



79th ANNUAL CONVENTION INFORMATION

DATE: January 5, 2026

TO: ALL MEMBERS

FROM: John Donovan, Department Adjutant

RE: 79th ANNUAL CONVENTION

The dates of our upcoming Convention are June 5-6, 2026, and it will be held at the Wyndham Hotel in North Little Rock located at #2 Riverfront Place. You may make your room reservations by calling the hotel at: (866) 657-4458 or (501) 371-9000 or online at <https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/hotels/17526?checkInDate=06/03/2026&checkOutDate=06/06/2026&groupCode=060326DAV>. (if this does not open, copy and paste the entire link to your web browser)

The room rates are approximately \$110.00 for single or double plus tax, this may be subject to change as it was based off previous years government per diem rate. The deadline to make reservations at this rate is **May 13, 2026**; you will need to identify that you are with the Disabled American Veterans.

**PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING THOROUGHLY
NEW REQUIREMENTS THIS YEAR**

Registration by itself is **\$35.00** and will need to be submitted by **May 13, 2026**.

“FUN NIGHT”-- Friday night will be “Fun Night” and begin at 6:30 p.m. There will be charge of **\$20 per person** to attend “Fun Night”.

“Commander’s Banquet” -- Saturday night will be the Commander’s Banquet and the cost for this meal will be **\$30 Per Person. This will be a full meal. This cost is in addition to the Fun Night and Registration. The hotel needs to be given a meal count seven (7) days out, so we have to have the numbers. We will not be able to sell any tickets for the banquet at the registration table, if you do not register for the banquet in advance, you will not be able to attend.**

Department of Arkansas * P.O. Box 1620 * North Little Rock, AR 72115-1620

Cell phone (501) 519-9314

Email: ardept@ardav.org Web: www.ardav.org

If anyone has a food allergy that needs to be addressed before the Banquet, please email the Department at ardept@ardav.org.

Purchased tickets **FOR “FUN NIGHT” AND THE “AWARDS BANQUET”** will be given to the person when they check-in at the “**DAV/DAVA Registration Desk**”. Tickets will be taken up at the entry door to these events. You will need these tickets to enter the venues.

FUND RAISING will not be allowed during the Convention’s Business hours!

Enclosed are the “**CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM**”, the “**EVENTS ORDER FORM**”, and a form to complete if anyone wishes to run for office. **Payments must be included with the Convention Registration Form and the Events Order Form.** Please remember for the Auxiliary events, payment must be out made to them. Please right one check out to the DAV Department and one for any DAVA Department events. You can mail them all to the Department address and we will ensure that the Auxiliary receives your form and payment.

Remember, Registration and Events Order Forms must be back to the Department Office by May 13, 2026, with appropriate monies.

Any questions please feel free to call. The number is 501-519-9314. Plan on a ***GREAT CONVENTION!***

John Donovan

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79th CONVENTION REGISTRATION
DAV DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS

Chapter Name # _____

Phone # _____

Contact for Convention: _____

email: _____

Registration: \$35.00 for Delegate and/or Guest

“REGISTRATION DOES NOT INCLUDE COSTS OF ATTENDING FUN NIGHT OR BANQUET!”

NOTE: It is a requirement that membership numbers be furnished ON THE Registration Form to be a registered delegate. Delegates need to have their membership card in their possession at the Convention. (Please print clearly).

DELEGATES:

1. _____

Membership # _____

2 _____

Membership # _____

3 _____

Membership # _____

4 _____

Membership # _____

5 _____

Membership # _____

6 _____

Membership # _____

GUESTS ATTENDING: *Guests also must register to attend Convention.*

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

ALL DAV REGISTRATION (veteran side) MUST BE RETURNED TO DAV DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS, PO Box 1620, NORTH LITTLE ROCK, AR TO REGISTER FOR DAV DEPARTMENT CONVENTION.

THE AUXILIARY HANDLES THEIR REGISTRATION FOR THEIR CONVENTION.

NOTE: MONIES AND REGISTRATION FORM DUE NO LATER THAN May 13, 2026.

2026 “EVENTS ORDER” FORM
DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS
DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS

Chapter _____

NOTE: PRINT PLAINLY – WE NEED TO BE ABLE TO READ THEM

FRIDAY NIGHT FUN NIGHT
 (\$20.00 per person + registration)

SATURDAY NIGHT BANQUET
 (\$30.00 per person + registration)

NAME	NAME	Registration (\$35) + Events Cost
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$

TOTAL AMOUNT SUBMITTED \$ _____

IMPORTANT: You need to complete both the “Registration Form” and the “Event Form”
One registers the person and the other submits meal order and payment.