

A Community of Volunteers Serving Veterans, Military, and their Families

FEBRUARY 2023

DEPARTMENT EXECUTIVE MEETING AND AMERICAN LEGION BIRTHDAY PARTY - MARCH 18, 2023 The next Department Executive Meeting will be held in conjunction with the American Legion Birthday Party and National Commander's visit on March 18, 2023. Time and place to be announced as well as information regarding the dinner. Meetings and the dinner are open to everyone.

SAVE THE DATE - DEPARTMENT CONVENTION, PROVO UTAH

The convention will be held June 23-25. See flyer attached. You can call the phone number on the flyer to reserve your room at the Legion rateby clicking on the above link. More information will be coming.

2023 ALA UTAH GIRLS STATE DATES: JUNE 5-10, 2023

Information has been provided to all schools that provided a contact person to the office. Cost is still \$450.00. Completed registrations will be due by March 31st. Please contact the office if you have questions.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER:

Happy belated Valentines to everyone,

It all started with an email that Ninzel Rasmuson sent to former Senator Jani Iwamoto (side note that she is a former ALA Girls State graduate and won the Senate seat for her city at GS... then when she grew older she became the first Asian female Senator for the State of Utah. We should be very proud of our ALA Girls State Program) asking for time on the Senate floor. Now, how many letters did Ninzel send?? All her hard work and efforts allowed the American Legion and Auxiliary to be on the Senate floor on January 31, 2023. With the help of Senator Mike Mc McKell, Legionnaire Casey Kunimura (98 years old) from Baker-Merrill Post 9, a Purple Heart recipient of the 442nd Regimental Combat Team was acknowledged. In attendance along with Casey was Terry Schow American Legion National Executive Committeman, Department Commander Doug Case, Alternate NEC Richard Fisher, Auxiliary Department Executive Director Cary Fisher, National Americanism Commission member Randy Edwards, ALA Utah Girls State Director Michelle McCullough, and me. We all had the honor and privilege to witness the acknowledgement of Legionnaire Casey Kunimura for his military service highlighting this veteran of three wars (WWII, Korean Conflict, & Vietnam). Special thank you to Ninzel.

See everyone next month on March 18th. We are combining the Auxiliary Department Executive Committee meeting with The American Legion Birthday celebration. The American Legion National Commander Jim Troiola will be attending. More information to come.

See some additional information about the 442nd Regimental Combat Team postage stamps at the end of the newsletter.

Until then thank you for everything.

Ohana, Silvana Watanabe Utah ALA Dept President (801) 718-6688 (text is best)



Utah Senate floor



Dept Pres Silvana, Casey Kunimura, Dept Commander Doug Case



Randy Edwards, Silvana Watanabe, Doug Case, Richard Fisher, Casey Kunimura, Cary Fisher, Terry Schow, Michelle McCullough

FROM THE FIRST VICE/MEMBERSHIP CHAIR:

Did you know ANYONE, not just members, can volunteer for the Auxiliary? The Auxiliary can grow our volunteer numbers through targeting some of our local groups. I know you know who they are, but just as a reminder:

- · Family members of active military
- Women veterans / male veterans
- 20-45 age group
- · People whose spouse, father or mother; sister or brother was/is in the military
- Students
- Professional occupations
- · Faith-based groups

What can be done to entice eligible people from these groups of people to join our organization?

· Visit your local military base.

- Tap into the college community service scene.
- · Reach out to local professionals.
- · As we always say, make yourselves visible in your community!
- Tell your friends.

When it comes to recruitment, we are our own worst enemy. We don't like to brag about what the Auxiliary does. But if you joined, your family and friends might like it, too. If you tell your friends, then they tell their friends, think of all of the people you just reached by having one conversation.

Finally, do not think of seeking out target groups as recruiting *members*. We are recruiting *volunteers* who want to help veterans through our great organization, and if they are eligible and would like to join, that is a wonderful end result!!

Mike Rasmuson utahalamike@gmail.com

CHAPLAIN NOTES:

I want to thank the Unit Chaplains for sending in reports of deceased members to the office. They greatly help in being able to send condolences to the family and in compiling a list of those to honor at this year's memorial service during department convention. Reading the received obituaries reaffirms that we associate with great people in this organization. In this month's ALA magazine, our National Chaplain, Karen Peel shared the following prayer:

"Thank You that every day You shower Your new mercies down on those You love. Help us to always see the new thing You are doing in our lives. Give [us] wisdom and strength to respond in a way that would please and glorify You. In Your Name, we pray. Amen."

How uplifting it is to each of our souls to recognize the mercies God grants to us daily! May we do better at recognizing and focusing on those tender mercies with which God blesses us. He is very much in the details of our lives because we matter to Him. As we serve in the Auxiliary, let us remember that all those we serve and serve with matter to Him.

With gratitude for God and Country,

Jenn Hinton
ALA Utah Department Chaplain

<u>Byujenn96@gmail.com</u>

166 W Heritage Hill Dr, Tooele, UT 84074

DEPARTMENT HISTORIAN:

The American Legion Auxiliary history began over 100 years ago on November 10, 1919, and on September 29, 1922, the Department of Utah formally received their charter. For the last 100 years members have been working to document and preserve our organization's history and like all history it's more than names and dates. Our history is about each Auxiliary member and how we developed the AUX programs and projects by fulfilling our mission to serve veterans, active duty soldiers, and their families. The AUX history, as seen through our eyes documents our story and teaches future generations about who we are as an organization and why the American Legion Auxiliary mission matters. So, let's start now with documenting the Department of Utah's next 100 years of service to our veterans, active duty soldiers, and their families by sharing your Unit's history in pictures, flyers, newspaper and website articles.

Please send items to hsrue@outlook.com or my home address. Hilary Rue American Legion Auxiliary Historian, Department of Utah 792 Grain Street Kaysville, UT 84037 801-230-6585 (mobile)

DEPARTMENT EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR NOTES:

A National membership dues increase of \$6.00 was approved at the National Convention last August. **This will take effect for the 2023-2024 membership year**. This means that every Unit will transmit \$33.50 to Department to pay the National and Department membership dues. Units need to start thinking now about how you will handle this increase. Your Unit By-Laws will also require a change if the dues amount is listed there. The \$6.00 amount goes directly to National. The Department keeps \$15.50 of the dues transmitted.

As of Jan 1, 2023, members who have not paid their 2022-2023 dues will no longer receive the Auxiliary magazine or be eligible for any benefits from the Auxiliary.

We'll be asking soon for information for the National reports.

Cary Fisher
Department Executive Director
alautah@yahoo.com

AUXILIARY EMERGENCY FUND:

Total AEF Donations Fiscal 2023 10/1/23 thru 12/31/23 \$54,212.42

Fiscal 2022-2023 AEF Dollars Awarded: \$137,610.35

Total Members Awarded: 103

Breakdown of dollars Awarded: Total Awarded Disaster Applications: 82 – Amount: \$110,460.74 Total

Awarded Temporary Assistance Applications: 21 – Amount: \$27,149.61

You can see that donations are not keeping pace with the grants being made. It could be you in need of assistance one day. Please consider donating to this fund.

AMERICANISM:

It is that time of year to put the ALA's Americanism Essay Contest into high gear for students in grades 3rd through 12th. Please include students with special needs in your schools. Hopefully you have contacted your schools and answered all their questions. It is important when making contact with your school staff, they know you are only a phone call away for questions and help on any Americanism-related issue. Our contest was created to teach students the value of patriotism and what it means to be Americans. Thousands of students nationwide participate in our program each year and help promote a lifelong respect of our flag and country. Also, by promoting patriotism and responsible citizenship you help meet our Strategic Planning (Goal 5) Branding, by giving citizens an opportunity to participate in our ALA mission by showing our patriotism in a positive visible way.

Utah's 2023 deadline for Unit's first place essays is Monday, March 27th. Please note, we are not able to take essays after the deadline. I will accept essays anytime between now and the deadline. Our theme this year is: "What does patriotism mean to you? I have attached the cover page and you can also find it here: https://www.legion-aux.org/americanism-essay-contest I am excited to see what our contestants come up with this year. If you have any questions, concerns or comments, please contact me @ 435-851-4304. Be sure to include a complete cover sheet for each essay and you must verify the word count is within the requirement for each category found on the cover sheet. Mail your first-place essays in each category to: Donna Birk, 296 South Main Street, Manti, UT 84642. You can also email your essays to me @ donnabirk64@gmail.com Please give me a courtesy call if you are emailing.

Donna Birk Americanism Chair

CHILDREN AND YOUTH:

The Children and Youth program emphasizes protecting, caring for, and supporting children and youth, particularly those of veterans' and military families. To recognize and reward the positive actions of our children and youth, the American Legion Auxiliary has two special national awards bestowed to youth nominated by units: the Youth Hero Award and the Good Deed Award. Kids of Deployed are Heroes 2 (KDH2) is an initiative honoring military children who may be experiencing a separation from one or both parents,

whether deployed to a war zone, having a short tour or on an extended temporary duty assignment. There is a template available for stickers if you want to make them to hand out.

APRIL - I know that we have just started the new year but April will sneak up on us fast. April is the month of the Military Child so let's get excited and started on something special in April for our children. Carnivals, parties and games are always a big hit with children. Use your imagination and get started with your plans now. **PURPLE** everything. Let's **PURPLE** UP for our Military Children.

The Youth Hero/Good Deed award is now an online form. PLEASE look for nominees for this program. https://legion-aux.formstack.com/forms/youth hero good deed award nomination

National's goal is to receive at least one nomination in each category from each state. So far, I am not aware of any nominations from Utah. We had a number of both of them last year, so I know it can be done.

Please send me pictures of any of your Children and Youth activities.

Cary Fisher
Children and Youth Chair
Fisherc98@yahoo.com

EDUCATION:

Many of you support your local schools in various ways. The "Give 10 to Education" is a fun way to collect school supplies. There are certificates available to provide to your donors. Please send me any pictures you have of your activities and be sure to report the numbers of items and value of donations.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIPS IS MARCH 1, 2023. The applications are at the National website https://www.legion-aux.org/scholarships

Cary Fisher
Children and Youth Chair
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FINANCE COMMITTEE:

This is a reminder for the Units / Districts to file their Unit 990N Tax form. These are due 5 months after the Unit/Districts Fiscal year end.

Make sure you have your Unit's valid EIN Number. Go to the IRS.gov web site. Click on "Charities and Nonprofits" at the top of the page, then the "annual filing and forms" box. Click on "Annual Electronic notice (epostcard) for small Exempt Organizations". Click on "Submit form 990-N". You will need to sign in with your existing IRS user account (ID.me) information or you will need to create an account. Complete all the fields on the form and click submit. If you aren't sure of your EIN number, you can search in the "Tax Exempt Organization Search" box.

The system has been down so you may need to try a few times to get through. Call 877-829-5500 Monday-Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to talk to customer service if need be. Select option 4, then select option 4 again.

Also, for those (I don't think there are any) who don't have an EIN Number, you can apply for one on the same web site. Good luck. This needs to be done annually. Each Unit should have someone assigned to this task. It is usually the Secretary or Treasurer that does this each year.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me: Carolyn Stromness 801-558-8799 or email me cstromness@msn.com for help.

Carolyn Stromness
Finance Committee Chair

JUNIORS:

This month I wanted to highlight the American Legion Auxiliary National Poppy Poster contest.

I would like to see many Junior members in our state submit an entry for this contest. I believe there is some amazing talent out there and how great would it be to see our state represented in the national contest. Because there are 7 age categories for the Juniors to enter, it allows a good opportunity for them to win. Each Unit will need to set a deadline for the entries that will allow enough time for them to be mailed to the Department office for judging – **deadline is May 10, 2023**.

I have included a link for the rules and would encourage each of you to reach out to those juniors in your units and see if we can have a good representation of our state for the contest.

https://www.legion-aux.org/national-poppy-poster-contest

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me.

There are two National scholarships available for Junior members. The Spirit of Youth scholarship and Junior Member Loyalty scholarship. **DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIPS IS MARCH 1, 2023.**

Jacci Christensen
Junior Activities Chair
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NATIONAL SECURITY:

Visit: www.ready.gov and prepare yourself and those in your community to be safe. Interested in a CERT program in your community? Please check out www.fema.gov/community-emergency-response-teams. Click on "Find Nearby CERT Programs". Put in your Zip Code on the next page. This will give you a list of CERT programs near you. The ALA encourages members to serve as CERT members and to identify themselves, as such, which also brings visibility to the ALA in our community.

The National Reporting and Awards Form is available on the alaforveterans.org web site. Use 1 form for each area:

Most Outstanding Unit

Dorothy Pearl Best Department Award

Salute to Service Members Award

The requirements for each award are on the website.

Deadline to Department is May 10, 2023.

Remember RED Friday and remember everyone deployed by wearing your RED shirt on Fridays.

See attached flyer for the "Celebrating Women of Service" on March 8th

Best Regards,

Ellen Nathan American Legion Auxiliary Department of Utah – National Security arneen@infowest.com

The Salute to Servicemember nomination is now made through the National Security committee. Is there someone in your area or that you know who you could nominate for this award?

Frequently Asked Questions #1

1. Who is eligible to apply for or be nominated for the Salute to Service Members Award? Enlisted service members in any of the following branches of service: Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, Coast Guard, National Guard/Reserve, and Space Force. Awards will be given in each of the seven branches if we receive nominations for each branch.

- Why are only enlisted Service Members eligible?
 Enlisted personnel are rewarded with promotions and higher compensation by their awards, including those from outside organizations such as the ALA. Officers are promoted based on merit in their job performance.
- 3. Who nominates the service members for the award? They can be nominated by the following:
 - a. Nomination by ALA Unit.
 - b. Nomination by an individual. (This could be a service member superior or someone who knows the service member and thinks they are worthy of the award. This could be a person outside of ALA or the individual's immediate command.)
 - c. Self-Nomination by the service member.
- 4. Where do you find the form to make a nomination?
 - a. Look under the National Security tab on the ALA website to find the fillable form.
 - b. Look under awards on the ALA website to find the fillable form.
 - c. ALA National Security Facebook page will be doing periodic posts reminding you to nominate someone for this award.
 - d. The ALA National Security Divisional Chairmen will be reminding the Department National Security Chairmen in their monthly newsletters.
 - e. Use this link to access the Award form: https://www.legion-aux.org/Salute-to-Servicemembers-Award-Form

Remember, all branches of service can have a Salute to Service Members award winner.

PAST PRESIDENTS PARLEY:

Do you have a Unit member who is always willing to help? A member who deserves to be honored as a Unit Member of the Year? Now is the time to be thinking of nominations. These members will be honored at the Department Convention in June and the winning nominee is eligible to attend the American Legion Auxiliary National Convention in Charlotte, SC, in August. This award is open to Senior members who are not currently, nor have ever been, in an elected or appointed leadership role higher than Unit President. Submit a narrative of 1,000 words or less describing the nominee's accomplishments and activities and include the nominee's name and address. **Due date to Department office is May 10, 2023.**

POPPY PROGRAM:



Greetings from your Utah American Legion Auxiliary Poppy Chairwoman

We need your help. We have been asked to distribute Poppies at the Outlet Mall in Park City. Please consider this as something that can be enjoyed by your entire Legion Family.

This will be our third year doing this and we are looking for people to work the Memorial Day Weekend. May 26th has been designated as National Poppy Day. We would love to get people to volunteer for several days of this period. Dates will be May 26, 27, 28 & 29th. Hours will be when the mall is open. Some of the funds collected will go back to the Units having volunteers.

Don't forget about yourself as a walking billboard! Make sure you are branded as well, whether it's through a poppy shirt, hat, scarf, pin, or other item. Poppy items can be purchased through American Legion Flag & Emblem Sales at www.Emblem.Legion.org. Bonus idea: even when you aren't distributing poppies, don your poppy apparel while grocery shopping, walking, or anywhere in a public space — you might get asked about it and you might even get a donation for your Unit too!

Anything handed out to the public: Besides the poppy you distribute in exchange for a donation, all
other items, such as informational giveaways, should be branded so people will learn about and
remember the meaning of the poppy long after they've made their donations.

Please email Ellen Nathan at arrneen@infowest.com or Judy Daybell at judy.daybell50@gmail.com about volunteering for this event. For a donation, shoppers will be able to redeem a coupon for 25% off of a single full price item at participating retailers. The mall will supply the Poppies as well as the tablecloths and tables and chairs.

This is also the time of year to prepare to visit your schools and pick up the Poppy Posters for the contest. Send your entries into Department for judging before May 10th.

Please email Cary at alautah@yahoo.com and let her know how many Poppies you want to order for your Unit.

Poppy Poster Contest

ALA Units sponsor poppy poster contests in local schools. When schools do not conduct activities, other youth groups, including ALA Junior members, may participate under direct supervision of the local ALA Unit. Contest Classes:

- Class I: Grades 2 and 3
- Class II: Grades 4 and 5
- Class III: Grades 6 and 7
- Class IV: Grades 8 and 9
- Class V: Grades 10 and 11
- Class VI: Grade 12
- Class VII: Students with special needs

Poppy poster contest rules are available on the web site. Winning Unit entries must be to Department by May 10, 2023.

Best Regards, Ellen Nathan American Legion Auxiliary Department of Utah Poppy Chairman 435-652-8333 arneen@infowest.com

VETERANS AFFAIRS AND REHABILITATION:

It is a well-known fact that the months from January through May are difficult times for food donations that can be used for veterans. Consider having your American Legion Family do a food drive in your area. This is a great activity that gives an opportunity to associate with and serve Veterans locally in need.

Now is the time to start compiling information from members for reporting regarding how veterans and their families that were served. A few ideas are listed below:

- What activities did your Unit do?
 - Were their activities that your Unit did for the homeless?
 - o Were their activities for active military?
 - o Were their activities for military families?
- Success stories related to supporting veterans and their families.
- Do you have members who are caregivers to Veterans?
 - o How many hours have they spent?
- Start to compile hours that your members spent in serving. Tracking forms can be found on the National website under the heading of forms.

Lastly, the ALA National office posted on their Facebook page information that they received from the Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency (DPPA). Do you or any of your members have descendants that were servicemen who have not been accounted for? The DPPA says the greatest challenge in accounting for missing servicemen is not having the necessary DNA family reference samples to make an identification. They should contact the service causality office about a DNA sample. Web site is <a href="https://www.dpppa.com/www.d

DON'T FORGET - When you have an event share the story and photos as they happen within your Unit please send them to me so I can share them with all of the Department Units as well as the National organization.

Judy Daybell VA&R Chair Judy.daybell50@gmail.com

Additional information from the Department President:

I received this information regarding the Go For Broke Stamp Soon to be Destroyed - Get them now, or they'll be gone. This is the condensed version.





The U.S. Postal Service will stop selling the Go For Broke Japanese American Soldiers of World War II Commemorative Postage Stamp sometime this year. The remaining inventory will be destroyed, postal sources shared with the Stamp Our Story Committee, the community group that led the fifteen-year campaign for the stamp. All commemorative stamps are printed in limited quantities and sold for a limited time, typically one to two years. June of 2023 will mark two years since the Go For Broke Soldiers Stamp was issued, first in Los Angeles, California, on June 3, 2021. A stamp dedication ceremony was held at the Japanese American National Museum to mark the occasion, for which even President Joseph Biden made a special White House Statement. Similar events were held in eight other cities across the nation. "We strongly encourage interested individuals and organizations in the community to buy up the remaining Go For Broke Soldiers Stamps — let's sell out the stamp!" said Wayne Osako, chair of the Stamp Our Story Committee. "This is a wonderful way to show your support for the Nisei (2nd generation) Soldiers legacy, and to send a message to Washington that more stories like ours ought to be shared." While the Postal Service makes it a policy of not discussing how many stamps they have left, nor sales figures, they have shared that they originally printed one million sheets (20 stamps per sheet) of the stamp. Sheets are still available online at USPS.com, for \$12 per sheet at the going rate of 60¢ per stamp. "We would love for the community to buy the stamps, particularly those whose loved ones and friends are Nisei Soldiers," Osako said. "Once the stamps are gone, they are gone. The Postal Service does not reprint nor reissue commemorative stamps." In addition to the stamp sheets, the Postal Service is also selling a Go For Broke Soldiers Limited Edition Collectible Set for \$39.95, which includes a color booklet on the history of the Nisei Soldiers. The set has rare photographs and a reprinting of the map of the late Nisei Veteran Lawson Sakai. A Go For Broke Soldiers Framed Stamp Art (\$39.95) and collectible color envelope cachet with the stamp (\$9.95) are also still being sold. The USPS has not announced when it will cease selling the stamp and these items, so get them while you still can at the original price. Once the Postal Service stops selling them, the stamp resellers will step in and sell some, but raise prices. Anyone can buy the stamp and legally resell them later, at their own price. They can also be resold as part of non-profit fundraising. The Committee is also urging people to keep sending letters of support to the USPS and to their congressional lawmakers asking the Postal Service to issue the Hawaiian Senator Inouye stamp. The late Senator was a Medal of Honor Recipient and a Go For Broke Veteran from the 100th/442nd Regimental Combat Team.

Click here to link to USPS.com and their Go For Broke Soldiers Stamp page.



AMERICANISM ESSAY CONTEST 2023 Cover Sheet

Each year, the American Legion Auxiliary (ALA) sponsors an Americanism Essay Contest for students in grades 3-12, including students with special needs. Grade levels are divided into six classes. One award in each of the six classes will be presented in each division. Winners will receive \$50 and a \$50 donation in the student's name will be made to the Children of Warriors National Presidents' Scholarship fund. National winners will be posted at www.ALAforVeterans.org after convention.

Essay Title: "What does patriotism mean to you?"

Essay Classes:	Class	Grade Level	Word Requirement
	1	3 and 4	150-250
	П	5 and 6	250-300
	III	7 and 8	350-400
	IV	9 and 10	450-500
	V	11 and 12	450-500
	VI	Students with special needs	Word count should correspond with student's grade level.

Essay Checklist: Class competing in Sponsoring ALA unit Typed or neatly written essay conforming to the word requirement for class Completed essay coversheet as first page of essay Word count of essay Due date for student to return to ALA unit					
To Be Completed by the Student/Parent:					
Student Name:					
Address (Street, City, State, Zip):					
E-mail Address:					
Phone:					
School Name:					
School City/State:					
Teacher Name and Signature:					
Auxiliary Use Only (Must be completed for entry to be considered.):					
Sponsoring Unit Name/Number:					
Signature of Unit Americanism Chairman:					
Unit winner due to Department on:Department:					
Signature of Department Chairman:					
Department winner due to National Americanism Division Chairman by April 15, 2023					



American Legion Dept. Convention June 23rd – 25th

Location: Provo Marriott Hotel & Conference Center Sponsoring American Legion Post: Dean Mendenhall Provo Post 13

Hotel Room Information

Group Rate - \$129.00/night plus tax (\$17.18) = \$146.18 total/night

- Deadline for reservations Friday June 2nd or until block of rooms are all reserved
 - Limited amount of rooms are available
 - o Group rate is available 3 days before and 3 days after the convention
 - o 2 queen beds/room
 - Accessible rooms are available need to request when making reservation
 - Misc. hotel information
 - Hotel check in time 3 pm
 - Hotel check out time Noon
 - Complimentary parking for all hotel guests and convention attendees
 - Cancellation of room can be made up to June 20th

Reservations can be made by calling Milli Galeal at the hotel (801-370-3538)

Monday – Friday 9am-5pm

FOOD RESERVATIONS FOR THE LUNCH ON SATURDAY AND THE AUXILIARY/LEGION/SAL/LEGION RIDERS BANQUET ON SATURDAY NIGHT WILL BE AVAILABLE AT A LATER DATE



Celebrating Women Of Service

MARCH 8, 2023

Support the ALA Foundation by donating in honor of a woman who inspires you. A tribute donation offers you a thoughtful way to celebrate a special person while contributing to our mission to positively impact the lives of our veterans, military, and their families by funding programs of the ALA today and for future generations.

Make your gift today! http://bit.ly/3vXINNg



Ready to give? Simply scan the QR code.





DEADLINE IS May 30, 2023

The American Legion, Dean Mendenhall, Provo Post 13 84601 Utah 84604

51 South University Avenue, Provo, Utah Post Office Box 1002, Provo,

Request to order Advertising

The Department of Utah Convention June 23 -25, 2023

The cost of hosting a Department Convention takes time and money. We are soliciting your support for the Department Convention June 23 – 25, 2023 in Provo Utah.

If you are interested as an individual member or Unit to support the Convention by making a donation of sponsorship to be listed in the Convention book there are several options.

You may do it as an advertisement for \$25 or more which would give you two listings in the convention book or you can be listed as a Unit on the Supporting Unit for \$10.00.

We will also have individual members that would like to contribute and be listed as personal sponsors.

I wish our Business Contribution to be listed as advertising: in the Convention Book: Add your donation by checking the donation amount and sending by e-mail to edwards.randy60@gmail.com a good cameraready ad for advertisement. Please check the appropriate line on this form and send check payable to TAL Post 13 - C/O the American Legion Post 13 P.O Box 1002, Provo Utah 84604 Full Page ad: \$225. Half Page ad: \$150.00 Quarter Page ad: 100.00 Business card ads: \$50.00 You may also make a financial donation without an advertisement. Your name will be listed in the convention book as a sponsor. Please check the appropriate line and send check to American Legion Post 13. PO Box 1002, Provo Utah 84604 Distinguished and Exceptional Post Contribution Supporter \$100.00 and Above Americanism Post Supporter \$50.00 - \$99.00 Patriotism Post Supporter \$25.00 - \$49.00 Post Supporter: 10.00 - 25.00 Individual Member Supporter, Amount \$___

POC / Questions: Randy D. Edwards edwards.randy60@gmail.com 801-224-6168

Unit Data Form 2023-2024

I need information on how much your Unit dues are and the name/address of the person you want listed on the National renewal notices.

Please fill out this form and return it to the department office.

Unit dues n	r, you send <u>33.50</u> for each Senior and <u>5.5</u> nust be at least those amounts. To have due 1, 2023, it will cost the Unit \$30.00.		
Unit Name	and Number		
2023-2024	Senior Dues for Unit are \$	per person	
2023-2024	Junior Dues for Unit are \$	per person	
	PERSON TO RECEIVE MEMBERSHIP DUI al dues notice sent to the members)	ES FOR YOUR UNIT (The person you v	want to have on
ADDRESS	OF ABOVE PERSON		
PHONE NU	JMBER OF ABOVE PERSON		
E-MAIL OF	ABOVE PERSON		

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY
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SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH 84114-8000
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801-539-1015

RETURN THIS FORM TO THE DEPARTMENT OFFICE ASAP