

VFW SC YOUTH AUXILIARY BULLETIN

WELCOME TO THE FIRST NEWSLETTER OF THE 2025–2026 YEAR!

Fall is the perfect season to engage with local events and make a lasting impact. Let's show our communities what the VFW is all about.



TRUNK OR TREAT: A FUN WAY TO CONNECT

Join in this season's Trunk or Treat events—a fantastic opportunity to connect with families and share what our auxiliaries are doing.

Make your presence shine with:

- Promote the Illustrating America Art Contest (K–8th grade students).
- Display the Buddy Poppy as a visual reminder of our mission and values.
- Hand out Bookmarks (printable in Malta) as meaningful takeaways.



READING BUDDIES: SHARE STORIES, SHARE SERVICE

With Veterans Day approaching, spread awareness by reading to children and sharing stories about America's holidays, history, and inspiring biographies.

Ways to get involved:

- Partner with Local Schools during Veterans Day programs.
- Volunteer in classrooms to read patriotic or educational books.
- Work with Libraries hosting Veterans Day events.



IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES – FALL 2025

- October 11 – **Council of Administration**, 10 AM, Headquarters Columbia
- October 25 – **Freedom Festival Trunk or Treat**, 9 AM, Headquarters Columbia
- November 11 – **Veterans Day**

STAY CONNECTED

Questions or need assistance? Call, text, or email anytime. Let's make this year one to remember!