



CONVENTION BANQUET

SATURDAY JUNE 10, 2023 AT 7:00 pm

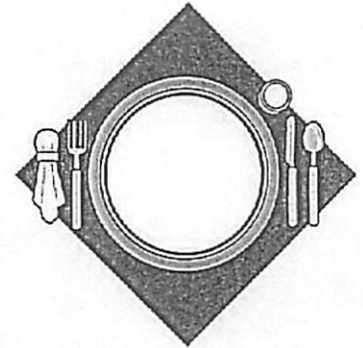
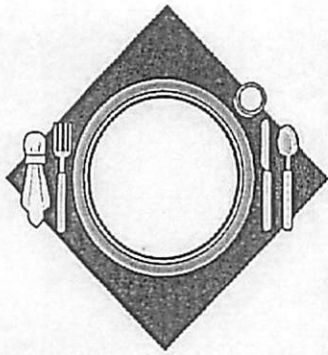
Cash Bar Cocktail Hour 6pm

In the Grand Ballroom of the

ROCKY HILL SHERATON HOTEL

100 CAPITAL BLVD

ROCKY HILL, CONNECTICUT



Menu

Caesar Salad with Parmesan and
Pancetta Crisps

Your Choice of:

*Prime Rib of Beef with a Horseradish
Crust

*Baked Cod with Fennel, Shallot, and
Crumb Topping

*Cheese Ravioli

Accompanied With

Roasted Fingerling Potatoes

Chef's choice of Seasonal Vegetables

Fresh Baked Rolls w/Sweet Butter

Dessert: Blueberry Cheesecake

Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated

Coffee and Specialty Teas

Bon Appetit

Price per person \$50.00 Cheese Ravioli (PRICE IS \$45.00pp) Price per person \$50.00

BE SURE TO GET YOUR TICKETS EARLY. DEAD LINE FOR TICKETS IS TUESDAY JUNE 7th, 2023
PLEASE USE THE FORM BELOW AND MAKE YOUR CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

THE DEPARTMENT OF CONNECTICUT VFW AND MAIL TO:

Richard Difederico, SJVC Chairman

P.O. Box 429

Rocky Hill, Conn. 06067

Please reserve me _____ Tickets for the Departments 102nd Convention Banquet to be held on Saturday, June 10, 2023 at 7:00pm in the Grand Ballroom of the Rocky Hill Sheraton Hotel.

Meal Choice/s: Prime Rib _____ Cod _____ Cheese Ravioli (PRICE IS \$45.00) _____

Please make my meal selection a Gluten Free Meal _____

NAME: _____ POST#: _____

STREET: _____ TOWN: _____ ZIP: _____

Check / Money Order for \$ _____ is enclosed.



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF CONNECTICUT



102nd ANNUAL AWARDS BREAKFAST

SATURDAY JUNE 10, 2023 AT 8:30 am

This breakfast, is by ticket only and none will be sold at the door.

ROCKY HILL SHERATON HOTEL
100 CAPITAL BLVD
ROCKY HILL, CONNECTICUT



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BUFFET BREAKFAST MENU

Orange and Cranberry Juices
Scrambled Eggs with Cheddar Cheese
and Salsa
Breakfast Sausage
Homefries
Muffins
Whole Fresh Fruit
Fruit Preserves
Sweet Cream Butter
Coffee: Regular - Decaf and Tea

ENJOY



ALL OF THE MAJOR CONVENTION AWARDS WILL BE PRESENTED AT THIS BREAKFAST.
FOR THE 2022-23 ADMINISTRATIVE YEAR. BE SURE TO ORDER YOUR TICKETS EARLY

Teacher and Eagle Scout awards will also be presented.

Mail To:
Stanley Borusiewicz, Chairman
VFW Awards Breakfast
P.O. Box 429
Rocky Hill, Conn. 06067

Please reserve _____ tickets for the Departments 1012nd Annual Convention Awards Breakfast at \$25.00 each.

Please mail tickets to: Name _____ Post/Auxiliary _____ Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code _____

Connecticut as of Wednesday, March 1, 2023

City	Post	Dist	Total	Prior Year	Percent	Need	Div
Division 3							
356 to 749 Members							
OAKVILLE	7330	5	438	475	92.21%	37	3
Division 4							
246 to 355 Members							
STRATFORD	9460	1	309	310	99.67%	1	4
JEWETT CITY	10004	4	236	249	94.77%	13	4
NEW BRITAIN	511	3	292	340	85.88%	48	4
Division 5							
185 to 245 Members							
NAUGATUCK	1946	2	210	202	103.96%	+8	5
DANBURY	149	1	213	219	97.26%	6	5
WALLINGFORD	591	2	165	192	85.93%	27	5
DEVON	7788	2	176	213	82.62%	37	5
NEW MILFORD	1672	5	154	192	80.20%	38	5
Division 6							
143 to 184 Members							
MANCHESTER	2046	3	153	149	102.68%	+4	6
PUTNAM	1523	4	174	170	102.35%	+4	6
WATERBURY	201	2	168	165	101.81%	+3	6
EAST HAMPTON	5095	6	172	169	101.77%	+3	6
WINDSOR LOCKS	6123	3	142	144	98.61%	2	6
WILLIMANTIC	1724	4	172	175	98.28%	3	6
MYSTIC	3263	4	147	152	96.71%	5	6
CANAAN	6851	5	167	175	95.42%	8	6
MONTVILLE	10060	4	152	160	95.00%	8	6
WESTPORT	399	1	139	147	94.55%	8	6
PAWCATUCK	1265	4	167	177	94.35%	10	6
NORWICH	594	4	157	173	90.75%	16	6
PRESTON	9452	4	143	182	78.57%	39	6
Division 7							
112 to 142 Members							
ROCKY HILL	2138	3	129	122	105.73%	+7	7
PLAINFIELD	5446	4	141	142	99.29%	1	7
WOLCOTT	1979	2	121	125	96.80%	4	7
YALESVILLE	9965	2	111	118	94.06%	7	7
PLAINVILLE	574	3	108	117	92.30%	9	7
OLD SAYBROOK	10153	6	117	127	92.12%	10	7
Division 8							
88 to 111 Members							
BROOKFIELD	10201	1	103	94	109.57%	+9	8
AVON	3272	3	92	91	101.09%	+1	8
WINSTED	296	5	96	99	96.96%	3	8
NOROTON HEIGHTS	6933	1	101	105	96.19%	4	8
NEW LONDON	189	4	100	104	96.15%	4	8
MIDDLETOWN	583	6	84	90	93.33%	6	8
BERLIN	10732	3	91	100	91.00%	9	8
NEWTOWN	308	1	100	111	90.09%	11	8
TRUMBULL	10059	1	89	99	89.89%	10	8
WATERTOWN	5157	5	85	98	86.73%	13	8
Division 9							
68 to 87 Members							
NEW HAVEN	12150	2	79	72	109.72%	+7	9
PROSPECT	8075	2	78	74	105.40%	+4	9
NIANTIC	5849	4	83	80	103.75%	+3	9
CANTERBURY	10688	4	78	76	102.63%	+2	9
SIMSBURY	1926	3	77	77	100.00%	0	9
GUILFORD	7666	2	66	70	94.28%	4	9
BRANFORD	12106	2	62	68	91.17%	6	9
WATERFORD	6573	4	68	75	90.66%	7	9
ELLINGTON	10689	3	63	70	90.00%	7	9
EAST HARTFORD	2083	3	69	78	88.46%	9	9

Districts	Dist	Total	Prior Year	Percent	Need	Div
District Totals	1	1298	1349	96.21%	51	5
District Totals	3	1501	1572	95.48%	71	4
District Totals	4	2117	2234	94.76%	117	3
District Totals	2	1547	1646	93.98%	99	4
District Totals	6	552	588	93.87%	36	6
District Totals	5	986	1088	90.62%	102	5
District Totals	99	1323	1470	90.00%	147	4
State Total		9324	9947	93.73%	623	

City	Post	Dist	Total	Prior Year	Percent	Need	Div
Division 10							
51 to 67 Members							
WINDSOR	4740	3	58	56	103.57%	+2	10
OLD LYME	1467	4	69	67	102.98%	+2	10
SUFFIELD	9544	3	59	59	100.00%	0	10
NEW CANAAN	653	1	53	54	98.14%	1	10
EAST KILLINGLY	4908	4	54	56	96.42%	2	10
CLINTON	9918	6	50	54	92.59%	4	10
NORWALK	603	1	55	60	91.66%	5	10
MADISON	2096	2	53	58	91.37%	5	10
LEDYARD	4608	4	52	58	89.65%	6	10
Division 11 (Upper)							
10 to 50 Members (31 to 50)							
STAFFORD SPRINGS	9990	3	43	39	110.25%	+4	11
WEST HAVEN	9422	2	33	31	106.45%	+2	11
HARTFORD	254	3	36	35	102.85%	+1	11
ANSONIA	597	2	40	40	100.00%	0	11
SALEM	2774	4	35	36	97.22%	1	11
SOUTHBURY	1607	2	43	45	95.55%	2	11
HEBRON	8776	3	40	44	90.90%	4	11
FAIRFIELD	9427	1	28	31	90.32%	3	11
EAST HADDAM	3336	6	34	38	89.47%	4	11
THOMPSON	10088	4	42	47	89.36%	5	11
SEYMOUR	12084	2	32	36	88.88%	4	11
STAMFORD	9617	1	39	44	88.63%	5	11
HAMDEN	10321	2	43	50	86.00%	7	11
TAFTVILLE	2212	4	27	32	84.37%	5	11
WATERBURY	7790	2	40	48	83.33%	8	11
PORTLAND	6121	6	31	39	79.48%	8	11
CHESHIRE	10052	2	27	39	69.23%	12	11
Division 11 (Lower)							
10 to 50 Members (10 to 30)							
THOMASTON	572	5	27	26	103.84%	+1	11
WEST WILLINGTON	938	3	26	26	100.00%	0	11
RIDGEFIELD	3052	1	19	20	95.00%	1	11
GOS COB	10112	1	23	25	92.00%	2	11
COVENTRY	10589	3	23	25	92.00%	2	11
DURHAM	10169	6	10	11	90.90%	1	11
BRIDGEPORT	10273	1	27	30	90.00%	3	11
ESSEX	6726	6	27	30	90.00%	3	11
HIGGANUM	10690	6	27	30	90.00%	3	11
COLCHESTER	6990	4	20	23	86.95%	3	11
LAKEVILLE	9243	5	19	23	82.60%	4	11
Members at Large	15007	99	1323	1470	90.00%	147	4
State Total			9324	9947	93.73%	623	

District Commander: District 1: John Kennedy

Division Commander: 3. Post 7330 Michael Minervino

Division Commander: 4. Post 9460 Steve Evangelista

Division Commander: 5. Post 1946 Charles Barnsely

Division Commander: 6. Post 2046 Arthur Thompson

Division Commander: 7. Post 2138 James Redick

Division Commander: 8. Post 10201 Joseph Beal

Division Commander: 9. Post 12150 Charles Pickett

Division Commander: 10. Post 4740 Michael Bunk

Division Commander (U): 11. Post 9990 Robert Titus Sr.

Division Commander (L): 11. Post 572 Richard O'Connell

We're getting closer and I appreciate your efforts.

We can be a 100% department once again, with your help. Please keep it going. Thank you.
Mario Richards, State Commander

Please do not use the old Buddy Poppy Form, this is the New Buddy Poppy Order Form.



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF CONNECTICUT

BUDDY POPPY ORDER FORM



Date: _____
Post / AUX Name: _____ Post # : _____ City: _____
Name order is shipping to: _____
Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____
Zip Code: _____ Contact Phone # _____

PLEASE BE ACCURATE: LIST NAME AND ADDRESS WHERE SUPPLIES CAN BE DELIVERED DURING THE DAY AND PLEASE BE SURE TO GIVE A STREET ADDRESS.

DATE OF DRIVE: _____

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THE DATE IS FILLED IN. IT HELPS TO SPEED-UP DELIVERY OF YOUR ORDER.

BUDDY POPPIES (Per Thousand) \$133.00 Per _____

COIN CONTAINERS (Have to be ordered from the VFW Store)

VOLUNTEER BUTTONS (Have to be ordered from the VFW Store)

PLEASE WAIT TO BE BILLED BEFORE SENDING CHECK TO DEPARTMENT!

Name Ordering: _____ Post # _____ Membership Card Number : _____

PLEASE NOTE: Supplies and Poppies are shipped to the person listed above, and it is **IMPERATIVE** that a **STREET ADDRESS BE GIVEN FOR DELIVERY**. Most Poppy orders will be shipped via UPS, however for other items and some small poppy orders will be shipped via parcel Post. A Statement will be sent to the Post Quartermaster and will include the cost of supplies, plus shipping and handling as billed to Department Headquarters.

Order form to be emailed to: spct@vfw.necoxmail.com or mailed to: VFW Buddy Poppy or Call 860-616-2365
P.O. Box 429
Rocky Hill, CT 06067

**ORDER 6 MONTHS BEFORE DRIVE
TO GUARANTEE DELIVERY!**



Veterans of Foreign Wars National Home for Children



To: All Posts

Re: VFW National Home for Children Donation **2022-2023**

Thank you to the Posts and Auxiliaries that have supported the VFW National Home for Children. This year the Donor Relations Department has asked that whatever donations that you are able afford if you would consider a portion of your donations be placed in the General Fund, or the Family Support services. This covers all resident expenses such as daycare costs, counseling, tutoring, recreation, 4-H, etc..

To make a donation, **Please follow the instructions below**

1. Send check to: VFW National Home for Children
3573 South Waverly Rd.
Eaton Rapids, Michigan 48827
2. **Write on your check memo to what fund, or funds you would like your money directed.**

Yours in comradeship.

William D'Appollonio

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State Chairman

Sending me this optional info. allows me to verify the financial statement sent to me by the National Home.

Please complete this section and mail, or E-Mail the information to:

William D'Appollonio, 236 Bass Rd. Windham, Ct. 06280

E-Mail: scotlandhwy@gmail.com

Post _____ District _____ has donated:

\$ _____ to the

General Fund _____

Family Support Services _____

Connecticut House _____



Sheraton Hartford South Hotel
100 Capital Blvd, Rocky Hill, CT 06067
860-257-6000

Reservations can be made by mailing the following to Gina Molde (Sales) at the Sheraton

Name: _____

Address: _____

Town: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____ Email Address: _____

Check in Date: _____ Checkout Date: _____

Room Type: (Circle One) King Two Double Beds

Any Special Requests: _____

Payment Method: (Circle One) Credit Card / Debit Card Check

*** Hotel will Call you to Confirm Credit Card Information ****

Rate: \$124 Plus 15% Tax = \$142.60

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF CONNECTICUT AND ITS AUXILIARY

102nd ANNUAL CONVENTION BOOK

TO: ALL UNITS

FROM: RON RUSKO, CHAIRMAN
CONVENTION PROGRAM BOOK

ALL POSTS AND AUXILIARIES ARE ASKED TO PLEASE PURCHASE ADVERTISING SPACE IN THE ANNUAL CONVENTION PROGRAM BOOK. ONLY VFWs AND AUXILIARIES CAN RECEIVE THESE PRICES. ANY ADS FOR BUSINESSES MUST BE PURCHASED THROUGH OUR AD BOOK SOLICITORS Consult Communications.

Please present this to the membership at your next meeting, to have your post or auxiliary represented with an ad in our State Convention ad book.

THE RATES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

\$150.00	FULL PAGE
\$75.00	HALF PAGE
\$50.00	QUARTER PAGE
\$25.00	BUSINESS CARD AD

PLEASE SUBMIT ADVERTISING ON REVERSE SIDEOF THIS FORM AND SEND TO :

RON RUSKO, CHAIRMAN
VFW HEADQUARTERS
P.O. BOX 429
ROCKY HILL, CONNECTICUT 06067

TOGETHER WITH A CHECK PAYABLE TO: DEPARTMENT OF CONNECTICUT - VFW

Thank you!

DEADLINE FOR ADS IS MONDAY MAY 9, 2023

FULL PAGE
\$150

HALF PAGE
\$75.00

QUARTER PAGE
\$50.00

BUSINESS CARD
\$25.00

