

**VETERANS & FAMILY SUPPORT
BULLETIN 5**



Where has this year flown to? We find ourselves at our last Bulletin for the year and it seems like we just got started!

We have SOARED AS EAGLES at EVERY level of this Department, as well as meeting and now working on our year-end reports. I am so thankful that many of you are reporting and have kept such good track of your efforts! And, I look forward to seeing the end results from all of your hard work – thank you Brothers and Sisters!

You have made this an awesome year even with the hiccups we've had to overcome. As your Chairperson for this past year, it has been my privilege to see us working together and listening to new ideas as we've had to master Zoom and also identify best practices for everyone's safety and yet meet or exceed our program goals.

Our efforts with regards to Stars, Stripes and Support have shown this Department continues to excel and reach out to help and assist our struggling veterans and their families – food insecurity should never, ever be an issue for our military families, but we know for a fact that 15% worry about this very item every day. So, bless you and thank you for stepping up – we are #1 in spirit and donations! It was an honor to report on our efforts to the National President just this week during her visit and she was overjoyed with our results!

Awards #1 and #2 have been submitted to my Ambassador prior to the April 30th deadline.

Again, thank you for opening up your hearts and pocketbooks to support our most worthy this year. I truly hope you will keep these things top of mind as we move ahead in the new year.

Sue Gregg – Dept. of WA Chairman