

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AUXILIARY

Department of Wisconsin

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**GENERAL ORDERS # 10 MUST BE READ AT MEETING (Even if emailed to Aux. members)**

**GOOD NEWS:** We just instituted another new Auxiliary in the 10<sup>th</sup> District. We welcome the Lewis Memorial Aux. 10232. Congratulations and good luck to those members. We are hoping to institute one more in the 1st District before the end of the year. These new Auxiliaries are due to the hard work of Dept. Chief of Staff Vicki Newbauer and District 1 President Kim McWilliams. Thank you to all the members that attended the installation. Good team work!

It is hard to believe that the year is almost over, but there is still much to do. Loyalty Day is April 30<sup>th</sup> in Denmark, WI. More information can be found on our website ([www.wivfwaux.org](http://www.wivfwaux.org)) or you can contact our Dept. Americanism Chairman Alicia Weix ([duds444@gmail.com](mailto:duds444@gmail.com)). Wisconsin is only one of two states that still celebrates Loyalty Day. I hope to see many of you there.

Memorial Day is May 30, a day that honors those who died serving in the United States military. Please participate in the “National Moment of Remembrance”. At 3p.m. local time on Memorial Day, take several minutes and stop and reflect and have awareness and reverence for those who have died defending our Nation and our values. Attending your local Memorial Day service also honors our deceased veterans.



Department Convention will be at Potawatomi Hotel and Casino in Milwaukee, June 7<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>. Besides our usual Auxiliary business, the VFW Department of Wisconsin is celebrating 100 years of service. Many special events have been planned to help celebrate this milestone. Forms for registration and hotel information were in the April General Orders and more information can be found on our Auxiliary website ([www.wivfwaux.org](http://www.wivfwaux.org)) and in the VFW News. Hope to see you there to celebrate and have a good time.

The end of the Convention will be the end of my term, so this will be my last General Orders. THANK YOU to all of you that have worked so hard to make this year a success. With the two projects Commander Cory and I had, I feel we will help many Veterans and their families and I thank you for being so generous.

As I have traveled around the state, you have all been so kind and welcoming. Thank you for all the hospitality. I feel so proud to be a member of this great organization and to be able to call you my sisters and brothers. It has been a great pleasure to be your President this past year. Thank you for allowing me to be your 2021-2022 Department President.

**“Don’t Fudge on Care for Veterans” while “Soaring Above & Beyond”**

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