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Sons of The American Legion Detachment of Wisconsin



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Happy New Years

From the Officers of the Detachment Of Wisconsin

View the [December 30 2009 Membership Report](#).

HELP ME HELP YOU!

Squadron Commanders, Adjutant, Advisors, and members what is happening to your Squadron?

These 16 Squadrons have zero membership, all of these members are considered delinquent and no longer in good standing, they will not receive any of the benefits of membership in the Sons of The American Legion.

Your squadron needs help, please contact our Detachment Officers or Department Headquarters 608-745-1090.

If you know anyone from these squadrons please pass this on to them.

	2009 Total	2010	%
1 Germantown	17	0	0%
11 Green Bay	37	0	0%
44 Wabeno	35	0	0%
62 Columbus	11	0	0%
63 Clintonville	4	0	0%
91 Oconomowoc	28	0	0%
116 Coon Valley	24	0	0%
129 Black River Falls	40	0	0%
168 Glenwood City	22	0	0%
271 Poynette	50	0	0%
305 Johnson Creek	19	0	0%
326 Boyd	11	0	0%
385 Verona	9	0	0%
387 Franklin	18	0	0%
444 F. D. Roosevelt	12	0	0%
538 Carlton	44	0	0%

Homeless Veterans, the Commanders Project

Pass the Hat for Homeless Veterans

This year Commander Powers has set Pass the Hat for Homeless Veterans as his Commanders Project. We ask each squadron to raise \$1.00 per member for homeless veterans. A simple gesture, with outstanding results, pass the hat at your meetings, pass the hat at your events. Hold a brat fry, car wash, bowling tournament, put a collection jar at your local business, the methods are endless and the assistance to our Veterans is greatly appreciated.

So far we have donations from Squadrons #313 Black Earth - \$16.00, #437 Mazomanie - \$50.00, #48 Beloit - \$25.00, #108 Clear Lake - \$40.00, #209 Orfordville - \$100.00, Vet's Day 100% Sq's (19) @ \$10.00 each = \$190.00, and individual donations from #449 Mike Pook, \$20.00, #158 Kelly Powers, \$50.00, Det. Fall DEC Fine \$1.00. Thank you all for getting us off to a fine start. The Squadron Commander with the highest per capita donations will receive the Commander Award, a great honor and plaque.

Make donations payable to Sons of The American Legion, with Commanders Project in the memo line and mail to the Detachment Finance Officer. Dennis Stockfisch N56W18346 Evergreen Ln, Menomonee Falls WI 53051.

Child Welfare Foundation

The Child Welfare Foundation (CWF) is a great program that your Squadron can donate to, each year the Sons of The American Legion are the leading donators to the Child Welfare Foundation and your help is needed to keep us there.

Last year we finished 4th in the Central Region for donations, and right now we are \$2800.00 short of our goal. Please if each squadron makes even a small donation, it will make a difference.

Donations so far, #158 Maiden Rock - \$26.00, # 108 Clear Lake- \$60.00, # 437 Mazomanie- \$300.00, #209 Orfordville - \$100.00, #214 Darlington - \$100.00. Keep up the great work, our THANKS to you.

CWF Links

<http://www.sal.legion.org/commissions/childwelfare.html>

<http://www.legion.org/cwf>

Make donations payable to CWF or Child Welfare Foundation and mail to the Detachment Finance Officer. Dennis Stockfisch N56W18346 Evergreen Ln, Menomonee Falls WI 53051, this helps us record the squadrons who donate and helps you get credit for the donation.

National Emergency Fund

The American Legion National Emergency Fund "NEF"

- The National Emergency Fund has provided over \$6,000,000 in direct financial assistance to Legion family members and posts. The National Emergency Fund has kept posts from closing and enabled Legion family members to begin to rebuild their homes and their lives.

In addition to helping Legion Families, you will receive an honor ribbon from the National Commander as a token of his appreciation.

Donations are a little slow this year, #437 Mazomanie- \$50.00, #209 Orfordville- \$100.00, have stepped up to help out, can you and your Squadron help also?

- National Emergency Fund donations can be made to NEF and mailed to the Detachment Finance Officer. Dennis Stockfisch N56W18346 Evergreen Ln, Menomonee Falls WI 53051, this helps us record the squadrons who donate and helps you get credit for the donation.

- Visit their web site for more information <http://legion.org/emergency>

Midwinter January 29-30 2010

View the details at the links below

<http://wilegion.org/Calendar/index.aspx?ID=1882>

http://www.wisal.org/view_news.php?id=204

\$1000.00 Scholarship For Sons

The "Wisconsin Sons of The American Legion Scholarship."

The amount of this scholarship is payable in two payments of \$ 500.00 to the school upon verification of recipients actual enrollment at the institution.

The recipient must be a current member, in good standing, of the Sons of The American Legion, Detachment of Wisconsin, with no less than (3) three consecutive years of membership.

The applicant MUST be in his LAST year of HIGH SCHOOL when applying or within one year after graduation from high school.

Applications MUST be received at Detachment Headquarters, no later than April 1st of each year, in which it is to be awarded.

The following factors will be used in selecting the recipient.

- a) Scholastic Record
- b) Contributions to School and Community
- c) Squadron Involvement
- d) 100+ word Essay
- e) Financial Need

The application is available from Department Headquarters, 608-745-1090 or from the Sons of The American Legion web site, www.wisal.org

[Application Page 1](#) (17kb PDF)

[Application Page 2](#) (13kb PDF)

[Application Page 3](#) (11kb PDF)

[Scholarship Rules](#) (17kb PDF)

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Districts Goal 90 Percent

NEW GOAL TARGET: by Midwinter we should all be at 90 percent. Membership Chairman Hove said he is confident you can do it. The Vice Commanders, District Chairman and Chairman Hove are at your service if you have questions or need help.

1. Eleventh District 166.67%
2. Twelfth District 118.64%
3. Fifth District 91.80%
4. Fourth District 91.44%
5. Third District 85.55%
6. First District 80.77%
7. Sixth District 61.64%
8. Second District 57.28%
9. Eighth District 56.64%
10. Tenth District 55.70%
11. Seventh District 55.30%
12. Ninth District 27.40%

[Legion](#) and [Auxiliary](#) District Reports are available on their web sites.

105 percent and over

OUTSTANDING, the first of the year and these 12 Squadrons are well over the final membership goal, so they can spend time working on their programs.

547 Lublin	19	41	216%
537 Harold Todd	17	27	159%
284 Holmen	19	30	158%
24 Lake Geneva	33	47	142%
143 St. Croix Falls	23	29	126%
115 Elroy	14	17	121%
189 Watertown	30	36	120%
108 Clear Lake	36	41	114%
220 Soldiers Grove	33	37	112%
203 Federal	27	30	111%
433 Barneveld	32	35	109%
313 Black Earth	15	16	107%

91-104 Percent

These 23 Squadrons are over the 90 percent Midwinter Goal and well on their way to the 105 percent final goal. Thanks!

48 Beloit	25	26	104%
245 Cross Plains	104	108	104%
18 Milwaukee	66	68	103%
294 Hartland	84	86	102%
180 Bay View	45	46	102%
214 Darlington	57	58	102%
375 Mukwonago	64	65	102%
71 Pewaukee	New	10	100%
171 Union Grove	13	13	100%
196 Delafield	60	60	100%
355 Grafton	42	42	100%
84 Monroe	12	12	100%
93 Tomahawk	14	14	100%

273 Grand Marsh	17	17	100%
10 Wausau	13	13	100%
406 General King	20	20	100%
121 River Falls	54	51	94%
95 Delavan	16	15	94%
183 Genoa City	16	15	94%
120 Tanner-Paull	25	23	92%
172 North Freedom	24	22	92%
15 Juneau	11	10	91%
288 Cedarburg	53	48	91%

51-89 Percent

Under Goal, but working hard, keep on it, you will make the 90 percent goal soon.

522 Hubertus	19	17	89%
23 Cudworth	41	36	88%
100 Sparta	32	28	88%
366 Princeton	22	19	86%
481 Madison	81	69	85%
434 Oak Creek	19	16	84%
150 Wausaukee	25	20	80%
155 Westby	22	17	77%
501 Madison	16	12	75%
151 Madison	19	14	74%
67 Lake Mills	49	36	73%
534 McFarland	73	52	71%
405 Dousman	43	30	70%
27 South Milwaukee	13	9	69%
333 Sun Prairie	25	17	68%
21 Kenosha	37	25	68%
243 Plymouth	20	13	65%
209 Orfordville	93	57	61%
54 Marshfield	20	12	60%
38 Appleton	54	32	59%
70 Oshkosh	24	14	58%
73 Neilsville	19	11	58%
339 Almond	33	19	58%
158 Maiden Rock	37	21	57%
51 West Salem	57	32	56%
75 Fond du Lac	50	26	52%
118 Thorp	43	22	51%

31-48 Percent

Gentlemen what can our officers do to help you?

416 Greendale	33	16	48%
53 Eau Claire	34	16	47%
417 French Island	32	15	47%
117 Shawano	43	20	47%

336 Onalaska	69	32	46%
347 Lomira	35	16	46%
437 Mazomanie	57	26	46%
157 Horicon	31	14	45%
52 La Crosse	145	65	45%
449 Brookfield	86	34	40%
302 Oconto Falls	13	4	31%

National Report

Sad News on the Regional and National Membership Report

We have dropped to third in the region, behind Minnesota and Illinois, OUCH! We are down to 11th in the Nation, I know we can do better, please get your membership in ASAP so we can work on our programs.

(Central Region) Dennis L. Theobald (IA)				
Detachment	Goal	Actual	Percent	
MINNESOTA	10,632	7,276	68.435	
ILLINOIS	14,957	9,441	63.121	
WISCONSIN	3,156	1,978	62.674	
MICHIGAN	20,405	10,988	53.850	
INDIANA	36,074	19,323	53.565	
MISSOURI	3,135	1,600	51.037	
OHIO	30,416	15,405	50.648	
IOWA	2,760	1,300	47.101	
Totals	121,535	67,311	55.384	

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