JUNIOR MEMBERS NEWSLETTER

February 2025

What We Learned

This month we had our National Junior Meeting where we learned why we must evolve! Increase Membership & Retention; Meeting the needs of today's Veteran, Military & Communities; as well as Member ENGAGEMENT and Sustainability.

Juniors also learned about Department Excellence Initiative (DEI). Which focuses on achieving 85% Membership by March 15th; Department Impact Report by July 1st; Governance Excellence; Financial Policies and Process; as well as Financial Donation Obligations.

Department Merit Medallion Recognition needs to be completed and Signed Form will be due to the National Secretary by July 1, 2025.

Reminders

Check out our social media!

FB: ALA Juniors Dept of CT

IG/Threads: @ALADeptJuniorsCT

X: @ALADeptJuniorCT

Upcoming Events

- Scholarships Applications Due March 1st
- April 15th is Purple Up! Day for Military Children

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Honor Flight

Money can be donated directly to Honor Flight hubs in your area or to Honor Flight Lone Eagle program. Donating directly to Honor Flight Inc. Purchasing from the authorized list of acceptable support items

Formal vs. Informal Volunteering

Formal volunteering: Volunteering through other organization.
Informal Volunteering: Assisting others outside of organizational context.

Veterans Funds Project

Support ALA National President, Trish Ward, by making a $35 donation to the Veteran Projects Fund and receive the ALA Challenge Card Deck. Text CARD to 1-844-940-3450

Reminders

- We want to hear from you! What are your Juniors doing or plan to do?
- Send us updates and any pictures so we submit them to our social media & the Department website!

Upcoming Events

- American Legion Family Day: April 26
- National Night Out: August 5th
- 9/11 Day of Service

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