

Arizona Mission Training/Leadership October 2024 "Leading the Way" "P.A.W.S.S. – Pups and Warriors Side by Side" "Hands to Help, Paws to Save"

Now is the time for our Units to plan what activities they can do to promote National President Trish's theme and President Stacey's theme. This can be fun and exciting! Do you want to plan a Mission Training for your newer members or continue with a Mission Training 202 for those who have attended one or more in the past three years? Put this on your agenda for your next meeting so that you can get it scheduled early. Call and text (520) 249-1119 and remember the rule of 10. You must have a minimum of 10 members registered, \$10 each and sent to Department office 10 days prior to the scheduled date.

I would like to encourage Units to go on the department website aladeptaz.org to read the bulletins regularly along with other important information. We found at our National Zoom meeting that departments throughout the organization are really zoning in on the ALA Academy courses available to everyone. Why not make it a goal this year to have members take at the minimum 3-4 courses available. Go to alaforveterans.org. Make it a contest with a prize! Give an award at the end of the year and report it, of course. Everyday is a good day to take an ALA Academy course. They are self-paced and you can choose from a wide variety of topics. New ones are added each year.

As of this date a Mission Training has been held sponsored by Unit #91. Tucson Unit #36 has scheduled a Training on October 5th. Call Jennifer Turner Jones at 520-409-1751 if interested. A Training will be held by Ashfork Unit #57 on November 9th. Call Pam Foster at 480-206-8876 if you are interested in attending.

Enjoy your time "Leading the Way" through the Auxiliary year. Remember to text first and I will return your call.

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