





VFW Auxiliary to the Department of Maryland Buddy Poppy & National Home Program 2025-2026 Chairman Karen D Rooker, PDP 6502 Randolph Rd Morningside, MD 20746 301-335-3365 ladykd922@yahoo.com

#### **AUGUST 2025**

Hey Everyone!

And we're off to another fantastic VFWA year!

August is the month to order your Poppies (order form included, or available on vfwauxmd.org)

And while you are at it (if your Auxiliary can afford it) you might as well send in your Health & Happiness donations for the National Home too. **This is a mandatory obligation**. National requires 10 cents per member as of June 30, but if you can send in 25 cents or more per member, you will receive a special citation from National.

Speaking of the National Home, I was able to attend the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary festivities last month. A good time was had by all. While touring the campus, we were lucky enough to meet some of the family members that live in the Maryland Cottage. It really makes you proud to know that you are part of something that makes people's lives better.

I am looking forward to all of the reports you will be sending and the amazing things that you do!

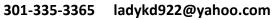
# "Buddy® Poppy" & VFW National Home



## 2025 - 2026 Report Form

### Karen Rooker, PDP Dept. Chairman

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Auxiliary District	t Chairman	Cc	ontact info		
Report Period: Fr	om	То_			
This month - Hours	Projects Cost \$				
"Buddy® Poppy"		_			
Did you host a "Buddy"® Poppy	drive with your Post in this rep	porting period?		Yes	No
Number of VFW "Buddy"® Poppi	es that were distributed.		#_	<u>-</u>	
Are you participating in the "Bud	ldy"® Poppy Display Contest a	t Convention?	_	Yes	No
VFW National Home for (		Within the Post/Au	uxiliary Ir	n the community_	
Did you promote the National H	ome Helpline? Within the Po	ost/Auxiliary	_ In the commu	nity	
Made donation to National Hom	e Maryland House (NOT for ki	itchen) \$	Health & Hap	ppiness \$	
Made donation to National Hom	e (NOT Health & Happiness)	\$		Date:	
Did you purchase a National Hor	ne Life Membership for an Au	xiliary Member thi	s reporting period	? How many?	
Did you purchase a National Hor	ne Tribute Brick this reporting	g period? How man	y?		
Other Buddy Poppy or VFW Nati	onal Home for Children projec	cts/activities? Brief	ly explain		







### Department of Maryland Veterans of Foreign Wars

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War Memorial Building, Room J 101 North Gay St. Baltimore, Maryland, 21202

### **Buddy Poppy Order Form**

Questions E-Mail: receptionistdeptmd@outlook.com or orlando.roberson@vfwmd.org

	Plo	ease print or type all information—	
	Box of 500 \$13	5.00 Each Plus S&H \$15.95 Total \$	
	Box of 1000 \$2	65.00 Each Plus S&H \$29.95 Total \$	
Total Po	ppies Qty	Cost Total \$	
	Make Checks	Payable To: Department of Maryland, VFW	
		eck to Department HQ's No Later than May 12 <sup>th</sup> .  War Memorial Building, Room J  101 North Gay St.  Baltimore, Maryland, 21202  United Parcel Service (UPS). " <u>Do Not Use P.O</u>	
•		Post/Aux #:	
		State: Zip:	
All oth	er Buddy Poppy suppl	es must be ordered from VFW Emblem and Supply Catalog, av through Post Quartermaster.	ailable
		Department Use Only	
	Post #	Auxiliary #	

Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Check Date \_\_\_\_\_ Check Amount \$\_