



DISTRICT 12 NEWSLETTER – Fall 2024
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Happy Thanksgiving to all District 12. May we all reflect on our Blessings and give thanks. Good luck to all the hunters, be careful and use common sense.

The District is still in need of chairpersons for: C&Y, Community Service, Education, Jr. Activities, National Security, Poppy Program, V&R. Terms are open for the 2024-2025 year until July. Anyone handling the Unit program would be excellent candidates and a big help to the President of the District. Please contact me if you are interested.

Units with upcoming events for December- February are encouraged to use social media for publishing. Several Units are doing nicely keeping their units messages in the public eye.

IN THE KNOW (ITK)

Year 2023-2024 is completed. Some very interesting information on Public Relations, Leadership, use of Member Portal, PEP on national website and ALA Programs to list several. Units, keep in mind these training sessions will take place 3-4 times in the fall and are excellent for new members and helpful reviews for seasoned members.

Upcoming Events: Midwinter Conference, January 16-19, 2025. Appleton, WI.

UNITS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

HELPING OUR YOUTH!

Spoooner American Legion Auxiliary has collected and donated hats and mittens for Spoooner school kids. Our first basket will be delivered the first week in November.

We hope to have enough donations to make a second trip to the school later this winter.



The poster features a dark blue background with yellow snowflakes and two red mittens. The text reads: "Winter Hat and Glove Collection", "The Spoooner American Legion Auxiliary is currently collecting new, unused winter hats & gloves for Spoooner Elementary School children in need", "Drop off donations at:", "Spoooner Moe Miller American Legion", "122 Northwest Drive", "Spoooner WI 54801", and "Thank you for helping our children feel the love of our community!". There is also a small image of a blue knit hat and the American Legion Auxiliary logo.



MEMBERSHIP IDEA

Spooner Unit 12 is encouraging members to pay their dues with an Early Bird Prize Drawing.

SPOONER UNIT 12 Auxiliary Membership Dues 2025



What: Pay 2025 Sr. dues
How Much: \$37.00
When: By Nov. 30, 2024
Why: Early bird prize drawing
Awarded on: Dec. 14, 2024



Throw blanket 50"x70"
wildlife theme (single-sided)
with Christmas metal
container & white pick-up
truck.

SPREADING CHEER TO OUR VETERANS

Otis Taylor American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 96 in Webster is sending signed Christmas Cards to the VA Homes and Hospitals. It is a wonderful way to give a bit of cheer to those that have served. Shown is Beverly Brunclik as she writes her Christmas greetings to a Veteran.



In January, Unit 96 coordinates with the Webster Elementary School students to create Valentines Cards for Veterans that are sent to Chippewa Falls Veterans Home.