

10th District Newsletter-September 2016

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Happy Labor Day, Auxiliary Ladies,

I am afraid that our summer is winding down, but that doesn't mean that we should go dormant. The upcoming Fall has many opportunities for us to honor and remember our Veterans.

Our upcoming Fall District Conference is one such opportunity. The conference will be held in Brackett on the weekend of September 23-25. We will only be holding a DEC meeting on Sunday, Sept 25 at 9 a.m., but everyone is invited. We need to discuss that the Legionnaires have voted on a two day Spring conference and a one day Fall conference starting in 2017. They are also receptive to a joint Memorial Service with the Legion and Auxiliary. Commander John Miller and I are looking for directions and ideas on how to handle/hold these services, so please let us know if you have any thoughts on the subject. We will collect your ideas and thoughts and meet with both Chaplains at this Fall Conference. We need your input!! Please contact your Legion Post for information on the Banquet on Saturday evening

Another opportunity is to attend one of the "ALA in the Know" Conferences. I recently sent out a reminder from Department on the various times and locations. Please make an effort to attend one of them.

A reminder from Elsie Obermueller, our secretary, your District dues for 2017 are now due in the amount of \$15 from every Unit- If some of the larger Units would like to sponsor and pay district dues for a smaller unit please indicate so on your check that you send to Elsie at 232 State Road 128, Wilson, WI 54027.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS.....SANDRA WERNER

Hi Ladies,

I hope all your officers have paid their 2017 dues. We want to support Department's challenge to have all officers at the Unit, County, District and Department levels paid by September 5.

We are currently in 11th place and I would like to see that go higher. I know that it is early in the Membership year but if we get it done early we can relax the rest of the year!!!- In fact I will change that challenge and make one for 10th District only. If all your officers are paid by our DEC Fall meeting on September 25, President Karen will provide a mystery gift and present it in person.

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER.....MARY TOWNSEND

Wonderful God;

We rejoice in Your goodness toward us. Let us daily put our hope and trust in You, for You alone are worthy. For Your Word reveals that You will give us a hope and future. We claim this promise for our lives and for our nation. We thank You for the many blessings we enjoy. We know that they come with a price, and we are grateful for those who serve our country around the globe. We ask for Your mercy upon them and their families. Continue to bless the Legion Family and and this Nation. Amen

For God and Country

Karen K Hansen

10th District President

Upcoming events:

ALL Veterans Barron County Picnic- 9/18/16

DEC Fall meeting- IBEW Hall in Brackett at 9a.m. 9/25/16

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