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#### **Mission Statement**

In the spirit of Service, Not Self, the mission of the American Legion Auxiliary is to support The American Legion and to honor the sacrifice of those who serve by enhancing the lives of our veterans, military, and their families, both at home and abroad.

For God and Country, we advocate for veterans, educate our citizens, mentor youth, and promote patriotism, good citizenship, peace and security.

#### **Vision Statement**

The vision of The American Legion Auxiliary is to support The American Legion while becoming the premier service organization and foundation of every community providing support for our veterans, our military, and their families by shaping a positive future in an atmosphere of fellowship, patriotism, peace and security.

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**ANN KING-SMITH** 

I think my favorite saying for this time of year is "together is the best place to be." I don't think any of us felt the deep meaning and appreciation for that phrase until facing the Coronavirus pandemic this year. Not only has our new way of thinking and living affected our "together" time with immediate family, it's also hampered our "together" time with friends, especially our American Legion family members. Recently, I have spoken with Auxiliary members that haven't been able to have a meeting in months. They yearn for the companionship of others and being able to work together to fulfill our ALA Mission. I am so glad to see members becoming adaptable to the change that surrounds us all. Districts and units are beginning to have regular, in person meetings. Some have changed their governing documents and are allowing members that are uncomfortable attending a meeting in person to attend electronically. Being versatile or sometimes called "thinking out of the box," is what makes us amazing. Of course, we are "Florida ALA Strong" but sometimes, in order to be successful and carry on, we must try different ways to meet our objectives.

The pictures you have been posting on Facebook of your school supply drives and food bank donations have been wonderful. This is just one more way to prove that you can't keep a good ALA member down! We all love seeing the pictures but at the request of our Department Commander, I must remind you to please limit photos to ones showing the wearing of face coverings and practicing social distance guidelines. Everyone has worked extremely hard to open our posts, so we are being asked to only post pictures that show us in CDC compliance.

I'm sure you are all aware of the cancellation of the November Fall Conference in Orlando. This was a difficult decision for our American Legion leaders to make but, as always, the health and safety of

our members was first and foremost. I know that many other Departments, as well as our National organization, have been successfully holding meetings and training sessions electronically. I also know that although our Department Chairmen have tried their best to put information you "need to succeed" in writing, it's always better to see them and hear them as they deliver their information to you. So, after approval from our Department Executive Committee, we have decided to offer our members some virtual Sessions. Department Officers, Chairmen and District Presidents will be preparing and recording video presentations that you will be able to view in the comfort and safety of your home. Please check the Department Website and the next issue of Mail Call for upcoming details.

On Saturday, Department Secretary Patty
MacDonald. VA&R Chairman Jane Hardacre and
I attended a virtual VAVS (VA Voluntary Service)
meeting that was hosted by our National VA&R
Chairman, Vicki Koutz. All during the meeting, I
kept reflecting on exactly how much service our

volunteers provide for the VA system and our veterans. Since the pandemic began, facilities here in Florida have not allowed volunteers to continue



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their regular duties. This is true over most of our nation. I know that our ALA volunteers provide so much joy to veterans in our VA facilities and I know the loneliness felt during their absence is immeasurable.

So, to brighten the holidays for every hospitalized veteran in Florida, we will be sending handmade Christmas ornaments/decorations to each VA facility for distribution to our veterans. They can display items in their rooms and make their holiday a little brighter. The most exciting thing is THESE ITEMS WILL BE MADE BY OUR FLORIDA MEMBERS. Details for categories, size requirements, etc. will be added to our Department Website soon, so please check for information. Oh.... I completely forgot.... I will be forming a panel of judges and there will be prizes, in the form of gift cards, awarded to members in each category. I know that we have some highly creative members in Florida, so let's get those thinking caps on. Although you can count your efforts on a report, the smile your contribution will bring to the face of a veteran will be priceless.

On Friday, September 11th, I was invited to travel with members from Unit 117 in Palm Bay as they delivered lunches to area First Responders. This was the second time I have had the opportunity to join in on this amazing effort. The entire Post 117 Family participated to make this a huge success. Some cooked, some packed food, some organized and planned, some escorted the drivers on motorcycles, and some delivered. I was honored to ride in the first car out with Past Unit President, Diane Wood, at the wheel. Department Junior Activities Chairman, Dara Oliver, joined in as she rode her red, white and

blue Indian motorcycle. Being able to be small part of something so big, was rewarding beyond words. Looking into the eyes of our police officers, firemen and paramedics remind us of what an important role they each play in our day-to-day safety. Thank you, Unit 117, for making a difference in so many ways!!!







## NATIONAL SECURITY

RHONDA BRAILEY-MAURER

Can you believe it's fall already, I bet you're already working on ways to support our military service members and their families, lets go over a few ideas.

#### **Supporting and Donating to the USO**

The United Service Organizations has been lifting the spirits of service personnel since 1941, providing welfare, services, and fun activities for troops and their families (like live concerts for deployed soldiers). USO Treehouse specifically supports programs for the kids in military families, such as free Sesame Street Live performances — fun! If you speak to someone that has been coming and going from deployments they always found the USO's a great place for a cup of coffee and a snack as well as a making calls to home, finding internet access and a comfortable place to hang out during long airport delays. The concerts the USO sponsors during deployments were a welcome break from their daily duties.

As many of you know since the pandemic, the DOD had placed a" stop movement order" for our military. This also affected many programs of the USO, however, if there's a will there's a way, unfortunately most of the airport USO centers have been closed due to the Airports CDC recommendations plus the stop movement order. Volunteer opportunities are very limited, but if a military unit call on them for morale support, they will be off site to offer their services.

Donations are very much need this year, and I have even made a chairman's award for it, Oh yes I did, and here it is:

 USO Donation Support Award: A plaque will be presented to the unit in each membership grouping (1-6) that has made the highest contribution to the USO through the Department of Florida by March 31, 2021. If there are more than one winner in the grouping, each unit will get a certificate

instead. (suggestion is to send in odd dollar amounts)

- o Donations must be submitted to the Department of Florida on the Donation Remittance Form 2020-2021, for the USO (15060).
- o The contributions will be tallied up monthly by units, which is visible to everyone to view on the Contribution Form, Under Quicklinks on www.alafl.org. This is a new award this year

#### **Supporting Programs with Operation Homefront**

There are a few ways we can be active with some of the Operation Homefornt Programs, and I know a few units and members already are.

- Coming up will be the "Meals for the Military" program that units can do as a grab and go events for either Thanksgiving or the Christmas dinners in your area for our Servicemembers & families.
- There will also be the "Holiday Toy Drive" through the partnership with the Dollar Tree stores around the state, starting up in mid-Nov. Customers of the store are encouraged to donate toys for military children, and once or twice before the drive is over someone (hint hint) will pick-up the toys and get them distributed. This program is designed to help and support Military families with children, and let's not forget the National Guard and Reserve families.

For either of these programs, please contact Operation Homefront Beth McGregor the Program Coordinator for Florida @ Beth.McGregor@

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OperationHomefront.org or 813-469-8253 (she's also a ALA member). Don't wait until the time is almost here, start your planning now.

#### **Supporting Healing Programs**

In a time when there is so much stress and uncertainties, many veterans, military, first responders, blue, silver and gold star families just need a place to unwind with a little fellowship, camaraderie and even counseling, if needed. Here are a few in the state that I know of, and you can check them out on your own.

• My Warriors Place in Ruskin, FL www. mywarriorsplace.org and on Facebook with the same name, it's is ran by Kelly Kowell, gold star mother and ALA member. She was also featured on Returning the Favor with host Mike Rowe

- on Jan 2020 the segment is called One Mom;s Miracle.
- Renewal Coalition in Jupiter, FL www. renewalcoalition.org and also on Facebook by the same name.
- **REBOOR Recovery** locations vary www. rebootrecovery,com and also on Facebook by the same name

All these organization need monetary donations to continue their programs, but they may also have volunteer opportunities, it is worth checking into.

Please continue to follow us on Facebook at "FLALA National Security". This page is to promote and educate on the National Security program of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Please be safe and stay healthy, you are all so important to our mission!



It is hard to believe that the summer is almost over! I know many of us have spent the entire spring and summer very close to home. Between the unbelievable weather our country is experiencing and the continued effects of COVID 19 restrictions, I am sure you join me in hoping that we can soon return to a somewhat "normal" life.

Staying close to home has other benefits: more time to work on our support of the American Legion Legislative Agenda.

In this article I want to address two things as we approach a very important time of the year-Elections and Communication.

#### **American Legion Auxiliary and Elections:**

The following is a guide for units as we approach

It is important for us to engage in the process,

but there are limitations as to what we can do in the political arena. Our mission is to educate and inform our members and encourage them to exercise their right to vote. The American Legion Auxiliary is a nonpartisan association and we may not donate money or resources to any candidate, nor may we endorse any candidate for office.

#### Therefore, the American Legion Auxiliary CANNOT:

- Make a campaign contribution to, or an expenditure for, any candidate.
- Neither can they endorse any candidate.

The American Legion Auxiliary CAN:

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- Educate voters on the voting process.
- Provide information to our members about the voting process by helping voters determine where, when, and how to vote.
- Look up polling locations and describe to new voters what will happen at the polls.
- Organize Get-Out-the-Vote activities.
- Offer rides to the polls.
- Encourage and remind people to vote.
- Incorporate voting reminders into services and programs.
- Make the election visible by communicating within your Post and community.
- Volunteer at the polls.

#### Why should we pursue voter engagement?

- To advance the mission and values of our association.
- · To increase voter turnout numbers,
- To get the American Legion Agenda in front of legislators and local leaders,

#### **Communication:**

The best way to have successful communication between our Department Legislative Committee and our districts/units is to make sure that we have your accurate information. Please email the legislative committee at <a href="mailto:legislative@alafl.org">legislative@alafl.org</a> with your information. You are the most vital link in the communications chain!

District Presidents - if you have not already provided me with you Legislative Chairman's name, please do so. I would like to have this information by the end of October so that I can set up a call with them and start to plan our first legislative webinar for the year.

#### A few tools as you start your year:

- Take advantage of the free resources available at www.legion.org/legislative
- Encourage members to join us on our ALA Legislative Facebook page. Stay connected to the National Facebook page at ALALegislative for daily posts, videos, and monthly Monday Legislative Messages with special guest speakers. Our Department of Florida Facebook page is FLALALegislative for weekly posts and legislative updates.

 Discuss at your General meeting how to sign up for Action Alerts so that members can support the American Legion by weighing in on current legislation. Sign up at <a href="https://www.votervoice.net/AmericanLegion/home">https://www.votervoice.net/AmericanLegion/home</a>.

#### **Take Action Now:**

## Computers for Veterans and Students Act of 2020 or the COVS Act

This bill allows federal agencies to directly transfer surplus computers and related technology to refurbishers for eventual distribution to schools, veterans, seniors, and other specified populations in need. The General Services Administration (GSA) may also transfer property it receives from other agencies to refurbishers for such purposes. Currently, the GSA operates the Computers for Learning Program, which distributes surplus computers and related technology from federal agencies to schools and educational nonprofits; the program does not allow property to be transferred directly to refurbishers.

The American Legion proudly supports this legislation as it improves the quality of life for our veterans.

Since we are still celebrating the 100th Birthday of the American Legion Auxiliary, you still have time to complete the 100th Birthday Proclamation. This can be a goal of history for your unit this year. All you need to do is contact your local mayor, congressman's office and see if you can set up an appointment or attend a local city council meeting and have them sign the Proclamation. Sample wording for the Proclamation can be found under the Legislative Page on the ALA Department of Florida website.

Thank you to all our members for what you are doing for our veterans! Please remember to report your activities and track your hours as you support the American Legion Legislative Agenda.

I hope you will join me as we look forward together to a successful continuation year advocating for our military, veterans, families and communities!



#### First Coast Honor Flight Will Serve Northeast Florida Veterans

By Selena Hernandez-Haines, CDR USN(Ret), President, First Coast Honor Flight, Inc.

**First Coast Honor Flight, Inc. (FCHF)** is a recently created Hub in the nationwide Honor Flight Network, and the first to serve Northeast Florida Veterans.

Established in March 2020, FCHF will serve primarily Nassau, Duval, St Johns, Flagler, Putnam, Clay, Baker, Union, and Bradford counties, an area which is home to more than 169,000 Veterans. Priority will be given, in order, to seriously ill Veterans of any service era; World War II, Korean War, and Vietnam War Veterans; and Veterans with more recent service.

FCHF is planning its inaugural trip in April 2021 in anticipation of an improved public health situation allowing safe travel and the full, red-carpet Honor Flight experience. The Honor Flight group will travel roundtrip from Jacksonville International Airport to Baltimore-Washington International Airport in a single day, with metro D.C. travel via chartered motor coach. Our itinerary will include the World War II, Iwo Jima, Korean War, and Vietnam War Memorials, as well as front-row seats for the Changing of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknowns in Arlington National Cemetery. Additional memorials may be added, as time allows.

**Three things** are necessary for a successful Honor Flight: **Veterans, Guardians, and Volunteers**.

- **Veterans** are the reason Honor Flight Network and all Honor Flight Hubs exist! Our sole mission is to provide elderly and ill Veterans an opportunity to visit the Washington, D.C. monuments and memorials which honor their service and sacrifice, and to experience again the camaraderie of fellow Veterans during a day of recognition and remembrance.

- **Guardians** assist Veterans throughout the Honor Flight, and are privileged to hear firsthand the amazing stories and experiences shared by the Veterans during the trip.
- **Volunteers** make Honor Flights happen by helping prepare for and conduct events such as the pre-Flight orientation two to three weeks before the Honor Flight, departure and return ceremonies at the airport on Flight Day, and an emotion-packed Flight reunion a few weeks post-flight.

First Coast Honor Flight is seeking applications from Veterans, Guardians, and Volunteers for our inaugural flight in April 2021. Visit firstcoasthonorflight.org to learn more about FCHF, to apply for travel on an Honor Flight as a Veteran or Guardian, or to serve as a Volunteer. For more information, email info@firstcoasthonorflight.org or call (888) 400-1185.



# DISTRICT 13 JOANNÉ SCALES-BOROWY BHIBA

Greetings from District 13. We hope this article finds everyone safe and healthy. Because of this pandemic, we still continue to respect the CDC's recommendation to socially distance, wear masks, and wash our hands. Given those limitations, we are still accomplishing some wonderful things.

Many units have finally opened and have begun having their monthly meetings once again. We held six installations and as always, it was a proud moment to see the enthusiasm that our elected Unit officers brought to these moments. We all continue to encourage membership even though we are still operating at only 50%. Many posts have been doing incredible appreciation lunches and get togethers for First Responders in their towns.

Other Units have continued getting donations and sending covered Pringle cans and boxes full of goodies and supplies for our troops deployed overseas. Though school is looking very different this year, it hasn't

stopped many Units from visiting our schools and donating boxes and backpacks filled with school supplies, cleaning supplies and clothes for our children. District 13 would love to give a shout out to Sharon Beck from Unit 323. We all know she is an incredible seamstress. This member donated her time and helped make 1,000 masks for the schools in her town. She also made stuffed animal bears for the local Sheriffs Department to give out to the children. In closing, we are holding a District meeting on Sunday, September 13 at Unit 110 and look forward to seeing some Auxiliary members. One thing is for certain. We will all be very grateful when this pandemic is over and we can rev up our super gliders full speed ahead. Meanwhile, stay safe everyone.



















WOW! In the words of Grateful Dead "What a Long Strange Trip it's Been"! This pretty much sums up the past six plus months. Nevertheless, with the beginning of the new Auxiliary Year, Auxiliary Members across the Nation are back at work, thinking of new ways to serve our Veterans, Military, and their Families. After all, as Auxiliary members it is what we have been doing for over 100 years!

During these past 6 months, National Headquarters has stayed hard at work, creating new ways to bring the learning to you.

#### **Learning Opportunities:**

Currently registration is now open for the **ALA Academy Live: Mission Delivery – Veteran Service**! This webinar is designed to provide you with resources to tailor your programs to meet the needs of the veterans in your community. You will also learn about opportunities to serve in VA facilities.

**ALA Academy Live:** Mission Delivery: Basic Training with 3 sessions open for registration –since they were almost full within hours of launch, National has expanded the capacity of the classes and will look at adding more sessions.

**ALAMIS Training Videos**: National has removed the old content from the current website and has been working on replacements, which will be posted late fall. Other membership sessions (lunch and learn, etc.) will proceed sometime in October.

**ALA Foundation Grants**: This course will showcase ALAF grants available to Units and Departments, explain grant process and provide inspiration by including actual grant recipients. This panel webinar will launch this fall.

**ALA Junior Leadership (TBD)**: National has also been working on upgrading the ALA Academy operating system to make it more user friendly. They have already made a change so that courses launch in

a new tab in a browser vs. a window. The new version has some great-added

enhancements. Many of the above courses will be recorded and then posted in the ALA Academy.

In addition to these great courses, National is developing a video series tentatively titled, "Operating with Efficiency" to include courses such as:

**Governing Docs**: This course focuses on identifying essential pieces to effective governing documents, including, why word choice matters. Presenters will also share what types of things go in each section, how to make changes to your written documents and how to keep record of the changes.

**Running a Meeting:** This course will not only focus on parliamentarian procedures for running an effective meeting, discuss different types of motions and the correct ways to submit and process these motions, and venture into the new world of Electronic Meetings.

**Effective Governing Boards**: This course will cover topics on what makes an effective governing board. Discussion will include suggestions for how to form the board, number of members, types of people and skill sets, approval, removal, term lengths, and much more.

**Members Rights/Due Process**: Did you know every member of the ALA has "Members Rights?" Well, they do! Take this course to learn more about Members Rights, how to educate your members on their rights, and how to make sure your members and Unit/Dept. are protected.

**Member Expectation Statement/Code of Conduct**: This course will cover the benefits of having a written Member Expectation Statement (also called

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a Member Code of Conduct/Behavior) AND walk you through the steps of creating a code, educating your members on the code, and holding members to the code.

**Prevention versus Punishment**: This course will focus on steps to take in order to address situations before they become problems. Let's focus on deepening our interpersonal relationships as opposed to looking for ways to punish and remove members. What are first steps to addressing a problem? How do you know if the behavior is just irritating or cause for concern? What are some mediation best practices to help resolve issue before they turn caustic? Can we create more opportunities for mission delivery if we spend less time dealing with "problems?"

These are all in the "this is a great idea!" stage so please be patient as National develops the course content and the facilitation plan to bring you the best quality product they can. For more information or to sign up for any of these classes please visit <a href="https://www.alalfroveterans.org">www.alalfroveterans.org</a>

#### In other news:

**NVCAF Update**: The National Veterans Creative Arts Festival (NVCAF) which had been scheduled for November 28 – December 5, in St. Petersburg, Florida will be changing formats from an in-person to a virtual, at-home event to be held the week of November 30. The VA Director of the Creative Arts Festival has worked very hard to make this virtual event an engaging and rewarding event for our veterans!

**Boys State Documentary**: As many of you may be aware, the Boys State Documentary featuring Texas Boys State was released nationwide on Friday, August 14 on Apple TV+. Reviews say it is definitely worth watching, with two different reviewers mentioning "Oscar contender" when reviewing it. If you would like to watch the documentary on Apple TV+ — you have the ability to subscribe to Apple TV+ at no-charge for a seven (7) day Free Trial: click the link below. <a href="https://www.apple.com/apple-tv-plus/">https://www.apple.com/apple-tv-plus/</a>

**Additionally:** During the NEC meeting, held virtually in late August President Nicole created, and the NEC

ratified, two special purpose committees – "The National Code of Ethical Conduct Review Committee" and "The Inclusion & Diversity Committee." The next step is to reach out to you our members and find qualified individuals willing to serve on these committees. More information on the application process will be available at <a href="https://www.alaforveterans.org">www.alaforveterans.org</a>.

The COVID-19 Pandemic has elevated the importance for ALL members to understand content in the ALA's governing documents. Therefore, during the NEC meeting, a resolution presented by the Constitution and Bylaws committee was passed declaring October 24, 2020 to be recognized as "ALA National Read your Unit/ District/ County/Department/ National Constitution and Bylaws Day" effective for the 2020-20221 Administrative year.

We have all heard our new tagline "A Community of Volunteers Serving Veterans, Military, and their Families." Now available for download on National's website are flyers and posters of the ALA Declaration. (See attached Poster below)

Also during the NEC meeting, National President Nicole announced Florida's Department 1st Vice President Wanda Brandt has been appointed to the National Constitution & Bylaws Committee for the 2020-2021 year. Congratulations Wanda!

I would like to end with some informtaion about our National Commander Bill Oxford's "100 Miles for Hope." This is a virtual 100-mile walk/run/ride challenge starting Aug. 3 and going through Veterans Day 2020. It is a way to invigorate donations for the Veterans & Children Foundation, as well as encourage American Legion Family members to be active in this time of social distancing.

Learn more about this initiative on the Legion website, <u>www.legion.org/100miles</u> and get started by registering at Emblem Sales.

So whether you choose to walk/ run/ ride/ or ride your motorcycle... Join me as we continue to honor our commitments to all veterans, military families, and children in need. To date I have completed 52 miles and I look forward to posting my 100 miles success on social media.







As fall approaches, and our State begins to re-open, may we remember our Veterans, and family members who are no longer with us. May we open our

hearts to those who have sacrificed so much for our lives to continue. Please Thank a Veteran for his service and say a Prayer for those who are working hard to keep us all alive and well. Our first responders need our strength, love and prayers. Say a special prayer for those fighting the fires in California, Oregon and Washington and for the families that have lost so much already out there. Father, we ask that you help them through this crisis, as you always do. We also ask that you help us to end this pandemic. Please protect the men and women of the Armed Forces and bring them home soon. Amen

#### **Recently Departed Members**

#### **DISTRICT 1**

Mildred Reares, Unit 240 Hilda Higgins, Unit 340

#### **DISTRICT 3**

Joyce Chazam, Unit 129

#### **DISTRICT 5**

Debra Della Penna, Unit 129 Patricia Ramsey, Unit 137 Kathryn Dorsey, Unit 316

#### **DISTRICT 6**

Diane Rocker, Unit 10 Mary Magee, Unit 80 Virginia Johnston, Unit 286 Aileen Webb, Unit 347

#### **DISTRICT 8**

Claire Beechler, Unit 159 Sharyn Heller, Unit 159 Elma Hett, Unit 159 Ann Weaver, Unit 159

#### **DISTRICT 9**

Sandra Morway, Unit 142

#### **DISTRICT 11**

Jean Martin, Unit 277

#### **DISTRICT 12**

Agnes Ciolfi, Unit 1 Margaret Lorraine Reafler, Unit 163 Lana Urquhart, Unit 163 Samantha Coyle, Unit 359

#### **DISTRICT 13**

Margaret Mueller, Unit 323 Joyce D. Williams, Unit 323

#### **DISTRICT 16**

Berith C. Acton, Unit 158



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As COVID continues ... what happens to our Schools, our learning process, our socialization ability and Our Kids ...especially Our Junior Members?

This year is like No Other!! It has thrown us every crazy curve ball that we could have ever imagined. The American Legion Auxiliary, for the most part, has put programs, committees awards and National events on hold and because of CDC guidelines, we abide by the rules and wait ... but Education; Can't Wait, Kids Growing Up – Can't Wait, regardless of what the school year looks like for you and your family, it must ... Go On! The National Organization decided to ask the current Senior Officers and Chairman to stay where they are and continue this year, but the Junior Activities Program couldn't do that because some girls would be too old and age up, so they kept the election dates as well as some of the awards and scholarships to continue as planned.

We need to Congratulate Jasmine Harris, who was elected as the National Honorary Junior Southern Division Vice President. Jasmine attended the National Junior Meeting in Orlando in January and was elected by her peers on-line from July 27th – August 10th. She succeeded in following another ALA FL Junior: Delaney Enya Oliver. What an honor to have these girls represent Florida on the National Junior level. Jasmine will be running a meeting (hopefully next year) at the same time the Senior members will be attending So. Div. Mission Training. I also need to mention that Jazzy is the incoming Honorary Department of FL Junior President and will be installed soon, she is a member of Mulberry Unit and plays softball.

2020-2021
Honorary National Junior
Division Vice Presidents

- Central - Mackenzie Townes, Michigan
- Eastern - Elizabeth Leonard, Vermont
- Northwestern - Emily Suess, Minnesota
- Southern - Jasmine Harris, Florida
- Western - Samantha Hook, Nevada

Several districts are in a different phase than other parts of the Department and there's always personal choice to sending your child to "brick & mortar" or a virtual classroom. So many of our #ALAFLJuniors still got ready, dressed and excited about their first day of school, even with some additional anxiety. Our Juniors have proven

that they are resilient and adaptable. They keep moving forward and haven't stopped during this entire

Pandemic. Some Jr. members donated necessary items such as toilet paper, paper towels and hand sanitizer, others made masks, some worked on community service projects or just said the Pledge of Allegiance every day. Whatever was needed, Our Juniors did it and it sure does make us Proud! So here's some of our Florida Juniors on their First Day of School. We wish them the BEST of Luck and an enjoyable School Year!

Another one of our Amazing Juniors is Ashley Colegrove.

She was awarded the Congressional Award Bronze Medal and they even made an avatar out of her. Only 48,000 of these awards are earned annually in the nation and reflects a youth's commitment to public service and leadership. Ashley has already made a tremendous impact on her community and Veterans that live there! Congratulations Ashley and I think



our future looks bright with these amazing Juniors leading the way!







#### "REV UM UP" WITH MEMBERSHIP

Well it is a new year and we have shifted our gears down and are ready to get started again for this new year. It has been an exciting ride with many curves and bumps in the road. No telling what this year has instore for us, but knowing the Members of this great Auxiliary I am sure we can over come an obstacle that comes our way. "So get your motors running and head out on the highways, looking for our Veterans and the families that come our way."

With no convention and no conference this past year we were not able to give out any of our awards. So I would like to mention all the winners here and let you know we will be getting all of your plaques and ribbons out to you as soon as possible.

As of Close Of Books all Unit's at 100% or Better Are: Units/ 75, 78, 240, 296, 340, 382, 13, 217, 241, 291, 58, 77, 155, 166, 237, 54, 88, 129, 194, 202, 233, 244, 283, 316, 372, 55, 112, 183, 219, 347, 4, 34, 11, 30, 69, 74, 159, 254, 266, 325, 142, 220, 287, 310, 321, 20, 62, 64, 65, 277, 39, 40, 81, 117, 171, 189, 200, 318, 344, 348, 358, 366, 394, 410, 90, 103, 110, 135, 274, 323, 351, 31, 98, 138, 139, 147, 148, 152, 186, 248, 389, 7, 158, 252, 273, 275, 45, 115, 127, 255, 267, 361 Districts Finishing Order Lowest to Highest Close Of Books

District 3 89.62%, District 14 91.98%, District 7

92.78%, District 1 93.47%, District 17 94.43%, District 9 94.71%, District 2 95.37%, District 5 97.01%, District 16 99.25%, District 11 99.36%, District 13 99.61%, District 8 99.88%, District 4 100.44%, District 6 101.59%, District 15 102.17%, District 12 103.04%.

#### District's Do Not Forget Your Challenges.

The END OF THE ROAD SPECIAL AWARD. I would like to thank the unit's who have submitted a narrative for this award. It was difficult to choose just one. All of the narratives were well done and had a lot of great ideas and pictures included.

THE WINNER OR THE END OF THE ROAD AWARDS IS: District 13 Unit 323 Lehigh Acres Membership Chairman: Kathleen Reed President: Loretta Arnett

Please let me or any of the area Chairman if your District or Unit would like to host a membership training class. We are looking forward to once again serving you and all the Unit's in this great State of Florida. So Lets "REV UM UP" once again, and show the Nation how strong of an organization we are.

Thanks for all you do, and for everything you will do.



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# PARLIAMENTARIAN MARY KELLY-PERKINS

The 13 Ranking Motions – motions lower on the list cannot be made if anything higher is pending. Fix the time to which to adjourn: This motion is used to set the time for another meeting to continue business of the session. It does not adjourn the present meeting or set a time for its adjournment. Cannot interrupt the speaker, needs to be seconded, it is debatable and can be amended. Needs Majority vote.

Adjourn: This is a motion to close the meeting. You cannot interrupt the speaker, needs to be seconded, not debatable and cannot be amended. Needs Majority vote.

Recess: A short interruption which does not close the meeting. After recess, business resumes at exactly the point where it was interrupted. You cannot interrupt the speaker, it is not debatable, needs to be seconded and it can be amended. Needs Majority vote.

Raise a question of privilege: This device permits a request or a motion relating to the rights of either the assembly or an individual to interrupt business and, because of its urgency, be brought up for possible immediate consideration. You can interrupt the speaker, does not need a second, it cannot be amended nor is it debatable. Needs No Vote.

Call for the order of the day: By the use of this motion, a single member can require the assembly to follow the order of business or agenda, or to take up a special order that is now due to come up, unless two-thirds of the assembly wish to do otherwise. **Cannot interrupt the speaker, needs to be seconded, it is debatable and can be amended. Needs 2/3 vote.** 

Lay on the table: This motion is used to place the pending motion aside when something of an urgent nature arises and needs the immediate attention of the assembly. Cannot interrupt the speaker, needs to be seconded, it is debatable and can be amended, Needs majority vote.

Previous question: This is simply a motion to end debate, allow no further subsidiary motions on the pending motion, and take a vote. It must be seconded, no debate is allowed, and a 2/3 vote is needed to close debate.

You cannot interrupt the speaker, it does need to be seconded, it is not debatable, nor can it be amended. Needs 2/3 vote,

Limit or extend limits of debate: This motion can reduce or increase the number and length of speeches permitted or limit the length of debate on a specific question. Cannot interrupt the speaker, it needs to be seconded, it is not debatable, it can be amended. Needs 2/3 vote.

Postpone definitely: Should be used if the body needs more time to decide or if there is a time for consideration of the question that would be more convenient. The postponement cannot be beyond the next session in a group that meets regularly. Cannot interrupt speaker, needs to be seconded, it is debatable and can be amended, Needs Majority vote.

Commit or refer to a committee: This motion sends the main motion to a committee for further examination and refinement before the body votes on it. Cannot interrupt speaker, needs to be seconded, it is debatable and can be amended. Needs Majority vote.

Amend: The intent of this motion is to modify the pending motion before it is voted on. Cannot interrupt speaker, needs to be seconded, can be debatable and can be amended. Needs Majority vote.

Postpone indefinitely: This motion, in effect, kills the main motion for the duration of the meeting without having to take a vote on it. Cannot interrupt the speaker, needs to be seconded, can be debatable and amended. Needs Majority vote.

Main motion: a formal proposal for consideration and action. Cannot interrupt the speaker, needs to be seconded, it is debatable and can be amended. Needs Majority vote.

Tune in next month for more Parliamentary Points.



## BACK TO SCHOOL



Unit 75: American Legion Auxiliary Unit 75 from Crestview donated \$480 to one of our teachers to supply 26 virtual students supplies needed for classes. Each student receives a box with supplies shown.











Unit 139: American
Legion Dale Marby Post
139 Family located in
Tampa Florida drops off
Back to school supplies
for two local schools in
the South Tampa Florida
area. Shown in Photo is
Debra Strade Rohm, Unit
139 President Dee Wilson,
and Mary Stone.







**Unit 148:** President Julia Arndt wanted to thank every one in the American Legion Family, Sons, Legionnaire, Riders, Marines and especially the Auxiliary members for your donations of school supplies for both Gibsonton Elementary and Riverview Elementary Schools. It was a great success!!









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**Unit 152:** Emma and Ainsley junior members of Tampa Unit 152







Town and Country Elementary

Submitted by: Ann King-Smith



**Unit 152:** One morning I was thinking that we had not collected school supplies. That day I went out and bought more than my annual usual and put the word out to our unit that I would collect and deliver to 4 local schools as this years need would be great and very different.

I was able to collect specific cleaning supplies, masks and Lysol spray along with the usual need of pencils, paper, notebooks and various other supplies. I also challenged our unit for a cash donation as our education fund was rather low. I took a 100.00 bill to the meeting for the challenge of a cash donation.

I collected \$740.00 that night with one member making a 300.00 cash donation (thank you Patty P). From that donation I was able to purchase more supplies and the remaining monies to be put into the education fund. I applaud the members of ALA Town and County Memorial unit 152 and thank them for their generosity and caring for the children who are our future.

To the Left are pictures of a collection and delivery to 4 local schools performed myself a proud member of Town and Country Memorial unit 152, located at 11211 Sheldon Rd, Tampa, FL 33626 Tampa, FL. ~ Sheryl Kinsler



**MAIL CALL** 

## BACK TO SCHOOL



**Unit 189:** On August 12th, 2020 the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 189 Sebastian, Florida delivered 15 boxes of School Supplies valued at \$1,282.00 to Pelican Island Elementary School Sebastian, Florida.

Names in picture are: Jeramy Keen Assistant Principal, Rebecca Diaquair, Theresa Thompson Auxiliary Sgt. at Arms, Janie Diaquair, Bryan Lee, Violet Lee, Mori Serpa Auxiliary President, Daisy Williams Auxiliary Secretary, Jamie Stalter, and Shannon Lindsey









**Unit 248:** West Tampa Memorial American Legion Auxiliary Unit 248's post





**Unit 323:** Lehigh Acres School supply drive up for 47 Children





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**Unit 1:** "Titusville Unit 1 delivers school supplies to 4 elementary schools every year in September and throughout the school year when the schools make known their needs to us. Our Education Chairman, Donna Shearer and School Liaisons Karen Ingram and Sally Flesher visit each of the 4 schools frequently to let them know we are ready and willing to help."

The National Veterans Creative Arts Festival (NVCAF) which had been scheduled for November 28 – December

5,2020 in St. Petersburg, Florida will be changing formats

from an in-person to a virtual, at-home event to be held

the week of November 30. Due to concerns for public

health related to COVID-19, the change permits Veterans

to continue to be artistically engaged and to be recognized

for their creative accomplishments.

## FL ALA HAPPENINGS











District 12: Unit 200 held a blood drive on Saturday, August 15. It was a very hot day with temperatures reaching over 100 in the shade. With all the COVID restrictions in place, donors had to wait in the post or outside the big red bus. Unfortunately, some donors were turned away because standing in the heat made them register with a temperature over

the acceptable limits. Even with a small turnout after advertising on the radio, One Blood informed Chairman Debbie Hitchcock the unit was able to raise 15 units of whole blood and 4 units of packed red blood cells, and they felt under the circumstances it was a successful blood drive.







District 12: Unit 200 installation August 10, 2020

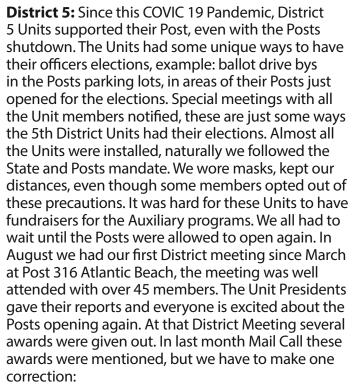


**District 17:** Toni Ellsworth is the president of the American Legion Auxiliary for District 17, and she looks forward to returning to the Emory L. Bennet Veterans Nursing Home in Daytona Beach to throw birthday parties and provide other activities for veterans.

"My heart is with the veterans, and I think these guys know that very well," said Ellsworth, whose father and brother were Army veterans. "It's very heartwarming to help the veterans, especially those that are really in hard times, that don't have any family. That's what we're here for." ~ Ormondbeachobserver.com







Bridgette Green from Unit 194 St. Augustine received the 5th District, Unit President of the Year

2019-2020 award











**District 5:** The Mighty Fifth District Juniors held their first District Meeting at Jim J Gilleo Unit 283 as the host Unit. The Juniors did a Project making Hand made Craft Get Good Well Cards for a 95 years old WWII Veteran who lives in the State of Delaware who recently fell and resulted in head injuries and a broken vertebrae. Juniors from Jacksonville Unit 9, Jacksonville Beach Unit 129, Jacksonville Unit 283, and St. Augustine Unit 194 along with 5th District President Annie Anderson at the meeting.

At the same time, some of the Juniors from Jacksonville Unit 9, braved the extreme heat and planted Poppies around the Post Home as apart of their Beautification Projects.

The Mighty Fifth District Juniors are on the Move!



# FL ALA HAPPENINGS



**Unit 40:** Delivering lap robes to Hospice for the veterans at Hospice House for their pinning ceremonies.



**Unit 9:** Roberta Tucker, President of Jacksonville Unit 9, received The Unit of the Year Award for 2019-2020 from 5th **District President** Annie Anderson for the Excellent work the Unit did throughout the Year even with the Coronavirus Crisis for our Veterans and Families and Community.



**Unit 77:** left to right: Bet Chavous, District 4 President; Lou Isley, Decorating Committee; Donna Harris, Sgt. at Arms; Pam Webb, President; Clogene Shons, Treasurer; Laura Beetow, 1st Vice President; Karen Loger Chaplain.







Unit 5: One of the members from American legion U.S.S Tampa Unit 5 went to Fire Station #14 in Tampa Florida. This member Bonnie O'Brien made up special goodie bags for each of the Firemen and thanked them for all they do for our community.







**Unit 40:** Certificate of Appreciation to businesses for flying the American Flag





**Unit 27:** Installation of Officers and Executive Committee for Ocala Memorial Unit 27 District 4. District President Elizabeth Chavous was kind enough to come and install us on Sept 1st.













**Unit200:** Derby Day September 5, 2020 was a smaller event than last year due to COVID 19 restrictions. Unit 200, District 12 was able to raise \$420 for veteran causes from members only attendance.





**Unit 155:** Installations of Auxiliary officers Unit 155 Crystal River Aug 8th 2020



**Unit241:** DALA Unit 241, held its Officer Installation on Thur., Aug. 27th. Guests present were District President Nell Hewitt and Unit 13 member Donna Winsloe. Pictured: Left to right: Kaye Brown, President; Margaret Zeigler, 1st Vice President; Joyce McDaniel, Secretary; Ann Shepard, Member-at-Large; Faye Walden, Treasurer; Frances Cloud, Chaplain; Debra Mann, Historian



## MEMBERSHIP REPORTS

**SEPTEMBER 11, 2020** 

16.57%

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DISTRICT 1										
UNIT	CITY GOAL JR SR TOTAL PERCENT									
0075	Crestview	185	0	20	20	10.81%				
0078	Milton	15	0	5	5	33.33%				
0193	Pensacola	82	0	12	12	14.63%				
0221	Niceville	72	0	21	21	29.17%				
0235	Ft Walton Beach	166	0	24	24	14.46%				
0240	Pensacola	220	2	34	36	16.36%				
0296	Destin	50	0	5	5	10.00%				
0340	Pensacola	322	4	53	57	17.70%				
0356	Lynn Haven	145	0	30	30	20.69%				
0375	Southport	56	1	16	17	30.36%				
0378	Gulf Breeze	47	0	7	7	14.89%				
0382	Navarre	164	0	10	10	6.10%				
0392	Panama City	144	1	25	26	18.06%				
0402	Panama City Beach	34	0	12	12	35.29%				

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TOTALS

DISTRICT 3									
UNIT CITY GOAL JR SR TOTAL PERCENT									
0049	Monticello	22	0	3	3	13.64%			
0057	Lake City	232	0	35	35	15.09%			
0107	Live Oak	44	0	17	17	38.64%			
0131	Greenville	11	0	0	0	0.00%			
0215	Jasper	36	0	0	0	0.00%			
0224	Madison	36	0	3	3	8.33%			
0291	Steinhatchee	184	2	57	59	32.07%			
0383	Old Town	129	0	6	6	4.65%			
	TOTALS	129	0	6	6	4.65%			

DISTRICT 2										
UNIT CITY GOAL JR SR TOTAL PERCENT										
0013	Tallahassee	88	1	20	21	23.86%				
0082	Lanark	81	1	18	19	23.46%				
0084	Havana	31	7	5	12	38.71%				
0100	Marianna	36	0	2	2	5.56%				
0217	Quincy	52	4	25	29	55.77%				
0241	Sneads	69	21	26	47	68.12%				
1	OTALS	357	34	96	130	36.41%				

P	DISTRICT 4									
	UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT			
	0016	Gainesville	43	0	3	3	6.98%			
É	0027	Ocala	15	0	1	1	6.67%			
	0058	Dunnellon	44	0	4	4	9.09%			
	0077	Inverness	48	0	3	3	6.25%			
	0149	Newberry	24	2	9	11	45.83%			
	0155	Crystal River	328	3	85	88	26.83%			
١	0166	Homosassa Springs	109	0	35	35	32.11%			
1	0230	Hawthorne	38	2	16	18	47.37%			
	0236	Bronson	36	0	1	1	2.78%			
	0237	Beverly Hills	169	0	52	52	30.77%			
1	0284	Belleview	84	0	23	23	27.38%			
		TOTALS	938	7	232	239	25.48%			

	DISTRICT 5									
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT				
0009	Jacksonville	37	1	13	14	37.84%				
0037	Saint Augustine	30	0	1	1	3.33%				
0054	Fernandina Beach	164	2	41	43	26.22%				
0088	Jacksonville	90	2	21	23	25.56%				
0129	Jacksonville Beach	361	4	85	89	24.65%				
0137	Jacksonville	469	4	54	58	12.37%				
0194	St Augustine	74	0	9	9	12.16%				
0197	Jacksonville	50	0	1	1	2.00%				
0202	Keystone Heights	56	0	0	0	0.00%				
0233	Ponte Vedra Beach	172	31	33	64	37.21%				
0244	Jacksonville	25	0	10	10	40.00%				
0250	Middleburg	326	23	50	73	22.39%				
0283	Jacksonville	459	8	42	50	10.89%				
0316	Atlantic Beach	345	6	40	46	13.33%				
0372	Mandarin	33	0	3	3	9.09%				
0373	Orange Park	41	0	1	1	2.44%				
0401	Hilliard	41	0	1	1	2.44%				
	TOTALS	2773	81	405	486	17.53%				

DISTRICT 7										
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT				
0003	Bartow	74	0	3	3	4.05%				
0004	Lakeland	63	0	9	9	14.29%				
0008	Winter Haven	586	0	91	91	15.53%				
0034	Haines City	73	0	20	20	27.40%				
0071	Lake Wales	43	0	7	7	16.28%				
0072	Mulberry	152	0	13	13	8.55%				
0201	Florence Villa	37	0	4	4	10.81%				
	TOTALS 1028 0 147 147 14.30%									

	DISTRICT 6										
	UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT				
	0010	Kissimmee	191	0	33	33	17.28%				
4	0018	Wildwood	15	0	0	0	0.00%				
ì	0019	Orlando	126	0	12	12	9.52%				
	0035	Mount Dora	129	0	9	9	6.98%				
į	0041	Eustis	13	0	7	7	53.85%				
A	0052	Lake Panasoffkee	4	0	1	1	25.00%				
ì	0053	Sanford	54	0	3	3	5.56%				
ı	0055	Clermont	146	0	20	20	13.70%				
ı	0063	Winter Garden	35	0	3	3	8.57%				
	0800	Saint Cloud	248	0	43	43	17.34%				
7	0101	Bushnell	116	0	21	21	18.10%				
	0109	Ocoee	16	2	4	6	37.50%				
	0112	Winter Park	23	2	13	15	65.22%				
	0183	Fern Park	132	0	4	4	3.03%				
	0219	Fruitland Park	205	1	40	41	20.00%				
	0242	Orlando	123	0	8	8	6.50%				
	0286	Orlando	167	2	28	30	17.96%				
•	0330	Leesburg	63	1	37	38	60.32%				
	0331	Orlando	13	0	0	0	0.00%				
	0347	Lady Lake	2647	6	888	894	33.77%				
	0412	Orlando	17	0	0	0	0.00%				
		TOTALS	4483	14	1174	1188	26.50%				

DISTRICT 8										
UNIT	CITY GOAL JR SR TOTAL PERCENT									
0011	Arcadia	34	10	20	30	88.24%				
0024	Bradenton	289	0	36	36	12.46%				
0025	Lake Placid	355	0	22	22	6.20%				
0030	Sarasota	78	4	23	27	34.62%				
0069	Avon Park	636	3	89	92	14.47%				
0074	Sebring	94	0	13	13	13.83%				
0113	Rotonda West	327	0	23	23	7.03%				
0159	Venice	730	0	62	62	8.49%				
0254	North Port	120	0	13	13	10.83%				
0266	Fruitville	144	0	4	4	2.78%				
0309	Palmetto	163	0	40	40	24.54%				
0312	Oneco	262	0	12	12	4.58%				
0325	Ellenton	163	0	16	16	9.82%				
	TOTALS	3395	17	373	390	11.49%				

DISTRICT 9										
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT				
0036	Ft Lauderdale	32	0	9	9	28.13%				
0092	Hollywood	98	0	19	19	19.39%				
0142	Pompano Beach	200	2	20	22	11.00%				
0157	Margate	176	9	18	27	15.34%				
0162	Deerfield Beach	182	0	17	17	9.34%				
0180	Fort Lauderdale	95	0	35	35	36.84%				
0209	Dania Beach	20	0	0	0	0.00%				
0220	Ft Lauderdale	32	9	18	27	84.38%				
0222	Fort Lauderdale	49	0	3	3	6.12%				
0287	Deerfield Beach	15	0	0	0	0.00%				
0304	Dania	69	0	5	5	7.25%				
0310	Hallandale	37	0	11	11	29.73%				
0321	Cooper City	208	1	50	51	24.52%				
0365	Sunrise	16	0	2	2	12.50%				
	TOTALS	1229	21	207	228	18.55%				

DISTRICT 11									
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT			
0020	Belle Glade	54	1	12	13	24.07%			
0047	Lake Worth	103	0	4	4	3.88%			
0062	Stuart	393	1	154	155	39.44%			
0064	Okeechobee	126	0	4	4	3.17%			
0065	Delray Beach	54	3	13	16	29.63%			
0141	West Palm Beach	92	2	25	27	29.35%			
0164	Boynton Beach	140	2	18	20	14.29%			
0199	W Palm Beach	41	0	13	13	31.71%			
0268	Riviera Beach	80	9	13	22	27.50%			
0271	Tequesta	156	4	51	55	35.26%			
0277	Boca Raton	99	0	36	36	36.36%			
0288	Boynton Beach	30	0	0	0	0.00%			
0367	Royal Palm Beach	42	0	0	0	0.00%			
	TOTALS	1410	22	343	365	25.89%			

	DISTRICT 12									
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT				
0001	Titusville	311	5	53	58	18.65%				
0022	Сосоа	86	0	26	26	30.23%				
0039	Vero Beach	199	0	7	7	3.52%				
0040	Fort Pierce	187	0	32	32	17.11%				
0081	Melbourne	137	0	5	5	3.65%				
0117	Palm Bay	499	4	58	62	12.42%				
0126	Jensen Beach	216	0	10	10	4.63%				
0163	Eau Gallie	253	1	39	40	15.81%				
0171	Fort Pierce	16	0	13	13	81.25%				
0189	Sebastian	135	0	63	63	46.67%				
0191	Melbourne	95	0	0	0	0.00%				
0200	Satellite Beach	165	5	26	31	18.79%				
0318	Port St Lucie	874	2	161	163	18.65%				
0344	Merritt Island	45	0	1	1	2.22%				
0348	Cape Canaveral	181	0	47	47	25.97%				
0358	White City	64	0	4	4	6.25%				
0359	Port St John	283	0	39	39	13.78%				
0366	Barefoot Bay	74	17	20	37	50.00%				
0394	Palm Bay	161	4	15	19	11.80%				
0410	Viera	12	0	2	2	16.67%				
	TOTALS	3993	38	621	659	16.50%				

DISTRICT 13							
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT	
0038	Fort Myers	45	0	6	6	13.33%	
0090	Cape Coral	244	1	31	32	13.11%	
0103	Punta Gorda	430	0	61	61	14.19%	
0110	Port Charlotte	560	1	61	62	11.07%	
0123	Sanibel	60	0	0	0	0.00%	
0130	Labelle	131	0	18	18	13.74%	
0135	Naples	339	1	58	59	17.40%	
0136	Saint James City	460	0	60	60	13.04%	
0192	Fort Myers	21	0	13	13	61.90%	
0274	Fort Myers Beach	588	0	35	35	5.95%	
0303	Bonita Springs	404	4	77	81	20.05%	
0323	Lehigh Acres	434	16	103	119	27.42%	
0336	N Ft Myers	354	0	63	63	17.80%	
0351	Fort Myers	91	0	0	0	0.00%	
TOTALS 4161 23 586 609 14.64%							

	DISTRICT 14								
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT			
0028	Key West	57	0	8	8	14.04%			
0031	South Miami	176	4	65	69	39.20%			
0043	Homestead	57	0	2	2	3.51%			
0067	North Miami	55	0	15	15	27.27%			
0098	Coral Gables	21	0	2	2	9.52%			
0133	Miami	71	0	4	4	5.63%			
0154	Marathon	157	0	11	11	7.01%			
0168	Key West	12	0	1	1	8.33%			
0333	Key Largo	80	0	7	7	8.75%			
0346	Miami	20	0	1	1	5.00%			
0374	Key Biscayne	42	0	16	16	38.10%			
	TOTALS	748	4	132	136	18.18%			

	DISTRICT 16							
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT		
0007	Clearwater	294	0	31	31	10.54%		
0014	St Petersburg	104	0	14	14	13.46%		
0079	New Port Richey	433	1	28	29	6.70%		
0104	Pinellas Park	226	4	33	37	16.37%		
0119	Largo	389	1	32	33	8.48%		
0125	St Petersburg	329	2	61	63	19.15%		
0158	Treasure Island	301	0	23	23	7.64%		
0173	Holiday	274	0	32	32	11.68%		
0238	Safety Harbor	278	5	50	55	19.78%		
0252	Seminole	1005	0	171	171	17.01%		
0273	Madeira Beach	3210	0	440	440	13.71%		
0275	Dunedin	851	3	89	92	10.81%		
0305	St Pete Beach	114	0	20	20	17.54%		
0335	Hudson	76	0	5	5	6.58%		
	TOTALS	7884	16	1029	1045	13.25%		

	DISTRICT 15							
UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT		
0005	Tampa	42	1	7	8	19.05%		
0026	Plant City	18	0	5	5	27.78%		
0111	Tampa	46	0	16	16	34.78%		
0138	Tampa	448	6	123	129	28.79%		
0139	Tampa	117	0	23	23	19.66%		
0147	Odessa	37	0	5	5	13.51%		
0148	Riverview	186	4	42	46	24.73%		
0152	Tampa	268	3	21	24	8.96%		
0167	Tampa	22	0	1	1	4.55%		
0186	Brooksville	382	0	36	36	9.42%		
0246	Sun City Center	13	0	2	2	15.38%		
0248	West Tampa	25	0	2	2	8.00%		
0389	Ruskin	16	0	2	2	12.50%		
	TOTALS	1620	14	285	299	18.46%		

	DISTRICT 17						
À	UNIT	CITY	GOAL	JR	SR	TOTAL	PERCENT
	0006	Deland	94	0	4	4	4.26%
	0017	New Smyrna Beach	229	0	8	8	3.49%
	0045	Palatka	49	3	19	22	44.90%
7	0115	Palm Coast	41	0	9	9	21.95%
1	0120	HollyHill	212	0	22	22	10.38%
À	0127	Lake Helen	26	2	10	12	46.15%
	0204	Daytona Beach	21	0	0	0	0.00%
	0255	Deltona	31	0	2	2	6.45%
i	0259	Debary	22	0	2	2	9.09%
ı	0267	Ormond Beach	177	2	80	82	46.33%
	0270	Port Orange	127	0	28	28	22.05%
	0285	Edgewater	119	0	4	4	3.36%
	0361	S Daytona	196	0	6	6	3.06%
		TOTALS	1344	7	194	201	14.96%



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