

# VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AUXILIARY

## DEPARTMENT OF WISCONSIN



GENERAL ORDERS NO. 9

(MUST BE READ AT MEETING)

MARCH 2019

1. **YEAR END REPORTS** were sent out last month. Please complete them and mail them to your District President by the date indicated on each individual report. Not all reports are due on the same day. Please make sure you abide by the specified dates.

2. **MEMBERSHIP:** As I am writing this, the good news is that Wisconsin at 96.35% in Membership. WISCONSIN ROCKS!! Please remember if your dues are not paid you will not be able to attend meetings because you are no longer in good standing.

3. **STARS VS BRIDGES:** Thank you to all who participated in the "Stars vs Bridges" Competition! We (the auxiliary) are the winners of the "Stars vs Bridges". We collected \$6,695.75 for the Hospital Fund and the VFW collected \$818 for the Wisconsin Unmet Needs Fund.

4. **YOUNG AMERICAN CREATIVE PATRIOTIC ART CONTEST** entries are due to your local Auxiliary by March 31, 2019 and to Department Chairman Inez by April 15, 2019. Check out the National Scholarship bulletin in this mailing.

5. **TREASURERS:** Have all of the requested donations been made. Please check the sheet you received from the Department Treasurer (in the August G.O. and on our website: [www.wivfwaux.org](http://www.wivfwaux.org)) and send the donations to the proper place.

6. **LILLIAN CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIPS:** At this time, we have received enough donations to award 5 scholarships but would love to give more. Please donate if you have not done so.

7. **VFW NEWS:** At the Mid-Winter Conference it was reported that many Auxiliaries have not yet sent in their \$.50 per member donation and some only sent \$.35 per member. Please send your donation in now if you have not done so or have sent the wrong amount.

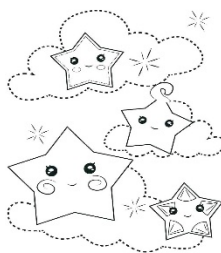
8. **Elections** should be held at your April meeting. If you are having difficulty trying to elect officers, a nomination committee is recommended on the auxiliary level to seek out individuals who may be willing to take an office that needs to be filled. **Remember, even if you keep the same officers, they still need to be elected & installed.** Delegates & Alternates for District Meetings need to be elected. District Delegate form is included in this mailing. Dept. and Nat'l Delegate forms will be in the next G.O. **Please read the information regarding Credentials in this mailing.**

My sympathies to all who have lost a loved one or have had surgery or been ill.

**"Believe...We Can Do It "while we are "Reaching for the Stars for Veterans".**

Loyally,

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