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EDUCATION

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Happy New Year Everyone!

With the Christmas season over it's a good time to start talking with the schools to find out if anyone is interested in one of our great scholarships. Let them know you will be available for questions and to make sure **EACH SCHOLARSHIP IS SIGNED BY THE UNIT PRESIDENT BEFORE IT IS FORWARDED TO DEPARTMENT. THE DEADLINE FOR MOST OF OUR SCHOLARSHIPS IS MARCH 15.**

It takes time to get fill out the application, gather grade transcripts and the necessary letters of recommendation.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE ARE:

- Children of Warriors National President's Scholarship
- The Non-Traditional Student Scholarship
- Spirit of Youth Scholarship
- Department of Minnesota Scholarship
- The American Legion Legacy Scholarship
- Oratorical Scholarship sponsored by Local/District, Unit and Post

More information on these scholarships can be found in the Unit Guide.

This might also be a good time to check with the schools to see if they had gotten any new students after Christmas break that need anything. The needs can be range from winter jackets to pencils. This would be a good time to look at your Give 10 to Education Program.

Box Tops 4 Education is another way to help the schools. Each box top is worth 10 cents to your school, those dimes add up fast.

Remember to keep track of all you donate, the hours it takes you to do a project and how much it costs your Unit.

With Valentine's Day coming think of donating books to your school libraries, preschools, community center and even day care centers.

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