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District 7 October 2023 Newsletter

REMINDER -- DISTRICT FALL ROUNDUP! Sunday, October 15 Registration at 1:00 \$10.00 Meeting at 2:00 to 4:30ish David City Senior Center 592 D St, David City HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!

Notes from Program Training

Department President Lisa Moore gave us a to-do list:

Fill out forms correctly Take pictures Work at least one program Plan early Document everything

Write summaries of activities all along the year. "Write a story."

Any Facebooks posts should be a public post for all to see.

Send pictures and summaries for publishing in The Star.

Send to Department the Unit Leadership Form and 8822B.

Donations forms can be sent in with one check.

The Poppy Order Form is due January 1 but must be sent with a separate check.

The Auxiliary Emergency Fund is for temporary assistance and natural disaster grants available up to \$2400 currently and increasing soon. Alaforveterans.org for online apps.

Program chairs are there for a reason! Contact program chairs before Department.

Membership

Reminder to not hold dues payments and turn them in asap. Let's try to have dues paid and into Department to eliminate the expense of additional mailings. We are reminded to "just ask". I know we have all encountered someone that didn't know about the Auxiliary and never have been asked to join. "Just ask."

Nancy's Notes

Our District has been asked to provide treats for the Norfolk Veteran's Home Dollar Days on November 2. Let me know if you have the time and talent for that.

If anyone from your unit would like to be added to my email list for newsletters and other info, please let me know.

Idea for a Service to Veterans project, send cards and letters to: A Recovering American Soldier

c/o Walter Reed Army Med Center 6900 Georgia Avenue NW Washington, DC 20307-5001

Wouldn't be nice to have all the information at your fingertips when it's time for the annual reports? After each event or activity, jot down what you did and how many hours and dollars spent. That would make your report so easy to complete!

Thank you for all you do for your community, state, and nation!

Department President Lisa Moore has chosen her motto as "Serving Veterans Always".

National President Lisa Williamson's focus is to increase awareness about the veteran and military suicide epidemic by embracing The American Legion's Be the One initiative - be the one to save one.

Upcoming Events

District 7 Fall Round-Up Sunday, October 15, 2023

Registration 1:00 p.m. Meeting 2:00 p.m. David City Senior Center

Mid Year Department Conference January 19-21, 2024

Holiday Inn, Kearney

<u>Mission Training 101 & National Junior Meeting</u> Saturday, February 3, 2024 Marriot Cornhusker, 333 South 13th St, Lincoln