

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary to the United States of America Department of Kentucky

Communications No. 3 – November 2022

Must be read at the first meeting following receipt, before being filed for reference.

- Please remember that all <u>Presidents, Secretaries, and Treasurers must have their membership paid before December 31st</u>. If they aren't paid, National will remove those officers from their position on January 1st. If not paid, President Barbara and Kentucky will be automatically knocked out of the Circle of Excellence so please pay now to ensure we are clear!
- 2. THANK YOU!! THANK YOU!! Your work on membership has been absolutely wonderful and I appreciate all you are doing for the Department of KY. We also have 11 Auxiliaries 100% or more 12197, 5186, 1298, 5906, 5710, 8639, 6095, 2728, 2734, 5829, 11139! YEA!! Kentucky! Keep up the good work!
- 3. We know that Veteran's Day is coming and some of the schools are allowing Veteran's Day programs back. Call and find out. If they aren't, ask if teachers would have their students make cards for the Veterans. You could pick them up and deliver them to the hospitals and Veteran centers. Let's put a smile on their faces at a time many haven't seen family or others for some time.
- 4. Please remember that if you are thinking about canceling a meeting, that the Sr. Vice can conduct the meeting and then the Jr. Vice. We need to have meetings in order to carry on the work of helping our Veterans. If you have changed in your officers, you MUST contact Secretary Janey and let her know. All Treasurer changes MUST go through Judy. Do not wait this needs to be done immediately following any changes you have.
- 5. If anyone needs help in their Auxiliary with ANYTHING, please do not hesitate to let one of the line officers know. We want our Auxiliaries to be strong and working for our Veterans in every capacity. We need to work for Veterans the best way we can, anyway we can. That is our mission!
- 6. Our National President Jane Reape will be visiting our state from November 12-14, 2022. I am hoping that many of you will turn out for this as it is an honor to have her. In this mailing is the information for her visit. If you plan on going, be sure you RSVP to the Posts we will be dining at. Join us at the ARK ENCOUNTER in Northern Kentucky. We haven't visited this area since PDP Sharon Beatsch had her National President here!

7. Fall Conference was fantastic! Thank you everyone for coming. It is one of the largest turnouts we have had. There were 150 at the banquet and the costumes were sooooo good! It was so relaxing being in the mountains and the fall colors of the mountains were beautiful this year. I know everyone is looking forward to going back to Eastern Kentucky next year. Thank you D14 – you did an outstanding job.

I want you to know that I'm here to help, so please feel free to contact me. My email address is barbdaugh@gmail.com and my phone number is (270) 779-5378. If I don't answer, leave a message and I will return your call promptly.

Jane Reape – Hands That Serve, Hearts That Care Barbara Daugherty – Let Our Lights Shine For Our Veterans

By Order Of:

Barbara Daugherty

Barbara Daugherty Department President Attested:

Janey Feher

Janey Feher

Department Secretary

NATIONAL VFW AUXILIARY PRESIDENT JANE REAPE'S VISIT TO KENTUCKY (casual dress/tennis shoes for Ark probably)

Saturday, November 12, 2022

11:49 AM Arrival into CVG Airport – Staying at the Holiday Inn in Erlanger, KY

Return to Hotel – Unpack – Lunch – Rest before Church

4:30 PM Mass Covington Cathedral – 1140 Madison Avenue – Covington, KY 41011

Visit VFW Post 3186 John R. Little – Southgate, KY – Supper (light supper)

Sunday, November 13, 2022

10:30 AM - Brunch at Ralph Fulton 6423 - 4435 Dixie Hwy. - Elsmere, KY 41018

1:00 approx. – Ark Encounter – Ark Encounter Drive - Williamstown, KY 41097

ARK ENCOUNTER - Adults \$54.95; Senior (60 and up) \$44.95;

If you want to prepay – make checks payable to Dept. of KY Auxiliary (if for some reason you do not attend after paying, the tickets are good for 1 year). The check should be sent to Dept. Secretary Janey Feher – P. O. Box 805 – Lynch, KY no later than October 12th. You can purchase tickets onsite.

Williamstown Cemetery (if time allows) – 300-304 Falmouth Road –Williamstown, KY 41097

Patriot's Landing (if time allows) – 330 Eibeck Lane – Williamstown, KY 41097

Patriots Landing is a Veteran Services Workshop in Grant County, Kentucky, with a Veterans Carpentry Shop and Training Center. Honoring all those who have served, programs focus on healing. It provides on-the-job skills training for Veterans who need it the most – each according to his or her specific skills. We center on sharing the Veteran's stories and the healing power of faith to help inspire others in need

Dinner - Kellie's Homestead (she is an Auxiliary member) — 1108 Fashion Ridge Road — Dry Ridge, KY 41035

Monday, November 14, 2022

6:35 AM National President's Departure from CVG Airport

ROOMS: HOLIDAY INN CINCINNATI AIRPORT (859) 371-2233 – \$122.47/NIGHT – CUTOFF DATE OCTOBER 22, 2022

ROSTER CHANGES FOR OCTOBER

Auxiliary 6291:

New President – Michael McNerthney – 5028 US 641 S – Hazel, KY 42049 Phone: (925) 676-6761

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NATIONAL MEMOS:

Please keep these families in your prayers:

Dept. of South Dakota President Patti Mitchell. She has been admitted to the hospital 2 times last month.

Dept. of Delaware President Kathleen Haigh. Her mother passed away on Sept. 13th.

Dept. of Alabama Dept. Secretary Donna Howell as her husband passed away on October 4th.

Dept. of North Carolina President Carol Cantu resigned due to health issues. The Sr. Vice Connie Holt has moved from Sr. Vice to President.

DEPARTMENT COMMUNICATIONS: (For those not at Fall Conference)

I talked to PDP Betty French. The Doctor has released her as her heart is work at 86% and her pacemaker is picking up the difference. Jean Beard (who attended a lot in earlier years) had been staying with her. She wanted to let everyone know she enjoyed seeing those who attended Marion's memorial. She sounded good and it was certainly good to hear from her!

PDP Joyce Waterfill's sister Joan Cook passed away so please keep the families in your prayers.

Dept. Membership Chairmen Cheryl McDonald will be having knee replacement surgery in November.

Dept. President Barbara Daugherty will be having hip replacement surgery in November.

Auxiliary	Life	Life	Life	Annual	Annual	Annual	Current	Cancelled	Deceased	Paid	Prior	Current	Paid
	New	Rejoin	Continuous	New	Rejoin	Continuous	Total			Total	Total	Percent	Percent
269	0	0	45	2	1	14	62	0	0	62	22	82.67%	82.67%
1084	1	0	55	0	0	7	63	0	0	63	80	78.75%	78.75%
1191	0	0	87	0	0	18	105	0	1	106	166	63.25%	83.86%
5409	0	0	12	0	0	4	16	0	0	16	97	61.54%	61.54%
6291	0	0	8	4	0	0	12	0	1	13	37	32.43%	35.14%
12197	0	0	12	0	0	17	29	0	0	29	29	100.00%	100.00%
Total - DKY01	1	0	174	4	0	46	225	0	2	227	338	92.99	67.16%
5484	0	0	130	2	1	30	166	0	4	170	215	77.21%	79.07%
5488	0	0	15	0	0	30	45	0	0	45	48	93.75%	93.75%
12022	2	0	26	0	0	22	20	0	0	20	53	94.34%	94.34%
Total - DKY02	2	0	171	5	1	82	261	0	4	265	316	82.59%	83.86%
1913	0	0	151	0	0	6	160	τ	3	164	180	88.89%	91.11%
5480	0	0	36	1	0	2	39	0	0	39	65	%00.09	%00.09
5595	0	0	29	5	0	6	43	0	1	44	22	78.18%	80.00%
7890	1	0	54	0	0	7	62	0	2	64	65	95.38%	98.46%
Total - DKY03	1	0	270	9	0	27	304	1	9	311	365	83.29%	85.21%
969	4	0	130	10	0	81	225	0	1	226	264	85.23%	85.61%
5186	0	0	15	1	0	14	30	0	0	30	29	103.45%	103.45%
5831	0	0	38	2	0	40	80	0	1	81	153	27.29%	52.94%
10281	9	0	339	6	1	62	417	0	0	417	519	80.35%	80.35%
11404	0	0	57	0	0	29	86	0	0	98	95	90.53%	90.53%
Total - DKY04	10	0	579	22	1	226	838	0	2	840	1060	%90.62	79.25%
1298	0	0	74	1	0	46	121	0	0	121	120	100.83%	100.83%
2706	0	0	53	2	0	1	56	0	0	26	89	62.92%	62.92%
5712	0	0	48	П	0	11	09	0	0	09	62	96.77%	96.77%
5906	1	0	50	0	0	0	51	0	0	51	51	100.00%	100.00%
Total - DKY05	1	0	225	4	0	58	288	0	0	288	322	89.44%	89.44%
1170	2	0	330	5	0	32	369	0	1	370	393	93.89%	94.15%
1181	3	0	147	0	0	23	173	0	3	176	204	84.80%	86.27%
2921	0	0	99	0	0	1	67	0	0	29	95	70.53%	70.53%
5421	1	0	126	0	0	0	127	0	20	147	146	86.99%	100.68%
5710	9	0	197	0	0	0	203	0	0	203	197	103.05%	103.05%
6182	0	0	84	0	0	41	125	0	0	125	207	%68.09	%68.09
8639	1	0	124	2	0	66	226	0	0	226	223	101.35%	101.35%
Total - DKY06	13	0	1074	7	0	196	1290	0	24	1314	1465	88.05%	89.69%

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4075	0	0	298	1	0	15	314	0	4	318	403	77.92%	78.91%
Total - DKY07	0	0	298	1	0	15	314	0	4	318	403	77.92%	78.91%
5813	0	0	29	0	0	13	42	0	0	42	45	93.33%	93.33%
2609	0	0	11	0	0	0	11	0	0	11	24	45.83%	45.83%
Total - DKY08	0	0	40	0	0	13	53	0	0	53	69	76.81%	76.81%
2899	0	0	51	0	0	22	73	0	1	74	81	90.12%	91.36%
3186	1	0	88	2	0	35	126	0	7	128	138	91.30%	92.75%
6095	0	0	46	3	0	39	88	0	0	88	98	102.33%	102.33%
6423	5	0	114	0	0	0	119	0	2	121	151	78.81%	80.13%
Total - DKY09	9	0	299	5	0	96	406	0	2	411	456	89.04%	90.13%
089	1	0	21	5	0	18	45	0	1	46	65	69.23%	70.77%
2728	0	0	33	0	0	24	57	0	0	57	57	100.00%	100.00%
3634	0	0	71	8	0	52	131	0	2	133	145	90.34%	91.72%
7497	0	0	7	0	0	5	12	0	0	12	32	37.50%	37.50%
Total - DKY10	1	0	132	13	0	66	245	0	3	248	299	81.94%	82.94%
1834	0	0	26	0	0	5	31	0	0	31	49	63.27%	63.27%
2734	0	0	126	5	0	78	500	0	0	500	204	102.45%	102.45%
5438	0	0	20	0	0	9	26	0	0	26	41	63.41%	63.41%
Total - DKY12	0	0	172	5	0	68	266	0	0	792	294	90.48%	90.48%
5829	2	0	12	3	0	37	22	0	0	22	49	116.33%	116.33%
7387	0	0	32	0	0	9	38	0	0	38	58	65.52%	65.52%
2606	0	0	4	0	0	36	40	0	0	40	41	97.56%	97.56%
11139	0	0	32	0	0	42	74	0	0	74	74	100.00%	100.00%
Total - DKY14	5	0	80	3	0	121	209	0	0	509	222	94.14%	94.14%
Total - KY	40	0	4126	77	3	1082	5328	1	54	5383	6294	84.65%	85.53%
Grand Total	40	0	4126	77	3	1082	5328	1	54	5383	6294	84.65%	85.53%

As of October 25, 2022

AMERICANISM

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November 2022

Americanism is Devotion, Loyalty, and Pride in the United States of America. In November, we honor all of our Veterans who served or are still serving during times of peace and war. I enjoyed seeing the many social media posts about Auxiliaries holding POW/MIA ceremonies on POW/MIA Remembrance Day.

I am looking forward to seeing what everyone does for Veterans Day.

As Veterans Day approaches, there are a few ways you can honor our Veterans beyond telling them, "Thank you for your service." A few of those are:

- Educating youth about what it means to be a patriotic American;
- Visit a classroom and teach them about the Pledge of Allegiance;
- Ask a Veteran to go with you and tell the students about their experience and why they are proud of their service;
- Tell your children/grandchildren about the Veterans in your family;
- Host holiday parties for Veterans, active-duty military, and their families at your Post;
- Present a certificate of recognition to a local business, a private citizen, and/or youth group for flying the flag, displaying the flag or POW/MIA flag.

Remember to use the hashtag #AuxiliaryPatriotism across all social media platforms to promote Americanism Programs and Patriotism. National Headquarters has reported more than 5,000 posts using this hashtag. Let's keep it going!

The following are some important dates to remember to fly the Flag:

Veteran's Day – November 11th
Pearl Harbor Day – December 7th
U.S. Army National Guard Birthday – December 13th
U.S. Space Force Birthday – December 20th

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Greetings! The holidays are fast approaching and I hope you and your families will have a great time. But let us not forget about our communities and all the things we can be doing out there to help.

I know a lot of places will be doing food drives and delivering food to sheltered families. Many will be taking donations for Thanksgiving or serving dinners. Help wherever you can but remember we are only the volunteers. We just assist.

Remember the first set of reports will be due December 1st so be gathering your information. A chairman can do this individually or you can do it at a meeting asking everyone if they did anything they can report. You have done the work so REPORT, REPORT! Get the credit for all you hard work.

I am so very proud of you all.

Take pictures – lot of pictures. Send them to me so I can forward them to my Ambassador. I know she will as be proud of Kentucky as I am.

Happy holidays everyone!

BUDDY POPPY/NATIONAL HOME

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Home Front Heroes Program is our main push from National Home. Becoming a Home Front Hero is easy. Simply complete the form and send to National Home. Commit to a dollar amount for your auxiliary donation to National Home, for as little as \$10 per month. This is a monthly contribution instead of a lump sum during the year. A check is always excepted, but this allows National Home to budget and plan their year with funding they can count on! This program reduces mail, it's an automatic gift and ongoing steady support. Each month sponsor a small program or fundraiser like the Back to School drive in September to help you reach your goal of becoming a Home Front Hero. The form and more information go to www.vfwnationalhome.org/hero. Our goal is for each Auxiliary to commit to this program. Let's do this Kentucky! We need each Auxiliary on board!

For Thanksgiving there is a template available to print cards in honor of a silent guest at your table, a brave serviceman or Veteran for their service and sacrifices. You can collect donations for the place cards. These cards can be framed with a Buddy Poppy attached. A Donation of \$5 is recommended maybe more if you frame it. This is a nice memorial piece at your table this Thanksgiving. I had copies of these at Fall conference.

Other ways to donate inlcude tribute bricks for \$100 in memory of your loved one or in honor of a friend or loved one. They are placed in walkways in front of buildings at National Home. Go to the website for www.nationalhome.org for more info and the many ways to donate.

I will have two fundraisers this year for National Home beginning at Fall Conference, Spring Conference and State Convention! I know you will love these so help us reach a goal of \$1,000 from the Department of Kentucky!

HISTORIAN & MEDIA RELATIONS

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When we think of November, we think how grateful and bless we are to have our family and friends by our side, with that being said.

I would like to start off by saying THANK YOU to ALL past, present, and future Veterans. Who has proudly served our country. No words can say Thank You enough for all that of you and your family's sacrifice in serving our Country. So, if you see a Veteran let them know that their sacrifice is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

I would also thank you to all who attended Barbara's homecoming. We had a great turn out. The food was so delicious. Barbara made her outstanding Chicken and Noodles. I do not think that there was any of it was left. Many went home with a beautiful mason jar that her daughter had made for this special event. The band did an awesome job. If you took any pictures do not forget to send them to me, PLEASE and THANK YOU.

We had a great Fall Conference in Pikeville KY In October. We had a Great time. There was a lot of awesome costumes. There were some spooky ones, and some funny ones. I think it is safe to say that everyone had a blast.

So - do not forget to Pose, Focus and Click for an awesome year.

** Do not forget our National President visit in Erlanger Ky. Nov. 12 thru 14, 2022. **

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Your Auxiliary Hospital Chairman has many duties throughout the year. These are a few of the things they do every month, so please volunteer and help them be successful in serving our Veterans. They:

- Assure support for the hospital by communicating their needs to your Auxiliary.
- Recruit volunteers.
- Raise funds to provide for the hospitals needs and programs.
- Report the hospitals needs to the Auxiliary and help ensure those needs are met.
- Plan activities and functions for the hospital patients.
- Work with the VAVS representative and hospital representative and schedule planned activities with them.
- Order service pins for volunteers.
- Prepare the mid-year and end-of-year reports for the Department Chairman.

As you can see, it is a big job and it takes the work of the whole Auxiliary to ensure that the hospitals needs are met. Share your ideas for activities with your chairman. I can assure that the patients and staff at the hospital will appreciate anything you do for them.

Where has the time gone? The holidays are upon us and I hope you all are planning some exciting events for your VA hospital, nursing home, or domiciliary. Many of the hospital patients do not have family close by and really appreciate your visits, cards, and look forward to the events that you plan for them.

COVID is still making visiting difficult but you can find so many ways to let them know you care. You can take gifts, host a pizza party, supply arts and crafts supplies. I bet you can think of so many fun things for them to do. Also remember that some of the hospitals have dementia units. They can always use busy blankets, aqua paper, and tactile toys.

Don't forget that there are women Veterans in the hospitals as well. While some of their needs are the same, there are so many other things you could do. How about a tea party or cookie decorating kits! Please share your ideas with me so that we can all benefit from your creativity. Thank you all for the hard work you put in every day on behalf of our Veterans. Be sure to keep up with any hours you spend volunteering in a hospital, nursing home, or domiciliary and report them to your chairman on the mid-year report.

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ELECTION DAY!

Reminder: Election Day is Tuesday November 8, 2022. Be sure you vote and remind/encourage everyone you know to vote. All House of Representatives members are up for re-election as well as many Senate members. The VFW and the VFW Auxiliary would like as many Veteran friendly members be elected into Congress as possible.

The <u>VFW Action Corp Weekly</u> urges all members to act and contact your congressperson about supporting H.R. 8736 Governing Unaccredited Representatives Defrauding VA Benefits Act or Guard VA Benefits Act. This Act is to reinstate penalties for charging Veterans and survivors unauthorized fees to assist with claims for VA benefits.

When a bill is going through Congress, and it is of interest to you or our Veteran's it is best to include as many groups and organizations as you can. Such as political and civic organizations geared toward young adults. These organizations can be found at colleges and universities in your local area.

Keep your remarks nonpartisan - remember we support bills not people or political parties.

Be as creative as you can in your letters, poems, sketches, drawings, and other communications. The idea is to get their attention for the cause. Have your communication stand out against all the hundreds they receive.

Be an Advocate – Be Informed – Be Engaged

One of the main objectives of the Legislative Program is to improve the lives of our veterans, service members and their families through advocacy.

Sign up for VFW Action Corps Weekly. Subscribe at vfwauxiliary.org by selecting "What We Do" then clicking on "Legislative."

If I can assist in anyway, please contact me at the number and/or e-mail above.

MEMBERSHIP

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Summer is over and fall has begun. Now it's time to get busy with the next holidays coming up especially Christmas. Ever thought about giving someone their annual paid dues as a gift? How about having a drawing and pay that members membership for the year or even pay their life membership?

The tugboats are pulling that big ship down the long road to 102%. I know we can do it; we are the great state of Kentucky and we have been known to do the impossible before and we can do this.

Remember there are 12 ways someone can join the Auxiliary. Veteran's Day is upon us. Go to the celebrations and see if you can at least find one who is eligible to that Veteran sitting there. In turn you will likely find that one and several others.

If you want to know the status of your Auxiliary in percentage either contact Janey or myself. Remember there are also the awards up for grabs in June. Please see the booklet for those award categories. I know you all are working hard on membership; we just need those few extra tugs.

Thank you for all you do for our Veteran's and their families.

MENTORING FOR LEADERSHIP

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"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader."

-John Quincy Adams

Mentor leadership is the art of leading a team through effective mentorship of its members. It's also a tried and trusted method for developing the best leaders of tomorrow.

Mentoring is something that can be done successfully by anybody in a position of experience.

The role of the mentor is simply to nurture the mentee, encouraging them to learn, grow and upskill. This empowers them not only to perform better in their role but progress further in their career.

The point here is that, although we may be senior, we don't necessarily have all the answers.

There is much to be learned from nurturing and interacting with team members of all ages and experience levels.

Mentoring is super important for leaders because, put simply, it brings the best out of the people you lead.

Mentoring generates confidence, inspires trust and fast-tracks team development.

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Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen is almost done. I am going to list the due dates for these two. Please get your judging done as soon as possible and sent them into the state.

The due date for each section is as follows:

10/31/22 to the Post for judging 11/15/22 to the District for judging 12/15/22 to the Department for judging

Now that we are done with Voice of Democracy and Patriot Pen we need to focus on the Patriotic Art scholarships. Remember that there are two categories this year. So, you can have a 2-D and 3-D winner for this year. Make sure you are checking with your schools to ensure that they have handed out the material for the art programs. The deadline for these is as follows:

3/31/23 to local Auxiliary

4/15/23 to the Department for judging

Note: Please make sure that they are wrapped ready good so they get to me in one piece.

Continuing education scholarship is due to National by 2/15/23 if you have any members that want to fill this out. Application is on the website.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

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Members, I want to personally thank each one of you who helped promote our patriotism through our Youth Program. It really gets my heart quacked up with love, and it shows how much love the Department of KY has for our youth. Great Job!

It is time to talk about the "Red, White, and Blue," Program. Veterans Day is just around the corner and what a way to promote our "Red, White, and Blue," Program. This Program consists of two divisions K-8 and 9-12. This singing contest entries are due to your local Auxiliary by March 31st, 2023. Your entries should be to the Department by April 15th, 2023, and entries should be too National by May 5th, 2023.

You can check out the program and get all the details on MALTA under Youth Activities (Resource Page) in the National Program Book.

This is an awesome way to see how talented our youth are by singing the Star Spangled Banner.

Please remember there are also Youth Groups Supporting Our Veterans Citations. You can present these as well. Just check out The National Program Book under Youth Activities on the Resource Page.

Veterans Day is November 11th, 2022. This is a wonderful way to get our Youth involved with our Veterans. Please remember this would be a great idea to promote our "Patriotic Youth Award." This Award is designed to recognize individual youth for their Patriotism and support of our Veterans, Service Members, and their Families. Information on this is also available in the National Program Book under Youth Activities (Resource Page).

Let us get out there and remember to promote our "Illustrating America Art Contest." This is for grades K-8. The deadline is March 31st, 2023. The students must be enrolled in a public, private, or parochial school or home study program in the U.S. See more information In the National Program Book under the Youth Activities (Resource Page).

I hope you have a Blessed Thanksgiving.



VETERANS AND FAMILY SUPPORT

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Hello Brothers and Sisters! This year is flying by, but just like every year, our passion for serving our Veterans is unwavering! This month we're going to talk about Veteran's Suicide.

This is a tough topic in every scenario, and it's a very taboo topic that we all try to avoid. Unfortunately, however, it happens each and every day. Veterans are at a 57% higher risk of committing suicide than those who haven't served. Suicide is the 2nd leading cause of death in veterans UNDER the age of 45. All of our Veterans are at risk, and that's why it's so crucial that we are present and aware of the signs.

Our homeless Veterans are also the most likely ones to consider suicide. It's never something we want to deal with, but it is so important that we are equipped should the need arise. The Veterans Crisis Line connects Veterans in crisis and their families and friends with qualified, caring Department of Veterans Affairs responders through a confidential toll-free hotline, online chat, or text. Veterans and their loved ones can dial 988 and Press 1, chat online, or send a text message to 838255 to receive confidential support 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Support for deaf and hard of hearing individuals is available.

At the Fall Conference, I told everyone that our theme for this program this year is to Be The Shark and let's Keep Moving Forward, together! If you ever need me, please don't hesitate to reach out!

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2734	12	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	
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	DISTRICT	WAYS & MEANS	MARION	PRESIDENT'S SPECIAL PROJECT	PRESIDENT'S LOVE GIFT	
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11139	9 14					
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AUXILIARY VNH AND VMC DONATIONS 2022 - 2023

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	DISTRICT	V N H	V N H HANSON	V N H HAZARD	V N H LEESTOWN	V N H RADCLIFF	V N H WILMORE	V M C FT THOMAS	V M C COOPER DRIVE	V M C MARION	V M C ROBLEY REX
5706 FRANKLIN 5706 FRANKLIN 5712 SCOTTSVILLE 5837 MORGANTOWN 5906 GLASGOW	សលលល	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
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1170 MIDDLETOWN 1181 PLEASURE VALLEY 2921 CHURCHILL	6 6 6	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
5710 SHEPHERDSVILLE 6182 IROQUOIS HILL 8639 OKOLONA	, , , , , ,	\$100.00 \$10.00 \$10.00	\$100.00 \$10.00 \$10.00	\$100.00 \$10.00 \$10.00	\$100.00 \$10.00 \$10.00	\$100.00 \$10.00 \$10.00	\$100.00 \$10.00 \$10.00	\$100.00 \$20.00 \$20.00	\$100.00 \$20.00 \$20.00	\$100.00 \$20.00 \$20.00	\$20.00 \$20.00 \$20.00
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4075 FRANKFORT DISTRICT 7 DISTRICT TOTALS	7 7 DISTRICT	\$0.00 V N H CINC	\$0.00 V N H HANSON	\$0.00 v n h hazard	\$0.00 V N H LEESTOWN	\$0.00 V N H RADCLIFF	\$0.00 V N H WILMORE	\$0.00 V M C FT THOMAS	\$0.00 V M C COOPER DRIVE	\$0.00 V M C MARION	\$0.00 V M C ROBLEY REX
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2899 DAYTON	6	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
3186 SOUTHGATE	6	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
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2728 WINCHESTER	10	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
3634 DANVILLE	10	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
680 LEXINGTON	10										
7497 BATH COUNTY	10										
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269 SOMERSET	N	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
TOTALS		\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
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2734 MAYSVILLE	12 ;	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
5438 VANCEBURG DISTRICT 12	77										
DISTRICT TOTALS	12	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00

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5829 WHITESBURG	14										
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7606 MANCHESTER	14	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
11139 MIDDLESBORO	14										
DISTRICT TOTALS	14	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
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		CINC	HANSON	HAZARD	LEESTOWN	RADCLIFF	WILMORE	FT THOMAS	COOPER	MARION	ROBLEY REX
		\$440.00	\$440.00	\$440.00	\$440.00	\$440.00	\$440.00	\$685.00	\$685.00	\$685.00	\$665.00