

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY – DEPARTMENT of SOUTH DAKOTA

Children and Youth Program 2023-2024

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YEAR END REPORT - Completed report to be sent to Chairman by May 1, 2024

UNIT# _____ TOWN _____ DISTRICT # _____

UNIT CHAIRMAN _____

1. Did your unit present any Youth Hero and/or Good Deed Awards? Did you engage with your school, monitor local newspapers or social media to identify deserving youth?

How many awards _____ Hours spent _____ Amount _____ Include any other details and pictures.

2. Did your unit sponsor or set up a Military Children's Table at an event or in your community?

Hours spent _____ Amount spent _____ Include any other details.

3. Did your unit provide support for any youth who has a parent or loved one deployed? Did you participate in any Kids of Deployed are Heroes 2 (KDH2) activities? Did you plan or host any activity or dinner to bring military and non-military families together? Assemble kids or family hero packs, distribute military books or stuffed animals (GI Josh dogs) to children of deployed service members?
Hours spent _____ Amount spent _____ Include other details and pictures.

4. Did your unit provide assistance (financial and/or time) to children of veterans, active duty service members, or any other children in your community that may need extra help? Hours spent _____ Amount spent _____ Include any other details.

5. Did your unit sponsor any holiday events for children in your community? (Halloween events, Christmas parties, Easter egg hunts, etc.) Hours spent_____ Amount_____ Include other details.
6. Did your unit distribute any copies of the ALA coloring books (Poppy, Have a Safe Halloween, or America the Beautiful)? How many_____ Hours spent_____ Amount spent_____
7. Did your unit provide assistance or support to any children in the community that may be experiencing some type of hardship (illness, loss of a loved one, etc.)? Hours spent_____ Amount spent_____ Include any other details.
8. Did your unit promote and participate in Purple Up Day for Military Kids (April 15)? Did you participate in any other special project during April for month of the Military child and Child & Youth month? Hours spent_____ Amount spent_____ Include other details and pictures.
9. Did your unit provide support and assistance to your local school (financially, donating time, or donating supplies)? Hours spent_____ Amount spent_____ Include other details.
10. Did your unit donate to any other child service charities (Big Brothers Big Sisters, Boys and Girls Clubs of America, Boys and Girls Scouts, etc.) Hours spent_____ Amount spent_____ Include other details.
11. Did your unit make a donation to the Child Welfare Foundation? Amount spent_____
12. How did your unit support and promote the Children & Youth program of The American Legion?

Please report any other Children & Youth activity along with details and numbers here. Please feel free to attach other pages (narrative reports) if space is needed. **Don't forget to include pictures!** If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you for your unit reports!!