

BULLETIN #1
VETERANS & FAMILY SUPPORT



Good day and welcome to a new unique year as we're "Soaring to New Heights" in service to our Veterans and their families!

Historically, we strive to feed Veterans hunger by doing several things:

- 1) Supporting our National President's Special Project:
 - ★ STARS, STRIPES AND SUPPORT: Combating food insecurity among our Nation's Military Service Personnel and families.
- 2) Support for Veterans and Military Caregivers.
- 3) National Family Caregivers Month & Month of the Military Caregiver.
- 4) Educate, Promote and Publicize – what avenues do you use in your Auxiliary?
- 5) National Veterans Service.
- 6) VFW Veterans & Military Support Program: MAP, Unmet Needs, Sports Clip Scholarship.
- 7) MAP, Adopt a Unit, family readiness group events (I would error on the side of caution due to COVID-19).
- 8) Tiny House Communities to combat homelessness.

There are awards for Auxiliaries from National and an idea to keep in mind – a possibility of a food drive with money instead of food weights down the road.

Please remember to report what you do on your Community Outreach Form and under Veterans and Family Support.

If you have any questions, please call or email me.

I am looking forward to hearing from ALL the Auxiliaries throughout this year and seeing you at School of Instruction as well. I will have a packet for each Auxiliary at that time.

Loyally,

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