

E-Ivy Leaf Newsletter

National 4th Infantry (IVY) Division Association

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August 1, 2026

2026 National Reunion Week



National 4th Infantry (IVY) Division Association 108th National Reunion – August 2-8, 2026



The 2026 National Reunion will be held at The Isle Casino Hotel Bettendorf, a multi-faceted destination scenically situated on the Mighty Mississippi River, at 1800 Isle Parkway, Bettendorf, Iowa, easily accessible via I-80, I-74, I-88 and major state highways and the Quad Cities

International Airport (MLI).

Hotel guest rooms' group rate is \$99/night (\$126.55 inclusive of fees & tax) without breakfast included. "Thank you for your service" 20 percent discount at all Isle food outlets. The Hotel will offer the group rate up to three days before and after the event, and after the reservations cut-off date, rooms will be accepted based on availability.

Click the button below for the complete schedule

2026 National Reunion Information

National Reunion Meetings

Note: Some Committee / Chapter Meeting times have been revised.

Monday – 8/3/2026

Reunion Advisory Committee – Riviera Room 4 – 5 PM

Tuesday – 8/4/2026

Ivy Dragoons Chapter – Monte Carlo Room 4 – 5 PM

Midwest Regional Chapter – Riviera Room 4 – 5 PM

Executive Board Meeting – Riviera Room 5 – 7 PM

Committees that meet with the E-Board: Finance, Scholarship, Nominating, Resolutions, Health/Wellness, Media and Membership.

Wednesday – 8/5/2026

Memorial Committee – Riviera Room 4 – 5 PM

Redlegs Chapter – Monte Carlo Room 4 – 6 PM

Thursday – 8/6/2026

Auditing Committee – Riviera Room 4 – 5 PM

Friday – 8/7/2026

First Business Meeting – Riviera Room 9 – 10:30 AM

Second Business Meeting – Riviera Room 10:30 AM – Noon

Chapter Events

Lehigh Valley Chapter

The Lehigh Valley chapter will hold the **second annual Doug Foster Memorial Reunion on September 12 at DeSales University** (same venue as last year) from Noon – 1700 hrs. The Lehigh Valley Chapter will provide all food and beverages. Food will be served 1300 – 1500 hrs.

We cannot finalize our plans until we know how many people will be attending. I am asking for a count of all who plan to attend. Please respond to jokukitz@aol.com no later than Friday, 28 August 2026.

We have reserved a block of rooms at the Renaissance Hotel, 12 North 7th St., Allentown, PA. To book a room, call [484-273-4000](tel:484-273-4000) and ask for Angela Solloum. Identify that you are with the “4th ID LV” to receive the guest room rate \$115/night, plus applicable taxes. Reservations must be received before 12 August 2026. Contact me with questions or more details, John Kukitz, Chapter President.

Redlegs Chapter

IVY Week at Fort Carson the week of 31 August 2026. The Redlegs Chapter along with 4ID Veterans are invited to join in the celebration and watch the soldiers participate in activities. We have reserved a few rooms at the Candlewood Suite Hotel on Fort Carson for anyone that is interested in attending the event.

Veterans Week 2026 at Branson, MO. We have made arrangements at the Hotel Grand Victoria to again host the Hospitality Room for the

4th Infantry (IVY) Division National Association from **November 9-11, 2026**. I encourage you to make your reservations now as the hotel fills up quickly. Call the hotel [417-336-2935](tel:417-336-2935). Make sure to mention you are with the 4th Infantry Division Association for the special rate with Breakfast included. Special hotel rates are available from November 8-12. Contact me for more details, Paul Bonsky, Chapter President.

Western States Regional Chapter

The Western States Regional Chapter will be holding its **annual fall chapter reunion at the Southpoint Hotel and Casino in Las Vegas from Tuesday, September 15 to Friday, September 18, 2026**. Please contact the hotel directly for your room reservation at [866-791-7626](tel:866-791-7626); the group room rate is \$76 per night by using the **Group code is WES0913**. Be sure to identify yourself as part of the 4th IDA Western States Chapter. Our Banquet and Flames of Remembrance Ceremony will be held on Thursday evening, September 17th. Please contact Scott Moffat, Chapter President with any questions.

Wisconsin Chapter

The Chapter's Fall mini reunion will be September 18-20, 2026 at the LaQuinta 444 Wisconsin Dells Pkwy S, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965. All reservations had to be made by April 30th (hotel policy) we are hoping those that did receive the info in time will still get the same rates if planning to attend. The hotel number [608-253-9700](tel:608-253-9700) request 4th ID. We will be sending registration form at a later date with all the reunion details. Contact me for more details, Linda Dufek, Reunion Committee.

Ivy Matters

Attention Chapter Treasurers: Your Chapter's 2025-2026 Year-End Financial Reports are due today. Thanks to those Chapters who have already submitted them. If you need updated chapter rosters, contact the Executive Director.

Remember to check your member status and membership expiration date on your *Ivy Leaves* or the Ivy Calendar mailing label. If you need help confirming your information, contact the Executive Director.

E-Ivy Leaf Newsletters: If you know of a topic, an issue or an event that would be appropriate to be included in a future *E-Ivy Leaf Newsletter* or *E-Ivy Extra*, send the information to admin@4thinfantry.org for consideration. Thank you.

Save the Date

**109th National 4IDA Reunion
The Oasis Hotel & Convention Center
www.springfieldoasis.com
Springfield, MO
August 2-6, 2027**

From The President



Welcome to the August 2026 *E-Ivy Leaf* Newsletter on National Reunion Week.

We will be electing all (4) National Elected Offices at the 2026 National Reunion. To include: The National President, the National Senior Vice President, the Vice President–Communications, and the Vice President–Finance.

We also have several openings for National Appointed Officers. Contact me if you have an interest in serving in an Elected or Appointed position with the Association.

I'm looking forward to seeing you this week in the Quad Cities.

As always, Steadfast & Loyal,
Rick Adams, National President
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Download and print this **Membership Application** to recruit a new member or update your member information. Membership applications are always published inside the back pages of every *Ivy Leaves* magazine.

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