

Leadership

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The purpose of the Leadership Committee is to find new leaders, identify existing leaders, and enhance knowledge to better equip women and men to serve with the confidence and skills to better the mission of the American Legion Auxiliary.

The concept of Leadership is believable and achievable for every member – not just those who are currently serving in leadership positions. The key to good Leadership is to build confidence in those you lead, treat all members with dignity and respect, and to be a good listener. No matter the experience, education, or technical skills, most anyone can be trained to be a leader if they are willing to make a commitment, devote their time and energy to listen, learn, and communicate.

For more information visit the Leadership page at www.ALAforVeterans.org, under the Members Only section, and encourage others to do the same. Basic principles of effective leadership are found in many articles and writings on the web and in how-to guides.

“**Back to the Basics**” workshops will be held this year. Workshops have been scheduled for:

March 7, 2020	Kellogg American Legion	Deadline to RSVP February 22, 2020
March 8, 2020	Forest Lake American Legion	Deadline to RSVP February 22, 2020
April 4, 2020	Sanborn American Legion	Deadline to RSVP March 21, 2020

Included in this Unit Mailing is the Registration Form for the upcoming “Back to the Basics” Workshops. During the workshop, we will be using the Senior Auxiliary Basics Course -Our History and Legacy from the ALA Academy. We will also be reviewing Officers Duties and Responsibilities, American Legion Auxiliary Protocol, how to be a good leader, how to complete reports, and how to live a culture of goodwill. If time permits, a question and answer discussion will be held. There could be other surprises! Please come, even if you never want to become a leader in your Unit, District, or Department. We will have fun and learn a lot!

Leadership is not about being the best. Leadership is about making everyone else better.

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