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Greetings Comrades,

This Department has seen many unplanned changes this Winter. If we all work together, our future will be a success. The past cannot be changed, but the future can be bright. It is incumbent on each of us to see to it.

I would like to welcome our new State Adjutant Debra Ryan. She will be a valued asset in our work to support Indiana veterans, families of veterans and active-duty military.

This March 13-14 Spring Conference our District VOD and State Patriot Pen winner will be featured. They have all worked diligently and deserve the respect of our membership. I encourage everyone to attend the banquet.

Thank you for all that you do,

David Capshaw

Interim State Commander

SPRING CONFERENCE NOTICE

Please note the following for the Spring Conference.

VFW Meeting room will be Freedom Hall (off the restaurant)

VFW Registration will be in the Wine Room (off the restaurant)

Auxiliary meeting room will be Liberty Hall

Banquet will be in Freedom Hall

Banquet tickets have a choice of meals- Hot Honey Chicken or Plain Chicken. Please verify your option on the ticket form.

State Headquarters is no longer accepting Credit Cards for any purchase. We will accept Cash/Check/Money Order

VFW and Auxiliary have a 20% discount at the hotel Breakfast Buffet. If you would like discount coupons, please contact Mackenzie at State Headquarters. They can be mailed to you or you can pick them up in registration at the hotel.

mackenzievfw@outlook.com or 317-377-1795

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2020 Spring Conference Banquet

INDIANAPOLIS MARRIOTT EAST HOTEL

March 14, 2020 6:00 P.M.

\$32.00 PER PERSON

MENU

Rolls, All American Salad,

Hot Honey Chicken,

Chocolate Cake/Apple Pie, Lemonade & Coffee

Dinner Banquet to be held on Saturday June 1, 2019.

Tables of ten (10) are available for \$320.00

Individual tickets are available for \$32.00

Please fill out the form below to reserve your tickets.

Make checks payable to: Department of Indiana VFW, P.O. Box 361370, Indianapolis, IN 46236.

Fax (317)377-1797,

For Questions call: (317)377-1795

Tickets can be picked up at Registration.

2020 Spring Conference Banquet

I have been informed the Hot Honey Chicken is a little spicy. If you would like Plain Chicken instead, please indicate how many of your total tickets will be plain chicken.

Post _____

Auxiliary _____

Name _____

Total Number of Tickets _____ Amount Enclosed _____

Number of Plain Chicken Meals _____

Ticket orders must be received no later than WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 2020

2019-20	AUDIT REP	SHTG DUE	Q/M BOND	POPIES	ADM FEE	DEL FEE	20 ELECTION
	HAVE	OWED	HAVE	ORDERED	DUE	Due	REPT RECEIVED
DISTRICT 1	JS		X	X			
717	JS		X				
802	JS		X				
1109	JS						
1563							
2151	JSD		X	X			
2697	JS		X				
2724	JSD		X				
5365	J		X	X			
6448	J		X	X			
6841	JSD		X				
7881	JS		X	X			
9323		\$9.00	X				
9982	JS		X				

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DISTRICT 2	J		X				
748	JS			X			
988							
1106	JS						
1121	JSD		X	X			
1126	JS		X				
1154	JS		X	X			
1279	JS		X				
1343	JS		X				
1728	JS		X				
2231	JSD						
2511	JSD		X				
3790	JSD		X	X			
7760	JSD		X				
9383	JSD		X				

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DISTRICT 3	JS		X				
88	JS		X				
360	JS		X	X			
985	JS			X			
1130	JSD		X	X			
1162	JS		X				
1954	JSD		X	X			
2536	S			X			
6919	JSD		X	X			
8972	JS		X	X			
9423	J		X	X			
9820	JSD		X	X			

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DISTRICT 4	JSD		X				
857	JS		X				
1421							
1892							
2457	JD		X				
2749	J		X				
3846	JS						
4717	S	\$10.00	X				
5582	JSD		X				
6236	JS		X				
6751	JS		X	X			
7205	JSD		X	X			
10006			X				
11314		\$5.00					

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DISTRICT 5	J						
60	J		X	X			
266	J						
286	SD		X	X			
1110	JSD		X	X			
1152	JSD		X	X			
2067			X	X			
2689	JS		X	X			
5782	SD		X	X			
7081	JSD		X	X			
7403	JS		X				

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DISTRICT 6	JD		X				
910	SD						
972	JSD						
1431	J		X	X			
1550		\$23.00					
1752	D		X				
2395	JSD	\$9.00	X				
3284	JSD		X				
3318	JSD						
6128	JS		X	X			
6246	JSD		X	X			
6574		\$14.00					
8756	JS		X	X			
10003	S		X				

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DISTRICT 7	JSD		X				
604	JS		X	X			
1111	J		X	X			
1127	JS		X	X			
1157	JS		X	X			
1257	S		X				
1405	JSD		X	X			
2459	JSD		X	X			
2714	JSD		X	X			
3321	JS		X	X			
5864	JSD		X				
6606							
6978				X			
7117	JSD		X	X			
7118			X	X			
7850	JS		X	X			
8589	JSD		X	X			
9297	JSD		X	X			
9395	SD		X	X			
9627	JS		X	X			

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DISTRICT 8	SD		X				
673	JSD		X	X			
1114	JS		X	X			
1427	JS		X				
1693	JSD		X				
1832	JSD		X	X			
2366	JSD		X	X			
2939	JS		X	X			
2950	JSD		X	X			
2953	JS		X	X			
3281	JS		X	X			
3418	JS		X				
3587	JSD		X	X			
6160	JSD		X	X			
11365	JS	\$5.00	X				

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DISTRICT 9	J		X				
1083		\$5.00					
1686	JS		X				
1925	JS		X	X			
1969	JS		X	X			
1987	JS	X	X	X			
2014	JS	X	X	X			
2021	JSD			X			
3183	JSD		X				
5312			X	X			
5396	JSD		X	X			
6195	JSD		X	X			
6234	JS						
6582	JS		X				
6636	JSD		X	X			
8302	JS		X	X			
9107	JSD		X	X			
9987	SD	\$5.00	X				

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DISTRICT 10	JSD		X				
571	JSD		X	X			
1108	JSD		X	X			
1282	JSD		X	X			
1472	JD		X	X			
2693	JSD		X	X			
2695	JSD		X	X			
6904	JSD		X	X			
7084	JSD		X	X			

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DISTRICT 11	JS		X				
98	JSD		X	X			
261	JSD		X	X			
908	JSD		X	X			
1120	JSD		X	X			
1587	JSD		X	X			
2839	JS		X	X			
2999	JSD		X	X			
5626	JSD		X	X			
7119	JSD		X				

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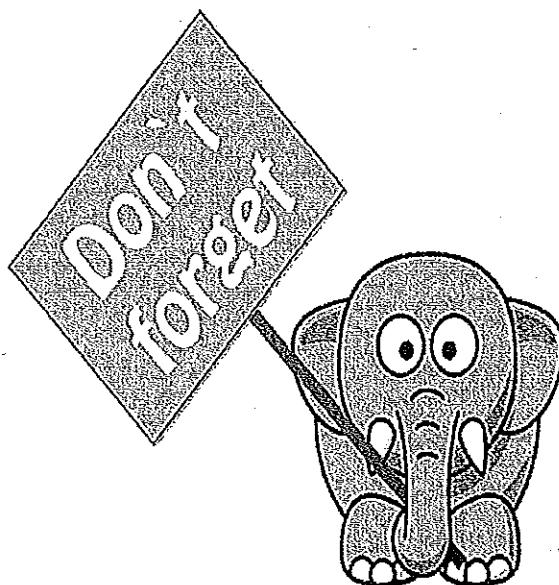
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673	8	292	1	0	43	336	368	91.30%	3	JASPER	IN	0	56	80.36%	0.27%
1114	8	1210	13	4	354	1581	1769	89.37%	1	EVANSVILLE	IN	3	511	72.21%	1.13%
1427	8	87	1	0	10	98	109	89.90%	8	CHARLESTON	IN	0	20	55.00%	0.92%
1693	8	276	1	1	35	313	363	86.22%	3	NEW ALBA	IN	0	57	66.67%	0.55%
1832	8	181	2	5	16	204	204	100.00%	5	CLARKSVILLE	IN	0	21	71.43%	3.43%
2366	8	105	1	2	49	157	176	89.20%	6	HUNTINGB	IN	0	71	74.65%	1.70%
2939	8	113	0	0	35	148	170	87.05%	6	TELL CITY	IN	0	52	73.08%	0.00%
2950	8	119	5	0	24	148	163	90.79%	6	CORYDON	IN	1	42	54.76%	3.68%
2953	8	146	1	0	23	170	189	89.94%	5	EVANSVILLE	IN	0	39	58.97%	0.53%
3281	8	352	1	1	44	398	424	93.86%	3	NEW ALBA	IN	2	63	73.02%	0.94%
3418	8	192	4	1	50	247	284	86.97%	4	BOONVILLE	IN	0	82	71.95%	1.76%
3587	8	127	1	0	30	158	162	97.53%	6	PETERSBURG	IN	0	35	88.57%	0.62%
6160	8	56	1	1	22	80	85	94.11%	9	ENGLISH	IN	1	29	82.76%	3.53%
11365	8	40	0	0	14	54	56	96.42%	10	FERDINAND	IN	0	16	75.00%	0.00%
0	8	3296	32	15	749	4092	4522	90.49%	2			7	0	0.00%	1.19%
1083	9	31	0	0	6	37	42	88.09%	11	CROTHERS	IN	0	9	66.67%	0.00%
1686	9	63	3	0	31	97	108	89.81%	8	LOULTIC	IN	0	44	68.18%	2.78%
1925	9	164	6	1	60	231	272	84.92%	4	SEYMOUR	IN	0	106	65.09%	2.57%
1969	9	145	0	0	30	175	183	95.62%	6	MADISON	IN	0	41	73.17%	0.00%
1987	9	115	0	1	22	138	151	91.39%	6	COLUMBUS	IN	0	36	50.00%	0.66%
2014	9	95	1	0	36	132	148	89.18%	6	BROOKVILLE	IN	0	54	66.67%	0.68%
2021	9	56	0	2	26	84	91	92.30%	8	NORTH VERNON	IN	0	32	81.25%	2.20%
3183	9	117	2	1	30	150	162	92.59%	6	BATESVILLE	IN	0	46	82.61%	1.85%
5312	9	111	1	1	21	134	138	97.10%	7	AURORA	IN	1	26	73.08%	2.17%
5396	9	60	0	0	33	93	105	88.57%	8	VEVAY	IN	0	44	75.00%	0.00%
6195	9	49	0	0	12	61	68	89.70%	9	NASHVILLE	IN	0	18	77.78%	0.00%
6234	9	69	1	0	35	105	114	92.10%	7	MILAN	IN	2	45	84.44%	2.63%
6582	9	119	1	0	12	132	146	90.41%	6	AUSTIN	IN	0	26	42.31%	0.68%
6636	9	83	0	0	64	147	176	83.52%	6	SALEM	IN	0	92	69.57%	0.00%
8302	9	54	5	0	22	81	82	98.78%	9	PAOLI	IN	0	28	75.00%	6.10%
9107	9	68	7	0	31	106	115	92.17%	7	MITCHELL	IN	1	46	67.39%	6.96%
9987	9	25	0	0	7	32	38	84.21%	11	NAPOLEON	IN	0	14	57.14%	0.00%
0	9	1424	27	6	478	1935	2139	90.46%	4			4	0	0.00%	1.73%

571	10	107	5	0	26	138	153	90.19%	6	CONNERSV IN	0	48	54.17%	3.27%
1108	10	293	2	3	53	351	401	87.53%	3	RICHMOND IN	5	116	56.03%	2.49%
1282	10	143	5	0	23	171	214	79.90%	5	NEW CAST IN	0	71	35.21%	2.34%
1472	10	56	0	0	9	65	71	91.54%	9	LIBERTY IN	0	16	68.75%	0.00%
2693	10	127	4	0	55	186	226	82.30%	5	GREENFIEL IN	0	107	58.88%	1.77%
2695	10	156	1	0	54	211	270	78.14%	4	SHELBYVIL IN	2	106	52.83%	1.11%
6904	10	92	6	0	24	122	145	84.13%	6	FORTVILLE IN	0	50	46.00%	4.14%
7084	10	90	1	0	22	113	126	89.68%	7	UNION CIT IN	0	30	76.67%	0.79%
0	10	1064	24	3	266	1357	1606	84.49%	4		7	0	0.00%	2.12%
98	11	53	1	0	31	85	100	85.00%	8	INDIANAPC IN	0	46	67.39%	1.00%
261	11	118	10	0	36	164	197	83.24%	5	LAWRENCE IN	0	87	44.83%	5.08%
908	11	93	8	0	48	149	320	46.56%	4	INDIANAPC IN	1	228	24.56%	2.81%
1120	11	139	2	0	18	159	171	92.98%	6	INDIANAPC IN	0	30	66.67%	1.17%
1587	11	119	18	0	177	314	299	105.01%	4	INDIANAPC IN	0	187	98.40%	6.02%
2839	11	105	2	2	22	131	148	88.51%	6	INDIANAPC IN	0	40	55.00%	2.70%
2999	11	120	1	1	19	141	154	91.55%	6	INDIANAPC IN	0	34	55.88%	1.30%
5626	11	65	0	1	13	79	95	83.15%	8	BEECH GRC IN	0	30	50.00%	1.05%
7119	11	315	14	1	43	373	421	88.59%	3	INDIANAPC IN	1	100	51.00%	3.80%
0	11	1127	56	5	407	1595	1905	83.72%	4		2	0	0.00%	3.31%

SAVE THE DATE!



DEPARTMENT PRESIDENT JENNIFER MORRIS' TESTIMONIAL

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2020

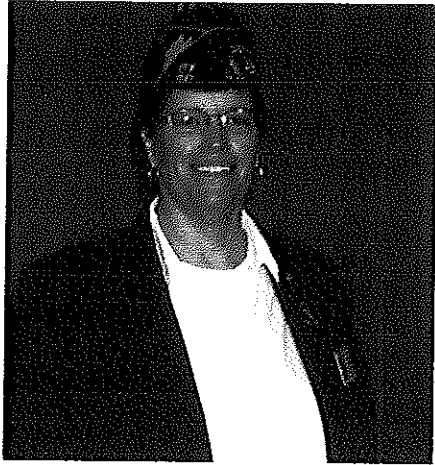
POST 1111 MOORESVILLE

TICKETS \$15.00

COCKTAILS AT 5:00 PM, DINNER AT 6:00 PM

ENTERTAINMENT TO FOLLOW

TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE SOON—CONTACT DEPT. PRESIDENT
JENNIFER FOR MORE INFORMATION!



SHEILA CORCORAN

for

STATE SURGEON

Department of Indiana 2020-2021

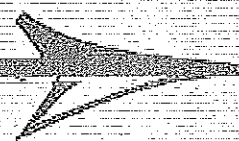
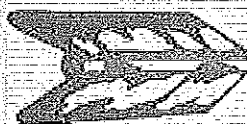
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2018-2019
- COMMANDERS AWARD 2017-2018
- ALL AMERICAN DISTRICT COMMANDER
- ALL AMERICAN POST COMMANDER (2)
- ALL STATE QUARTERMASTER
- GOLD LEGACY LIFE MEMBER-POST 1587
- NATIONAL CHILDRENS HOME
 - Life Member
- ELIGIBILITY: Iraq Campaign Medal
 - US Army

APPOINTMENTS:

- FINANCE COMMITTEE 2019-2020
- BY-LAW COMMITTEE 2019-2020
- STATE MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR
2019-2020
- STATE MEMBERSHIP TEAM
2018-2019
- NATIONAL AIDE-DE-CAMP
2017-2020



Archery Clinic



February 12

5:00 - 6:00 pm and 6:00 - 7:00 pm

at Highsmith Guns

23 N State St, Greenfield, IN 46140

\$7 per person

Veterans—Free

For more information or to register, visit this link:

<https://archeryclinic.eventbrite.com>

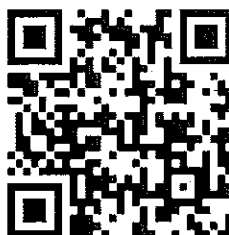
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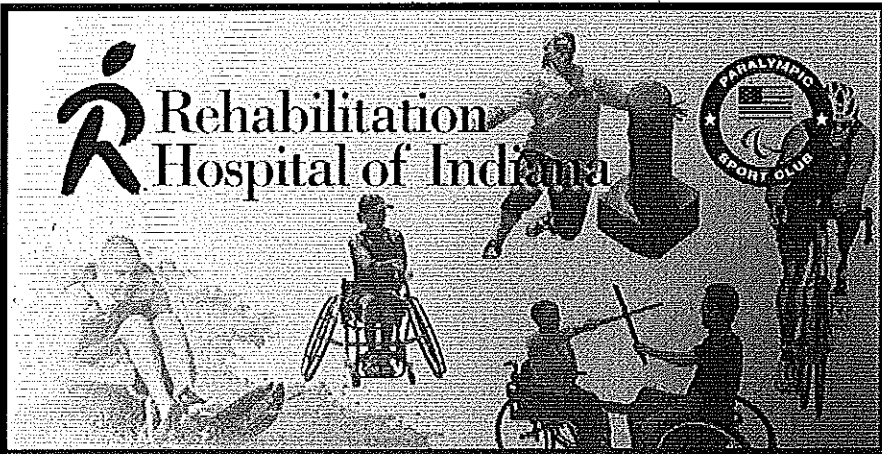
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SPORTS PROGRAM

Rehabilitation Hospital of Indiana Sports Clinic

2020 SCHEDULE



Sport Clinics offer individuals living with physical disabilities a glimpse into the world of adaptive sports. They provide opportunities to try different sports or activities without the need to purchase the equipment or the commitment of joining a team. Sports Clinic events can be one or two days in length with varying hours from a couple to half a day.

Sport Clinic: 1) an opportunity to experience a new and exciting activity or sport 2) one to two day event held to give athletes the opportunity to perfect a previously learned skill, or learn a new skill, through mentors, coaches, and/or professional athletes

To participate in a clinic you must have a physical disability.
Diagnoses of participants are:

- Traumatic brain injury - Epilepsy - Cerebral Palsy - Cystic Fibrosis -
Amputation - Spinal Cord Injury - Paralysis - Multiple Sclerosis - Spina
Bifida - Visual and Hearing Impairments - Muscular Dystrophy -
Dwarfism**

You must have a Medical Release Form signed by your MD to participate in a specific clinic. For more information please contact:

RHI SPORTS
E-mail: rhisports@rhin.com
Phone: 317-329-2020

- January 26**
Quad Rugby practice starts
- January 24**
Adult Wheelchair Basketball practice starts
- February 5**
Try Scuba
- February 22**
Adaptive Dance
- February 21**
Bowling
- March**
Archery begins (2x per month)
- March 6-8**
Competitive Sports weekend
- March 3**
Swimming
Beginner and Advanced
- April 1**
Try Scuba
- April**
Adaptive Rowing
- June 17 and 18**
Adaptive Water ski Clinic - Cicero
- July 23 and 24**
Adaptive Water ski Clinic- Culver



[Rhisportsprogram](https://www.facebook.com/Rhisportsprogram)



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Adaptive Ballroom Dance

6 Week Adaptive Dance Clinic

Saturdays beginning February 22



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6 Week Adaptive Dance

OrthoIndy Foundation YMCA

Saturday, February 22— March 28th

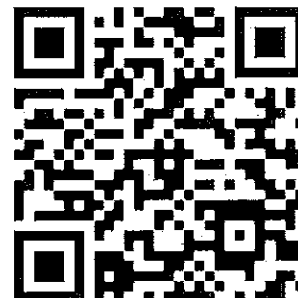
1:30 pm—3:30 pm

Cost: \$60

Veterans ~ Free

Sign-up:

<https://adaptiveballroomdance.eventbrite.com>



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SPORTS PROGRAM

Bowling Clinic

Woodland Bowl

February 21st 7:00pm —

9:00pm

Cost: \$7

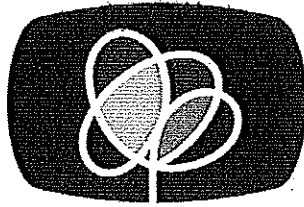
~Veterans Free~

<https://bowlingclinic.eventbrite.com>



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National Home Districts, Current Trustees & Terms

VFW National Home for Children Board of Trustees

Board Structure & Responsibilities (Governance, Operation and Committees)

The National Home is a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation. VFW National Home for Children Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws establish a Board of Trustees as the governing body of the corporation.

- The Board of Trustees is a 17 member board.
 - Twelve (12) trustees are elected by the Life Members of the National Home from each of twelve National Home Districts.
 - Five (5) ex-officio trustees serve by virtue of their elected or appointed office.
- Elected Trustees serve six (6) year terms which begin and end in October.
 - Two (2) trustees' terms end each October
 - Two (2) newly-elected trustees are installed each October.
- Annual October Board Meeting:
 - Trustees elect board officers
 - President
 - Vice President
 - Executive Committee Member
 - Alternate Member of the Executive Committee
 - Board Secretary/Treasurer
 - Newly-elected trustees and officers are installed at the Annual Meeting of the Life Membership on the fourth Saturday in October.
 - The Board President appoints a chairman for each of the Board Committees each October. The Board President and Vice President are official members of each Standing Committee by virtue of office.
- Board responsibilities include:
 - Overall governance and oversight of policies and business
 - Selection and evaluation of the Executive Director
 - Establishing eligibility requirements for National Home programs
 - Educating and informing constituents in support of the National Home
 - Fundraising for the National Home
- Trustees meet regularly at the National Home to carry out their responsibilities.
- Trustees are the liaison within the Departments they represent and attend various Department functions. Trustees set example for annual giving, encourage contributions to the National Home, actively promote the National Home and its mission to the members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, VFW Auxiliary and Others, and encourage members of the VFW and its Auxiliary to become Life Members of the National Home.
- Trustees may be contacted by calling or emailing the National Home.
- Trustee qualification criteria and nomination procedures are outlined in Article II of the National Home Bylaws which are available on the National Home website at vfnationalhome.org or by contacting the Home at (517) 663-7023.

VFW & its Auxiliary Department Leadership can help by nominating and supporting qualified trustee candidates with the expertise, dedication and commitment to serve the VFW National Home for Children.

Board of Trustees

Trustee Qualifications, Nomination Procedures and Elections

Dedicated, hardworking individuals are encouraged to seek election to these esteemed positions to promote awareness, understanding and support of the VFW National Home for Children. Candidates with expertise in business, fundraising or social work are especially encouraged. **It is highly essential that candidates have access to, and are comfortable with email.**

Love and support for the National Home is essential, along with time to devote to required board business and meetings. Elected trustees serve a six (6) year term.

Qualifications to seek nomination include that a candidate must:

- Be a resident of the National Home District which he/she represents or reside within a 50 mile commuting distance of the District.
 - 2020 vacancies include:
 - District 5 – Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North & South Carolina, Virginia, Latin/Caribbean
 - District 8 – Illinois, Indiana
 - 2021 vacancies include:
 - District 3 – Delaware, Pennsylvania
 - District 4 – Maryland, Ohio, West Virginia
 - 2022 vacancies include:
 - District 6 – Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Tennessee
 - District 10 – Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas
 - 2023 vacancies include:
 - District 9 – Minnesota, Nebraska, North & South Dakota
 - District 12 – California, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon & Washington
 - 2024 vacancies include:
 - District 7 – Iowa, Michigan & Wisconsin
 - District 11 – Alaska, Arizona, Colorado, Kansas, Montana, Pacific Areas, Utah & Wyoming
- Be a Life Member of the National Home for at least one year prior to nomination.
- Be a member in good standing of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States or its VFW Auxiliary.
- Obtain written endorsement of his or her respective Department or Department Auxiliary and why they are endorsing you, with copies to the chain of command.
- Submit a biography of qualifications limited to 200 words.
- Undergo a criminal background check.

Letters of intent to run for trustee, along with letters of endorsement and biographies must be submitted to the Executive Director at the address of the National Home on or before **June 1st of the year the term expires** for Board of Trustees vacancies. Copies will be forwarded to the National Home Board President, Adjutant General of the VFW and National Secretary/Treasurer of the VFW Auxiliary by the Executive Director.

National Home Bylaws fully detail the nomination and election process and can be obtained on the National Home website at www.vfwnationalhome.org or by contacting the National Home for a written copy.

The National Home welcomes your questions regarding Board elections. They can be directed to the Executive Office by calling (517) 663-7023.

Board of Trustees

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12 trustees are elected by the Life Members of the National Home from each of 12 National Home Districts and 5 ex-officio trustees serve by virtue of their position in accordance with National Home Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws. Board responsibilities include guidance and oversight of policies and business, establishing eligibility requirements for National Home programs, as well as educating, informing and fundraising for the National Home. For trustee contact information or for trustee eligibility criteria and nomination procedures contact the Home at (517) 663-7023.

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District	States Represented	Board Member	Term Limit Expires (Oct.)
#1	Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont	Keith Jackson	2025
#2	Europe, New Jersey, New York	Art Scheuneman	2025
#3	Delaware, Pennsylvania	Ronald Stensland	2021
#4	Maryland, Ohio, West Virginia	Merton "Sam" Compton, President	2021
#5	Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Latin America/Caribbean	Darlene Mays-Tittman	2020
#6	Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Tennessee	Sissy Borel, Vice President	2022
#7	Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin	Annabelle Furgason	2024
#8	Illinois, Indiana	Mike McGrath	2020
#9	Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota	Steve Van Bergen	2023
#10	Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas	Sylvia Sanchez	2022
#11	Alaska, Arizona, Colorado Kansas, Montana, Pacific Areas, Utah, Wyoming	Kim Sloan	2024
#12	California, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Washington	Renee Fulk	2023

Ex-Officio Trustees

VFW Commander-in-Chief, VFW Auxiliary National President, VFW Adjutant General, VFW Quartermaster General and VFW Auxiliary National Secretary/Treasurer

VFW National Home for Children
Board of Trustees
Summary of Board Structure and Trustee Responsibilities

The VFW National Home for Children Board of Trustees is comprised of 12 elected district trustees and 5 ex-officio trustees and serves as the governing body of the corporation.

Trustees of the National Home are responsible to; establish governing policy, set example for annual giving, fundraise, develop other resources, strategic planning, provide fiduciary oversight, hire and evaluate the Executive Director, hire the agency's independent auditor, financial investment advisor, and corporate attorney, recommend necessary Article of Incorporation and Bylaw changes, and promote positive community-agency relationships. Trustees are the liaison within the Departments they represent and promote the National Home and its mission to the members of the VFW and its VFW Auxiliary and to other interested organizations.

Each of the 12 elected trustees represents one of 12 National Home Districts. Trustees are elected to serve a 6 year term by the *National Home Life Members* in the VFW Departments that comprise their National Home District. The 5 ex-officio trustees are; VFW Commander-in-Chief, Adjutant General, Quartermaster General, VFW Auxiliary National President, and the National Secretary-Treasurer.

Trustees annually elect a Board President, Vice President and a Board Secretary-Treasurer. Note: a Board President may serve one or more annual terms as may the Board Vice President and the Board Secretary-Treasurer.

Trustees attend periodic board meetings (generally 3 time per year) on the National Home campus and may serve on or chair board committees.

Members of the Executive Committee are:

- Board President
- Board Vice President
- Immediate Past Board President (if still a board member)
- Board-Elected Executive Committee Member
- Board-Elected Executive Committee Alternate Member

The Executive Committee is the board body that conducts necessary business in between board meetings and reviews and acts upon properly initiated employee grievances or client grievances, if any.