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AUXILIARY OUTREACH

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Hello Auxiliary Members!

Hoping everyone has enjoyed the summer, heat waves and all! I think we're all looking forward to cooler fall days ahead.

In this update I would like to cover the new reporting available regarding blood drives. The written report form in the program book has an update which now includes questions about if your auxiliary hosted a blood drive (not with the Post.) This form is available under the Auxiliary Outreach program, and the questions are also included with the online reporting form. If it is voted on in a meeting and the auxiliary sponsors an individual to donate blood, that should be reported under Veterans and Family Support.



Auxiliary Chairmen, please remember that there is an award for the best promotion of the Auxiliary Outreach program in a meeting. Reports should be submitted to me monthly but NLT April 15, 2024. There is also an award for the District Chairman with the most effective promotion of the Auxiliary Outreach program in District meetings. Details on these awards are shown in the program book and online on the Illinois website at vfwauxiliaryil.org. The National Auxiliary Award No. 1 for the most outstanding partnership with another organization is available in Malta. Every Auxiliary that submits this form to me will receive a Citation from National.

Please let me know if you have any questions about this program and reporting. I would much prefer to hear from you first than to have to tell you that your report does not qualify after it has been submitted. THANK YOU!