

Americanism/S.O.S. Bulletin

The Americanism Flag Coloring, Poster and Essay applications have not been updated for 2019-2020. We are waiting until after National Convention which is in August, to be sure there are NOT any changes made from National. Once I return from National Convention in August, the forms will be updated and posted on the Ladies Auxiliary Website, Dept. of MI.

The theme for 2019-20 is “What Does Freedom Mean To Me?”

Please be prepared to contact any 8th grader who might have entered your Local/District program this year, as the Department of MI did NOT have a 9th grade winner this year. As a 9th grade Department winner, the student receives a 5-day trip to Freedoms Foundation in Valley Forge, PA from the National AMVETS. It was so sad this year, not to be able to submit a 9th grade winner to National.

All the 1st Place winners, K-12th grades (except 9th grade) were submitted to National AMVETS for judging on the National level. The entries will be judged at National and when I return from convention, hopefully I will be able to announce winners from Dept. of MI.

Regarding S.O.S., I am researching a project for this year to help “Serve our Servicemen and Women”. As I was appointed at the Post-Convention S.E.C. meeting, I was not prepared to present a program for approval. This will be done at the Fall S.E.C. meeting, and after approval, the information will be posted on the Ladies Auxiliary website.