

## Child Well-being Foundation - Liaison to TAL

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**Overview:** To educate members and the general public about the American Legion Child Well-being Foundation, its mission, and to provide financial assistance to The American Legion in their efforts to award grants to youth-serving nonprofit organizations. Established in 1954, The American Legion Child Well-being Foundation is to contribute to the physical, mental, emotional and spiritual well-being of children and youth; to aid progress in the field of child well-being; and to the sum total knowledge of children and youth through research, studies, surveys and projects, or in other ways, including but not limited to activities and programs benefiting the children and youth of this nation.

**Department Goals:** Our department goal is to increase unit participation in the 100% Per Capita Banner Program. By supporting this program of recognition we will be contributing to the financial support of the Child Well-being Foundation.

**Suggested Activities for Units:** \$1 drive; have CWF piggy bank out at all events; bake sale; 50/50 drawing at all meetings.

**Report Due Dates:** Unit End of Year Report due by **April 30, 2026**. 100% Per Capita Banner Program Request Form is due to National by **May 31, 2026**. If you plan to send form directly to National be sure to send **Department Headquarters** and [alokvceast@gmail.com](mailto:alokvceast@gmail.com) a report so your contribution is recorded.

**Donations Accepted All Year** - Unit donation goal is \$1 per member based upon its official membership total on June 1, 2025.