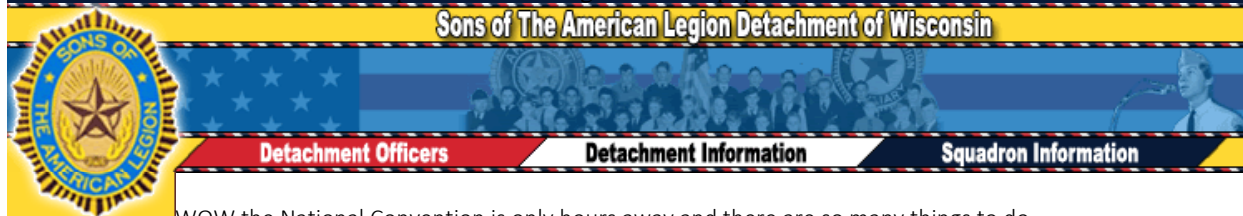


To view newsletters online, go to <http://www.wisal.org/newsletter.php>



WOW the National Convention is only hours away and there are so many things to do.

Delegates, Alternates and Guest make sure you pick up your credential from the Wisconsin Legion Headquarters Hotel, if you are PREREGISTERED for the National Convention you may pick your badge up at the Wyndham Milwaukee Airport Hotel – 4747 S. Howell Avenue, Milwaukee in the Cajun room

Office hours will be: Thursday, Aug 26th - Noon - 4:30 pm Friday, Aug 27th - 10:00 am - 3:00 pm Saturday, Aug 28th - 10:00 am - 3:00 pm Sunday, Aug 29th - 7:00 am -12:00 pm

2011 Membership is coming in, the target dates are posted on our web site, [http://www.wisal.org/documents/Squadron\\_Membership\\_Target\\_Dates.pdf](http://www.wisal.org/documents/Squadron_Membership_Target_Dates.pdf), and we have the potential for another great year.

Thanks for working hard on the MWM Membership Challenge. Unless there is a new report at the convention, we took second place we will be giving the big cheese to Michigan. Minnesota and Michigan put up a great fight and we are all better for the experience. Let 's get all of the Detachments in the Central Region involved this year.

The 2011 Membership Report for [August 11](#), and [August 17](#), are posted on our web site [www.wisal.org](http://www.wisal.org), under [Membership Reports](#).

See you in Milwaukee

[Michael Lawler](#), Detachment Adjutant

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## Welcome Squadron 59 Stoughton

Congratulations to Post 59 Stoughton for chartering a new Sons of The American Legion Squadron.

Please join us in welcoming Squadron 59 Stoughton to the ranks. They are already hard at work, promoting the ideals and programs of the Sons and working with their sponsor Post to be an active member of the American Legion Family.

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## Legion Emblem Re-Dedication



From the Wisconsin Legion Adjutants Notes, <http://wilegion.org/newsletter/?ID=284>

### The American Legion Emblem Restoration

A great symbol of Wisconsin's Commitment to the American Legion Family.  
We hope you all will attend.

**Thursday, August 26, 2010 at 1:00 p.m.**  
at Kilbourn Park in Milwaukee

**The United States Army Recruiting Battalion Milwaukee  
is having an Army Community Covenant Signing  
and an American Legion Monument Rededication on  
Thursday, August 26, 2010 at 1:00 p.m.  
at Kilbourn Park in Milwaukee  
at the corner of E. North Avenue and N. Bremen Street.**

[Please click here for directions](#)

(the Emblem is located at the Southeast Corner of the Park)

The American Legion Emblem Monument is designed to heighten awareness of The American Legion with the metro-Milwaukee area and the State of Wisconsin in advance of the 2010 National Convention.

Please click [/uploads/star monument.pdf](#)  
for full color photo!

### News Coverage of The American Legion Emblem Restoration

[Fox Channel 6 News Coverage](#)

[Read Full Article](#)

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## National Convention Committee meetings

We encourage you to attend the National Convention Committee meetings Friday morning. You will gain insight on the committees and meet members from all over the globe.

### S.A.L. CONVENTION COMMITTEE MEETINGS FRIDAY, AUGUST 27

#### 8:30 AM

- **Children and Youth** ROOM 102 A, STREET LEVEL
- **Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation** ROOM 102 B, STREET LEVEL
- **Americanism** ROOM 102 D, STREET LEVEL

#### 10:00 AM

- **Internal Affairs** ROOM 102 A, STREET LEVEL
- **Membership** ROOM 102 B, STREET LEVEL
- **Legislative and Rules** ROOM 102 D, STREET LEVEL

#### 11:30 AM

- **Finance** ROOM 102 B, STREET LEVEL
- **Constitutional Amendments** ROOM 102 A, STREET LEVEL
- **Community Service Scrapbook / History Book** ROOM 102 D, STREET LEVEL

### S.A.L. NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

BALLROOM D, STREET LEVEL

Friday, August 27 Pre-Convention NEC 1:00 PM

Sunday, August 29 Post-Convention NEC 2:00 PM

### S.A.L. CONVENTION SESSIONS

BALLROOM D, STREET LEVEL

Friday, August 27 2:00 PM—Opening

Saturday, August 28 8:30 AM

Sunday, August 29 8:00 AM

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## Membership Target Dates

Mark your calendars and make sure your Squadron is on Target.

### SQUADRON MEMBERSHIP TARGET DATES

- **AUGUST 1 National Convention 15%**
  - **SEPTEMBER 1 No Goose Egg 25%**
  - **OCTOBER 1 Fall Meetings 50%**
  - **NOVEMBER 1 Veterans Day 75% must be at or over 100% for Veterans Day Special Award and Donation for your Squadron**
  - **DECEMBER 1 Pearl Harbor Day 85%**
  - **JANUARY 1 Midwinter 95% must be at or over 100% for members to be in good standing**
  - **FEBRUARY 1 Presidents Day 100%**
  - **MARCH 1 Legion Birthday 105%**
  - **APRIL 1 Spring Meetings 110%**
  - **JUNE 1 Convention Delegate Strength (Thirty Days Prior To Convention)**
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## District Report

### District Standings

Your goal is 25% by September 1<sup>st</sup>, can you do it? Four districts have already passed the September target and are well on their way to 100 percent, great work.

1. Fifth District 58.62%
2. Twelfth District 45.07%
3. Third District 36.16% %
4. Eleventh District 30.88%
5. Fourth District 20.49
6. First District 12.25%
7. Seventh District 11.88%
8. Ninth District 7.82%
9. Eighth District 4.17%
10. Second District 2.24%
11. Tenth District 0%
12. Sixth District 0%

[Legion](#) and [Auxiliary](#) District Reports are available on their web sites

### Squadrons Over 25 % Goal

Congratulation, 20 Squadrons are already over the September 1 goal. We will expect these squadrons to be active in our Legion Family Membership Drives to help other squadrons stay on track.

<i>Squadron</i>	2010	2011	%
220 Soldiers Grove	37	38	103%
59 Stoughton	New	31	100%
84 Monroe	12	12	100%
172 North Freedom	24	24	100%
313 Black Earth	16	16	100%
214 Darlington	60	54	90%
385 Verona	4	9	90%
15 Juneau	11	9	82%
108 Clear Lake	42	32	76%
406 General King	20	15	75%
18 Milwaukee	69	47	68%
434 Oak Creek	21	12	57%
333 Sun Prairie	29	15	52%
23 Cudworth	38	19	50%
547 Lublin	47	21	45%
405 Dousman	46	16	35%
183 Genoa City	35	11	31%
63 Clintonville	4	3	30%
11 Green Bay	37	11	30%
52 La Crosse	145	37	26%

### Squadrons Onboard

Ten more squadrons are on the board and rapidly approaching the 25 percent goal for September 1.

<i>Squadron</i>	2010	2011	%
437 Mazomanie	50	12	24%
449 Brookfield	89	21	24%
21 Kenosha	28	6	21%
209 Orfordville	83	15	18%
481 Madison	99	13	13%
294 Hartland	87	11	13%
100 Sparta	48	4	8%
534 McFarland	80	5	6%
38 Appleton	55	3	5%

10 Wausau 21 1 5%

**Zero Reporting 8-17-2010**

Sixty-Three Squadrons have zero reported 2011 membership as of 8-17-2010. Make sure your squadron has their membership cards, are actively renewing, and recruiting new members. Please contact Adjutant Lawler if you do not have your cards.

<i>Squadron</i>	2010	2011	%
1 Germantown	16		0%
24 Lake Geneva	67		0%
27 South Milwaukee	10		0%
44 Wabeno	16		0%
48 Beloit	28		0%
51 West Salem	51		0%
53 Eau Claire	31		0%
54 Marshfield	17		0%
62 Columbus	10		0%
67 Lake Mills	43		0%
70 Oshkosh	16		0%
71 Pewaukee	13		0%
73 Neilsville	19		0%
75 Fond du Lac	26		0%
91 Oconomowoc	19		0%
93 Tomahawk	21		0%
95 Delavan	17		0%
111 Somerset	16		0%
115 Elroy	17		0%
116 Coon Valley	23		0%
117 Shawano	32		0%
118 Thorp	46		0%
120 Tanner-Paull	24		0%
121 River Falls	57		0%
129 Black River Falls	38		0%
143 St. Croix Falls	29		0%
150 Wausaukee	22		0%
151 Madison	21		0%
155 Westby	17		0%


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