

**American Legion Auxiliary  
Fourth District, Department of Nebraska  
November, 2011**

**“ROLLING FORWARD WITH THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY AND FAMILY”**

Dear Members;

**Fall Roundup will be held on Nov 6, 1:30 PM at the Mitchell Legion Post, 1345 Center Ave. Please try to attend. Chairman of Field Service, Vicki Colson, from Paxton will be present to help clarify just what this implies. If you wish to be certified, that can be accomplished.**

Keep in mind the activities that are going on with the Veteran's. Here is a note from Marilyn Schutt:

BONITA: I NEED YOU TO PUT IN YOUR NEXT NEWSLETTER THAT I NEED DONATIONS FROM DISTRICT FOUR UNITS TO HELP BUY CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR THE RESIDENTS AT WESTERN NEBRASKA VETERANS HOME. WE SPEND 20 DOLLARS FOR EACH RESIDENT. I WILL NEED THIS MONEY, WHICH IS TO BE SENT TO DIST 4 TREASURER SO SHE CAN KEEP TRACK OF THE DONATIONS BY NOVEMBER 22, 2011. THANK YOU. MARILYN SCHUTT, REP AT WNVH.

Please take the time to honor these veterans by contributing to this worthwhile project here in District 4. District Treasurer Terri Poley's address is PO Box 531 ( 1735 Sky Road), Sidney, NE 69162 so that you can send the \$20.00.

This is information from Luayne Weisgerber :

The 8 & 40 organization has long been an affiliate of The American Legion Auxiliary. Due to recent IRS rulings, ALA membership is no longer required for membership in 8 & 40. With this ruling, distances to travel to meetings and the general age of members, some 8 & 40 Salons are disbanding. The real loss in the situation is those programs supported by 8 & 40 — Nurses Scholarships and National Jewish Health, particularly The Stanley Kunsberg School for Chronically Ill Children, 1400 Jackson St., Denver, CO 80206, that provides educational, medical and psychological services to children suffering from disabling conditions such as asthma, diabetes, autoimmune disorders, cystic fibrosis, sickle cell anemia and heart problems. If your Unit has scholarship or children and youth funds available for donation - or - if you would like to have a fundraiser or a collection at your meeting, they would be greatly appreciated by either program."

There will be no December letter. I wish all of you a Great Thanksgiving, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Please keep track of time and money that you give to help Veterans and their families. A form to help with this was mailed out with the September Letter from Department. I will not be able to be at the Fall Roundup or the WNVH activities, but District Vice-President Diane will try to be there. My husband Dale and I are planning on traveling Nov and Dec.

Dates to remember-

**Sunday, Nov 6** – Fall Roundup in **Mitchell** starting at **1:30 PM** (corrected from October's letter)

**Friday, Nov 11** – Veterans Day

**Sunday, Nov 13 -2:00pm**-Veterans Dollar Day Distribution at WNVH, Scottsbluff

**Monday, Nov 21** -- Cheyenne County Government Day.

**Sunday, Dec 4 -2:00pm**-Gifts for Yanks Who Gave at WNVH, Scottsbluff

**Saturday, March 3** -- 2012 District Meeting, Sidney

**June 27- July 1, 2012** – Department Convention

If you have information of District 4 events – dates, times, function – please notify any of your District Officers.

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