



**Service, Not Self**

**Mission Statement**

In the spirit of service, not self, the mission of the American Legion Auxiliary is to support The American Legion and to honor the sacrifice of those who serve by enhancing the lives of our veterans, military, and their families, both at home and abroad.

For God and Country, we advocate for veterans, educate our citizens, mentor youth, and promote patriotism, good citizenship, peace and security.

## AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY DEPARTMENT OF WISCONSIN 2021-2022 STATISTICS

*Statistics are current as of May 24, 2022 and are based on the annual year-end reports from 199 of Wisconsin's 372 Units.*

Wisconsin has approximately 17,000 members – grandmothers, mothers, sisters, spouses, daughters, and granddaughters of veterans.

### **OUR SERVICE FOR VETERANS AND MILITARY:**

- \* Number of Veterans/Military assisted: 29,180
- \* Hours volunteered: 155,211
- \* Dollars spent: \$292,950
- \* Dollar value of in-kind donations: \$44,550
- \* Number of poppies purchased for distribution in WI: 133,802
- \* Number of poppies purchased by other states: 111,175
- \* Poppy dollars raised to support veterans: \$286,874
- \* Number of veterans who made poppies: 6

### **OUR SERVICE FOR MILITARY FAMILIES:**

- \* Number of military families served: 3,366
- \* Hours volunteered: 19,495
- \* Dollars spent: \$67,664

### **OUR SERVICE FOR CHILDREN/YOUTH:**

- \* Number of children & youth served: 10,799
- \* Hours volunteered for Legion Family youth activities: 4,666
- \* Dollars spent on children & youth: \$68,817

### **OUR SERVICE THRU ALA BADGER GIRLS STATE:**

- \* Hours volunteered: 2,253
- \* Dollars spent: \$64,436
- \* Number of ALA Badger Girls State delegates in 2021: No Session

### **SCHOLARSHIPS:**

- \* Number of scholarships awarded: 188
- \* Dollar amount of local scholarships: \$68,240
- \* Dollar amount of Department scholarships: \$21,000

### **OUR SERVICE IN OUR COMMUNITIES:**

- \* Hours volunteered: 121,693
- \* Dollars spent: \$206,713

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