Jennings

Adjournment Commander Kingston