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**Hyatt Regency DFW, Texas
CONVENTION SCHEDULE**

Sunday, August 10, 2025

Event Time	Event	Location
0800 - 1100	MCL Bylaws Committee Meeting	Hill
0900 - 1300	MCLA Budget Committee Meeting	Lady Bird
1000 - 1200	MODD Staff Growl	Enterprise 7-8
1000 - 1100	Church Service	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1000 - 1300	MCLA Bylaws Committee Meeting	McCombs
1100 - 1230	MCL Foundation Meeting	Doolin
1300 - 1700	Historic Uniform Display buy Mike Waluk	San Antonio
1300 - 1700	MCL Ships Stores	Dallas
1300 - 1700	MCLA Ships Stores	Houston
1300 - 1600	Texas Room - Local Ship Stores (MCL & MCLA)	Grapevine
1300 - 1700	M.O.D.D. Quartermaster	Ft Worth
1300 - 1600	*MCL National Board of Trustees Meeting	Innovation C/D
1300 - 1600	*MCLA National Board of Trustees Meeting	Innovation A/B
1300 - 1700	MCL Registrations	Austin / Lonestar Foyer
1300 - 1700	MCLA Registrations	Enterprise Foyer
0800 - 1700	M.O.D.D. PDD Registration	LoneStar 1
1300 - 1700	M.O.D.D. Registration (Dog House)	Maverick
1530 - 1700	Scholarship Committee Meeting	Hill
1600 - 1630	First Timers Welcome - MCLA President & MCL Commandant	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1630 - 1900	BBQ and Entertainment Meet & Greet - Early Bird	Aviators

*At Call of Commandant, MCL; President, MCLA; Chief Devil Dog, MODD

Monday, August 11, 2025

Event Time	Event	Location
0630 - 0800	Breakfast	Aviators
0800 - 0815	Morning Colors	Existing Hotel Flag area/front drive
0800 - 1600	MCL Registration	Austin / Lonestar Foyer
0800 - 1600	MCLA Registration	Enterprise Foyer
0800 - 1700	M.O.D.D. Registration (Dog House)	Maverick
0800 - 1600	MCL Ships Stores	Dallas
0800 - 1600	MCLA Ships Stores	Houston
0800 - 1600	M.O.D.D. Quartermaster	Ft Worth
0800 - 1600	Texas Room - Local Ship Stores (MCL & MCLA)	Grapevine
0800 - 1600	Historic Uniform Display by Mike Waluk	San Antonio
0900 - 1200	Joint Opening Session (MCL & MCLA)	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
	Joint Memorial Service (MCL & MCLA)	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
	Chapel of Four Chaplains	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
	Past Chief Devil Dog Society Meeting	McCombs
1200 - 1300	Break for Lunch	
1300 - 1600	MCL Business Session	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1300 - 1600	MCLA Business Session	Enterprise Ballroom 7-8
1300	MCL Opening Session	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1300 - 1305	Rules of Convention	TJ Morgan
1305 - 1400	Dedication	TJ Morgan
1400 - 1445	Budget Committee Report	Bob Ziltz
1445 - 1515	Newsletter Awards	Dianna Grantham
1515 - 1600	Public Relations	John Taylor
1600	Closing Ceremony	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1600 - 1700	Department Commandant's Council Meeting	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1800 - 2200	Medal of Honor Museum Banquet	Arlington, TX

Tuesday, August 12, 2025		
Event Time	Event	Location
0630 - 0800	Breakfast	Aviators
0800 - 0815	Morning Colors	Existing Hotel Flag area/front drive
0800 - 1600	MCL Registration	Austin / Lonestar Foyer
0800 - 1600	MCLA Registration	Enterprise Foyer
0800 - 1700	M.O.D.D. Registration (Dog House)	Maverick
0800 - 1600	MCL Ships Stores	Dallas
0800 - 1600	MCLA Ships Stores	Houston
0800 - 1600	M.O.D.D. Quartermaster	Ft Worth
0800 - 1600	Texas Room - Local Ship Stores (MCL & MCLA)	Grapevine
0800 - 1600	Historic Uniform Display by Mike Waluk	San Antonio
0900 - 1200	MCLA Business Session	Enterprise Ballroom 7-8
0900 - 1200	MCL Business Session	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
0900 -	Call Convention to Order	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
0900 - 0905	Credentials Committee Report	Teresa Terry
0905 - 0940	National Commandant	TJ Morgan
0940 - 1010	National Senior Vice Cmdt & Dept Cmdt Council Rpt	Russ Miller
1010 - 1040	National Junior Vice Commandant	David Porter
1040 - 1110	National Judge Advocate & Resolutions	Bruce Rakfeldt
1110 - 1140	National Executive Director	Just Bob
1140 - 1200	Sons of the Revolution	Bill Nay
1130 - 1230	MCLA President's Council Meeting	Enterprise 8
1200 - 1300	MCLA Past National President Luncheon	Coleman's Corner
1200 - 1300	Break for Lunch	Aviators
1300 - 1500	MCLA Business Session continues	Enterprise Ballroom 7-8
1300 - 1600	MCL Business Session continues	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1300 - 1500	Bylaws Committee Presents Proposed Changes	Bruce Rakfeldt
1500	Closing Ceremony	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1600 - 1700	MODD Training / KMA	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1600 - 1700	Americanism Committee	Hill
1700-2200	Frisco Rough Riders AA Baseball	Rider Stadium, Frisco, TX
1900 - 2000	MODD Talent / No-Talent Show	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6

Wednesday, August 13, 2025

Event Time	Event	Location
0630 - 0800	Breakfast	Aviators
0745 - 1345	MODDF Scratch	Enterprise 7/8
0800 - 0815	Morning Colors	Existing Hotel Flag area/front drive
0800 - 1200	MCL Registration	Austin / Lonestar Foyer
0800 - 1200	MCLA Registration	Enterprise Foyer
Closed	MCL Ships Stores	Dallas
Closed	MCLA Ships Stores	Houston
0800 - 1300	M.O.D.D. Quartermaster	Ft Worth
0800 - 1300	M.O.D.D. Dog House	Maverick
0800 - 1600	Texas Room - Local Ship Stores (MCL & MCLA)	Grapevine
0800 - 1600	Historic Uniform Display by Mike Waluk	San Antonio
0800 - 1000	Marine of the Year Society Meeting	Hill
0800 - 1200	M.O.D.D. Initiation	Maverick
0900 - 1100	VSO Continuing Education Training (Mock Interview & VBMS)	Innovation Ballroom A/B
1200 - 1630	Day Trip to President Bush Presidential Library	President Bush Library
1300 - 1500	National Convention Committee Meeting	Innovation Ballroom A/B
1300 - 1700	M.O.D.D. Supreme Growl	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1600 - 1700	M.O.D.D. of the Year Society Growl	Hill
1700 - 1800	MODD Hospitality	Aviators
1800 - 2100	Midweek Dinner Hosted by MODD Texas Pack	Aviators

Thursday, August 14, 2025

Event Time	Event	Location
0630 - 0800	Breakfast	Aviators
0700 - 0900	PNC Society	Hill
0800 - 0815	Morning Colors	Existing Hotel Flag area/front drive
0800 - 0900	MCLA Div Vice President's Workshop	Carter
0800 - 0900	PNP Society	Hobby
0800 - 1600	MCL Registration	Austin / Lonestar Foyer
0800 - 1600	MCLA Registration	Enterprise Foyer
0800 - 1600	MCL Ships Stores	Dallas
0800 - 1600	MCLA Ships Stores	Houston
0800 - 1700	M.O.D.D. Quartermaster	Ft Worth
0800 - 1700	M.O.D.D. Dog House	Maverick
0800 - 1600	Texas Room - Local Ship Stores (MCL & MCLA)	Grapevine
0800 - 1600	Historic Uniform Display by Mike Waluk	San Antonio
0900 - 1200	MCLA Business Session	Enterprise Ballroom 7-8
0900 - 1200	MCL Business Session	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
0900-	Opening Ceremony	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
0900 - 0905	Credentials Committee Report	Teresa Terry
0905 - 0925	Conventions/Conferences Committee	Jim Ransom
0925 - 0955	2027 Presentations	Jim Ransom
0955 - 1015	Vote on 2027 National Convention Proposals	Jim Ransom
1015 - 1050	Help A Marine Save A Life (HAMSAL) - Part 2	Brian Gillespie
1050 - 1100	Break	
1100 - 1120	Marine for Life	David Ossian
1120 - 1140	Youth Physical Fitness / US Marines Youth Foundation	Sean Patton
1140 - 1200	Marine Corps League Foundation	Howard Schaeffer
1000 - 1430	Fort Worth Stockyards with Cattle Drive	Fort Worth Stockyards
1030 - 1200	MODD Staff Meeting	Innovation A/B
1200	Break for Lunch	Lunch in Common Areas
1200 - 1330	Lunch	
1330 - 1530	MCLA Business Session continues	Enterprise Ballroom 7-8
1330 - 1530	MCL Business Session continues	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1330	Call Convention to Order	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1335 - 1415	PNC Society Report	Warren Griffin
1415 - 1530	Nomination of Officers	TJ Morgan
1530	Closing Ceremony	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1730 - 2230	Fort Worth Stockyards Evening Trip	Fort Worth Stockyards
1900 - 2000	The Quest Game Night hosted by MODD	Aviator

Friday, August 15, 2025

Event Time	Event	Location
0630 - 0800	Breakfast	Aviators
0745 - 0845	MCLA Past President's Club	Enterprise 8
0800 - 0815	Morning Colors	Existing Hotel Flag area/front drive
0800 - 1200	MCL Registration	Austin / Lonestar Foyer
0800 - 1200	MCLA Registration	Enterprise Foyer
0800 - 1200	MCL Ships Stores	Dallas
0800 - 1200	MCLA Ships Stores	Houston
0800 - 1200	M.O.D.D. Quartermaster	Ft Worth
0800 - 1200	M.O.D.D. Dog House	Maverick
0800 - 1200	Texas Room - Local Ship Stores (MCL & MCLA)	Grapevine
0800 - 1600	Historic Uniform Display by Mike Waluk	San Antonio
0900 - 1200	MCLA Business Session	Enterprise Ballroom 7-8
0900 - 1200	MCL Business Session	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
0900 -	Call Convention to Order	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
0900 - 0905	Credentials Committee Report	Teresa Terry
0905 - 0935	Chief Devil Dog Report for MODD	Jeffrey Jones
0935 - 1005	President MCLA Report	Dotty Sanning
1005 - 1020	Marksmanship Program	Mike Sturch
1020 - 1040	Americanism Program	Tom Arcuri
1040 - 1120	Post Traumatic Growth	Jerry Holmes / B.C.F.
1120 - 1140	Young Marines	Bill Davis
1140 - 1200	Toys for Tots	David Cooper
1200-1300	Break for Lunch	Aviators
1300 - 1500	MCLA Business Session continues	Enterprise Ballroom 7-8
1300 - 1500	MCL Business Session continues	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1300 - 1305	Call Convention to Order	Enterprise Ballroom 1-6
1305 - 1310	Remaining Reports Not Given	TJ Morgan
1310 - 1315	Motion to Accept All Reports	TJ Morgan
1315 - 1345	Unfinished Business/New Business/Good of the League	TJ Morgan
1345 - 1355	Credentials Committee Final Report	Teresa Terry
1355 - 1500	Election and Installation of Officers	TJ Morgan
1500	Closing Ceremony	TJ Morgan
1800 - 1900	Formal Reception (Cash Bar)	Enterprise Foyer
1900 - 2200	Grand Banquet - LtGen Cederholm GOH	Enterprise Ballroom

Saturday, August 16, 2025

Event Time	Event	Location
0630 - 0800	Breakfast	Aviators
0800 - 1200	*MCL National Board of Trustees Meeting	Innovation C/D

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Changes to times and room locations will be posted on the electronic boards at Registration Desks

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