

AGM 2023

ORDERS OF DRESS: MEMBERS' GUIDANCE



MEETINGS (THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY MORNING)

- **Business Casual :**
 - **Male:** A golf / polo shirt with the ACL crest (or appropriate PTC or SSC crest). Dark coloured slacks and shoes. Name tags are usually worn.
 - **Female:** Most providers of the golf or polo shirt offers products designed for women. Gray slacks, dress pants or even a pant suit would also be appropriate alternatives.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (SATURDAY AFTERNOON)

- **Business Formal:**
 - **Male:** This is the “traditional” dress for most male Air Cadet League members. It consists of the following: Navy-blue blazer with Air Cadet League crest attached on the left side, gray flannel trousers, white or blue shirt, tie, black shoes. Alternatively, a business suit, dark blazer or sports coat in lieu of the navy-blue blazer. If you don’t own a League tie, a dark tie is a suitable alternate.
 - **Female:** this is the most common order of dress for many League functions. If it is not possible to find a comfortable blazer, consider other options which are reasonably priced. If possible, try to maintain the navy blue / gray pattern. Sweaters and other jackets are acceptable. Skirts are an alternative for the gray slacks. A white or blue blouse can be substituted for the white dress shirt. The blouse can be worn without a tie, or a scarf (found at our national kit shop) can be substituted for the tie.

BANQUET (SATURDAY EVENING)

- **Formal:**
 - **Male:** Consists of a tuxedo with the appropriate accoutrements (white shirt, bow tie, cummerbund or vest, black shoes). The bow tie / cummerbund / vest is usually black but can also feature the Air Force tartan or the Air Cadet League Tartan. If you don’t own a tuxedo, a dark suit is a suitable alternate for formal attire
 - **Female:** A wide range of options are acceptable including floor length gowns, knee length cocktail dresses and pant suits are all considered acceptable for a formal occasion.

WEARING OF MEDALS

The full-sized military medals are worn on the left side of the blazer / suit jacket and miniature versions of these medals are worn on the left side of the tuxedo. Full-size league medals are worn on the right side of the blazer / jacket and miniature league medals on the right side of the tuxedo / dark suit.