



2025 Department of GA Convention Columbus, GA Agenda



Friday May 2, 2025

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| 1200-1700 | Registration Opens (Hotel Foyer)
Raffle and 50/50 tickets available for sale |
| 1200-1900 | Silent Auction / Ship Store (Somerset Ave – 1 st Floor) |
| 1500-2000 | Hospitality Room Open (Georgia Room – 2 nd Floor Non-Alcoholic Drinks)
Presidential Suite 5 th Floor – Alcoholic Beverages |
| 1900 – 2030 | Commandants Council – Executive Board Meeting (TBD)
Detachment Commandants will present reports of their Detachment's Activities for the year. Be prepared to talk about membership retention and growth. |

Saturday May 3, 2025

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| 0800-1200 | Registration Opens (Hotel Foyer) |
| 0800-1400 | Silent Auction / Ship Store (Somerset Ave - 1 st Floor)
All winners of items must be picked up by 1500 (3:00) |
| 0800-1100 | Department Business Meeting (Azalea Room - 1 st Floor)
Reports from Department Officers & Committee Chairs. Election of Officers for 2025-2026. Discuss National, Division, Department & Detachments affairs. Memorial Service |
| 1100-1700 | Hospitality Room Open (Georgia Room – 2 nd Floor Non-Alcoholic Drinks)
Presidential Suite 5 th Floor – Alcoholic Beverages |
| 1100-1300 | Lunch on your own |
| 1300-1600 | Grand Growl of the Georgia Pack (Somerset Room - 1 st Floor)
Order of the Devil Dogs (Registered Members Only) |
| 1400 | Silent Auction Ends. All items must be picked up by 1500. |
| 1700-1800 | Cocktail Hour with Cash Bar – Azalea Room – 1 st Floor |
| 1800-?? | Banquet & Award Ceremony (Somerset Room – Ticketed Event)
Dress for the evening - Jacket & Tie / Cocktail Dress
Guest of Honor – Lieutenant Colonel William Clark (USMC-Ret)
Presentation of Awards, Installation of Officers, Pack & Dog of the Year, Department Marine and Associate of the Year |

Sunday May 4, 2025

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| | Checkout – Have a Safe Drive Home – Thank you for your attendance. |
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