



I want to thank department Auxiliary president Rose for this appointment. I am Nancy Morrow from unit 131. I am the new chairman for the Arizona State Veterans Home-Tucson. My Co-chairman is Fran Johnston from unit 7. I want to thank Bonni Distler for doing an outstanding job for ALA year 2022/2023. She had big shoes to fill and ran with it. I talked to Sam Nunez the therapeutic program manager. He said, the State home is now fully open. We are able to get in to do volunteering and bingo and birthday parties and such. To do so you need all your shots and boosters up to date and show your card and you will need a TB test done and get a fingerprint card. Face masks are optional. Its a big step to making things happen. We have been on lock down and shut down for so long. I am sure the residents will be over joyed to have us back in there volunteering and showing our support. If you wish to get more involved with volunteering directly at the Tucson State Veteran Home, please contact Sam and fill out a volunteer form. They can always use assistance with the gift shop, library and Bingo. Plus, there is a need for escorts to walk residents over to the VA so they can visit the cantina. The Birthday parties are being handled by Fran. Please get a hold of her by Facebook or texting or calling her at 520-599-4786. Fran doesn't do emailing. The July birthday party was put on by unit 24 and August will be done by unit 16 thank you units so much. Unit 16 (they have already sent in their money so the cupcakes and ice cream cups can be purchased and delivered to the home). All districts in area A can get involved and help at the State Home. Even the Legionnaires and Son's of The American Legion can volunteer. I need someone to volunteer to handle September . If willing to help contact Fran. Do I have a volunteer that would kindly step up for this very important event? The Gift Shop needs full-size candy bars, water, soda (regular and diet) of all kinds and individual bags of chips and crackers (variety packs work great). Please remember to mark on your donation check, before sending it to Department, which AZ State Veteran Home you wish your donation to go toward (Tucson, Phoenix, Yuma or Flagstaff).

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