

Good Day Team,

Membership is everywhere - no matter what we do on a daily basis, in all we do, there is membership.

Your Membership Committee met last night for our monthly team touchpoint, everyone is very excited to report all the great things happening within all the divisions; from Units continuing to hit the 100% benchmark - way ahead of schedule to the very creative, and fun challenges. One thing for sure in discussion we all agreed that Membership is in everything, every program, every event, every engagement, every personal encounter, *whether out shopping, book clubs, exercising at the gym, churches, airports (you get the idea)* there within our reach is **-Membership; we just need to ask, #JustAsk.**

Just think about it...in the upcoming events over the course of the next few months...ALL the opportunities we'll have to engage with potential members to join the Legion Family. Have your 'Renew Crew' ready, you as an individual be prepared by having an application or where to go for an application and most of all have your elevator speech ready, let our little light shine.

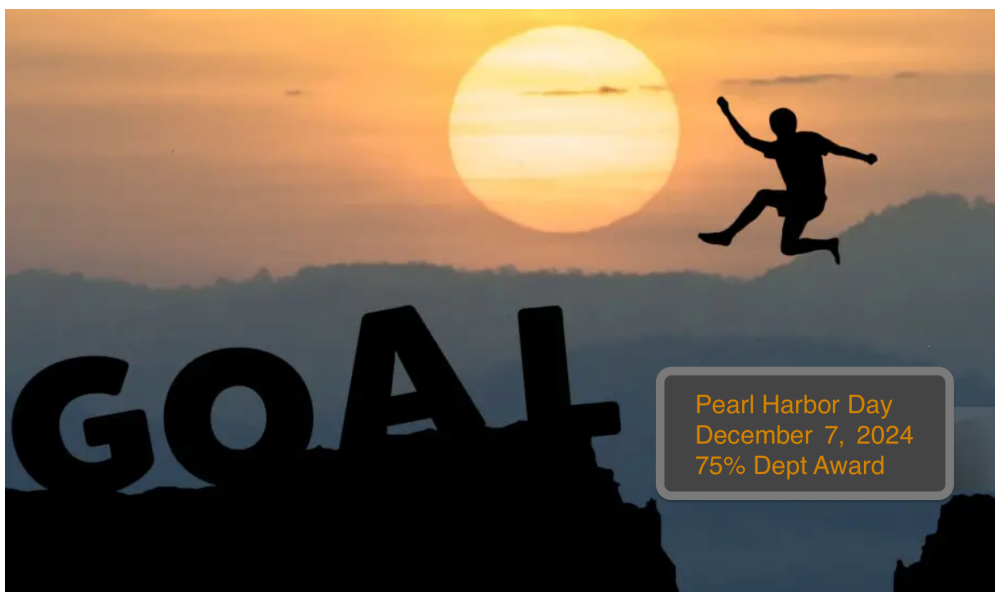
It all flows back to Membership, the foundation.

Now numbers....let's take a peek into our standings, our leaderboard has definitely done some switcharoos....Back 'Leading the Way' is the **Southern Division at 54.99%**, definitely nipping in very close 2nd is the **Western Division at 54.64%**, continuing to stay in step in 3rd is **Central Division at 52.44%**, 4th is **Northwestern at 51.27%** and **Eastern Division at 48.25%**.

Continuing to Lead the Way of all Departments is the **Department of Hawaii at 80.67%**, hitting and surpassing the Department Award goal. Congrats Yayyy!!!!

Several Departments are within the reach of the 75% Department goal, there is still time. We are little over 3 weeks before Pearl Harbor Day....You got this, I see the challenge is on.

Just a thought from Theodore Roosevelt
"Believe you can and you're halfway there"



A little reminder note from the ALA Foundation:

Make your contribution today in honor of the hero in your life. You can give online [here](#) or text VETERAN to 1-844-940-3450. To learn more about the Veteran Projects Fund, visit www.ALAFoundation.org/grants.

Blessings to all....have a beautiful, safe week.

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