



# VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA

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2018-2019

ALL-STATE REQUIREMENTS & MEMBERSHIP GUIDE

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## **ALL-STATE POST REQUIREMENTS**

1. ALL POSTS SHALL BE EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS DURING THE 1 JULY 2018-30 JUNE 2019 YEAR. VOICE OF DEMOCRACY, PATRIOTS PEN, SMART/MAHER VFW NATIONAL CITIZENS EDUCATION TEACHERS (TEACHER OF THE YEAR). **DEADLINES FOR THESE PROGRAMS WILL BE AS FOLLOWS TO THE POST BY 31 OCTOBER 2018 TO THE POST: 20 NOVEMBER 2018 TO THE DISTRICT AND 1 DECEMBER TO THE DEPARTMENT.** THE OTHER PROGRAMS TO BE COMPLETED ARE ENTRIES FOR SCOUT OF THE YEAR, BUDDY POPPY KING OR QUEEN ENTRY AND A FIRST RESPONDER AWARD ENTRY.
2. POST MUST PURCHASE 5 BUDDY POPPIES PER MEMBER AS OF THE PRIOR YEAR COUNT.
3. COMPLETE ALL POST AUDITS AND FORWARD TO THE DEPARTMENT NO LATER THAN 45 DAYS AFTER THE END OF THE QUARTER.
4. FORWARD ELECTION REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT NO LATER THAN 1 JUNE 2019.
5. MAKE A DONATION TO THE VETERANS FOUNDATION OF NORTH CAROLINA **(MIN OF \$25.00)**
6. PASS REQUIRED POST, BINGO AND CANTEEN INSPECTIONS BY 1 OCTOBER 2018 AND 15 FEBRUARY 2019.
7. AT LEAST ONE POST OFFICER (CDR, SVC, JVC, QM OR ADJ) MUST ATTEND FLYING SQUAD TRAINING.
8. DONATE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE**(MIN \$25.00)**
9. REQUIRE, AT LEAST ONE POST OFFICER (CDR, SVC, JVC, QM OR POST DELEGATE) MUST ATTEND ALL 3 DISTRICT MEETINGS TO REPRESENT YOUR POST.

**ADDITIONALLY, IT IS NECESSARY FOR ALL POST AND DISTRICT  
COMMANDERS COMPLY WITH ALL PROVISIONS OF THE  
NATIONAL AND DEPARTMENT OF NC BY-LAWS AND THE  
MANUAL OF PROCEDURE AND RITUAL.**

## **ALL-STATE DISTRICT REQUIREMENTS**

1. ALL DISTRICTS SHALL BE EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS DURING THE 1 JULY 2018-30 JUNE 2019 YEAR. VOICE OF DEMOCRACY, PATRIOTS PEN, SMART/MAHER VFW NATIONAL CITIZENS EDUCATION TEACHERS (TEACHER OF THE YEAR). **DEADLINES FOR THESE PROGRAMS WILL BE AS FOLLOWS TO THE POST BY 31 OCTOBER 2018 TO THE POST: 20 NOVEMBER 2018 TO THE DISTRICT AND 1 DECEMBER TO THE DEPARTMENT.**
2. COMPLETE ALL AUDITS AND FORWARD TO THE DEPARTMENT NO LATER THAN 45 DAYS AFTER THE END OF THE QUARTER.
3. MAKE A DONATION TO THE VETERAN FOUNDATION OF NORTH CAROLINA (MIN OF \$25.00)
4. ALL POSTS, BINGO AND CANTEEN INSPECTION REPORTS MUST BE TURNED INTO THE DEPARTMENT INSPECTOR BY 15 OCTOBER 2018 AND 15 FEBRUARY 2019
5. DISTRICT COMMANDER MUST ATTEND FLYING SQUAD TRAINING **(1 SESSION)**.
6. DISTRICT CDR, SVC, JVC **(ONE OF THEM)** MUST ATTEND ALL STATE CONVENTIONS AND COUNCIL MEETINGS.

**ADDITIONALLY, IT IS NECESSARY FOR ALL POST AND DISTRICT COMMANDERS COMPLY WITH ALL PROVISIONS OF THE NATIONAL AND DEPARTMENT OF NC BY-LAWS AND THE MANUAL OF PROCEDURE AND RITUAL.**

## **HONOR POST REQUIREMENTS**

REQUIREMENTS TO MAKE HONOR POST HONORS, THE POST OBTAIN 100% MEMBERSHIP BY **30 APRIL 2019**. THE 100% MEMBERSHIP SHALL REFLECT ON THE ON THE NATIONAL MEMSTATS REPORT AS **30 APRIL 2019**. THE HONOR AWARDS WILL BE A STREAMER FOR YOUR POST FLAG AND A CERTIFICATE FROM THE DEPARTMENT COMMANDER. **HONOR POST WILL BE PRESENTED AWARDS AT THE JUNE 2019 STATE CONVENTION.**

## **MEMBERSHIP AWARDS**

1. TOP RECRUITER FROM THE DEPARTMENT WILL RECEIVE A DISTINCTIVE CAP AND A \$250.00 VISA GIFT CARD.
2. TOP RECRUITER FROM EACH CONFERENCE WILL RECEIVE A DISTINCTIVE CAP AND EACH WINNER WILL RECEIVE A \$100.00 VISA GIFT CARD.
3. THE FIRST DISTRICT TO OBTAIN 100% MEMBERSHIP WILL HAVE A COOKOUT PROVIDED FOR PROVIDED FOR BY THE DEPARTMENT COMMANDER AND THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE IN THE SPRING SESSION.
4. THE POST WITH THE HIGHEST MEMBERSHIP PERCENTAGE WILL OBTAIN A FLAG FROM THE PREVIOUS YEARS POST (WITH HIGHEST PERCENTAGE) TO HANG IN YOUR POST FOR THE YEAR.

## **“MISSION TO 500”**

THE FIRST POST IN ITS RESPECTIVE DIVISION; TO HIT THE TARGET NUMBER OF NEW MEMBERS IN EACH RESPECTIVE DIVISION IN THE DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA MEMBERSHIP DIVISION SHALL RECEIVE A \$500.00 CHECK MADE OUT TO THE POST. (SEE DIVISION LIST BELOW)

### **DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA MEMBERSHIP DIVISIONS**

<b>DIVISION</b>	<b>TOTAL MEMBER 2018 PRIOR YEAR TOTAL</b>	<b>NEW MEMBERS REQUIRED</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>1000-665 MEMBERS</b>	<b>50</b>
<b>B</b>	<b>664-332 MEMEBERS</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>C</b>	<b>332-1 MEMBERS</b>	<b>15</b>

## **LIFETIME LEGACY PROGRAM**

FOR EVERY **5 NEW AND REINSTATED MEMBERS** YOUR NAME WILL BE PLACED INTO A DRAWING FOR A LIFETIME UPGRADE. IF THE WINNER IS AN ANNUAL MEMBER YOU WILL BECOME A LIFE MEMBER OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, IF YOU ARE ALREADY A LIFE MEMBER YOU WILL BE UPGRADED TO A BRONZE LEGACY MEMBER, IF A BRONZE LEGACY MEMBER YOU WILL BE UPGRADED TO SILVER LEGACY MEMBER AND IF SILVER LEGACY MEMBER YOU WILL UPGRADED TO GOLD LEGACY . IF YOU ARE ALREADY A GOLD LEGACY MEMBER YOU WILL RECEIVE AND \$250.00 VISA GIFT CARD.

**ALL AWARDS WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE 2019  
OCTOBER COUNCIL OF ADMINISTRATION UNLESS  
OTHER WISE STATED TO RECEIVE AWARDS.**