



2nd District Newsletter - December 2018
Ruth Schutz, District President

MIDYEAR REPORTS

We have all been busy during the last few months. The district chairmen and department chairmen would love to hear what you have been doing. Drop them a quick email, text or phone call to let them know what you have been up to. The contact information for the District Chairmen is included in this newsletter. Department Chairmen information is in the Plan of Actions.

MID-WINTER CONFERENCE 2019



Dates for Mid-Winter are as follows:

- Leadership Workshop “Hand in Hand”, Good Will & Leadership - January 25, 2019 2 - 4 pm
- Buckeye Girl State Information Session for Legion & Auxiliary - January 25, 2019 3 - 5 pm
- Legislative & National Security Awareness Assembly w/ Guest Speaker - January 25, 2019 @ 6:30 pm
- Program Information & Reporting - January 26, 2019 @ 9 am.
- National Vice Commander’s Banquet - January 26, 2019 @ 7 pm
- **Hotel Reservation Cutoff - December 23, 2018**
 - Call 614-885-1885 Option #2
 - Discounted Group Rate \$95.00 + Tax = \$114,41
 - Discount Code = LEG
 - Get a confirmation #.

Leadership Workshop

Friday, January 25th 2-4 pm

Register to Attend
\$5.00 for each attendee
Email: heather@alaohio.org
with the Unit # District #
& Names of Attendees

Workshop Registration Form
\$5.00 per attendee
Mail to Department of Ohio
PO BOX 2760
Zanesville, Ohio 43702

Unit _____ District _____
Name _____
Name _____
Name _____
Name _____

Total Amount Registration Fees _____

Buckeye Girls State Workshop

Friday, January 25th, 3-5 pm

Workshop: The BGS Workshop is designed to provide information to Units and BGS Chairman on the BGS Program. Topics covered will be, Selection of Delegates Do's & Don'ts, Deadlines, District Orientations, Planning for Success & Volunteer Opportunities

Workshop Registration Form
Email: Brittany@alaohio.org
or
Mail to Department of Ohio
PO BOX 2760
Zanesville, Ohio 43702

Unit _____ District _____
Name _____
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MIDWINTER BASKET

My assigned basket for Mid-Winter is VALENTINE'S DAY. I have a 31 bag into which I am going to place the items. So far I have some candles and a plush blanket and pillow. I plan to purchase some chocolates and possibly some wine. If anyone has suggestions for the basket, or would like to donate funds for it, please contact me ASAP.

The funds raised are not going to go to National Leadership Development Fund this year. They are going to Americanism to help the Americanism & Government Test Trip Fund.

DISTRICT SPRING ROUNDTABLE

We are going to try something new at our Spring Roundtable on March 3, 2019 at Fort Loramie Unit 355. We are going to have "Narrative Writing" workshop. Hopefully this will remove some of the fears we all have for yearend reports. We are excited to see how this goes. Please plan to attend and bring your questions.

NATIONAL LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT FUND RAFFLE

Since the Mid-Winter Basket Raffle fundraiser will go to the A&G Test Trip, they are adding a Gift Card Raffle at Department Summer Convention to raise funds this year. If you would like to donate a gift card, please bring it to Mid-Winter or our Spring Roundtable. They are asking for gift cards in \$15 - 25 denominations.

DONATIONS

Please consider donating to District activities. The District Constitution & Bylaws does have a suggested per capita donation to help the District President, but if you can do nothing else, please support our activities at the Dayton VA. Also our flower fund provides flowers when past District presidents pass away and for Department Conventions.

Please send **District Easter Party Donations** payable to Maggie Wiley to:

Maggie Wiley
317 S. Brooklyn Ave
Sidney, Oh 45365

Please send **District Birthday Party Donations** payable to Ruth Schutz to:

Ruth Schutz
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Please send **District Flower Fund Donations** payable to Deb Meyer to:

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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY DEPARTMENT OF OHIO LEADERSHIP DISTRICT TRAINERS

Are you a Unit in need of help with...

Proper Meeting Protocol
Updating Constitution & Bylaws
Better Understanding of ALA History
Basic Parliamentary Procedure

WE CAN HELP!

Leadership Training is available in one 2-hour training session or broken down into various 15-30 minute segments at different meetings on the above topics. If you have specific issues that need addressed, let us know and we can cater your Leadership training to address the needs of your Unit!

CONTACT US!

Please give at least a 2 week scheduling notice so the slides can be prepared for the number of attendees expected.

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MEMBERSHIP

2nd District is currently 5th place. At least two (2) Units have membership that I know has not been sent into yet, and I am sure there are others as well. Please give me the Christmas gift of your paid members. It is pretty bad when the District with no units is higher than us in the ranking!

GIRL'S STATE

Have you visited with your schools about Girl's State? Don't forget that the price goes up on March 1, 2019. Drop me an email about what you are doing for Girl's State.

Membership Benefits - These and many more are found at <http://ala.memberdiscounts.co/>.