



Department of Ohio Plan of Action



PAST PRESIDENTS PARLEY

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REPORT DUE : April 15, 2021

Department Report Form

This Form should be attached to each narrative that is submitted for information, Citation of Merit requirements and possible Department award. Please fill out the information as completely and accurately as possible. A Unit must submit a this report form with boxes completed and answer the questions below in order to earn the Citation of Merit. Narrative - word count must follow directions given in award guidelines. Simple or elaborate stories will be accepted as a report.

Please complete the following. Be sure to give the complete name of your Unit: _____

District _____	Unit # _____	Unit Membership Goal _____	Unit Membership Total As of Report _____		
Name of Person Completing Report:			Unit Chair.		Unit Pres.
Phone # _____	Email _____	Membership ID (if available)			
Specific Award Name(if applicable)					

Narrative must be typed written in narrative form.

Narrative must not exceed 1,000 words. (Can be fewer words if program dictates)

Narrative may include photographs and news articles.

Program Summation:

Total Number of Volunteers	Total Number of Jr. Volunteers	Total Number of Volunteer Hours	Total Dollars Spent or Raised	Total Number of Patriotic/Veteran Programs/Events
			\$	

The National Cover Sheet is included on the backside of this form.
Please fill out the Unit or Member Portion and send with your Narrative. Send your narrative, this report form and National Cover Sheet to your District or Department Chairman.

Mail to Department Past Presidents Parley Chairman:

Shirley Maurer, 06247 St Rt 219, New Knoxville, Ohio 45871

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American Legion Auxiliary National Report and Award Cover Sheet

See the Annual Supplement to the Programs Action Plan to determine where to send this form.
Please note, your report will also be viewed as an award entry if this cover sheet is attached.

Complete the following if you are applying for a member award.

Unit #: _____ Full official unit name: _____

Name of state where you are a member: _____

Member's Full Name: _____ ALA member ID#: _____

Nominating Member (if different from above): _____

Nominator's Phone number: (____) _____

Nominator's Email address: _____

National committee sponsoring award: _____

Name of the award you are applying for: _____

For a unit award or to submit a year-end unit narrative report, please complete this section. Be sure to give the complete name of your unit. The award certificate will be prepared using the information you include below.

Unit #: _____ Full official unit name: _____

Name of department: _____

Unit president/chairman (**circle one**) name: _____

Above listed person's ALA member ID#: _____ Phone number: (____) _____

Email address: _____

For a department award or to submit a year-end department narrative report, please complete this section:

Name of department: _____

Name of department chairman: _____

Chairman's phone number: (____) _____ ALA member ID#: _____

Chairman's email address: _____

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What is this program, and why do we have it?

The purpose of the Past Presidents Parley (PPP) committee is to utilize the experience and knowledge of past Auxiliary leaders for training and encouragement of future Auxiliary leaders. Through the Past Presidents Parley committee, women who have served as unit, department, and national presidents have an opportunity to continue in active service to the Auxiliary, helping ensure strong future leadership for the organization. The Past Presidents Parley also recognizes and honors outstanding unit members through Unit Member of the Year, and female veterans through the Salute to Servicewomen awards.

Past Presidents Parley Awards Deadlines and Submission Requirements:

Taking the time to share a favorite story about the positive impact you or someone you know has had on our mission is worth doing! It helps us tell the world who we are, what we do, and why we matter. Just three simple steps to add your part to our national success story:

- 1) Please follow instructions as you fill out the National Report and Awards Cover Sheet.
- 2) Provide details/examples about the activity as outlined in the award's materials and guidelines section.
- 3) Make sure to include your data from 2019 – 2021 in your report and submit to Department Past President Parley Chairman Shirley Maurer.

What can you do?

1. Promote mentoring opportunities of Unit Members.

As former leaders, past presidents at all levels are encouraged to continue their support to the organization by accepting responsibility to contribute their experience, knowledge and wisdom. As ambassadors for the organization, there is much information to share in achieving a stronger organization, at each level, by sustaining growth through positive actions.

Ideas:

Unit

- Form a Unit Past Presidents Parley
 - Encourage past presidents to continue providing support through the process of sharing “best practices” with members.
2. **Promote and submit nominations for the Unit Member of the Year Award**

This award recognizes the contributions made by a valued unit member. Honor the member in the unit for the significant contributions made to the unit.
 3. **Promote and submit nominations for the Salute to Servicewomen Award.**

The Past Presidents Parley will continue to recognize the military service of female personnel.

 - A. **Member Award: Unit Member of the Year**
 - Deadline: April 15, 2021
 - Must submit Unit Member of the Year Award Form
 - Sent to PPP Dept. Chairman Shirley Maurer

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Presented to:

- a senior member in good standing who hasn't obtained an elected or appointed leadership role higher than that of unit president.

Materials and guidelines:

- Selection is based on accomplishments, activities, etc. for the current administrative year.
- Years of membership are not a part of the criteria, the nominee may be a new member
- All entry forms, including a narrative, must be completed and submitted by the deadline. The unit president and secretary must sign the entry form unless the nominee is one of them, in which case a past unit president must sign the entry form. Please see Unit Member of the Year Award form for more information.

B. National Award: Salute to Servicewomen

- Deadline: April 15, 2021
- Must submit Salute to Servicewomen Award Nomination Form to PPP Dept. Chairman Shirley Maurer

Presented to:

- One servicewoman in each branch of the U.S. Armed Forces

Materials and guidelines:

- Nominees should be willing to attend National Convention, if possible.
- All entry forms, including a narrative/YouTube video, must be completed and submitted by the deadline. A YouTube video can take the place of a written narrative. Please see Salute to Servicewomen Award Nomination Form for more information.
- Entry must have the nominee's name and address, unit name and number (if applicable) and, most importantly, contact information for the servicewoman.
- One applicant for each branch of service per unit will be accepted.

Past Presidents Parley Reporting:

An annual report is not required; however, an annual summary and a mid-year progress report are suggested as tools to gauge the direction and effectiveness of department activities. Both narratives should be submitted to PPP Dept. Chairman Shirley Maurer.

Mid-Year Report due December 15, 2020.

Year-End Report due April 15, 2021.

DEPARTMENT AWARD INFORMATION & DEADLINE

Past President's Parley Plaque

- Best Annual Report based on a narrative. Narrative sent to the Department Past President's Parley Chairman Shirley Maurer by April 15, 2021.

Jo Hrabak Plaque

Unit contributing the largest monetary donation to the Past Presidents Parley Nurses Scholarship Fund. Award will be determined by total dollars collected thru June 1st. To be calculated by Department HQs.

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Past Presidents Parley Committee

SALUTE TO SERVICEWOMEN

AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Send Completed Form and Narrative to:

Shirley Maurer

06247 St Rt 219

New Knoxville, Ohio 45871

Established in 2003, this award has evolved from honoring women veterans to honoring women who are currently serving our country in the U.S. Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, and Coast Guard – including the National Guard and Reserve components of each branch. As of 12-20-2019, the US Space Force was created by the National Defense Authorization Act of 2020 and now is an additional branch of service and becomes a recipient for the Salute to Servicewomen Award.

One servicewoman from each branch of service will be recognized at the American Legion Auxiliary National Convention. Recipients attend the latter portion of the convention as guests of the Auxiliary. The winner is announced annually at the National Convention.

Nomination Criteria:

- A woman currently serving in the U.S. Armed Forces (see above paragraph).
- A written narrative or YouTube video that demonstrates exemplary service both in and out of uniform, making her the face of women in the military.
- Servicewoman must be willing to be a guest of the Auxiliary and speak to the general assembly of the American Legion Auxiliary and if a National winner be willing to attend the American Legion Auxiliary National Convention.
- All nomination forms must be submitted by April 15, 2021.

Next Steps:

- The nominating person or the servicewoman writes a narrative (750 words or less) or creates a YouTube video (3 minutes or less) that shows the nominated servicewoman demonstrating exemplary service both in and out of uniform, making her the future face of women in the military.
- Form below must be completed and submitted by April 15, 2021 to Department Chairman Shirley Maurer. Written narratives should be attached. YouTube video links should be pasted in the box provided below.

YouTube Video Checklist

If you choose to submit a video, please be sure to check that your video:

- does not contain any copyrighted music, video, images or text (not legally owned)
- is not set to "private;" your video must be public.
- is under 2GB in size,
- is in .AVI, .MOV, .WMV, or .MPG file formats
- is 3 minutes or less in length

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Servicewoman's Name:	
Servicewoman's Email:	
Servicewoman's Phone Number:	
Servicewoman's Branch of Service:	
Servicewoman's Rank:	
Servicewoman's Date of Enlistment:	
Servicewoman's Awards and Decorations, <i>if any</i> :	
Name of Person Making this Nomination, <i>if not the nominee</i> :	
Email of Person Making this Nomination, <i>if not the nominee</i> :	
Phone Number of Person Making this Nomination, <i>if not the nominee</i> :	
Is the servicewoman able to attend National Convention?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Is the servicewoman comfortable with public speaking?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Would servicewoman be willing to write a narrative/create a video?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Written Narrative: 1) please attach separate document to this form. 2) Or type narrative directly into the box to the right.	
YouTube Video: copy and paste your video link in the box to the right.	

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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY Department of Ohio

PAST PRESIDENTS PARLEY - NURSES' SCHOLARSHIP

2020-21 INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE 2021-22 SCHOOL YEAR

The American Legion Auxiliary Department of Ohio, Past Presidents Parley, has a program to assist students pursuing a degree in the nursing field. The scholarships are available from Department Headquarters: American Legion Auxiliary, Scholarship Coordinator PO Box 2760, Zanesville, Ohio 43702-2760 or can be downloaded from the www.alaohio.org web site found under the Scholarship tab. Local Auxiliary Units should contact their local high schools on the availability of this scholarship.

1. The applicant must be an honorably discharged veteran or a spouse, son or daughter (adopted, step, grand, or great-grand) of a living, deceased, or disabled honorably discharged veteran who served during these active war dates:
 - ◆ Due to the July 30, 2019, signing of the **Let Everyone Get Involved with Opportunities for National Service – The LEGION ACT** – eligibility for membership in The American Legion has been changed from the former seven war eras to two:
 1. April 6, 1917 – Nov. 11, 1918
 2. Dec. 7, 1941 – current.
2. Attach to this application a **photocopy** of the veteran's Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (Form DD-214) or other government document showing time served on active military duty during the eligibility period(s) indicated above.
3. The applicant must be a resident of Ohio.
4. The applicant must be sponsored by an Ohio American Legion Auxiliary Unit.
5. The scholarship may be used at the nursing school of the student's choice. Proof of acceptance must be attached to application.
6. Accompanying the application must be three letters of recommendation from:
 - 1) A member of the clergy or a representative to attest to devotional beliefs.
 - 2) A representative of the community.
 - 3) The applicant stating his/her qualifications for the nursing profession.
7. The applicant must sign and date the application.
8. The completed application must be returned to the American Legion Auxiliary Unit by May 1, 2021
9. The Unit President must sign the application and forward it by May 15, 2021, with all supporting documents, to the Department Past Presidents Parley Chairman:

Shirley Maurer
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(Over for Application)

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2020-21 APPLICATION FOR THE 2021-22 SCHOOL YEAR

Name of Applicant _____					
Address _____		Birth Date ____/____/____			
City _____, Ohio _____		(____) _____ - _____			
Zip Code		Phone Number			
Email Address: _____					
Name of Veteran _____					
Veteran Affiliation :	Wife	<input type="checkbox"/>	Husband	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(Indicate with (s))	Daughter	<input type="checkbox"/>	Son	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Adopted Daughter	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adopted Son	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Self	<input type="checkbox"/>	Step-Daughter	<input type="checkbox"/>	Step-Son	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Granddaughter	<input type="checkbox"/>	Grandson	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Great Granddaughter	<input type="checkbox"/>	Great Grandson	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you previously received a PPP Nurses Scholarship from the American Legion Auxiliary? Yes ____ No ____					
College Name and Address _____					
Current Enrollment _____					
Signature of Applicant _____		Date ____/____/____		(____) _____ - _____	
		Phone Number			
Signature of American Legion Auxiliary Unit President _____		District/Unit Number _____		(____) _____ - _____	
		Unit President's Phone Number			
Submit to: Shirley Maurer, 06247 St Rt 219, New Knoxville, Ohio 45871					

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Past Presidents Parley Committee Award Entry Form

UNIT MEMBER OF THE YEAR AWARD

Send Completed Application and Narrative to:

Shirley Maurer

06247 St Rt 219

New Knoxville, Ohio 45871

A Unit Member of the Year from each department will be recognized annually at the American Legion Auxiliary National Convention.

Requirements:

- 1. Open to Senior members who are not in an elected or appointed leadership role higher than unit president.***
- 2. Unit must submit a narrative of 1,000 words or less describing the nominee's accomplishments and activities together with the nominee's name and address. Please send 5-8 pictures in jpeg format of nominee doing activities.***
- 3. Must be postmarked by April 15, 2021.***

<i>Nominating Unit</i>	
<i>PPP Chairman Information</i> <i>Name:</i> <i>Address:</i> <i>Email:</i> <i>Telephone Number:</i>	
<i>Nominee Information</i> <i>Name:</i> <i>Address:</i> <i>Email:</i> <i>Phone:</i>	
<i>Nominee's Unit Name and Number:</i>	

Please write neatly legibly.