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## **POPPY**

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**P O P P I E S** I dreamed of a field of poppies and looked out the window and all I see is snow. This winter we have spent a lot of time indoors. Use this time to update yourself by going through Our Programs. Every time you go through a program you will retain more information to help you when you must file your reports.

Department Chairman must file their reports and send in by June 1<sup>st</sup> to their Division and National. Please send in your reports on time so Department Chairman have plenty of time to send theirs. Think of the time you compile your report and remember District and Department need more time to include all reports. Dates for reports will be on forms.

Units have received the trophies and awards in a newsletter. Don't forget the Poster contests. The Poster contests promote our Poppy program in the schools and the children learn more about the American Legion through this contest. We need to keep the public informed about our programs and all that we do. AND sometimes talking to them they join the American Legion.

We still have several holidays ahead of us. Any day, any event use your Poppies. Keep those baskets at hand. If you have room on a wall put some Poppies in a picture frame. When you see a Veteran thank them for their service and give them a Poppy. Auxiliary, keep doing what you do best and that is Serving those who Served. Stay safe and warm. Spring and dry sidewalks will soon be here.

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