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## **Nebraska American Legion 2018-2019 Lottery Winners Announced**

Lincoln (January 30, 2019) – The American Legion, Department of Nebraska, held its annual lottery fundraiser during their Mid-Year Conference January 18-20 in Norfolk.

Lottery tickets are sent to Nebraska American Legion members for the opportunity to purchase tickets for the lottery. The proceeds and donations from the lottery are used to support the Nebraska American Legion's four pillars and programs.

The \$2,500 grand prize winner was Paul G. Dale of Lawrence. Donald Nelson of Clay Center, won \$1,000, and George Moran Jr. of Omaha, won \$500. The five \$200 winners were: John T. Banks of Stella; Timothy J. Jacobs of Papillion; Stan E Wolverton of North Platte; Donald Borowiak of Silver Creek; and Richard J. Cleary of Atkinson. The five \$100 dollar winners were: Donald Nelson of Clay Center; Rollie Otte of Morse Bluff; Doug Frahm of Amelia; Tom Sieck of Pleasant Dale; and Dave Smith of Omaha.

Since its inception in 1919, The American Legion has been a key advocate for veterans' benefits, patriotic American values, instilling values in young people through numerous programs, and a strong nation defense with focus on quality-of-life issues for those serving in today's armed forces. The youth Oratorical Competition is part of the Americanism pillar and helps to educate our youth on government.

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