

## 2020 R/R 5 - Recruit & Rejoin 5

For members who recruit or rejoin five (5) or more junior or senior Auxiliary members into the 2020 membership year. Rejoined members must not have paid dues since 2017. **One entry per recruiter per deadline**.

Check one:F	eb. 17th, 2020 _	eadquarters <b>no later than:</b> June 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
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Recruiter's Name:		Member ID#:
Recruiter's Dept: Unit #: Recruiter's Address:		
Name of New and/or Rejoined members	_	Member ID
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Certified by Department Secretary:	DATE	Departments
Dept. Secretary printed name:	Dept:	Please either scan & email to:  membership@ALAforVeterans.org  (Subject line: R/R 5)
Dept Secretary Signature (required):		Or
*I certify that <u>all 5 members</u> are new in 2020 - or larejoined into the 2020 year. I've provided or verifiform is filled out legibly & completely. DO NOT SEFORMS or more than 1 form per recruiter.	ed member ID's & tl	that the Due to the unpredictability of mail, use the above

Form must be received at National Headquarters by <u>Feb. 17<sup>th</sup> and/or June 14th, 2020</u> to be eligible! Please have this form to your Dept HQ office no less than one week prior to the deadlines!

## R/R 5 Award Details & Clarifications:

- Please fill out ALL of the lines on the form completely & ACCURATELY (spelling & legibility of names is vital).
- Due to the volume of forms we get right before the deadlines, incomplete forms
   (WITH LESS THAN 5 NAMES) and those with misspelled/illegible names that cannot be
   verified in ALAMIS may <u>not be processed</u> and time constraints will likely prevent
   department or national staff from informing about the need for or requesting
   corrected information.
- REJOINS must not have paid since 2017 to count. A "rejoin" is someone who joins again after they've let their membership lapse more than 2 years. To rejoin, a unit should again verify the former member's eligibility status (OR have her pay all of her back dues in lieu of doing so). Rejoins should not be entered as new members (even if changing units) they keep their former member ID #.

  -Someone renewing their overdue 2018 or 2019 dues does NOT qualify as a "rejoin"...but we do hope everyone checks in on these members and encourages them to renew their past due membership!
- NOTE THAT THE DEPARTMENT SECRETARIES MUST VERIFY & SIGN ALL OF THE FORMS. Allow ample time to get them to the Dept Secretary before each deadline. NEITHER NATIONAL NOR DEPT'S WILL ACCEPT FORMS AFTER THE DEADLINE.
- Dept Secretaries: Please do NOT mail forms after you've already scanned or faxed them. We just need them once!
- It is extremely helpful to the staff at National HQ if these forms are transmitted as frequently as possible (i.e. as a member gets their 5<sup>th</sup> recruit/rejoin or as soon as the department receives the form). National literally get hundreds at once near the deadlines.
- Please note....once a member (recruiter) has sent in their first "Recruit/Rejoin 5" form (or been awarded the 2020 10 x 10 Award which automatically qualified them for the first R/R 5 award period they do NOT have to submit this form in addition to the 10x10 form), but goes on to recruit/rejoin others, they can start keeping track of & submit those additional people on one additional R/R 5 Award form for the June 14<sup>th</sup> deadline. Only one of each gift per award period per person.
- Multiple forms (from several members) can all be mailed in one envelope saving postage costs. Or, better yet, most departments happily accept scanned/emailed forms...or faxes if they have fax.
- The "Recruit/Rejoin 5" gifts may be mailed periodically as received or shortly after the end of each award period.
- Some sort of award will be offered each year....the annually updated forms are housed in the
  "Member's Only" area of the ALA website on the "Membership Committee" page or you can request
  them from your department. Each year is a clean slate so members can earn them every year!
- The "Recruit or Rejoin 1" and "Recruit 10" awards from previous years are discontinued/invalid.
- Note that TAL /SAL members can earn this award for recruiting/rejoining ALA members, too. Share this with your Legion family.