

## Membership 2023-2024



### February

The Department of NH is currently **91.08% as of 01/20/2024**. Our production of Grease featuring THE MEMBERS has stalled a bit, as with any production this can happen. Let's work together to complete the production!! We are almost at 100% keep up the momentum. Great work to all the cast and crew!! Make this the year of ***"Challenging The Needs Of Our Veterans" AND "Banding Together for Our Veterans"***

#### FEBRUARY INCENTIVE

**We need about 470 more members to reach our goal!**

**Starting January 20<sup>th</sup> 2024 to February 29<sup>th</sup> 2024 11:59pm** Auxiliaries who add new, new life, rejoin, or lapse member (didn't pay dues by 12/31/23) will received **\$4.00 per paid member not already in Malta on 1/20/2024**.

**Important Note:** Payments will made until the current incentive budget runs out or the deadline whichever comes first. This means it is first come first serve!! So get your dues in as soon as possible.

**All members must be in Malta February 29<sup>th</sup> 2024 11:59pm to be eligible.**

#### Life Membership Incentive!!

**Reminder the Department of NH has rolled out a new incentive program for Life Members. Think of these as loyal viewers for our production of Grease!**

**For each Auxiliary who converts or enrolls 10 Life members will be put in a drawing for \$500.**

**This will be cumulative from July 1st 2023 to May 31st 2024. All members must be in Malta by May 31st 2024 to be eligible.**

**WE HAVE ALREADY HAD 3 AUXILIARES REACH THIS GOAL AND 7 ARE CLOSE!! THIS IS REACHABLE.**

#### Reporting!

When reporting your membership projects keep in mind these goals from our National Ambassador

Auxiliaries that utilized any of the Membership materials/resources available in MALTA Member Resources.

Auxiliaries that promoted, participated, hosted or co-hosted with their VFW Post activities regarding VFW and/or VFW Auxiliary education and Membership Recruitment.

Auxiliaries that regularly educate their members on the benefits of their membership (Example: insurance plans, travel benefits, cancer grants, hearing plans, etc.)

Auxiliaries that educate their members on the National Membership Program Awards.

Any Auxiliary Members that participated in any recruiting

Auxiliaries that recruited at least one new member.

## What type of Benefits are available to Members in good standing?

Members of the VFW Auxiliary are the relatives of those who have served in overseas combat. For more than 100 years, we have been serving veterans, the military, their families and our communities in honor of the sacrifices and commitment of every man and woman who has served in uniform.

As a Member in Good Standing there are many benefits:

***Personal Benefits Veteran & Military Support*** – Anyone with a heart for veterans can count their membership as an important way to stand with veterans and the military community on Capitol Hill and in local legislative battles affecting them.

***Networking*** – Through local and national events, members have the chance to meet people from all walks of life and many career backgrounds, creating a vast network of people who are passionate about veterans, active-duty military and their families.

***Friendships*** – The camaraderie gained from serving together for a cause that is close to everyone's heart leads to lifelong friendships and a strong network of support. ***Personal Fulfillment*** – Longtime volunteers will be the first to tout the benefits of serving others and the sense of personal fulfillment it brings. The organization offers multiple avenues for service, such as hospital volunteering and the adoption of military units.

***Personal Growth & Development*** – We offer multiple ways for members to acquire skills, such as leadership, fundraising, event planning and community outreach. ***Cancer Grants*** – After one year of continuous membership, members who are battling cancer may be eligible for a grant to help cover expenses.

***Service Benefits VFW National Veterans Service*** – A network of highly-trained professionals are available to identify the benefits you may be eligible for and assist you in filing a claim. These services are available at no cost to veterans and their dependents.

***VFW Auxiliary EMagazine*** – Published 6 times a year, this magazine will keep you informed about what members are doing nationwide, as well as exciting events and national programs. ***Insurance Benefits*** – The VFW Auxiliary sponsors discounted policies for life, health, accident, long-term care and dental, along with many other benefit plans.

***Discount Shopping*** – Get access to discounts on products and services that are important to you – including local offers!

***VFW Store*** – A wide variety of VFW Auxiliary and other patriotic products are available at [www.vfwstore.org](http://www.vfwstore.org).

***Financial Services*** – Credit cards and certain financial services are available through USAA by calling 1-866-575-2859

These are just some of the benefits listed. For more information refer to MALTA.