

HISTORIAN/MEDIA RELATIONS

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By now, you have hopefully received your packets from your District President. If not, reach out to her and ask for them.

It was **GREAT** to be able to speak to many of you at our recent Schools of Instruction and meet some I did not already know. **Thank you** for all your feedback.

My School of Instruction presentation will soon be on our Department Webpage, as will a copy of our **TENTATIVE** yearend report (subject to change). There will also be some tips for taking pictures with your phone- **CHECK THEM OUT!**

As I reported at our Schools of Instructions, National would like **ALL** Auxiliaries to have their own Facebook Page. I realize this is a sore subject with several Auxiliaries, however, I would like to thank those Auxiliaries who have expressed their desire to create one. As I promised, I will help you or Rose Green is also willing to help. Please don't hesitate to ask. I apologize that, due to schedules, I have not been able to be in touch with you yet to get you started. By next month, I hope to be able to reach out to you. In the meantime, please check out the instructions that were in your packet.

A **BIG THANK YOU**, to those of you who have been sending me pictures! Keep it up!

There are still several Auxiliaries that have been posting notices about projects, but no pictures. **PHOTOS ARE IMPORTANT!!!** Please remember that Facebook can be a membership tool. If a prospective member is looking at your page, which do you think would grab their attention more- a few written words alone or a photo describing the activity?

I have issued two challenges this year (so far). To any Auxiliary that sends me photos (NOT via Facebook), they will receive bonus points with their yearend report. So far, I have received very few.

A challenge to District Presidents is to take 2 pictures of EACH of the Auxiliaries in her District and send them to me. To count for the Challenge, she must take the pictures. At the end of the year, the best picture will win a prize. Also, all District Presidents that have taken 2 pictures of every one of their Auxiliaries (their official visit is a good time to take them) and sent them to me, will receive a gift from me.

Don't forget to send me photos of our Department President Barbara, as she travels around the state. Many thanks to the Auxiliaries I have heard from, so far.

When you post a photo, please remember what Sylvia (our news- owl) says- **Don't** forget the 5 W's! Details matter!

Don't forget our National President, Jean Hamil, will be making her official visit, September 24-26 and participating in the Leavenworth Parade. We hope many of you will be able to attend.

By "Soaring Above and Beyond" together, "We Can Stick our Necks Out For Our Veterans."

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