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**VFW AUXILIARY
DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
PIN POINTS NEWSLETTER
DECEMBER 1, 2019 VOL 61 ISSUE 5**



Wow, where has the time gone? We are already in the Christmas holiday season. Welcome to our new Auxiliary and members of Post 12043 in Maricopa. The Department extends to you all the resources you need to be successful and healthy. Welcome again. The Department now has 2 auxiliaries with 100% and above. Will your auxiliary be next?

"Seventeen – inches"

You can take that look from your face now. Seventeen – inches is a story I read recently from a retired baseball coach named John Scolinos. A baseball plate is 17 inches. The message in the coach's speech was, we don't teach accountability. We widen the plate!

If we fail to hold ourselves to a higher standard, a standard of what we know to be right, we have widened the plate. As an Auxiliary we are accountable to those we serve. Our Veterans. Why did we join? We the Auxiliary are accountable to our members. All our members. Not just a chosen few.

After reading the entire message I had to reflect on the VFW Auxiliary as a whole. We have high standards for all members. Our "Bylaws and Ritual" and "Building on the VFW Auxiliary Foundation". The National resources on the VFW Auxiliary website and our own Arizona VFW Auxiliary Department website.

If the above resources are not being used by our leadership in each Auxiliary, District and Department level. We have widened the plate. If we are not showing respect to each member, we have widened the plate. Every Auxiliary and every member, please stay at 17 inches.

"Merry Christmas to All" To be continued.....

DEPARTMENT SECRETARY/TREASURER KIM SLOAN

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Well I missed the Thanksgiving issue when I normally list family and friends and the reasons, I am grateful that you are in my life. So, I'm wishing you all a belated Happy Thanksgiving and my personal thanks for being a part of one or more of the circles that surround us all.

"Christmas is not a time nor a season, but a state of mind. To cherish peace and goodwill, to be plenteous in mercy, is to have the real spirit of Christmas." – Calvin Coolidge

Share the joys and blessings of the season throughout the year and remember the golden rule – treat others as we all want to be treated, with kindness and respect. Let's all help to make this a kinder, gentler

DISTRICT 1

Post 769 – Quartzsite Christmas dinner

Post 1763 – Yuma Adopting 4-5 families for Christmas, providing clothing, toys for children & \$100.00 to parents, put up trees for gifts for abused children & angel tree for under privileged children, Christmas dinner

Post 2357 – Bouse Dec 14th Christmas party for all children in Bouse school, also they will be delivering presents that day, Bouse will be hosting Feb 16, 2020 District1 meeting

Post 6790 – Wellton Children's Christmas party, Christmas eve mixer, New Year's Eve party,

Post 7061 – Parker Dec 14th annual Christmas parade, auxiliary will be participating with the CRIT LES Toys 4 Tots program, providing snacks & gifts

Post 8242 – Yuma They have started their music & dances

**District
Corner**

DISTRICT 3

Auxiliary 285

12/10 – Taking Christmas gifts to Children's Center for Neurodevelopmental Studies (CCNS)

12/14 – Participating in the Districts VOD/Patriot Pen/Teachers Award Banquet

12/15 – Providing Hospitalized Veteran's Family care packages

12/21 – VFW & Auxiliary Christmas Party

1/25/20 – Participating in the Districts Membership Appreciation Event

Auxiliary 1433

12/8 – Children Christmas Party 10 – 1:00 PM

12/14 – Participating in the Districts VOD/Patriot Pen/ Teachers Award Banquet

1/25/2020 – Participating in the Districts Membership Appreciation Event

2/8/2020- VFW Department Presidents Sheila Lee-Eiler Homecoming 6:00PM (Price \$25.00)

3/29 – 4/1/2020 VFW National Auxiliary Presidents Visit in Glendale Post 1433

Auxiliary 3715

12/1/2019 - 170 Christmas Cards signed by Auxiliary members scheduled to be delivered to the Phoenix VA Home.

12/14/2019 - Attending the VOD/PP/Teacher of the Year Awards Ceremony held at Sandy Coor VFW Post 1433.

12/21/2019 - Christmas for the Kids held at Post 3715 2P to 4P, Santa Clause arriving by Fire Department Truck 24.

1/11/2020 - VFW Winter Conference, Scottsdale Plaza.

1/25/2020 – Participating in the Districts Membership Appreciation Event

Auxiliary 12098

Dec. 7th - Holiday Boutique in Buckeye - We will be asking for donations for decorated ornaments

Dec. 8th - Visit to James Walton Home – Taking FOOD + socks, jeans, sheets and blankets purchased w/ the Grant.

Dec. 10th - Taco Tues selling tacos, etc. to the public, at the Buckeye Community Veterans Service Center

Dec. 14th - Breakfast Bunch at the Buckeye Community Veterans Service Center to the public

Dec. 14th - Buckeye Superheroes' "Christmas Cause" help low-income families w/ gifts for their children.

Dec. 14th - Participating in the District 3 Patriots Pen/VOD Banquet at Post #1433 (if possible)

Jan. 14th - Taco Tuesday working with the Post selling tacos, etc. to the public.

Jan. 17th - Meat Raffle at Am. Legion dinner to benefit James Walton Home.

Jan. 25th - Participating in Member Appreciation Day

District Corner Continued....

District 5

162nd Air National Guard Freedom Festival/Family Event/ Holiday Party
December 8, 2019 10 to 4 pm . Military ID needed to get in if no ID you need to be on guest list.
6620 S. Air Guard Way. Tucson AZ 85706

December 7, 2019 we will honor our District 5 Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen winners at Post 549 . Ceremony with guest speaker and dinner 5 to 8 pm

549

December 7 Dedication of a chain Link from the USS Arizona 1-4 pm
December 7 Host Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen winners
December 15 Post and Auxiliary Children's Christmas party 1 to 3 pm
December 21 Post and Auxiliary Adult Christmas party and band 6 to 11 pm

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December Christmas party for members
December 21 Christmas Dinner for Community

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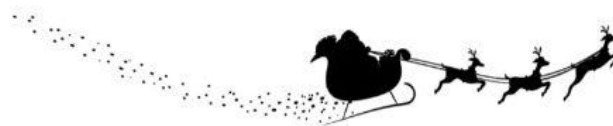
December 7 1 to 5 pm Christmas party for the 2220th Transportation Company which is their adopted unit.
December 11 Blind unit meal 5 pm

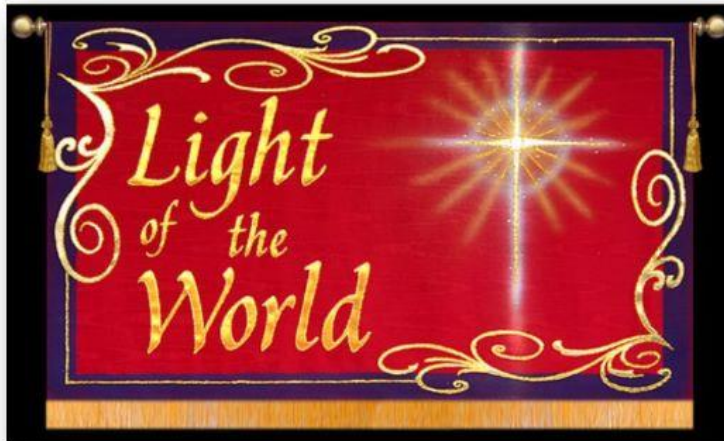
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December 21 helping at the VA Hospital Christmas Party
December helping at the VA Nursing Home Christmas Party
December 23 Children's Christmas party 2:30

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December 8 Toy wrapping
December 14 Santa and toy give away ,11 am Brunch with Santa
December 14 Karaoke
December 20 10 am parade Starts at Post and ends at post





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Documents for October, November, and December complete this issue of Pin Points.....

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AUXILIARY PRESIDENTS

A copy of the "Health Checkup for your Auxiliary Member Questionnaire" is included in this issue of Pin Points. Please have your members complete the form at your December meeting if you have not had your members complete the form so far this year. Please make sure that all questions are answered, and that each member has completed a questionnaire. Send the completed forms to me as soon as possible. Be sure to either make a copy of each form before sending to me or a tally of answers by question. This will come in handy to see how things have changed.

At your March meeting again have your members complete the form and send the forms to me as soon as possible

Auxiliary Presidents, please be sure to read your members' answers. Their feedback is as important to you as well as to the Department.



**Health Checkup for Your Auxiliary
Member Questionnaire**

1. Why are you a member of the VFW Auxiliary? _____

2. Do you volunteer for, or offer financial support to, any of the eleven (11) National Programs:
Veterans & Family Support; Americanism; "Buddy"® Poppy/VFW National Home; Extension; Historian/Media
Relations; Hospital; Legislative; Membership; Mentoring for Leadership; Scholarships and/or Youth Activities?
YES **NO** (circle one)

3. If you answered "YES", to question #2, what do you do and why? _____

4. If you answered "NO" to question #2, please share the reason why. _____

5. Do you feel our National Programs benefit our local veterans, their families and our own members?
YES **NO** (circle one)

6. If you answered "YES", to question #5, what do you do and why? _____

7. If you answered "NO" to question #5, please share the reason why. _____

8. Are there activities you would like to see in this Auxiliary? _____

9. Is the monthly business meeting conducted at a time that is suitable for you?

YES **NO** (circle one)

If not, what time would you like to see the meeting scheduled? _____

10. Is the monthly meeting length appropriate for the business conducted?

YES **NO** (circle one)

11. Do you have ideas on how to increase meeting attendance? _____

12. What do you feel would bring new members into our organization? _____

13. Where do you see the VFW Auxiliary ten years from now? Will you still be a part of it? _____

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Merry Christmas Everyone!!

What is Americanism? Americanism is unfailing love of country;

Loyalty to its institution and ideals; eagerness to defend it against all enemies; undivided allegiance to the flag;

And a desire to secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and posterity.

This month is a great month as is any other month to teach what we do as an organization. When giving presents use What is Americanism as your name tag maybe even put a 3X5 American flag with it. On your year-end report, it asks how many American flags did you give out? I want to see big numbers there.



Have a ceremony at your post or local community hall in honor of Pearl Harbor Day. Another idea would be going to your local school and do a presentation. Ask your post to participate with you, remember we are supposed to be working together. Have a ceremony at your post and invite the community.

"BUDDY"® POPPY/NATIONAL HOME -CHAIRMAN, LYNN PIERRE
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I'll begin by wishing you and yours a most wonderful, warm and safe Holiday Season and a Happy New Year! Please make this holiday season one for all our veterans, their families and your families to remember, and please don't forget to share your ideas and pictures. I am so excited to see what some of you are doing with your Poppies and other ideas for Christmas.

"Buddy"® Poppy – It's time for the VFW and Auxiliaries to start arranging their "Buddy"® Poppy displays. Be sure to review the National Program Book for rules and tips. The display entry form is now available on the Department Resources page. There are new requirements this year so read the entry form and check with your Districts.



The following is an excerpt from a letter I received from the Director of our VFW National Home:

There are three lanes of eligibility through which a family can apply to live at the National Home. Eligibility stems from the child(ren) in the family. They are:

- 1) a veteran family (at least one parent that has served and been honorably discharged).
- 2) an active duty military family (a parent is currently serving in the armed forces or reserves).
- 3) a family that is related to a VFW or Auxiliary member (this include stepparents/grandparents).

This third lane is the most wide-reaching, as many people living in the United States have a parent or grandparent who has served. Sometimes, the child's parent or grandparent is not a VFW or Auxiliary member but are eligible to become one. If they become a member, then the family is eligible to apply to live at the National Home.

The first step to living at the National Home is always through our Helpline at 800.313.4200. Helpline staff will help callers to determine eligibility.

As always, if you should have any questions, or need help, please don't hesitate to contact me.

HISTORIAN/MEDIA RELATIONS—PLUS PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORTS

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CONVERT PDF TO JPEG IMAGE—Event Flyers can then be easily shared on Facebook!

There are several free downloads on the Internet. Simply enter a SEARCH for “Changing PDF’s to Jpegs.”

<https://search.yahoo.com/yhs/search?p=Change+PDF%27s+to+JPEGs&type=frontier-cobrand&fr2=p%3Amy%2Cm%3Asb&hspar=frontier&hsimp=yhs-frontier1&hspar=frontier&hsimp=yhs-frontier1&type=frontier-cobrand>

Top 10 Reasons to Have an Auxiliary Facebook Page

UNWAVERING SUPPORT



FOR UNCOMMON HEROES

10. It's FREE! And easy to set-up and maintain.
9. Since it's FREE, it helps stretch your Auxiliary budget!
8. Your members are likely already on Facebook.
7. It provides direct line of communication with Auxiliary members.
6. It's a great tool to share short, frequent messages.
5. It's a way for those interested in your Auxiliary to find it online.
4. It's an excellent tool to use in recruiting new members.
3. It's a wonderful way to get younger/different members involved in your Auxiliary.
2. It's an easy way to share information about fundraisers, scholarship contests, stories about how your Auxiliary helps veterans and their families, and recruit volunteers to help with an event – just to name a few!
1. Social media – especially Facebook – is today's word-of-mouth.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORT Suggestions

- Participation in Veterans Day Parade
- Buddy Poppy Distribution
- Thanksgiving Donations for the Homeless
- Wreaths Across America



PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORTS RECEIVED CONTINUED.....

District

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1704	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
2364	X	X	X	X	X	X			
8987									
9907	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

District

7

6271	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
9972	X	X	X	X	x	X			
9977	X	X	X		X	X	X		
10342									
10385	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

District

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404	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
2190	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
2555	X	X							
6306	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
9401	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
9833	X	X		X	X	X			
10005	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
10386	X	X	X	X		X	X		
10726	X	X	X		X	X	X		
11014	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

District

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1677	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
3584	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
3713	X	X	X	X					
7968	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
8053									
9399	X	X	X	X	X				

HOSPITAL CHAIR—BRENDA PRICE EMAIL: BRENPRICE86@GMAIL.COM

The National Hospital Ambassador writes in her blog: **INSPIRE! ATTRACT! RECRUIT!** Therefore, we must be enthusiastic about serving our Veterans if we aspire to attract and recruit others.

Our only limitations are our own imaginations!

Q: What is your first thought when you hear about the Hospital Program? For many, the VA hospital is what comes to mind. It is encouraged to visit our Veterans in the VA hospitals, but there are also many other ways to serve and still complete the Hospital Program.

Use the Program guide and Year End Report to ensure you hit all the key points of the Hospital Program <https://www.azvfwaux.org/hospital-program>

The question then becomes, how do we reach those goals? DECK THE HALLS!!!

At Fall Conference, and subsequent district meetings, program Chairman shared several ideas on using the Buddy Poppies, promoting Americanism, recruiting tools, etc. So why not take the information and ideas a step further. If your Auxiliary makes a Christmas tree using the Buddy Poppies, include an American Flag or construct a Tree using American Flags and donate it your favorite local VA hospital ward or CBOC Clinic.

When I visit a VA hospital, I usually focus on three areas: The Blind unit, the CLC, which includes Hospice and Rehab, and the Homeless. I often carry a basket filled with American Flags and Thank You cards, which I give to each patient. In addition, throughout the Christmas season, I make little Stockings to give to each patient. The Stockings primarily hold red, white, & blue ornaments, a lollypop or other candy, some basic care items, and a Buddy Poppy.

Contact a Veteran Transitional Housing Unit and 'adopt' them for the Holidays. Team up with other organizations to put together food boxes. Create a 'Gift Tree' and purchase Christmas gifts for those Veterans with children.

Plan a fund-raiser to purchase a much needed item at a VA Facility. The Needs lists are posted on the Auxiliary webpage. Apply for the Hospital Grant! <https://www.azvfwaux.org/hospital-program> to help off-set the cost of purchases.

Tucson VA Christmas Party is on Saturday 14 December 2019 @2pm. All volunteers must present themselves by 12pm. We need both VFW and VFW Auxiliary volunteers.

Women Warriors: Do you know about the Center for Women Veterans? Congress established the Center for Women Veterans (CWV) in November 1994 by P.L. 103-446.

Their Mission:

- Monitor and coordinate VA's administration of health care and benefits services, and programs for women veterans.
- Serve as an advocate both in the VA and the general public.

HOSPITAL CONTINUED.....

- Raise awareness of the responsibility to treat women veterans with dignity and respect.
- Women Veterans Call Center: 1-855-829-6636, for assistance.
- And, of course, the Crisis Hotline: 1-800-273-8255, press option 1 to be connected to a skilled, trained coordinator.
- For more information visit <https://www.va.gov/womenvet>.
- Want to Keep it local? Tucson Arizona has a WW Chapter <https://www.womenwarriorstucson.com/>

Let's not forget our Veterans who may not find much Joy in the Holidays.

The Campaign to Change Direction— The goal of the Campaign to Change Direction is to change the culture of mental health in America so that all of those in need receive the care and support they deserve. This Campaign encourages all Americans to pay attention to their emotional well-being, and it reminds us that our emotional well-being is just as important as our physical well-being. You are encouraged to know the Five Signs that may mean someone in your life is experiencing emotional pain and what we can do to help.

AND... by Purchasing the Tear Drop Pins, you can report that on #6 of the YE report, using the Proceeds to fund another project. When asked a question about the Pin, be prepared to answer with suicide prevention awareness for veterans and military. Offer a card with Veterans Crisis Line contact information. Moreover, the Tear Drop Pins remind us that **20 A Day is 2 Many!**

Need More Incentive?

Check out the Volunteer Recruitment Awards for Members:

- Citation to one member in each Program Division who recruits the most Hospital (VA and non-VA) Volunteers from July 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020.
- "Hospital Volunteer Recruiter of the Year" plaque awarded to one member in the nation who recruits the most Hospital (VA and non-VA) Volunteers from July 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020.
- Citation to the Outstanding Hospital Volunteer of the Year in each Program Division.

INSPIRE! ATTRACT! RECRUIT!



As I write this, I am hearing the words to “Happy Holidays” in my head. Then, I see the face of a young Veteran, who has lost a job, a home and is on the streets. A retired Army veteran, who volunteers at our local Veterans Hospital, took the time to speak with the young man about the services available to him through the Veterans Administration. As I listened, I wondered how many other Veterans, young and old, just need to hear what is out there for them. My contribution was food, water and a hug. I pray that this young man found what he needed at the VA.

This is why we, as an organization, should constantly challenge the legislators at both the state and federal level to provide the essential services to ease their transition into the civilian world. The best place to start is to put yourself in a returning Veteran’s boots in a variety of scenarios, such as transferring military skills to civilian jobs, failure of relationships, medical and/or mental health issues or no place to go. The list is limitless.

Once the Veteran has made contact with the Veterans Administration, they should be advised of available housing for homelessness, job training and education covered by Post 9/11 and the Montgomery GI Bills, continued medical assistance, mental health assistance by well trained, knowledgeable counselors. Unfortunately, what should be is not always what is available.

The best way to see what we need to make a priority is to visit a VA Medical Hospital and just watch. Keep a list of what you see and hear. Then think how this can affect Veterans, families and their communities. Next, you need to figure out what is needed to change the situation. Then, take your ideas to other interested parties and explore how to present them to legislators, VA representatives, Veterans Organizations and most importantly, the community/voters. Create a visible presence. It’s hard to ignore loud voices and large, connected groups.

During this season, remember that the Veteran on the street corner or standing by the door is someone’s family member. Treat them with respect. Let them know you know they exist. The best way to do that is give them the means to contact local Veterans’ resources. Write down the phone numbers and share them with the veteran. Don’t forget that some will not use the information or even want the help. That is their choice. Our choice is to help the ones we can.

I hope your holiday season is joyous. Merry Christmas! Happy Chanukah!

Membership

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We are often scattered during the holidays, so keep in touch with your membership through various media. Technology is more user-friendly today than ever before so utilize email, social media, your Auxiliary website or group/tree texting. Making members and the public aware of your events and what your programs are trying to accomplish is key to the success of those events and in generating the attention of potential new members.

The holidays, when so many people are separated from their family members, is a wonderful time to hold an appreciation event. Remember to invite the families of your deployed troops and those single members who are alone. Attending a social event during the holidays can add joy and encourage new friendships for those that you do not see frequently. Be sure to ask your local newspaper to include your event in local happenings and thank them with a Certificate of Appreciation (Media Relations).



*Our VFW & Auxiliary Family
is always holding a place at
our gatherings for new
people to join us!
Invite...Include...Invest*

Since this is a special time of giving and sharing, consider a joint promotion with the National Home for Children. Do a Fundraiser to purchase life memberships for the Children's Home and buy as many Life Memberships as the fundraiser allows. This is a win for both the new Life Member and The National Home for Children!

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Arizona Membership Tiki



**87.17% as of
November 27th**

***Let's all work on calling our
unpaid annual members
before the end of December!***

***100% is within our reach by
January 31st!***

Arizona Aloha Membership Team Starters

*Awesome Job on Recruiting 1 to 4 New or Re-join Members! You are well on your way to the Red, White and Blue
Lei Page! Happy Recruiting!*

Bobby DeBoard	Diane Gouge	Deanna Heilman	Nicholas Root
Chris Jones	Elma Paul	Derek Hulsebus	Nicole Atkinson
Hugues Byrne	Greg Harrell	Diane Patrick	Nicole Beck
Kathryn Lambert	Helena Gage	Don Wood	Olivia Collins
Lisa McCluney	Janice Robertson	Doug Downey	Pamela Baker
Mike Kemery	Jann Wood	EJ Granado	Patrick O Connell
Nancy Horlacher	Kirk Lane	Elaine Lehman	Paula Walter
Patricia Emery	Laure Bennett	Elizabeth Adams	Ray Gerving
Rose Hoagland	Loretta Lauer	Elizabeth	Rhonda Heggis
Sally Sandiford	Lorna Lindert	Wolfenbarger	Robert Dumont
Vickey Robertson	Michael Miller	Elvin Propst	Robert Hyde Jr
Wendy Moore	Pamela Van Winkle	Emilie Newman	Roger Gowen
Carolyn Wuinton	Raomna Aarnold	Eric Harrison	Ruth Coak
Cassandra Bell	Russ Purnell	Evelyn Riegle	Sandra Mills
Delores Hatfield	Sheila Eiler	George Bayer	Sandra Shuman
Denis Sommerfield	Stefanie Horlacher	Glorianna Hamlin	Sarah Elkins
Jane Miles	Weezie Burrell	James Carpenter	Shanda Leffelman
Jeanne Hampton	Alison Prevendar	James Jonas	Sharon Gilfoil
Kristina White	Allan Connell	James Manley	Sharon Powell
Cotton	Amy Bennett	Jeanne Koenig	Sharon Turner
Lynn Pierre	Anita Martin	Jennifer Higby	Stella Baker
Pat Navarro	Annette Williams	Jim Tyrus	Stephanie Gregory
Roxanna Payntar	Bill McArthur	JoDelle Soderquist	Susan Kane
Ruth Malick	Brandy Sabala	Jody Pitcher	Terri Heitstuman
Sharon Eichelberger	Brenda Kinghorn	Jolene McDonald	Terri Novak
Sherri Dailey	Brenda Lloyd	Joseph Krysiak	Therese Hixson
Sonya Schults	Candace Andrews	Kelly Lecher	Therese Olsen
Spencer Labady	Carol Hogan	Ken White Cotton	Thomas Obryant
Verla Fish	Carolyn Hurt	Kimberly Baldwin	Tom Hunter
Andrew Sage	Charlene Fyler	Kristy Burke	Toni Johnson
Arlys Gowen	Charles Holt	Linda Page	Torie Miller
Bambi Johnson	Charlotte Gorman	Luis Beltran	Vicki Rippel
Carol Gregory	Chuck Williams	Marie Woodruff	William Pessaro
Christine Forrester	Connie Hargreaves	Mark Schrand	Wilson Copeland
David Hixon	Conrad Welch	Marlayne Ponteccroi	Yvonne Cox
David Price	Darlene Hitchcock	Mary Mason	
Deanna Pesek	David Degard	Mike Myers	

Arizona Aloha Membership Team

5 or more New or Rejoins for 2019-2020



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This article will be the continuation of the 12 Ways to Be an Amazing Mentor

5. Improve your emotional intelligence.



Being emotionally intelligent is a big part of being an amazing mentor. Any time you become a mentor for someone, you'll find yourself getting to know their unique personality, their wants and needs, the experiences that have shaped them, and how they deal with different situations.

The best mentors know how to unlock this information by asking the right questions, being open-minded, and even acknowledging and controlling their own emotions.

6. Don't assume anything about your mentee -- ask.

It's easy to fall into stereotypes or not see a situation from another person's perspective. But great mentors recognize that it's their responsibility to break through common assumptions by asking questions and digging deeper.

For example, let's say you're mentoring someone who's having trouble getting through to their President or another member of the Auxiliary. Instead of launching into a story about a time you had communication issues with another President or Auxiliary, spend time asking questions that draw out the important details of their problem. Ask your mentee detailed questions about their relationship with their Auxiliary. Don't assume you understand their style simply based off the conversations you've had with them in the past, as they probably work and communicate differently with their Auxiliary than your Auxiliary deals with you.

Only once you've gotten an honest background on a problem can you share helpful, relevant feedback -- without making decisions for your mentee. That's up to them.

With the Holiday season here. You need to make sure with you being a mentor, that your Auxiliary and members are handling things. The Christmas season always brings out times of being melancholy and remembrances of things from the past. Some of those memories are hard, because of losing someone we love. Be open to talking about that with the member having problems.

Jane Ziebarth is our 2019-2020 National Mentoring for Leadership Ambassador the following was part of her blog from August 8, 2019 that I thought was important:

Opportunity to TEACH

- Promote the [Online Auxiliary Academy](#).
- Identify a section within the Bylaws, Booklet of Instructions or Ritual to refresh memories.
- Consider asking a member to review and make a "short" 5-minute presentation at the next meeting. Spread the mentoring responsibilities amongst members.

"Don't wish it were easier, wish you were better. Don't wish for fewer problems, wish for more skills. Don't wish for less challenges, wish for more wisdom."

— Earl Shoaf

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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

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Patriot's Pen and Voice of Democracy – VFW District Judging Completion, December 15th, 2019

Winter Conference - VOD, Patriot's Pen and Teachers Awards Banquet

January 11th and 12th, 2020

Deadline for room reservations: Friday, December 20, 2019

Deadline for Dinner Reservations is Jan.1, 2020 - \$35 (after Jan.1 - \$40)

All VFW Comrades and Auxiliary members are encouraged to attend and root for their district winners.

National Goals: Student Participation – Recipient Recognition – Community Awareness – Increasing Fund

"Continuing Our Service to Veterans and their Families"



Veterans & Family Support - Chairperson Janae Kemery

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HELP A HERO

SCHOLARSHIP ★ PROGRAM

Sports Clips Help A Hero Scholarship Program

Since 2013, Sports Clips has been the primary supporter of the VFW's Sport Clips Help a Hero Scholarship program, which provides scholarships for service members and veterans for use at post-secondary schools and trade schools. To date they have awarded more than 1,400 scholarships totaling \$6.5 million.

Every year from October 14 through November 11, Veterans Day. Sports Clips locations around the country collect funds in store and 100% of donations are given to the VFW to ensure we can continue to support the educational goals of our service members and veterans.

Our Scholarship recipients come from every part of the United States, represents every branch of the armed services. They are earning a variety of degrees including: engineering, computer science, business, accounting, healthcare, and many more.

In 2018 through the generous donations from Sport Clips Clients and Partners they collected \$1.35 million for the program and presented the record-breaking donation to the VFW at their National Headquarters in Kansas City.

With Sports Clips providing these scholarships, this helps our veterans with the transition from military career to the civilian work force a little easier. The scholarships are up to \$5,000 and awarded to qualified applicants. Scholarships are limited to one per family per semester.

You can find the application and scholarship details on vfw.org. Select Assistance, from the drop down, select Student Veteran Support, then scroll down and click on Apply Today.

DANI GREENE CHAIR Email: dani7968aux@gmail.com



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Youth Activities

Happy December we are now in full Holiday Season and with that comes a lot of opportunities to work with your local youth in your community, have you started planning

- A youth holiday party
- Sponsoring a youth holiday event with a school or library
- Get your local youth to help fill out Holiday Cards to distribute to Veterans in the hospital during the holidays

Youth Activities Program Summary Question #4

5. Number of Patriotic Youth Awards presented by your Auxiliary? How did your Auxiliary promote it?

The Patriotic Youth Award is designed to recognize individual youth for their patriotism and/or support of our Veterans, active-duty service members and their families. The Patriotic Youth Award is available at www.vfwauxiliary.org/resources scroll down to Youth Activities there are three options to choose from.

Here are some ways/ideas to promote it

- Facebook Pages, make a flyer and bring it to your community locations, in your Post, Schools, Library, local Parks & Rec...The opportunities are endless, the important thing is your getting the information out there to promote your Award. Make sure the youth that deserve the award are receiving it. Connect with the leaders, or the individuals in charge they will know the youth that deserve it. Watch for activity from your youth in your post/community and let them know they are appreciated and recognized. Thank them for their help in your organization or any other for working with the Veterans in the community. Remember when you acknowledge your youth it helps them stay driven in future projects and endeavors with your Veterans.

Reminder - December Holidays are a terrific time to recruit your local youth to help with projects and then have a way to reward them for their help and hard work, for instance throw a holiday party. You can hand out all your youth awards at once and don't forget pictures for your Year end Report. Always be trying new and exciting way to get them involved, do you have a holiday parade coming up? Ask them to help build your float or ride on it with some of your Veterans.

<https://www.azvfwaux.org/youth-activities-program> . National VFW Auxiliary website

<https://vfwauxiliary.org> or the AZ VFW Auxiliary website <https://www.azvfwaux.org>



Arizona VFW Charities

**Commander Tom Judd & President Sheila Eiler
Special Project
Arizona VFW Charities**

**Send Donations to: VFW Department of Arizona
6423 South Ash Avenue
Tempe, AZ 85238**



Boxes for the Troops



On Friday and Monday December 6th & 9th the AZ Dept of Corrections and the AZ VFW will be packing approximately 1000 boxes for the troops. We need all of the **HELP** that we can get to pack and seal the packages. The Dept of Corrections held fund raisers throughout the year to purchase most of the items, but as the old saying goes, "More is Better". If you have items for the troops, bring them with you.

The AZ Department of Corrections and the VFW "Packing Boxes for the Troops" party event is just around the corner with the setup taking place on Friday (9:00am) Dec.6th and the packing on Monday (8:00am) Dec.9th at VFW post 720 in Phoenix.

Setup:

What: Packing party set up. We need at least 30 people.

When: Friday Dec.6th 9:00am

Where: VFW Post 720 4853 E Thomas Rd, Phoenix, AZ 85018

Map: <https://goo.gl/maps/6fQRc778HvfdLrLf26>

What to expect for the packing party set up:

Unwrapping about 7 pallets of merchandise

Opening all the food boxes and getting them set on the tables

Pre construct the boxes

Add postage to the pre constructed boxes

Preset pallets for the completed care packages

Packing Boxes:

What: AZ Department of Corrections and VFW Packing Party

When: Monday December 9th, 8:00am

Where: VFW Post 720 4853 E Thomas Rd, Phoenix, AZ 85018

Map: <https://goo.gl/maps/6fQRc778HvfdLrLf26>



Listed below are some item suggestions:

Beef Jerky (No Pork Jerky)
Clif Bars, Kind Bars, Sunflower seeds
Nuts (Individual Bags), Slim Jims (Short Type)
Tuna or chicken (Foil Pouch Only)
Coffee (One pound bags or smaller, ground only)
Individually Packaged Water Flavors

Antiperspirant/Deodorant (solids only)
Baby Wipes, Body Wash
Disposable Razors, lubricated only
Shaving Cream or Gel in squeezable tubes only
*No aerosols of any kind, liquids that have nozzles or items that have expired or have been opened.

*Arizona Veterans of Foreign Wars
and Auxiliary Present*

Winter Conference

Organizational Training Jan 11-12, 2020

Voice Of Democracy

Patriots Pen & Teachers

Awards Banquet Saturday January 11, 2020



Four Points by Sheraton
2532 W. Peoria Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85029



Reservations number: 1-888-627-9057
ask for the "Veterans of Foreign Wars
Winter Conference 2020" group rate

Deadline for room reservations: Friday, December 20, 2019
Room rate \$109 includes FREE Breakfast for up to 2 persons per room.

8:30-12:30AZ Capital Visit (Students, Parent only)

9:00-NoonVFW and VFW Auxiliary Training

4:00pm Student/Parents/District Commanders & Presidents Reception (Pictures)

5:00pm No Host Cocktails - Banquet Room Foyer

6:00pm Dinner & Awards

SUNDAY 9:00am C of A Meeting

*Deadline for Dinner Reservations is Jan. 1, 2020 - \$35 (after Jan. 1 - \$40)
(the Menu is being negotiated at this time)*

Send Checks to:

Veterans of Foreign Wars
6423 S. Ash Ave
Tempe, AZ 85283

Payable to: "VFW Dept of AZ"

Please note on check:

VOD Dinner

*Table reservations can ONLY be
made for tables of ten (10). \$350
must be on ONE check and noted
"VOD Table of 10". All others are
first come, first served.*

VFW & Auxiliary C of A Meetings are Sunday at 9:00am

Auxiliary and District Quarterly Audit Reports
received by Department Treasurer.

Bylaws Sec. 309 - Any Auxiliary in arrears for failure to make quarterly audits shall be deprived of Auxiliary representation on all levels. An

Auxiliary that has failed to submit quarterly audit reports to the Department Treasurer may not vote at any District Meeting until the arrearage is corrected.

Auxiliary	2nd Quarter 2019 Apr- June	3rd Quarter 2019 July- Sept	4th Quarter 2019 Oct - Dec	1st Quarter 2020 Jan- Mar	Auxiliary	2nd Quarter 2019 Apr- June	3rd Quarter 2019 July- Sept	4th Quarter 2019 Oct - Dec	1st Quarter 2020 Jan- Mar
40	X				7061	X	X		
285	X	X			7400	X	X		
404	X	X E			7968	E	X		
541	X	X			8053	X			
549	X	X			8242	X			
720	ext	ext			8987	X	X		
769	X	X			9399	X	X		
1433	X	X			9400	E			
1677	X	x			9401	X	E		
1704	X				9833	X			
1760	ext				9907	X	X E		
1763	X	X			9972	X	X		
1796	X	X			9977	X			
2190	X	X E			10005	X			
2357	X	X E			10227	will resend	X E		
2364	X				10254	X			
2555	X				10385	X	X		
3513	X	X			10386	X	X		
3578	X	X			10726	X	X		
3584	X	X			11014	X	X E		
3632	X	X E			12098	X	X		
3713	X	X			12128	X			
3715	X	X			District 1	X Feb - Nov	X Feb - Nov		
4903	X				District 2	X	X		
5990	X	X			District 3	X			
6271	X	X			District 4	E			
6306	X				District 5	X	X		
6739	X				District 6	X	X		
6790	X	X			District 7	X	X	ext	ext
					District 8	X			
					District 10	X			

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40									
285			\$ 20.00				\$ 20.00		
404	\$ 374.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 154.00		\$ 60.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00
541	\$ 320.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 50.00		\$ 150.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 25.00
549									
720			\$ 20.00	\$ 100.00		\$ 30.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	
769			\$ 20.00			\$ 60.00			
1433	\$ 452.00	\$ 56.50	\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 25.00	
1677				\$ 50.00			\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	
1704	\$ 132.00	\$ 16.50	\$ 60.00	\$ 25.00		\$ 50.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 25.00	
1760									
1763	\$ 298.00	\$ 37.25	\$ 80.00	\$ 100.00		\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 100.00	
1796									
2190									
2357									
2364	\$ 58.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 100.00		\$ 100.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
2555	\$ 256.00	\$ 32.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 100.00		\$ 60.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00
3513			\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00		\$ 25.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00	
3578	\$ 164.00		\$ 25.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 20.00
3584	\$ 168.00	\$ 21.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00		\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00
3632									
3713		\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 10.00		\$ 110.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	
3715									
4903									
5990									

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6271	\$ 224.00		\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00		\$ 150.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 50.00
6306	\$ 308.00	\$ 38.50	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00		\$ 100.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	
6739									
6790	\$ 508.00	\$ 63.50	\$ 100.00	\$ 500.00			\$ 100.00		
7061									
7400	\$ 330.00	\$ 41.50	\$ 60.00	\$ 200.00		\$ 60.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00	
7968	\$ 1,672.00	\$ 209.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 300.00		\$ 400.00	\$ 20.00		\$ 50.00
8053									
8242	\$ 666.00	\$ 83.25							
8987	\$ 202.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 10.00		\$ 30.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 10.00	
9399	\$ 2,118.00	\$ 264.75	\$ 20.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
9400									
9401	\$ 1,064.00	\$ 133.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 15.00		\$ 45.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 10.00
9833	\$ 304.00	\$ 38.00							
9907		\$ 75.25	\$ 20.00	\$ 200.00		\$ 150.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
9972	\$ 1,543.00	\$ 193.25	\$ 20.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 20.00		\$ 150.00
9977									
10005			\$ 20.00	\$ 200.00		\$ 100.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	
10227		\$ 100.00	\$ 20.00						
10254	\$ 176.00	\$ 22.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 25.00
10385	\$ 25.00		\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00			\$ 20.00	\$ 25.00	
10386	\$ 396.00	\$ 49.50	\$ 20.00	\$ 200.00		\$ 75.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 10.00
10726	\$ 250.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00		\$ 200.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	
11014	\$ 370.00	\$ 46.25							
12098									
12128			\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00		\$ 30.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	

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Chaplains Reports Recieved 2018 - 2019

	Auxiliary	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November
1	769			x					
1	1763								
1	2357	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
1	6790	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
1	7061								
1	8242	x	x	x	x	x	x		
2	541								
2	6739		x	x	x	x	x	x	
2	7400	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
2	10227		x	x	x	x	x	x	
2	12128	x	x	x	x	x			
3	40		x						
3	285		x	x	x	x	x	x	
3	1433	x	x	x	x				
3	3715	x		x	x	x			
3	12098		x		x	x	x	x	
4	720	x	x	x	x	x	x		
4	1760								
4	1796	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
4	3513								
4	3632	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
4	9400	x	x	x	x	x			
5	549	x	x	x		x	x	x	
5	3578	x	x	x	x	x		x	
5	4903								
5	5990	x	x						
5	10254			x					

2019-2020
2018-2019

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Auxiliary	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
1704	x	x	x	x	X	X	x		
2364	x	x	x	x	x	X			
8987									
9907	x	x	x	x	X	X			
6271	x	x	x	x	x		X		
9972	x	x	x	x	X	X	X		
9977						x			
10385		x	x	x	X	X	X		
404	x	X	x	x					
2190									
2555									
6306		x							
9401	x	x	x	x	X	x	X		
9833									
10005	x	X	x	X	X	X			
10386		X	x	x	X				
10726	x	x				X	X		
11014	x	x	x	x	X	X	X		
1677	x	X	x	x	x	X			
3584	x	x	x	X	X	X	X		
3713			x	x	x				
7968	x	x	x	x		X			
8053	x	x							
9399	x	x	x	x	X	X	X		



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The Ten Commandments of Friendship:

2. Smile at people –it takes 72 muscles to frown but only 14 to smile.

Loss Members:

285- Emilie Hansen
1677- Candice Frasier
9972- Yvonne G Souliere
10385- Patsy A Urrea
10386- Ron Ferrell

Sympathy:

1677- Rebecca Webb
James Toney
Christine Clark
Larry Frasier
3578- Julia Ellis
3632- Rosa & Family
Walley Family
9907- Jeannie Volborn
Mary Ann Burns
Kate & Jon Dahl
9972- Chris Colleary
10005- Helen Stone
10385- Mike Andazola
11014- Vicki Craig

Get Well:

549- Carole Oberle
1704- Myrna Compton
1796- Ysleta Stone
Chester Stone
3584- Bernadette Areanda
8242- Betty Hayes
9400- Weezie Burrell
April Hysko
Margaret Bell
9907- Nanz Marshall
9972- Barbara Chavez
Penny Melton
Judith Benfield-Wade
10005- Mary Johnson
10385- Susie Gale
Sarah Elkins
10386- Teddy Telford
Nancy Walker

Thinking of You:

549- Francis Gilpin
3584- Monica Ochoa
9907- Byron Stafford
9972- Carol Cross
Colette Bishop
10386- Ethel Cotton
Wanda Janowski
11014- Maxine Harding
Bob Trewhella

Birthdays:

720- Pat Lamontagne
David Smith
Julian Cales
Virginia Cattoni
2357- Murphy Love Shepard
Patsy O-Hanlon
Linda Shira
Tammy Lehman
Eva Anderson
Sharon Ball
Martha Seberg
Kathy Barton
William Pierce
Lyndora Miller
Bernice Trautman
Frances Kidd
Patricia Stampfill
3584- Eva Baltierra
Pat Brown
Dolores Peretik
3632- Jeffery McFarland
9400- April Hysko
9907- Thelma Gary
Virginia Baker
Karen Biri
Pam Woxmak
Melody Judd
Pat Lucras
Amy Wong
9972- Charlotte Goetz
Liz Amatulli
Geraldine Calp
Dorothy Simmons
Maria Foy

Birthday Cont.....

9907- Betty Higgins
Rosa Byrd
Kimberly Davis
Dona Kern
Diana Mouzakiotis
Lorene Wisham
Natasha Franks
Linda Henderson-

Molyneaux

Lillian Overton
Frances Jacob
Maria Lundin
Elizabeth Bate
Samantha Hutcheson
Sallee Tice
Maria Neuman
Kathy Harrison
Jane Bradshaw
Mary Roach
Dakota Davis
Kimberli Harney
Robin Talley
Ruth Cooksley
Rebecca Sizemore
Evelyn Manolas
Amanda Widmyer
Suzanne Galda
Sally Cooper
Deborah Kalbe
Judith Ramey
Ingeborg Buechner
Barbara Chavez
Sunant Haymaker
Stacey Loucks
Anna Williams
Ida Pedrego
Dorcas Perry
Nancy Chadwick
Anna Jensen
Stephanie Spitz
Dolores Stanton
Kimberly MacDuffee
Doris Anton



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Birthdays Cont.....

9972- Conny Despain
Debbie Loucks
Norma Garner
Hilda Krug
Candace Bell
Barry Gibson
Sheila Holland
Traci McBee
Dottie Gerow
Dawn Lawrence
Jackie Barta
Brian Leach
Stephanie Morgan
11014- Hayden Fry
Helene Williams
Debbie Wolfe
Ruth Taylor Burk
Shannon Fry
Donna Lynn
Jeannie Hampton
Curtis Schoon
Jody Meisner
Gwen Durbin
Bill Kaufmann
Brandy Sabala
Mike Karash
12128- Krysten Roberts
Jackie O'Clair
Beverly Allan
Lisa Penttila

Visits to Hospitals Year to date:

223

**Visits to Members Homes Year
to Date:**

269

**Phone Call Made to members
Year to Date**

458

Congratulations & Thank You

10385- Kayla Hess Altomorino
11014- Sheila Eiler
Cathy Seippel



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The Ten Commandments of Friendship:

3. Call people by name- the sweetest music to anyone's ear is the sound of their own name.

Members Loss:

9401- Bobby Dawson (May
2019)
9907- Kay Terwilliger
Toni Lynn Wezchmann
10726- Joanne Hootman-
Leyden

Sympathy:

285- Ann L Newman
Betty Potter
549- Peggy & George Bayer
Alma Lalicker
Frank Day
Roberta Stacy Stewart
3584- Shirley Blake
Karen Cummings
9399- Cathy Cather
Claudia Keicher
9401- Barbara Bender
9907- Susanne Fleming
9972- Dora Martinez & Family
10005- Sharon Brayshaw
Cheryl Driscoll
10385- Terry Salmon/Baluer
11014- Carol Major
Norma Armstrong

Get Well:

549- Linda Link
8242- Georgia Welsh
9399- Aleta Roberts
9400- Dee Norwell
9401- John Wentz
Nancy Bazzano Dickey
9972- Rhonda Follett
Bobby DeBoard
Jane Claunch
Judy James
Mary Lou Anderson
10385- Crystal Reynolds
Susie Gale

Sarah Elkins

Get Well Cont....

11014- Rhonda Follett
Vicki Craig

Thinking of You:

549- Lori Schaeffler
Frances Gilpin
1796- Ysleta Stone
6739- Laurie Crawley
9399- Linda Hoschouer
Sandy Bowling
Linda Sparks
9972 – Melody Judd
Rebecca Kent
9977- Barbara Peck
10005- Thomas Tontillo
11014- Jeanie Lutes

Birthdays:

285- Susan Gary
Emillie Newman
Carla Stark
Lara Barris
720- Billie Evans
Teresa Ritter-Wright
2357- Gail Dian Elam
Judith Shipley
Jack Shira
Terry Tarin
Jo Ring
Debra Emery
Mavis Meece
Elaine Rumler
Linda Harper
Ronald Bales
2364- Peggy Ryan
Mikey Horn
3584- Margaret Salazar
6739- Christina Voss
Frank Knowles
7400- Sharon Corothers

Kare Hockett

Betty Alf

Birthdays Cont...

7400- Jessie Allen
Janice Boblitt
Kathryn Broom
Troy Hockett
Mary Kormacki
Colette Little
Jolissa McCaully
Mona Perry
Beate Schoenwiese
Rose Sperry
Carol Stoos
Michele Stouer
Sandi Fields
Dave Gardner
Tawnya Hall
9907- Melody Judd
Margie Carpenter
Johnnie Rae Latham
Tony Morland
9972- Bella Rose
Anna Huber
Patricia Joy
Dolly Brooks
Mechaele Nebben
James Barnett
Donald Dohmen
Janice Knoles
Terry Mozingo
Janice Beam
Betty Crossman
Ilse Ates
Carol Bossler
Barbara Bowen
Glenda Rippel
Cindy Bartley
Virginia Groves
Dianne Williams
Linda DeCarlo
Audrey Moulton



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Constance Wertanen
Robert Abel
Sharon Lopez

Roger Groves
Lynda Eakins
Robert Gist

Birthday Cont....

2- Kristina Sisneroz

Christa Jones
Joan Dermody
Patricia Fuller

Visits to Hospitals Year to date:

258

Byrd Schreock Jr
Elizabeth Hayden
Jennifer Martin

**Visits to Members Homes Year
to Date:**

297

Curtis Dehart Sr.
Ramon Estrella Jr.

**Phone Call Made to members
Year to Date**

508

Colleen Graham
Shirin Taylor

Tresa Bailey
Peggy Hursh

Joelle Landers
Roberta Hyland

Bobby Aiton
Lucy Garza

Bertha Stanton
April Johansen

Sonya Schultz
Susan Sanchez

Yolanda Verdugo
Cecile McNeill

Barbara Kennedy
Theresa Langrall

Katherine Switzer
Kena Richwine

Ann Caswell
Marion Edmonds

Jared Dermody
Ashley Buhr

Jeannie Freeman
Kelly Sanders

Kathleen Ellery
Will Hill

14- Kristopher Riviera

Loretta Levandowski
Grant Kohler



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The Ten Commandments of Friendship:

4. Be Friendly and helpful – if you would have friends be friendly
5. Be Cordial – speak and act as if everything you do were a real pleasure

Members Loss:

9399- Alice Cain
9401- Shirley Wentz
Nancy Preston
10385- Delphine Maxsy
10726- Mitch Cosby
Joyce Jewell (I-2017)
France Odiorne (9-2016)

Sympathy:

1677- Melinda Means
Char Kavtzmman
1704- Zelma Burdeh
3578- Cathy Lacewell
7400- LaVonne O'Brien
9401- John Wentz
Marie Woodruff
10385- Ann Inman
11014- Chad Ray
Pushinitis Family
Dept- Deanna Long
Dept- Nancy Cone

Get Well:

549- Bobby DeBoard
Rhonda Follett
Melody Judd
1677- Rhonda Follett
Melody Judd
1704- Melody Judd
Myrna Compton
1796- Gary Chemas
Bill Beckman
3575- David Spilman
Bernice Hamnlan
Pam Tallant
9401- Robert Pesek

Thinking of You:

549- Frances Gilpin
7400- Millie Derosio
10385- Emma Teague-Smith

Thinking of you Cont....

11014 Melody Judd
Bobby DeBoard

Birthdays:

285- Anthony Newman
Penelope Weber
Galemaire Kuchtyak
1704- Anne Lettner
Louie Hzgdon
2357- Marilyn Andersen
Dorothy Brenn
Peggy Richardson
Ron Riffe
Debbie Day
Paula Neyman
Sharon Hampton
Darrell Chapman
Connie Woods
3584- Bobby Cook
Elizabeth Eminowicz
Ariel Haro
Katheryn Matthews
6271- Nora Giler
Paul Gomez
Perry Gomez
Tomica Gulino
Patty Haverty
Carla Huffman
Gene Koller
Nelda Lopez
Patricia Ann Sharp
Robert Stotsenburg
JoAnne Sturgeon
Debra Thomas
6739- Lynn Sagvold
Terry McNeff
7400- Pam Bonnor
Scott Brower
Viann Davis
Mildred Derosio

Birthday Cont....

7400- Dominique Leonett
Carol Lucas
Lea Rae Hedgcock
Linda Lawson
Robyn Marie Butler
Lianne Young
9401- Barbara Bender
9972- Ann Caprari
Lynn Juul
Diana Vance
Minche Bell
Lore Ingram
Bonnita McCaghren
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Nancy Kimble
Judy Dow
Stephanie Morris
Holly Ludwig
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Jeraldine Wilfong
Dawndee Norton
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Aleta Jespersen
Julia McBee
Cynthia Olson
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The Ten Commandments of Friendship:

- 4. Be Friendly and helpful – if you would have friends be friendly**
- 5. Be Cordial – speak and act as if everything you do were a real pleasure**

Birthdays Cont.....

9972- Cynthia Nelson

Valerie Fenning

Linda Greenwood

Elizabeth Brandon

Pamela Gravely

Evelyn Harris

Mary Mahan

Nancy Martini

Joyce Mitchell

Rosemary McCracken

Mary Pippin

Ruth Brady

Topaz Davis

Stacey Echternach

Keta Hyatt

Rebecca Kent

Shirley Knight

Elizabeth Bourlier

Tilcia Branderhorst

Maggie Branderhorst

Rosemarie Morris

Judie Arellanes

Jennifer Truitt-Lewis

Olivia Sperle

11014- Lori Roll

Pati Morgan

Maxine Harding

Lea Burger

Jeanie Lutes

Jeannie Morgan

Catherine Wetzel

Donna Tadsen

Aline Parker

Liz Rosen

Jim Sedich

Barbara Smith

Carl Black

Visits to Hospitals Year to date:

275

**Visits to Members Homes Year
to Date:**

315

**Phone Call Made to members
Year to Date**

536

Thank You:

7400- Mary Sears

10385- Wanda Ross

MERRY CHRISTMAS
& Happy Holidays



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