

American Legion Auxiliary
Department of Arizona



Juniors

September 2026

Ladies and Gentlemen, please help me congratulate the following Junior Auxiliary members who were elected for Honorary Department Junior Officer for 2026/2027:

President - Jazmine Lugo UNIT 41

Vice President - Laynee Arrants UNIT 138

Secretary - Isabella Ward UNIT 41

Historian - Laken Marty UNIT 91

Chaplain - Ember Martinez UNIT 62

In the Department of Arizona, there are approx 200 registered Junior ALA members - spread across the state. What if we got Junior members throughout the state to come together based on age for age specific activities? Together we can do great things. If you want help to coordinate an age specific event with other units, reach out so our team can help.

JUNIORS! No kids your age in your unit? **BRING A FRIEND.** They don't have to be an ALA member to participate in activities. Join up with another unit with kids your age!

November 6, 2026: AZ ALA Fall Conference & Junior Conference
Doubletree Reid Park, Tucson, AZ

Our goal is to have activities at each gathering to help more Juniors achieve their patches. Special focus this year on the Poppy, Membership, and Americanism patches, but all patch packets are available online legion-aux.org (I have a couple of sets printed if you see me - ask me for one!)

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The number 40 represents a time of trial, waiting, or testing, while 41 marks the breakthrough.