

**NATIONAL  
MEMBERSHIP AWARDS  
2011- 2012**

**MEMBER AWARDS:**

1. \* "National Aide-de-Camp" Award:  
Each Ladies Auxiliary or VFW Post member who secures 20 new or reinstated members from July 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012, must be **recieved** at National Headquarters by May 31, 2012, will be named National Aide-de-Camp to the National President and will receive a special gift from the National President at the National Convention held in Reno, Nevada- July 21-25, 2012. The Ladies Auxiliary members will be entered into a drawing for 15 awards of \$100. VFW Post members will be entered into a drawing for up to 10 awards of \$50 each. Organizers of a new Ladies Auxiliary are eligible for this award. The drawing for winners will be held after July 1, 2012.
  
2. \* **\$500 Award** will be presented to the Ladies Auxiliary member who secures the most new or reinstated members (must be 40 or more to qualify). **This award is to be used toward a trip to National Convention in Reno, Nevada.** If there is a tie, a drawing will be held to determine the winner. If the winner is unable to attend the National Convention, \$250 will be awarded. Form must be received no later than May 31, 2011. Completed National Aide-de Camp forms will be used for this award.

**AUXILIARY AWARDS:**

Based on June 30, 2011 membership. Foreign-based Ladies Auxiliaries are eligible.

1. \* "Opening Doors Award"-  
Two drawings of \$250 each for achieving 100% membership with transmittals to be **recieved** at National Headquarters by August 31, 2011.
  
2. \* **\$75 to each Auxiliary with 10 - 75 members** that achieves 100% and must be **received** at National Headquarters by September 30, 2011.
  
3. \* **\$75 to each Auxiliary with 76 - 150 members** that achieves 100% and must be **received** at National Headquarters by October 31, 2011.
  
4. \* **\$75 to each Auxiliary with 151 - 250 members** that achieves 100% and must be **received** at National Headquarters by November 30, 2011.
  
5. \* **\$75 to each Auxiliary with 251 or More members** that achieves 100% and must be **received** at National Headquarters by December 31, 2011.
  
6. **National Pesident's "Special Pin"** to each Auxiliary Treasurer achieving 100% paid-up membership for 2012 **received** at National Headqquarters by December 31, 2011. Award #6- We will mail the pins to the Department President for presentation and will announce the total number of awards received by Auxiliary Treasurers at the Mid-Year Conference.

7. \* **Bonus Drawing: All Auxiliaries obtaining 100% and received at National Headquarters by June 30, 2012**, will be entered in the bonus drawing for ten (10) \$100 awards.
8. \* **\$50 to each Auxiliary that increases Life Memberships (Transfers do not apply)** by 10% of their June 30, 2011 total membership between July 1, 2011 and April 30, 2012, and **received** at National Headquarters by May 31, 2012. Auxiliaries with membership of 300 or more will only be required to secure 30 Life Memberships to qualify.

#### **DISTRICT AWARDS:**

1. \* **"Key to Veteran's Heart" Pin** to each District President and Membership Chairman whose District attains 91% and **received** at National Headquarters by December 31, 2011.
2. \* **\$100 to the District and a "Step Up-Leave No Veteran Behind" Plate** to the District President and Membership Chairman of each District achieving 100% in membership and **received** at National Headquarters by April 30, 2012. Award plates and checks will be mailed.
3. \* **\$200 to the District obtaining 105% in Membership and received** at National Headquarters by June 30, 2012. Award check will be mailed.

#### **AWARD FOR VFW MEMBERS:**

**"A SPECIAL KEEPSAKE"** to each VFW member who recruits a minimum of five (5) new or reinstated members for the Ladies Auxiliary VFW between July 1, 2011 and June 15, 2012 and must be **received** at National Headquarters by June 30, 2012.

**\* NOTE: Winners will be published in the Year-End Officers' and Directors' Report and awards will be mailed to the 2011-2012 Department Presidents for distribution.**