



Volume 1 Issue 5
December 2012

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Twenty-one Veterans from the VA Wellness Center gather at Post 17 in New Smyrna Beach Post to do their Christmas Shopping. Unit members from 17th District had provided a variety of items for the veterans to select gifts for their family and friends. After the gifts had been selected they proceeded to the wrapping table where 17th District Auxiliary members wrapped the gifts for the veterans. A delicious lunch was served by Unit 17 to the veterans and volunteers and Santa paid us a visit. A joy that is shared is a joy that is made double. The Auxiliary members had the joy of giving these veterans the opportunity to have gifts to give to those they cared for, and the Veterans will have the joy of giving and seeing the smiles of the faces of those who will be receiving these gifts. The bus arrived dock side at Mayport Naval Air Station on December 7, 2012. Three Pearl Harbor survivors departed the bus and proceed

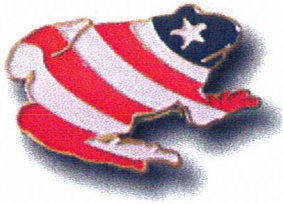
to walk down the red carpet to the gangplank of the Naval ship the USS De Wert. Young men and women serving in the Navy lined both sides of this red carpet and saluted, paying tribute to these men who had so valiantly served before them. Representatives from several patriotic organizations placed bouquets of flowers overboard in remembrance of those who gave their lives on that fateful day, December 7, 1941. It was my honor to place that bouquet for the Department of Florida Auxiliary members. After spending the chilly morning on the USS De Wert we went to Post 316 and Liz Hill had prepared some great navy bean soup, it hit the spot. 5th District President Robin Combs kept me very busy, we visited Units 137, 316, 88, 233, 283, 129 and 54. We toured the Clyde E. Lassen State Veterans Nursing Home in St. Augustine. On Sunday morning after having breakfast at Post 54 Fernandina Beach

we visited the site of the old log cabin post. It had been torn down but the beautiful old fireplace remains intact. A Veterans Memorial Park is being erected at this site. Commander Gunner and I had the privilege to be there for the dedication. It was such an honor for me along with Commander Gunner to place a wreath at this memorial, Fernandina Beach is my hometown. I finished up my 5th District visit by attending the 5th District Meeting, thank you to the "Mighty 5th" for a great visit.

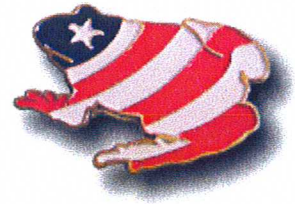
It is such a rewarding experience to visit with Legion Family members across the State and see and experience the wonderful things they do for those in need.

Moving Forward for God & Country
Peggy Hearlson
President





CHAPLAIN REPORT



Happy Holidays, Merry Christmas and have a good Hanukkah. As we come to the end of 2012, we look back to what we have done for our veterans and what we will be doing in 2013.

Happy New Year!

Our last deceased list for 2012, Peace be to the families of our lost loved ones.

District # 1

Unit 193
Unit 356

Thornton, Beryl Lannette
Brown, Rachel M.
Lynch, Teresa

District # 2

Unit 100

Blalock, Kathryn

District # 4

Unit 155

Reighard, Miriam

District # 6

Unit 80

Lay, Delores J.

District # 7

Unit 4

Holley, Videll

District #9

Unit 304

Dion, Claire E.

District # 11

Unit 65

Moran, Elaine Joy

Unit 188

Green, Gwendolyn

Unit 258

Stephens, Thelma

Unit 271

Sowers, Anne

Davenport, Becky

Putman, Rosemarie

District # 12

Unit 163

McHugh, Wanda
Wegner, Therese

District # 13

Unit 303

Piruki, Clara

District # 15

Unit 152

Kenworthy, Patricia

District # 16

Unit 173

Gasser, Simone

Unit 273

Aitchison, Jeanne

Bodine, Arlene

Forceia, Jean

Fry, Doris

Gainor, Maggie

District # 17

Unit 115

Rice, Opal G.

Unit 120

Hunley, Laverne

Hebrews 13; 1 & 2

Let brotherly love continue. Be not forgetful to entertain
strangers: for thereby some have entertained angels
unawares."

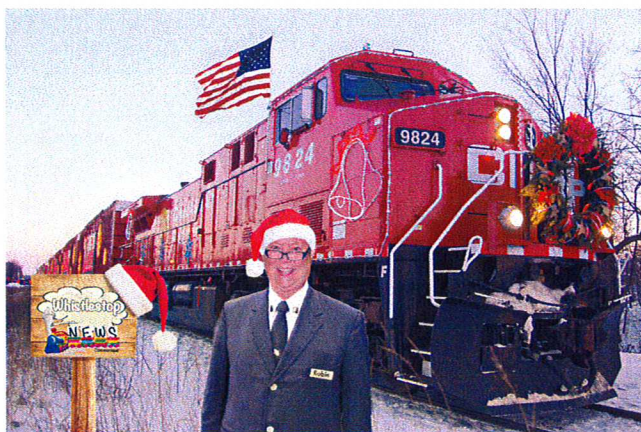


God bless the American Legion Auxiliary

Marion Vick

Department Chaplain





Girls State . . . The numbered applications have been mailed to Units we have received registration paperwork from. Remember you must have a minimum of 10 paid members and all quotas paid to register a girl for Girls State. Newly Chartered Units may participate the year they charter; however, they are required to pay quotas based on the number of members they charter with. Interested new Units should request an invoice along with registration paperwork from Department Headquarters.

It is very important that a Unit does not interview or tell a girl she has been selected for Girls State until they have the numbered application in their procession. In the past we have had Units tell girls they were going to Girls State when they did not have a numbered application and found out the program was full and had to go back and tell the girls they could not go. Save your Unit this embarrassment by following the rules.

Meet the deadline of March 10th! All completed applications are due back into Department by March 10th. Late applications will not be accepted. It is the Unit's responsibility to get these applications completed and signed by the student and parent . . . not the school! Do not leave them at the school and expect them to get them completed and return them to us by the deadline.

Familiarize yourself with the requirements for Girls State before you begin interviewing students. Every year we have problems because Units gave out incorrect information or were not familiar with the eligibility requirements. Remember, the Girls State Director have final say over a girl attending Girls State. We will not change the requirements because you selected an ineligible girl. There are no exceptions.

Do not tell a delegate she will be able to attend church while at Girls State because she will not. No delegate will be allowed to leave the program for any reason and that includes going to church. . There is no exception to this.

SECRETARYS DESK

Membership . . . If you are a test Unit, you are required in input your new members, then mail the applications along with a check and recap for payment. We will verify the application and pay the members. Please indicate on your recap that you have input the applications so we don't duplicate your work.

We still do not have a "Go Live Date" from National. They have been working on some problems with the system and hope to have them ironed out soon. We continue to be happy with the system and believe the Units will love it once it is complete and ready for full operation. Please continue to be patient. We will let you know as soon as we receive new information.

We seem to have a problem in several units with illegal membership. Remember it is the Unit's responsibility to verify an applicant is eligible according to Nationals rules. No Unit can waive the rules. If we continue to get complaints, the Department President will have no choice but call for a membership audit of your Unit. Clean up your house so Department doesn't have to.

Please double check you work when sending membership in for processing. We are getting a lot of duplicate payment for the same member, which tells me you are not marking your roster that someone has paid their dues and the recap number you submit it to Department.

New, renewal, rejoin and out of state transfers all require separate recaps and payment. Do not mix these on one recap or pay for them with one check.

If something is removed from your recap and returned to you with a credit; correct what is wrong, place on a new recap and use the credit to pay for it. Remember, credits issued for current dues can only be used for current dues. Credits issued for back dues can only be used for back dues.

Donations . . . are very low this year, resulting in our hospital representatives having to cut back on the work they do for our veterans. Please look at your budget and make sure you are doing everything you can to support the many projects of the Department of Florida.

Several units have not paid their quotas yet for this year. See notice in this Communiqué to see if your Unit is on the list.

Tax and Incorporations . . . we must remind all Units of their responsibility to file their annual report with the IRS and to be incorporated with the State of Florida per Department's Constitution and Bylaws. All Units must have their 2011 annual report filed with the IRS and a copy of this report must be on file at Department Headquarters. If your Unit's income for the year was under \$50,000 you must file a 990-N on line. All other Units are to file a 990 or 990 EZ.

If your Unit has not incorporated, contact us at Department by email at secretary@alaf1.org and provide us with the following information so we can prepare the forms for your Unit.

Unit address

County Unit is in

Street addresses if officer's list has PO Box address for President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Vice President.

Pick Treasurer or Secretary as registered agent.

Units that are incorporated, remember you must renew every year between January 1st and May 1st.

The office will reopen on January 2, 2013 following the holiday break.

On behalf of your office staff . . . we wish you all a safe and happy holiday season.

Robin Briere

Secretary/Treasurer

LEGISLATIVE

President signs Veteran's COLA Bill Nov. 27.
President Obama signed Public law 112-198 providing a cost-of-living adjustment of 1.7% for eligible veterans and dependents.

House of Representatives passed HR 4310- National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for Fiscal year 2013. A provision in the bill stipulated there would be an increase in prescription drug co-payments for TRICARE beneficiaries, a provision the American Legion opposed.

A supplemental report can be accessed with the following link: <http://goo.gl/b8oR2f>. The American Legion's longstanding campaign to gain full employment for the nation's job-seeking veterans accelerated rapidly this past year. According to a

report just released by its Economic Division in Washington, D.C., the Legion will have hosted, sponsored or participated in more than 200 veterans hiring fairs by the end of the 2012 calendar year – a record number.

Please email, phone and write your congressmen to oppose any cuts to benefits and services for our nation's vulnerable populations which include low income families, the elderly, the homeless and children.

Thank you to those Units who sent mid-year reports.

Wishing everyone a very Blessed Holiday Season,
Nancy Anderson
Legislative Chairman

UNPAID QUOTAS

District 1 Unit 221

District 2 Unit 272

District 3 Unit 322

District 5 Unit 197
Unit 373

District 6 Unit 21
Unit 52
Unit 63
Unit 331

District 7 Unit 213 (2012 &13)

District 9 Unit 287
Unit 310

District 11 Unit 199

District 12 Unit 171
Unit 358

District 14 Unit 168
Unit 333

District Presidents please contact your Units regarding this issue.

FLORIDA AMERICAN LEGION PRESS ASSOCIATION

2012-2013 Annual FALPA 'Best Papers' Contest

CATEGORIES:

1. District, Area, Miscellaneous Publications

For District-wide, Area-wide or Regional-wide publications:

A. Legion publications B. All other district, area or regional publications (SAL, Auxiliary, 40&8, La Femmes, 20&4, etc.)

2. Larger Posts

For all publications produced at the post level: A. Posts over 750 members B. Posts with 250 - 749 members

3. Smaller Posts, Units, Squadrons

For all publications produced at the post level: A. Posts up to 250 members B. All other unit/squadron publications (SAL, Auxiliary, etc.)

4. Editorials

Must have appeared originally in an American Legion or member publication within the contest year.

A. George Hartley award – Original effort of Editor B. Guest editorial (by lined or author identified)

Please read and follow the rules carefully.

Rules

- **Competition Year** - Papers and editorials submitted must have been issued / published between May 1, 2012 and April 30, 2013.
- **Basis Of Judging** - Papers will be judged on: Content (Legion, Auxiliary, SAL, local, county, district, state and national news, as appropriate); clear, concise and balanced writing; make-up; design and appearance; use of photos and illustrations.
- **Editorials** will be judged on: Headline and lead arousal of interest; clear, concise and imaginative writing; Research and grasp of subject; timely and appropriate objectives suitable to publication.

Entry Instructions

- Must be a current member of the Florida American Legion Press Association
- For categories 1, 2, 3 and 4, submit three (3) papers, one each of three separate issues.
- For category 4, submit only one (1) editorial. Send entire paper, put on cover sheet name & page number of the editorial.
- For all entries, an identifying cover sheet must be submitted, to include the following information, typed or printed neatly:
 - a. Name & Number of Post, District, Unit, Squadron, etc.
 - b. Full address of Post, Unit, Squadron, etc.
 - c. Name of Publication
 - d. Frequency of Publication
 - e. Average circulation number
 - f. Name mailing address, phone number of Editor
 - g. Name, mailing address, and phone entrant, if other than editor
 - h. Editorials, include author name, editorial

Entry Deadline

Entries must be postmarked no later than **May 1, 2013**

and mailed to:

Charlie Wing

2912 Imperial Palm Dr, Largo, FL 33771

captzap52@hotmail.com

Please mark the lower left corner of your mailing envelope: "CONTEST" and indicate the entry category for judging

e.g., 2-A; 4-B; etc.



CHRISTMAS MESSAGE



Christmas the season of goodwill, sharing and giving is here. I am proud to say that the members of the American Legion Auxiliary Department of Florida give continuously throughout the year. This Christmas season I would like to reflect on the dedication and commitment of our members.

Auxiliary members provide for our homeless veterans, support our active duty personnel and their families, provide food for community food banks, provide school supplies for our school children, volunteer in our VA Hospitals and nursing homes and so much more.

I appreciate and praise your dedication and in this season of Christmas, send you and your family my heartfelt gratitude. As you enjoy the festivities with friends and family, please accept my best wishes for a safe and enjoyable Christmas and a very Happy New Year.

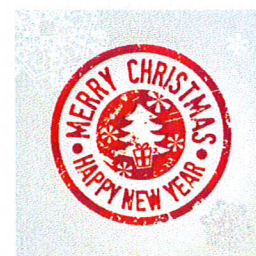
May God bless and keep you all.

Peggy Hearlson
Department President.



MERRY
CHRISTMAS

CAVALCADE
OF
MEMORIES



"Whoo-ooo, click a-ty-clack! Cavalcade of Memories is moving down the track!"

Happy New Year! I hope you all have a CAVALCADE OF MEMORIES chairman. Remember, this committee keeps the visual history of your Auxiliary. Are you taking pictures of events around your Post? Have set up a display honoring an Auxiliary member who has gone over and above? Or honored a Veteran at your Post? Have you found pictures of any of your past Auxiliary presidents? Have you found out or have anything from members who have passed away that would help with your visual history? If not what ya waiting for-let's just do it! Let's make Cavalcade be considered an important committee-we do not want to remain the "Roger Dangerfield" of committees. Let me know what you've been up to, and most of all have fun doing it.

Love to all of you and blessings for the New Year!
For God and Country,
Sandy Beasley



LEADERSHIP



Thank you to all who attended the Fall/Mid-winter Conference Leadership Correspondence Course and congratulations as you all passed the course. There is still time for members to take the on-line course and send me their answer sheet. I still have a few cards to complete and mail. A huge thank you to President Peggy for asking the Leadership team to participate in presenting this course and to Robin for making all the arrangements.

So far the ABC Instructors and trainees have completed an ABC School in 10 Districts and the turn-out was great with many new members in attendance. One of the areas that every district need to become familiar with is the name tags that we purchase. If you are purchasing name tags/badges from National Emblem Sales please remember that Units are "BLUE" with white print; District is "BLUE and WHITE" and the print is white on blue and blue on white; Department is "WHITE". Red badges are for National Officers.

At the Department Workshop held in July 2012, Vice President Gerrie Bailey did a great presentation on "Protocol" and I would highly recommend each Unit to take a few moments at each meeting to go over protocol and duties of Officers and Chairmen. Don't wait until after your elections for next year to try and explain what is expected of the Unit Officers and chairmen. By explaining and sharing information you would be surprised as to how many new members might step up to the plate and become involved.

The Leadership Team is still available to conduct an ABC school in your District. All you need to do is get in touch with me to schedule a date.

Upcoming schools for the 5th and 9th District will be on January 26, 2013.

A question was brought to me concerning the Unit President. A Unit President presides over the meeting and comes prepared with an agenda. She is the ex-officio of committees, not the chairman of committees. In the beginning of your term as Unit President you should appoint a committee to draw up the "Budget" and it should be presented to the Unit by the committee chairman for approval by the membership. Remember you must have a quorum to approve the budget. It is not a good practice for the Unit President to be the Treasurer, Secretary, Membership Chairman etc. It is also the duty of the Unit President to make a written annual report to the District President for Constitution Conference. She should also see that each Committee Chairman submits the Unit annual report to her respective District Chairman within the date guidelines.

All of instructions for Unit President and Officers can be found in the Unit Guide. Each Unit President and Secretary received a Unit Guide at the beginning of the 2012-2013 year.

If I can be of any assistance to the District or Unit Leadership Chairman please do not hesitate to contact me at leadership@alafi.org

Wishing you and yours a very Merry Christmas and a Happy Healthy New Year. Please remember to keep our veterans, active duty servicemen and women and their families in your prayers.

Merry Christmas,
Mary Kehoe
Leadership Chairman
leadership@alafi.org



Happy Holidays traveler! My gift to you is the solutions to the 10 most common computer problems! Go to <http://goo.gl/AMKB2> to learn more!

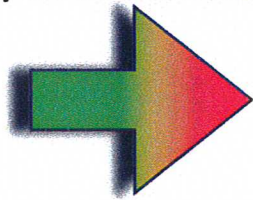
ALL ABOARD! FOR MEMBERSHIP!



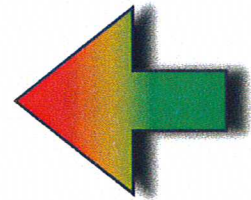
“Chug a Chug a Motion like a railroad train, now!!! Come on, Baby, Do the Member-Motion!”

As we do the **Member-Motion** all over the State of Florida we are getting to the hard uphill part of Membership. Florida is sort of ‘stuck’ in the 60+% range and we need to top that 70% hill. I know it is a struggle but the 2nd renewal notices should be out soon so that will bring in another round of renewals but don’t just count on those notices from National. Be contacting your members that have not renewed! Send them a post card, or set up a calling team, get together on a Saturday afternoon and split up the membership list and call and chat with your members that have not renewed yet. Also, make sure you invite them to participate in your programs and events!

REMEMBER – ask ladies to join your Unit. So many people say ‘No one has asked me’ as the reason they are not members!



THE 70% MILESTONE IS COMING UP JANUARY
25TH - - YOUR CREDENTIALS AT CONVENTION
WILL REFLECT WHICH MILESTONES YOU
MADE - YOUR UNIT DELEGATION WILL WANT
TO SHOW OFF YOUR PROGRESS!



Send in your ‘**Recruit 1**’ member forms as we go along all year – don’t wait till the end of the year. Forms received before December 31st are eligible for a \$100 drawing! Membership Chairmen - make sure you send in those forms directly to National after they are verified by your Secretary. The Angel pins will be mailed to Department and then mailed out to the Units. You can also find the form on the Auxiliary website at www.alafl.org.

Peggy’s Train Trip through Florida at Fall Conference really highlighted all the Programs that are available for us to be supporting. Our year is flying by and I’m sure each of you is working hard to provide the ‘fuel’ (membership) that the Unit needs to keep this Train supporting our Veterans and these programs. If you have a particularly great Membership story or successful membership event please share it with me. All year I have to report to the National Membership team and it really helps me to have specific information to share with the other Membership Chairmen that have taken on this job.

Email me your Membership success stories or if you are having a great event for Membership invite me to come – you never know – I may just show up!! You can email me at membershipchairman@alafl.org, or just pick up the phone...850-774-4800.

Thank you for all your hard work this year!

All ABOARD!!

Tina Kirchoff
Conductor



Membership Statistical

*Membership through 12/18/2012 has been
keyed*

DISTRICT 1					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
75	CRESTVIEW	161	115	71.43%	-2
78	MILTON	48	42	87.50%	-16
121	JAY	18	14	77.78%	-4
193	PENSACOLA	125	97	77.60%	-28
221	NICEVILLE	71	39	54.93%	0
235	FT.WALTON BCH	184	149	80.98%	-48
240	PENSACOLA	250	166	66.40%	-29
296	DESTIN	73	43	58.90%	-3
340	PENSACOLA	304	168	55.26%	-1
356	LYNN HAVEN	216	117	54.17%	2
375	SOUTHPORT	62	26	41.94%	8
378	GULF BREEZE	26	6	23.08%	8
382	NAVARE	124	74	59.68%	-6
392	PANAMA CITY	113	98	86.73%	-36
District		1775	1154	65.01%	-178

DISTRICT 4					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
16	GAINESVILLE	71	53	74.65%	-3
27	OCALA	28	34	121.43%	-14
56	STARKE	21	13	61.90%	2
58	DUNNELLON	62	43	69.35%	0
77	IVERNESS	54	50	92.59%	-12
91	TRENTON	24	15	62.50%	2
149	NEWBERRY	46	15	32.61%	17
155	CRYSTAL RIVER	330	235	71.21%	-4
210	OCALA	18	12	66.67%	1
225	FLORAL CITY	30	19	63.33%	2
230	HAWTHORNE	51	31	60.78%	5
236	WILLISTON	19	10	52.63%	3
237	BEVERLY HILLS	85	74	87.06%	-15
284	BELLEVUE	205	142	69.27%	2
314	STARKE	20	16	80.00%	-2
District		1064	762	71.62%	-17

DISTRICT 2					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
13	TALLAHASSEE	92	85	92.39%	-21
51	CHATTAHOOCHEE	25	0	0.00%	18
82	LANARK VILLAGE	72	56	77.78%	-6
84	HAVANA	24	12	50.00%	5
100	MARIANNA	66	59	89.39%	-13
114	CRAWFORDVILLE	30	29	96.67%	-8
172	HOSFORD	19	5	26.32%	8
217	QUINCY	59	26	44.07%	15
241	SNEADS	67	62	92.54%	-15
272	BLOUNTSTOWN	12	10	83.33%	-2
District		466	344	73.82%	-18

DISTRICT 5					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
9	JACKSONVILLE	24	24	100.00%	-7
37	ST. AUGUSTINE	123	70	56.91%	16
54	FERNANDINA BCH	234	158	67.52%	6
88	JACKSONVILLE	118	79	66.95%	4
129	JACKSONVILLE BCH	356	215	60.39%	34
137	JACKSONVILLE	613	397	64.76%	32
174	FERNANDINA BEACH	10	14	140.00%	-7
194	ST. AUGUSTINE	34	13	38.24%	11
197	JACKSONVILLE	44	27	61.36%	4
202	KEYSTONE HGTS	106	69	65.09%	5
233	PONTE VEDRA BCH	161	82	50.93%	31
244	SO. JACKSONVILLE	57	51	89.47%	-11
250	MIDDLEBURG	346	239	69.08%	3
283	JACKSONVILLE	256	192	75.00%	-13
316	ATLANTIC BCH	484	262	54.13%	77
373	ORANGE PARK	25	22	88.00%	-8
District		2991	1914	63.99%	-269

DISTRICT 3					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
49	MONTICELLO	20	15	75.00%	-1
57	LAKE CITY	232	190	81.90%	-28
107	LIVE OAK	41	21	51.22%	8
131	GREENVILLE	42	26	61.90%	3
215	JASPER	43	23	53.49%	7
224	MADISON	36	17	47.22%	8
291	STEINHATCHEE	153	114	74.51%	-7
322	LAKE CITY	18	10	55.56%	3
383	OLD TOWN	155	105	67.74%	4
District		740	521	70.41%	-3

**All 2013 Renewals recived through
12/18/2012 have been keyed!**

DISTRICT 6					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
10	KISSIMMEE	308	199	64.61%	17
19	ORLANDO	229	130	56.77%	30
21	UMATILLA	47	28	59.57%	5
35	MOUNT DORA	100	59	59.00%	11
52	LEESBURG	22	14	63.64%	1
53	SANFORD	212	135	63.68%	13
55	CLERMONT	136	110	80.88%	-15
63	WINTER GARDEN	38	1	2.63%	26
76	TAVARES	37	20	54.05%	6
80	ST. CLOUD	261	204	78.16%	-21
101	BUSHNELL	142	84	59.15%	15
109	OCOE	41	41	100.00%	-12
112	WINTER PARK	18	18	100.00%	-5
183	ALTAMONTE SPR	134	82	61.19%	12
219	FRUITLAND PARK	272	182	66.91%	8
242	ORLANDO	183	114	62.30%	14
286	PINE CASTLE	334	224	67.07%	10
330	LEESBURG	51	42	82.35%	-6
331	ORLANDO	78	14	17.95%	41
347	LADY LAKE	820	727	88.66%	-153
District		3463	2428	70.11%	-4

DISTRICT 7					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
3	BARTOW	85	60	70.59%	-1
4	LAKELAND	110	84	76.36%	-7
8	WINTER HAVEN	672	459	68.30%	11
34	HAINES CITY	85	59	69.41%	0
71	LAKE WALES	12	18	150.00%	-10
72	MULBERRY	175	70	40.00%	53
118	ZEPHYRHILLS	39	23	58.97%	4
201	FLORENCE VILLA	48	44	91.67%	-10
213	MOULTRY-CRAFT	20	0	0.00%	14
339	CRESTHAVEN	58	34	58.62%	7
District		1304	851	65.26%	62

DISTRICT 8					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
11	ARCADIA	40	21	52.50%	7
24	BRADENTON	437	303	69.34%	3
25	LAKE PLACID	393	261	66.41%	14
30	SARASOTA	52	48	92.31%	-12
69	AVON PARK	288	222	77.08%	-20
74	SEBRING	87	55	63.22%	6
113	ROTANDA WEST	416	286	68.75%	5
159	VENICE	838	614	73.27%	-27
254	NORTH PORT	110	60	54.55%	17
266	FRUITVILLE	150	2	1.33%	103
309	PALMETTO	292	187	64.04%	17
312	ONECO	277	178	64.26%	16
325	ELLENTON	45	32	71.11%	-1
District		3466	2,269	65.46%	157

Check out the "What's New" Section
on the website to see recent changes.

DISTRICT 9					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
36	FT. LAUDERDALE	112	77	68.75%	1
92	HOLLYWOOD	144	96	66.67%	5
142	POMPANO BEACH	320	233	72.81%	-9
157	MARGATE	367	226	61.58%	31
162	DEERFIELD BEACH	342	217	63.45%	22
180	PLANTATION	130	98	75.38%	-7
209	DANIA	35	20	57.14%	5
222	FT. LAUDERDALE	87	62	71.26%	-1
287	DEERFIELD BEACH	15	14	93.33%	-4
304	DANIA	276	175	63.41%	18
310	HALLANDALE	42	25	59.52%	4
321	COOPER CITY	183	125	68.31%	3
District		2053	1368	66.63%	69

DISTRICT 11					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
20	BELLE GLADE	60	51	85.00%	-9
47	LAKE WORTH	135	104	77.04%	-10
62	STUART	79	89	112.66%	-34
64	OKEECHOBEE	138	91	65.94%	6
65	DELRAY BEACH	61	50	81.97%	-7
141	WEST PALM BCH	119	74	62.18%	9
164	BOYNTON BEACH	179	136	75.98%	-11
188	DELRAY BEACH	17	17	100.00%	-5
199	WEST PALM BCH	49	39	79.59%	-5
258	GREENACRES	27	19	70.37%	0
268	RIVIERA BEACH	135	99	73.33%	-5
269	LANTANA	27	20	74.07%	-1
271	JUPITER	165	155	93.94%	-40
277	BOCA RATON	105	79	75.24%	-6
288	BOYNTON BEACH	75	68	90.67%	-16
367	ROYAL PALM BCH	55	38	69.09%	1
District		1,426	1,129	79.17%	-131

DISTRICT 12					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
1	TITUSVILLE	293	216	73.72%	-11
22	COCOA	131	71	54.20%	21
39	VERO BEACH	205	113	55.12%	31
40	FORT PIERCE	251	185	73.71%	-9
81	MELBOURNE	149	111	74.50%	-7
117	PALM BAY	377	271	71.88%	-7
126	JENSEN BEACH	190	146	76.84%	-13
163	EAU GALLIE	380	259	68.16%	7
171	FORT PIERCE	43	17	39.53%	13
189	SEBASTIAN	104	45	43.27%	28
191	MELBOURNE	161	84	52.17%	29
200	SATELLITE BEACH	97	61	62.89%	7
318	PORT ST LUCIE	355	266	74.93%	-18
332	KENNEDY SPACE CTR	35	6	17.14%	19
348	CAPE CANAVERAL	210	117	55.71%	30
358	FORT PIERCE	58	39	67.24%	2
359	PORT ST JOHN	245	157	64.08%	15
366	BAREFOOT BAY	83	58	69.88%	0
394	PALM BAY	57	31	54.39%	9
District		3424	2,253	65.80%	144

DISTRICT 13					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
38	FORT MYERS	108	73	67.59%	3
90	CAPE CORAL	184	91	49.46%	38
103	PUNTA GORDA	332	245	73.80%	-13
110	PORT CHARLOTTE	532	352	66.17%	20
123	SANIBEL	93	42	45.16%	23
130	LABELLE	206	148	71.84%	-4
135	NAPLES	404	278	68.81%	5
136	PINE ISLAND	409	294	71.88%	-8
192	FORT MYERS	27	17	62.96%	2
274	FORT MYERS BCH	579	356	61.49%	49
303	BONITA SPRINGS	379	268	70.71%	-3
323	LEHIGH ACRES	434	352	81.11%	-48
336	N. FORT MYERS	240	168	70.00%	0
351	FT MYERS SHORES	100	72	72.00%	-2
388	BONITA SPRINGS	16	0	0.00%	11
District		4043	2756	68.17%	74

DISTRICT 16					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
7	CLEARWATER	411	271	65.94%	17
14	ST. PETERSBURG	148	40	27.03%	64
79	NEW PORT RICHEY	331	158	47.73%	74
104	PINELLAS PARK	296	161	54.39%	46
119	LARGO	384	226	58.85%	43
125	GULFPORT	395	244	61.77%	33
158	TREASURE ISLAND	135	88	65.19%	7
173	HOLIDAY	297	158	53.20%	50
238	SAFETY HARBOR	249	170	68.27%	4
252	CROSS BAYOU	559	397	71.02%	-6
273	MADEIRA BEACH	2,113	929	43.97%	550
275	DUNNEDIN	308	193	62.66%	23
305	ST. PETE BEACH	166	98	59.04%	18
335	HUDSON	227	165	72.69%	-6
District		6019	3298	54.79%	915

DISTRICT 14					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
28	KEY WEST	83	59	71.08%	-1
29	MIAMI	11	9	81.82%	-1
31	MIAMI	133	128	96.24%	-35
43	HOMESTEAD	56	28	50.00%	11
67	NORTH MIAMI	108	57	52.78%	19
98	CORAL GABLES	50	30	60.00%	5
133	PERRINE	96	65	67.71%	2
154	MARATHON	173	104	60.12%	17
168	KEY WEST	44	22	50.00%	9
333	KEY LARGO	83	52	62.65%	6
346	MIAMI	39	30	76.92%	-3
374	KEY BISCAVNE	76	47	61.84%	6
District		952	631	66.28%	35

DISTRICT 17					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
6	DELAND	129	49	37.98%	41
17	NEW SMYRNA BCH	256	192	75.00%	-13
45	PALATKA	43	16	37.21%	14
115	BUNNELL	96	48	50.00%	19
120	HOLLY HILL	240	183	76.25%	-15
127	LAKE HELEN	26	23	88.46%	-5
204	DAYTONA BEACH	51	25	49.02%	11
255	DELTONA	32	31	96.88%	-9
259	DEBARY,ORANGE CT	36	24	66.67%	1
267	ORMOND BEACH	171	96	56.14%	24
270	PORT ORANGE	166	102	61.45%	14
285	EDGEWATER	324	183	56.48%	44
293	INTERLACHEN	138	102	73.91%	-5
361	SOUTH DAYTONA	175	104	59.43%	19
District		1883	1178	62.56%	140

DISTRICT 15					
UNIT	NAME	GOAL	NOW	CURRENT %	NEEDED 70%
5	TAMPA	43	34	79.07%	-4
26	PLANT CITY	37	32	86.49%	-6
99	BROOKSVILLE	42	25	59.52%	4
111	TAMPA	59	39	66.10%	2
138	PORT TAMPA CITY	308	257	83.44%	-41
139	TAMPA	170	127	74.71%	-8
147	ODESSA	50	32	64.00%	3
148	RIVERVIEW	220	158	71.82%	-4
152	TAMPA	309	207	66.99%	9
167	TAMPA	12	15	125.00%	-7
186	SPRING HILL	392	246	62.76%	28
248	WEST TAMPA	25	16	64.00%	2
334	TAMPA	52	33	63.46%	3
389	RUSKIN	37	16	43.24%	10
District		1756	1237	70.44%	-8

70% Target - 1/25/2013

DISTRICT ORDER
ALL MEMBERSHIP KEYED AS OF 12/18/2012



American Legion
Auxiliary
Department of Florida

District 11	.....	79.17%
District 2	.....	73.82%
District 4	.....	71.62%
District 15	.....	70.44%
District 3	.....	70.41%
District 6	.....	70.11%
District 13	.....	68.17%
District 9	.....	66.63%
District 14	.....	66.28%
District 12	.....	65.80%
District 8	.....	65.46%
District 7	.....	65.26%
District 5	.....	63.99%
District 17	.....	62.56%
District 1	.....	62.01%
District 16	.....	54.79%

The 2013 Department Membership Goal is **38,204**

As of 12/18/2012, **25,090** membership have been processed.

We are currently at 65.67%