Training Tuesday – February 23, 2021

National American Legion College (NALC) Application Q & A Summary

Question: Where do I find the National American Legion College (NALC) application?

Answer: You can download the fillable .pdf form at www.legion.org/college

Question: Since the 2020 class was postponed, will two NALC classes take place in 2021?

Answer: Yes, the approved 2020 class is filled and will take place in November 2021. Applications for the 2021 class are now being accepted and will take place December 12-17, 2021.

Question: Who is eligible to attend NALC?

Answer: Current legionnaires who have been a member for at least the last 3 years continuously and have completed the online Basic Training course. Your department may have additional pre-requisites or eligibility criteria.

Question: Where do I send my completed NALC application?

Answer: National American Legion College applications must be sent to your department. Evaluation and endorsement from your department leadership is required before you may attend NALC.

Question: How much do I have to pay to attend NALC?

Answer: All necessary travel and lodging costs are covered by The American Legion National Headquarters and your department.

Special accommodations are not covered by the national organization. I.E., special travel accommodations, hypo-allergenic rooms, service pet costs, valet services, special diets. Depending on the COVID-19 protocols in Indianapolis, IN, in December, students will either share a room with another student or may have one person rooms. Students that opt for a one-person room when assigned a two-person room will be required to pay the difference in the room price.

Question: What is the timing for completing the application?

Answer: The national headquarters has given the departments a deadline of July 31, 2021. Each department has its own deadline before the 31st and a process for vetting their applicants, so please check with your department to ensure you submit on time. Late applications will not be accepted.

Question: What is the dress code for NALC week?

Answer: Most of the week will be business casual (polo shirt w/slacks or skirt). Full business dress (suit & tie, skirt & blouse w/blazer, etc.) is required for the banquet and graduation. And don't forget your blue American Legion cap!

Do you have a question not listed here?

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