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# THE MESSAGE

The Newsletter of The American Legion  
Auxiliary Department of North Dakota

## God Bless America



Good day to all Auxiliary members. Time is flying by BUT spring does not want to come and stay for more than a day at a time. It is so cold here as I write this message that I feel it is still winter. It is

hard to get into the summer convention thinking.

We had a good round of district meetings this spring. We had good turn outs at most of the meetings. Desiree Stoy our National Auxiliary President was in attendance at two district meetings. She really enjoyed being with the membership in North Dakota. We spread the word about the Legion's program, Courage Carries On and also discussed membership. Five of the districts had election of officers. A couple of them have to finish this by convention time or they will have to caucus to get the officer needed.

It is hard to believe that the year is almost over. State Convention is being planned for June 26th through 28th in Williston,

ND. Please make every effort to be there. We have reports from all the chairmen, election of officers and installation of our new officers for next year planned. It should be an exciting time.

I attended Awareness Assembly in Washington DC the beginning of March. I have to say that it was very educational and emotional. To see places where history was made was educational and awesome. To see places that were memorials to presidents and the veterans of wars was emotional and overwhelming. The assembly was informative and it was great to meet with our fellow auxiliary officers and discuss what is working and how we can improve things for the best of the organization.

I hope everyone is planning on attending a Memorial Day program somewhere. If you can't be at your home one, please look up one where you are and attend theirs. We all love to have visitors attend our programs.

I hope to see you all at Convention and until then, remember to always be: ALA Veteran's Best Friend.

**Carrie Heinz**  
*Department President*

## Department Chaplain

*Glorify Him!*  
*Psalm 19:1*

*The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of His hands.*

Psalm 19 is a hymn extolling the majestic "glory of God" As displayed in the heavens, especially in the brilliant sun as it moves across the cloudless sky from the east to the west.

Psalm 19 is a hymn of praise a way of saying thank you for each and every aspect of His divine nature. How our attitude is inwardly becomes, an outward expression of praise. As we praise God, we expand our awareness of who He is. We focus our hearts on God through praise. Our lives are governed everyday by manmade laws that are for our benefit. But, are you equally aware of all of the benefits of living by God's Perfect Law? Joy, righteousness,

wisdom and rewards all of these and more are benefits. Life is often complicated, but, we can learn to enjoy the simple yet powerful beautiful things God has created. Study God's word everyday, ask Him to help you live by His Word, glorify Him and enjoy His Blessings.

Let us bow our heads and hearts in prayer:

Lord, guide us in our daily living. Help us to focus on Your law and the beauties of Your creation. May You give us an attitude that will lead us to praise You, and that we may outwardly express that praise. In his name, Amen

**Beverly J. Wolff**  
*Chaplain*  
*Department of North Dakota*

## From the Desk of Myrna Ronholm

As I write this article for the Message, we are working Convention, Message, and Girls State. Never a dull moment.

At this time we have 185 girls who will be attending Girls State.

We have not received 2010 Membership cards as of yet, but I'm sure they are on the way. We will be voting on a dues increase of \$2.00 at National Convention in Louisville in August. But, at this time if any Units have any 2009 dues unpaid, let's try to get those sent to the State office as soon as possible.

Hopefully many of you plan on the Convention in Williston, June 26-28. We all know it is fun to go to Williston. We forget about the mileage and think of the

good time we will have once we are there. Let's have a good representation.

Jamestown is still in the flood stage. It has been a very stressful time for many. Not only Jamestown. Has been especially stressful for me as we do live on the James River. But with all the good dikes, we are okay, and hopefully soon things will be looking better.

We do not have a candidate for Vice President. I am sure there is someone who could fill the position very well.

See you in Williston.

**Myrna Ronholm,**  
*Dept. Secretary*

### AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY TENTATIVE CONVENTION SCHEDULE

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 25

5 - 7 PM

FREE FEED @ Legion Club for all early arrivals  
Sponsored by Williston Moose Lodge #239

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 26

9 AM

GOLF TOURNAMENT  
PAGES REHEARSAL

10 AM

REGISTRATION  
INSTALLATION REHEARSAL

11:30 AM

PAGES, OFFICERS, DISTRICT PRESIDENT'S LUNCHEON

2 PM

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

5 PM

NO HOT SUPPER - AUXILIARY

7 PM

JOINT-OPENING SESSION

9 PM

CONVENTION PARADE  
ENTERTAINMENT

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 27

7:30 AM

INCOMING DISTRICT COMMANDERS/PRESIDENTS MTG.

8 AM

REGISTRATION

8:30 AM

MEET THE CANDIDATES RECEPTION

9:30 AM

AUXILIARY GENERAL SESSION

11 AM

PAST PRESIDENTS PARLEY LUNCHEON

1 PM

GENERAL SESSION

2 PM

REGISTRATION CLOSES

4 - 5 PM

PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

7 PM

DEPARTMENT COMMANDER'S/PRESIDENT'S BANQUET

9 PM

DANCE

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 28

8:30 AM

JOINT MEMORIAL SERVICE

9 AM

JOINT SESSION

11 AM

PAST DEPARTMENT PRESIDENT LUNCHEON

12:30 PM

AUXILIARY GENERAL SESSION

2:30 PM

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING POST CONVENTION MTG.

# Meet the Candidates

## PRESIDENT

Bean Goodwin Unit #36 of Oakes endorses Gigi Moore for the office of President for the year 2009-10. She is a 34 year member, and is eligible through her late father. Gigi has held several offices and chairman at the Unit level, she is currently the President. On the District level she has been the Vice President and President several times. She is currently the President-Elect of the Department and has held almost every Chairman for the Department. She is a member of Grace Lutheran Church which she has been superintendent and has taught Sunday School. She is on the Church Council, and belongs to the Ladies Aid. She has 2 daughters and 1 granddaughter who are members of the Auxiliary. She also has 2 grandsons.

She is married to John Moore. Gigi is employed by the Senior Citizens where she has been employed for the last 9 years as cook. In her free time she likes to spend it with family and friends. We are proud to endorse Gigi Moore for President for the year 2009-10.



Gigi Moore

## PRESIDENT-ELECT

The members of the Minto Unit 201 have endorsed Ginny Brazil for the office of President Elect for 2009. Ginny has been a member of the Minto Aux. for 30 years and has held the office of President and Vice President at various times. Presently, she is secretary of the Unit. She has also held various unit chairmanships. In 2006 she became President of District Two. Her husband Brendan is a life member, son-in-law Randy, and Daughter Shannon are members of Legion. Daughters Lauren and Shannon, granddaughter Kelsey are members of the Aux. Ginny just finished her teaching career with 17 years working with Special Education classes and has retired twice since 2005. Your support and vote at the 2009 Convention in Williston for the Office of President Elect will be much appreciated.



Ginny Brazil

## TREASURER

Arlene Davis is a life member of The American Legion Auxiliary at Hazelton Unit #126. She is seeking re-election for Department Treasurer of the North Dakota American Legion Auxiliary at the 2009 Convention in Williston. Your vote and support for her for our Treasurer will be much appreciated.



Arlene Davis

## SECRETARY

Ernest D. Robertson Unit #14 endorses Myrna Ronholm for re-election for the office of Department Secretary. She is currently holding this position. She is a 45 yr. Life Member of Jamestown Auxiliary. She has served as President of the Unit many times, Secretary, and is presently Treasurer of her Unit. She has served as District Secretary, District Vice-President, District President, and has held Chairmanships on the Department level. Prior to being Secretary she served as Dept. Treasurer for 8 yrs. She worked for the Government before becoming State Secretary. She was a Test Administrator and administered the tests for those who were entering the Military. Her family is indeed a Legion Family, Husband and son belong to the American Legion and one son belongs to the Sons of the American Legion, 2 granddaughters who belong to the American Legion Auxiliary. Your vote and support for her for Department Secretary at the 2009 Convention in Williston will be much appreciated.



Myrna Ronholm

Gilbert C. Grafton, Unit #2, American Legion Auxiliary, Fargo, endorses LaVonne Matthews as a candidate for the office of Department Secretary. LaVonne is eligible for the Auxiliary through her husband, Ron, who is a Grenada-era Veteran. Ron is a past commander of Post 2 of Fargo and was just elected Post Adjutant.

LaVonne works as a legal secretary and has vast office experience. Some of her duties at the law firm include typing correspondence, creating documents, and keeping two attorneys organized. She would like to implement the use of more technology into the Department of North Dakota. This includes updating and utilizing the Department website, making information available to all members, Unit officers, and Department officers online, saving on time and money.



LaVonne Matthews

LaVonne has been District One President and Vice President, Unit 2 President, and First Vice. She is currently serving as Second Vice, doing the membership duties for Unit 2. She also chaired the 2007 Department Convention held in Fargo. She will be part of the 2010 convention committee. LaVonne is the Fargo Gift Shop chairman, and has been for the past two years. She worked under Barb Useldinger for two years prior to that.

Your support and vote at the Department Convention in Williston in June would be greatly appreciated.

## CHAPLAIN

Beverly Jean (Odland) Wolff is a candidate for the office of Department Chaplain. She is a member of Harley Salzman Unit # 5, of Beach.

Beverly is a retired elementary teacher and a former owner and operator of a restaurant and catering service (17 years). She was married for 43 years to her late husband, Darrell, retired from the Air Force. They had a daughter and a son, three grandsons, a granddaughter and a great granddaughter. Beverly and her family lived in many states and spent three years in Germany. After Darrell's retirement from the service the family moved to Beach, ND, where they farmed with Beverly's Father.

She is a member of First Lutheran Church, church council, parish council, Treasurer of Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, 2007 -2009 Unit Pres., State Chaplain for the American Legion Auxiliary & Past State President of the American Legion Auxiliary, former Girl Scout & Camp Fire Leader; Past Co-President of Chamber of Commerce; President of Veterans Trust Committee; Past President of County Homemakers; 30 year Secretary/Treasurer of a Fire Protection District, Alpha Sigma Alpha Honor Society; Epsilon Sigma Alpha, a Philanthropic Society. Vice Pres. Of Golden Valley Manor Foundation, Member of Golden Valley Community Foundation, 2007- 2009 Co-Pres. of the WELCA Badlands Cluster.

Beverly, although retired, works part time, at a retirement center in the Assisted Living Department.



Beverly Wolff

## HISTORIAN

Marcy Schmidt is a member of Gilbert C. Grafton, Unit 2 in Fargo, ND. She has been a member for 35 years. Eligible through her husband, Fred, a Vietnam Veteran. She and her husband are parents of 2 children and 4 grandchildren. They make their home in Fargo where Marcy works for MeritCare and Fred is the owner of a heating and air conditioning business. Marcy has served as Unit Secretary, Treasurer, President, and Historian and is currently serving as the Unit Historian. In her spare time, she enjoys spending time with family, writing, reading, and scrapbooking.



Marcy Schmidt

At this time we do not have a candidate for  
Department Vice President  
PLEASE COME FORWARD  
AT CONVENTION

## Annual Report

Thank you to the units who have already shared their 2009 unit activity reports with me. We are currently at 48% with 90 of the 188 units sending in reports. This is a great showing and I appreciate the wonderful response. You make my job as historian easy. I will compile the information and share the document with President Carrie at Convention in June.

The activities shared by the units indicate there is a lot of work going on in North Dakota communities to support veterans, active troops, children and youth, community



National President, Desiree Stoy and Department Commander, Carroll Quam visiting during Desiree's stay in North Dakota

## Calvacade of Memories

As this Auxiliary year draws to a close, we add another page to our memories of this great organization.

Members who have reached their 50th year, as an auxiliary member, will have their names added to the Golden Honor Roll. Names to be added this year have been taken from the computer in the state office. A BIG THANKS to Myrna for her assistance.

The picture of the Department President and a listing of the highlights, in her year, is added to the Past Department President book and her pin is mounted in the shadowbox. A picture of the Auxiliary Member of the year is added to that album. Remember it is the duty of the unit that sponsored the nomination of the winner, to send a 3X5 picture, to me so that I can keep this album up to date.

Memories are so special. They are the glue of our lives holding us to one another.

Have a great summer and make some new memories with those you love.

**Harriet McFerran,**  
Calvacade of Memories Chairman

projects and individual auxiliary members and their families. Everything you do no matter how big or small makes our communities stronger and better places to live. Thank you and congratulations on a job well done. I'm looking forward to seeing all of you in Williston.

**Marcy J. Schmidt,**  
Department Historian

## Volunteerism

Thank you Carrie for having me chair this committee. A lot of people do a lot of fun and rewarding things for their Communities. From having a rummage sale and using the money to shingle a Historic Church, to helping with the Annual Buffalo Supper which they served 1450 people. These volunteers helped with the cooking, where waitress, did the dishes, all this work took them 4 days and lots of hours. One unit helped put flags at the cemetery and crosses with poppies on Aux members graves for Memorial Day. Several helped fill Shoe Boxes, took names from the Angel Tree at Christmas. One unit painted a Daycare Facility. Some helped out with sand bagging. Many hours were spent at the Senior Centers, Nursing Homes, and Veterans Homes. One unit clipped coupons worth \$27,148. Many hours, time, and volunteers were spent on Community service and I want to thank each and everyone of you for your time and dedication to this wonderful organization.

**Gigi Moore,**  
Volunteerism Chairman

## Education

I am so pleased with all the reports I received from the Units! You would not believe the number of good works you ladies do as a whole. Many units donate in various ways to their local schools and participate in Education Week. Veterans in the Classroom is another popular program. I received 8 applications for the National scholarships and sent 3 to National. I have received 12 applications for the State scholarship. I am so proud of the work we do in the American Legion Auxiliary. Thank you.

**Debbie Slais,**  
Education Chairman

## In Memoriam

### DISTRICT 1

Lenore E. Ricci - Fargo

### DISTRICT 2

Harriet Foss -Northwood  
Frances Hanson - Grand Forks  
Esther Karas - Pembina  
Dora Klem - Pembina  
Mary Krause - Neche

### DISTRICT 3

Janice Kramlich - Cando  
Mary Abrahamson - Maddock

### DISTRICT 4

Elsie Schmitt - Hurdsfield  
Patricia Kirkeide - Fessenden  
Elsie Schulz - Streeter

### DISTRICT 5

Marvelena Hayes - Turtle Lake  
Dolores Staehr - Garrison  
Frieda Markert - Garrison

### DISTRICT 6

Doris V. Oss - Mohall  
Elaine Snyder - Makoti  
Leona M. Gores - Minot  
Catherine Jones - Minot  
Luella M. Ingebretson Minot  
Grace Bickel - Willow City

### DISTRICT 7

Lillian Miller - Flasher  
Eloise Backsen - Bismarck  
Carol J. Metzger - Mandan

### DISTRICT 8

Ismaie Kuntz - Richardton  
Hiroko Oda Selle - Halliday  
Barbara Namyniuk - Dickinson  
Ramona Jung - New England

### DISTRICT 9

Gladys Simpson - Ray  
Ann E. Brost - Stanley  
Harriet M. Erickson - Stanley  
Evelyn Melby - Alexandria

### DISTRICT 10

Ivy Johnson - Oakes  
Joann Retzlaff - Fairmont  
Virginia Bahr - Mooreton  
Lucille Albertson - Gwinner  
Margaret Heglie - Walcott (Charter)

## VA & R

Thank you to the many Units that did so much for the Veterans this year, whether it was serving meals, visiting or baking and sewing or monetary donations. Everything done for the veterans in support of the many programs we have, is very much appreciated by them and lets them know they are not forgotten.

Keep up the good work!

**Linda Stone,**  
VAR Chairman

Vi Vigen, Jamestown Unit #14 has received a Certificate of Appreciation from the U.S. Army Freedom Team. This award was given to Vi for her outstanding Contributions to the Army by George W. Casey, Jr., Chief of Staff of the United States Army and Pete Geren, Secretary of the Army.



Vi Vigen

Congratulations, Vi, on all your wonderful work for Veterans and US Army.

## Membership

When President Carrie and I attended the Membership Workshop in Indianapolis we were able to set our own goal for North Dakota. We were so pleased with your help we would be able to meet this goal. WE STILL ARE. We are drawing close to our goal. Currently our membership is 14597, 95.7%. WE CAN DO THIS.

So many Units are just 1 or 2 members short of goal. I would think one of their members would have a granddaughter to enroll. The members are there. Please try one more time. Our 3rd target date is May 25, 2009 and the percentage is 100%. WE CAN DO THIS. We CAN be a goal Department.

I want to thank all of you who have worked on Membership. It is not easy. You make so many phone calls and personal contacts to get the job done. You have done a fantastic job. Thank you again.

**Sandy Erdman**  
Membership Chairman

## Announcements

Our apology for listing Mildred Putnam as deceased in last MESSAGE. Mildred is living and well. Sorry.

Thank you!

I wanted to pass on a Thank You to all of the Auxiliary Ladies from my son, Sergeant First Class Gerry Beaver. He called on Mother's Day from Iraq and asked me to express to all of the Auxiliary Ladies THANK YOU for the calling cards that you have made available to the troops in Iraq. They are posted everywhere for them to use and they are very much appreciated. Thank you also from a mother of a soldier deployed to Iraq.

**Carrie Heinz**  
Department President

## Williston is "Rockin'" the "Bakken"!

The Williston American Legion Auxiliary Unit #37 is preparing for your arrival at the 89th annual Department Convention on June 26, 27, and 28, 2009!

Our Convention Committee is sending an invitation to all Auxiliary members and guests to join us for a "rockin'" good time in Williston!

We are busy making plans to entertain you, as well as keep you informed about the programs and projects of our great organization. Thursday night, the local Moose Lodge is hosting a free brats & burger feed at the Legion Club to help welcome all early arrivals. Play golf on Friday morning at the Eagle Ridge Golf Course. Saturday afternoon there will be a concert in the park featuring our own ND Legion Band.

Our local businesses would love to have you stop in and browse. Courtesy cars will be available throughout your stay in Williston, beginning Thursday night!

We're eagerly awaiting your arrival -- come see Oil Country!

## Girls State

Girls State will be held May 31st to June 5th and things are looking up. Thanks to the great recruitment efforts from all, the numbers and interest continues to climb. I apologize to the misunderstanding of where reports can be sent. If you haven't sent in your report, you can send your reports directly to me at 815 4th St NE, Devils Lake, ND 58301. If you have sent them elsewhere need not to worry, they are finding there way to me. Please remember to fill out all questions on the form, even if you think it's not necessary. If you didn't send girls this year you can write your attempts - don't just send the form in blank. I am looking forward to another successful year of Girls State. My hope is to use the web site to show the efforts of the week. Check out the web site at [www.ndgirlsstate.org](http://www.ndgirlsstate.org) to see the success!!!! American Legion Night is Wednesday evening at the Chester Fritz. Inauguration & Graduation will be held on June 5th at the Chester Fritz Auditorium at 1:45pm. All are welcome - you can call Dana at 720-5612 is you would like more information on attending. Thanks again for all your support to the program!

**Dana Thoreson**  
Girls State Director

## Quilts for Valor



Quilts for Valor is a program that gives quilts to wounded soldiers from North Dakota. Volunteers make the quilt top, the back, binding and label, they are taken to Bismarck where more volunteers with longarm quilting machines provide them with a batting, quilt them and put the binding on. After all of the North Dakota wounded have received a quilt they will be given to soldiers from other states.

Seventh District Vice President, Arla Roth, of the Elgin Unit and her daughter, Nancy Haas, from Bismarck have made seven of these quilts, with funds provided by the Unit and from their own supplies of fabric.

The program is open to anyone that wants to show appreciation to the men and women who so bravely protect our freedom and more information can be obtained by contacting Arla or J&R Fabrics in Bismarck.

## 2008-2009 ND Auxiliary Directory

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## Tiny Tots

### DISTRICT 2

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 Sadie LaMae Albrecht - Cavalier  
 Teagan Alexi Albrecht - Cavalier  
 Jaelyn V. Hanson - Cavalier  
 Victoria Soeby - Cavalier  
 Lindsey L. Henry - Forest River

### DISTRICT 3

Abigail Olson - Landgdon  
 Paige Erickson - Langdon  
 Eleanor Hewett - York

### DISTRICT 4

Riley A. Schwartzberger - Streeter

### DISTRICT 6

Kyleigh Elizabeth Rinkel  
 Abby Ryberg - Bowbells

### DISTRICT 7

Sara R. Anderson - Flasher

### DISTRICT 8

Raegen J. Honeyman - Reeder  
 Kennedy M. Senn - Reeder  
 Maycee Moe - Belfield  
 Taya Rodakowski - Belfield

### District 10

Aubrey Erickson - Hankinson