



VFW Auxiliary Department of Maryland March 2026 Promotion

Hello members of the GREAT Department of Maryland Auxiliary,

As the end of our program year quickly approaches, it is important to look forward and focus on completing any outstanding reports. If your auxiliary has fallen behind in reporting, now is an excellent opportunity to bring everything up to date. With the beginning of a new year comes a fresh start.

As has been communicated before, I am confident that you all are fulfilling your duties as members of this great organization; however, it is essential that these efforts be reflected in reporting.



Please remember that your reporting statistics will be incorporated into our Department Auxiliary's fact sheet, which has been beautifully composed by Department Secretary Libby DallaTezza. These figures are used when communicating with our congressional representatives as we advocate on behalf of our veterans. Rather than viewing reporting as a mere obligation, consider it a meaningful contribution to supporting veterans in some of the most impactful ways from local, district, to state initiatives.

Are you assisting your Post or partnering with another organization to celebrate these March military observances:

March 3, 2026 - Navy Reserve Birthday

March 4, 2026 - Hug A G.I. Day through hugs, handshakes or messages.

March 5, 2026 - Navy Seebee Birthday

March 13, 2026 - K-9 Veterans Day

March 25, 2026 - Medal of Honor Day

March 29, 2025 - Vietnam War Veteran's Day



Please send in your National Entry form for the Veterans and Family Support Program by March 31, 2026. This is National's deadline.

Your entry must include an activity or event that celebrated or assisted service members and/or veterans in the community. You may include flyers, posters, letters and pictures with your submission.

Since this is the next to the last promotion for the 2025-2026 program year, here are a couple of reminders:

Please report all Chaplain's activities, including cards, phone calls, emails, texts under the Veterans and Family Support program.

The last date to report for this program year is April 15, 2026, anything done after that date will not be accepted for the 2025-2026 program year.

Ensure that all reports are to me by April 20, 2026, at the very latest. I stated in the February mailer that you would have until April 30th to send your reports in but that was incorrect. This will ensure that I have time to review and include them in awards for the Department convention. I need to have the information finalized and sent to Department Secretary Libby DallaTezza and Department Treasurer Jackie Kimball by May 1, 2026.

Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions or concerns that you may have.



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Wishing you all a very happy, healthy and festive March.



