

MEMBERSHIP 2011-2012

We are starting a brand new "MEMBERSHIP SEASON". We have a new MEMBERSHIP Commissioner- LORA DAILEY!! We want to make her very proud by being 100% in Membership by December 31, 2011. I am honored to be your "Coach" for the 2011-2012 MEMBERSHIP SEASON. We are divided into 3 Teams this year and they are as follows:

RED TEAM - with Umpire Debbie Griffin
Districts - #1, #8, #11, #14, #17 and #18

WHITE TEAM - with Umpire Charlotte Jones
Districts - #3, #7, #9 and #15

BLUE TEAM - with Umpire Yvonne Massey
Districts - #2, #5, #6, and #12

HOME PLATE Umpire - Debbie Miller

This is going to be an exciting season this year as each and every Auxiliary will be hitting Singles, Doubles, Triples and Grand Slams for our Home Team. I know we can do this!! There are many awards to be won. The 1st Department award will be \$25 to the DISTRICT that brings in the most transmittals at the 2010-2011 Department Convention for their team. A special trophy will be given to the District President and her Membership Chairman. There will be many cash awards available for our Members, Auxiliaries, Districts and Department to win. All we have to do is WORK ON OUR MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM!!! We do this all the time, so this is nothing new to us. The three "R's" in the Membership program are RECRUIT, REINSTATE AND RETAIN!! Three simple things that every Auxiliary in the state of MISSOURI can do!! I know we can do this for COMMISSIONER LORA and her LEAGUE of "LORA'S LEAPERS" Let's hit this year's membership percentage over the fence and out of the Ball field!! We can stand out in the Nation and be 100% in MEMBERSHIP!

I am enclosing the list of Member, Auxiliary and District Awards with their deadlines so every Auxiliary will know how they can win these awards from the Department and National Membership Program.

LORA'S LEAPER'S WILL BE,
"LEAPING INTO THE FUTURE FOR OUR VETERANS"

NOW LET'S PLAY BALL!!!!!!

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Ladies we have a brand new season of Membership. We are Lora's Leapers!!!! We have a Red Team, a White Team and a Blue Team. You will find your Department Awards and the National Awards that are available this year in this book. Please note there are two (2) separate "awards" forms. One is for the Department Awards and one is for National Awards. Please fill them out accordingly. National will not accept the Department form and the Department will not accept the National form. Please pay close attention as they are similar to one another. We do not want anyone to miss out on a Membership Award because they did not fill out the correct form. Yes, I know we all hate the dreaded paperwork, but that is how we determine WINNERS!!! I would love to fill out 1000 forms and have that many members be National or Department Aide-de-Camp!!! Now that would be exciting, wouldn't it!!!!!!! You are also going to find a Baseball Score sheet. Yes we are keeping score in this of league Lora's Leapers. I want you to get SINGLES, DOUBLES, TRIPPLES AND MOST OF ALL GRAND SLAMS FOR OUR COMMISSIONER "LORA"!!!! WE CAN DO THIS!!! We will even have a theme song this year- "CENTERFIELD (PUT ME IN COACH)" !!! A copy of the lyrics for our theme song is included in this material. We will all be singing it! You will have lots of information and ideas to get those GRAND SLAMS!!!! AS YOU ALL KNOW, WITHOUT OUR MEMBERSHIP, WE WILL NOT EXIST! THIS IS A VERY IMPORTANT PROGRAM!! Make sure your team continues to play this season, we don't want any team to strike out. You will have tips for planning a successful recruitment campaign, resourses, there is also a generic reporting form for all programs. PLEASE, PLEASE USE THE INFORMATION YOU ARE GIVEN TO HELP YOU GET THOSE GRAND SLAMS. You can check your "Score" on the national web site anytime that you want, you can know what base you are on, or if you are caught in between bases. And remember, no strike outs!!!! Membership is a TEAM EFFORT, it takes all of our members working on this to be 100%. The most important thing to remember is there is no "I" in TEAM we work together all of us. We want to make Commissioner Lora proud of our great Department of Missouri!!! Don't forget, RECRUIT, REINSTATE AND RETAIN!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Lora's Leapers will be Leaping into the Future for Our Veterans!

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