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Communication Is Key
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CAVALCADE OF MEMORIES

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Purpose: To collect, chronicle and preserve the history of the American Legion Auxiliary at the Unit, District and Department levels, through photographs, documents, personal mementoes and other artifacts. Remember Communication is Key...we learn from the past!

OBJECTIVES

DEPARTMENT

1. **OBJECTIVE** – To preserve an item from Past National President Desiereé Stoy for our Department Headquarters cavalcade of memories.

Action Steps:

- a. Request from Past National President Desi an item for display.
 - b. Publicize that the item is on display at Headquarters in the Buckeye Messenger and the Bulk Mail.
2. **OBJECTIVE** – To maintain a database of Past National Officers; Past National Presidents; Past Department Presidents and Past District Presidents from Ohio.

Action Steps:

- a. Update the current database which ended about 1990.
- b. Involve a President's Special Project committee and the Department Executive Committee in this collection effort.
- c. Involve Past Department Presidents in this collection effort.

UNIT AND DISTRICT

3. **OBJECTIVE** – To encourage all Units and Districts to maintain a database of their members who have achieved a Department or District Office.

Action Steps:

- a. Publicize in the Buckeye Messenger and Bulk Mailings encouraging the importance of keeping records on file.
- b. Encourage Units to publicize in their newsletters information about the service of these Past Department and Past District Officers giving past and present information
- c. Encourage District Presidents to publicize in their newsletters information about the service of Past Department and Past District Officers giving past and present and information
- d. Each Unit and District who submits the following information electronically will receive a special certificate:
 - i. Department Presidents from their Unit with a picture
 - ii. Department Presidents from their District with a picture
 - iii. District Presidents from their Units with a picture