



Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary
Department of Tennessee
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To: All members

As you all know our immediate future is uncertain, especially with the COVID-19. The way we usually do business is changing. In the meantime, I just wanted to let you know some of the plans that I have in the upcoming year. There is no time like the present to begin the process of "Going Green".

1. What does that mean?

- a. To begin with, for the 2020-2021 year, we are not going to print the President's Book this year, it will be on a CD and mailed to each Council Member, President, Program Chairman, Secretary and/or Treasurer. If you do not have a computer, you will need to get with your Secretary and/or Treasurer who will also receive a copy and they can help get the information for you.
- b. ...or go to the lavfwn16.com website. Information will be posted there. This includes a copy of the National President's Book as well as the Department President's Book.
- c. There is an abundance of information on Resources in MALTA. Everyone needs to go the vfwauxiliary.org and create a profile and sign into MALTA.
- d. We will also post information throughout the year on the [Department TN VFW Auxiliary Facebook](#) page. Please go to the Facebook and review information.

2. **School of Instructions**. We will be holding Schools of Instructions. Currently the locations are unknown. Once we determine when and where, this information will be sent out.

3. **Promotions of Programs**. The promotion of programs will be promoted by the **District Presidents** at a District School of Instruction. If a Program Chairman is in that District, it will be their responsibility to do the promotion on their program at this School of Instruction. All Program Chairman will work their programs as required. There will be promotions of the programs at the C of A, POW-WOW and Convention. I will be attending as many as I can when it becomes safe to hold these meetings.

We hope that we will soon get back to normal soon. In the meantime, we need to still focus on the future.

I want to thank each of you for all you have done for veterans and our organization. Stay safe and God Bless.

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