

Jay Bowen – Leading Candidate for National Commander The American Legion 2026-27  
**Arkansas Visit May 24 – 28, 2026**

Working Itinerary – **Bold** items are confirmed; Underlined are working; remaining are recommendations

Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup> – **Arrive into Little Rock via LIT – SWA Flt 1285 – Arrive LIT 11:55 am**  
Check into Hotel - Wyndham  
**Girls State Night – Time TBD – POC Mangini**

Monday, May 25<sup>th</sup> – Arkansas State Veterans Cemetery 9-11 am – POC Chandler  
and/or – Korean War Veterans Memorial time TBD  
Jacksonville Military Museum  
**Arkansas A/L Boys State Legion Night 3:30-9 pm – POC Cotton**

Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup> – Breakfast with Department Leadership  
Visit VA Hospital(s) and AR State Veterans Home – POC Dobbs  
Drive-by State Vet. Cemetery – 3,100 new crypts – POC Veazey  
ADVA, Fisher House  
Local Posts for Lunch or Supper

Wednesday, May 27<sup>th</sup> – Visit and Tour in Northeast Arkansas – POC Rowland  
Blytheville AFB Exhibition  
National Cold War Museum progress update  
Wynne – Tornado Recovery and tour

Thursday, May 28<sup>th</sup> – **SW Airlines Flight 2986 to Nashville, TN 7:20 am**  
**Conf. #BLHCUV (Booked March 21<sup>st</sup>)**

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