

# 1st District

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***"May your Journey always Lead you Home"***

January 2026

## Happy New Year!!

I'm looking forward to mentoring the next President. We have not received any endorsements. Please reach out.

## LEGION FAMILY DISTRICT FUNDRAISER

We will be hosting another bowling fundraiser in support of Badger Youth Camp. Your units can send money donations to our Treasurer

Jill Gust, First District Treasurer  
614 E. Juneau Avenue  
Oconomowoc, WI 53066

Please make check out to ALA first District and put Badger youth camp on the memo line.

If you would like to participate in the bowling fundraiser, please set aside March 21st 12pm in your calendar. It will be held at Riverside Bowling Lanes in Waterford once again. We are also asking that a total of 3 baskets per county be donated for a basket raffle that day. A unit or couple units can sponsor 1 basket together or a county can as well. It is up to you.

Call Mary Kohler our Children and Youth Chair if you will be donating a basket or sending a donation.

## Elections Spring Conference 2026

INTERESTED IN RUNNING FOR A 1ST DISTRICTS POSITIONS.. WE HAVE 5 OPEN POSITION TO FILL AT SPRING CONFERENCE IN 2026. THE POSITIONS ARE: PRESIDENT, FIRST VICE PRESIDENT, SECOND VICE PRESIDENT, HISTORIAN AND CHAPLIN. IF INTERESTED PLEASE LET ME KNOW. MY EMAIL IS [joanndewart@gmail.com](mailto:joanndewart@gmail.com). THANK YOU, JO DEWART CHAIRMAN NOMINATING TEAM.



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The sooner you reach out to Joanne about interest the better. I would love to be able to mentor the next president. It would be amazing if that was even 5 members!! We have made great progress in the District and the only way to ensure our strength grows is to help each other. We are not here to throw someone in and watch them flail like a fish out of water, we are here to mentor and help them SOAR!! I was blessed to have an amazing team for my term and have Past District President Zondra allow me to help so I didn't step in without knowing anything. SOO, reach out to Joanne and get an endorsement from your unit and or county to run so you can have some enlightenment and help before the election.

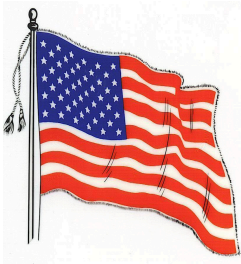
Spring Conference will be something a bit different once again. A fantastic idea was brought forth and I loved it so we are running with it!

### End of Year Reports Workshop

February 1st 10am-12pm held at Hartland American Legion Post hosted by Hartland Auxiliary

Things to bring- event reports, minutes, treasurer reports so we can add all totals for you impact report. We will briefly go over for a half hour. Then pair up and work on them so you can have almost all done that day. Can't wait to see you all there

Please reach out with questions to President Crystal Shaw 262-672-8205



***American Legion Auxiliary First District***

**1/9/2026**

*To our community partners:*

*The American Legion Family and Auxiliary is a non-profit organization that aims to support and serve veterans, active military and their families. We work on several projects each year to enhance the lives of veterans and military families in our community.*

*At this time we are reaching out requesting monetary donations or the sponsorship of a bowling lane to support Badger Youth Camp. This is an important camp that educates and brings children of active military together to help them understand the importance of their parents' military service.*

*Please make donation out to American Legion Auxiliary First District with badger youth camp in the memo line.*

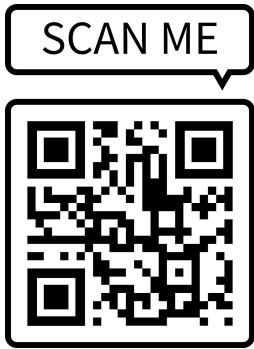
*Donations can be mailed to District Treasurer Jill Gust*

Jill Gust, First District Treasurer  
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*We appreciate your support and consideration.*

*Sincerely,*

*Crystal Shaw, 1st District President  
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THE AMERICAN LEGION FAMILY OF FIRST  
DISTRICT WILL JOINTLY HOST

# **9-PIN TAP BOWLING FUNDRAISER**

TO SUPPORT BADGER YOUTH CAMP

Supports and teaches children about parents military service

**21 MARCH 2026 • 12PM-3PM**

**REGISTRATION OPEN 10:30 AM**

HELD AT RIVER CITY LANES 730 CORNERSTONE  
CROSSING WATERFORD, WI 53185

**\$30 PER BOWLER. (12) 6 PERSON TEAMS. DO NOT NEED A  
FULL TEAM TO PARTICIPATE . CASH RAFFLES . WALK INS OK.**

**CONTACT TOM V TO PRE-REGISTER SELF OR TEAM @  
262-620-5646 OR DIST1VICECMDR1@1DWILEGION.ORG**