



8th District Newsletter



President's Message

Hello Everyone!

I still plan on making visits to Units as weather permits.

Reminder, you can start sending in your 2024 membership dues in September. The membership theme for the 2023-2024 Auxiliary year is "Grow our Membership, Poppy up for a Veteran!" The National membership theme has been updated. It is now the "Great Membership Race!"

Unit Presidents, a friendly reminder, please send in your 2023-2024 Unit Officers Form to Department Headquarters as soon as possible. This form should be completed and returned even if your officers haven't changed for the new Auxiliary year. Thank you to everyone that has already submitted this form. I have received several updated forms from Department. However, there are still several Units that haven't returned their form to Department. In order to win any membership awards, you need to have your updated form in to Department.

Mark your calendars. The Fall District Conference is scheduled for October 28th and is being held in Wisconsin Rapids at Mid-State Technical College (500 32nd Street North). Registration begins at 8:00am with the conference starting at 9:00am. Units should be prepared to present a report during the conference. I am asking the focus of your report be on how you worked the Auxiliary programs since the Spring District Conference. Look for some surprises at Fall Conference. I have some fun activities planned!

I am still looking for District Program Chairs for the openings listed in the box below. Please let me know if you are interested in one of them. My contact information is at the top of the newsletter.

A reminder to all Units, if any Unit has any upcoming events that they would like included in this newsletter, please let me know!

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me either by phone or email.

Thank you for all you do!

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8th District Conference October 28th

Location: Mid-State Technical College
500 32nd Street North, Wis Rapids

Registration starts 8:00am
Conference starts at 9:00am

Unit Updates – New London Unit 263

The Unit is also having their Pancake Breakfast on October 22nd from 7:00pm – 12:00pm, at their Legion.

Unit Updates – Pittsville Unit 153

The Unit is honoring Veterans with a Potluck Dinner on November 8th and will be recognizing their Auxiliary members that have been members 10 years or more.

They will also have a Chili Dinner Fundraiser on November 17th. Additional information will be available at the Fall Conference.

Program Chairman

Legislative: OPEN

Juniors: OPEN

VA&R: OPEN

Americanism: OPEN

Membership: Fran Bender

Children & Youth: OPEN

Please let me know if interested in any of these open positions.

Attachments

Upcoming Events / Dates

October 28 – 8th District Fall Conference – Mid-State Technical College in Wisconsin Rapids