



# SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION VIDEOS OF SERVICE CONTEST RULES

**Contest name** - Sons of The American Legion Videos of Service

## **Categories**

### **Membership & Recruitment**

Videos that encourage new members and renewals

### **Program Support**

Videos that highlight, promote, encourage, or display participation in our Legion programs

### **Community Engagement**

Videos that show detachments or squadrons involved in work in our communities

## **Eligible social media platforms**

- Facebook
- You Tube
- Instagram
- Any emerging platform deemed appropriate by a vote of the National Public & Media Communications Commission (PMCC)

## **Rules**

- The SAL Video Contest is open to all members of The Sons of The American Legion.
- Videos must contain members of the SAL with their covers or identifiable clothing on during the activity or event.
- Videos shall fall under one of these three categories: Program Support, Community Engagement, or Membership and Recruitment.
- Videos should be under 5 minutes and be published to one of the approved social media platforms.
- Videos must be published and a link to its published location emailed to the PMCC using the downloaded fillable pdf application form.
- The contest will run annually with an end and start date of the 100% membership target date.

## **Judging**

Judging will be conducted by the National Public & Media Communications Commission (PMCC) on the following criteria:

- Video Quality
- Content
- Branding

## **Awards**

Awards will be given for the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place entries in each of the 3 categories.



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## VIDEOS OF SERVICE CONTEST

### ENTRY FORM

Year

This form and a brief description with a link to video URL must be sent with your entry

Name of Submitter:

Membership ID:

Squadron Number:

Detachment:

Category of submitted application:

Membership & Recruitment:

Program Support:

Community Engagement:

What Social Media Platform Used?

URL address:

Brief description of the event and identification of participants:

**Email:** Send completed forms to Kevin Chaplin, Chairman, Public & Media Communications Commission at [sons.public.media+video@gmail.com](mailto:sons.public.media+video@gmail.com)