

## CHILDREN & YOUTH



BULLETIN VI

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*“Happy New Year!”*

Made any resolutions?  
Confirming your plans for the next Children & Youth activity?

We can't forget those Military children whose father or mother are deployed. New ideas for events always seem to be a task; engaging the Legion's family for their support could make it so easier to accomplish your goals.

Plan a Valentine party or A Spring Tea Party! The adults will enjoy it as much as the children. Be sure to including our Military's children by showing them we support and recognize the sacrifices they are enduring. Ask your Junior Auxiliary or younger Sons to perform the Military Children's Table Ceremony.

One simple act from one thoughtful Auxiliary member counts, YOU can make a difference!

Do you know the difference between the Good Deed and the Youth Hero Awards?

The Youth Hero Award recognizes someone less than 18 years of age who performs a heroic act of physical bravery.

The Good Deed Award is for youths 18 years of age or younger who have contributed in a special way to society through community service.

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. Looking for that child may be closer than you think, ask an educator, scout leader, or another community organization! What has your Auxiliary Junior or a younger SON member been doing?

Unit End of Year Reports to District Chairman due by April 15, 2018

Deadline for District Chairman to Department Chairman - May 1, 2018

*Did you know?*

*Ben Franklin made a suggestion at the Constitutional Convention that the sessions be reopened with a prayer. The delegates refused to accept the motion stating that there was not enough money to hire a chaplain.*

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