

American Legion Auxiliary

12th District President

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Dear Auxiliary members,

SPRING CONFERENCE

MAY 6 AT 807 PINE ST., ST. CROIX FALLS,
LEGION HALL 9:00 – 4:00

Put this on your calendar and plan to attend. We would like to have at least one person from each unit in order to have the units rep take home the information needed for each unit.

At the end of the day we will have a Memorial Service for the members of the 12th District that have died since May 1st, 2022. Please send those names to me bjstone626@hotmail.com. We would like to honor all those that have left our Units by death.

We are also asking each unit to bring something for the raffle which will be held during the conference. We will have a white elephant sale starting at 10:00. So, ladies we are looking for anything that is in excellent condition, this includes baked items, craft items and anything else.

The more items we have the more money we will raise. This is our 12th District fund raiser.

Please send reservations and checks to:

Amherst I. Hansen Post 143

807 Pine St

St, Croix Falls, WI 54024

The cost of the registration \$3.00 and lunch is \$7, Dinner is \$13.00.

We will be having elections at this meeting. If you would like to be a district officer and work with the programs of the district contact:

Sandra Garlie

3985 E County Rd B

Superior, WI 54880

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Membership

As of April 4th we needed 67 members to go over the top. We did it last year and we can do it again this year!

To help you recruit new members spouses of American Legion Auxiliary are legible to join the Auxiliary male or female. That is the only way men are legible to be members of the Auxiliary.

If you have not sent your 2022-23 Unit Officers Form to Department Please send it in even if your officers are the same. Review the data to make sure it is current. You will not receive

membership awards you have earned unless you have a 2022-23 Unit Officers form on file at Department.

Poppies

Have you sent the 20% of poppy profits to Department? Please do so before ordering this year's poppies.

Also, remember you may distribute poppies year around. So, if you have 2023 poppies left distribute them on Veteran's Day or other Unit activities. Get the word out that we help veterans and their families.

Do you have a member who is good on the computer or even almost that can bring up things on the internet. If so, have them bring up the reports on the Department website. Then choose which programs your Unit is involved in and see what needs to be reported on the forms. If you haven't sent me your end of the year report it is due now!

All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy. So, as you plan your service activities also plan some fun things to do together too. Bring a report of your activities with you so we can submit them for recognition at our conference.

Come to the Spring Conference to see what other Units are doing, meet some new friends and have fun with us.

The 12th District is terrific as they work

together to be servants for Veterans. Come join us to toot our own horns and celebrate with each other.

The Departments Convention is being held at:

Central Wisconsin Convention & Expo Center

10101 Market St., Rothschild, WI 54474
July 20-23, 2023

This is the it gets!! Plan to attend you will enjoy hearing what others are doing and making new friends.

This the last newsletter I will be writing as I have decided to run for Department Chaplin at the Department convention. I thank you for your support and cooperation the past years. Please do the same for Sandra as she takes the Presidency.