

American Legion Auxiliary Department of California, Historian "State Archives" March Bulletin 2024

## Salute and Abundant Blessings Archive Officials!

## For the month of March, the focus is COMMUNITY SERVICE.

How are your Units and Districts serving communities in California? A way to start is by attending city council meetings and becoming familiar with events and activities. Then find a need in a community that resonates with your passion. Adopt a local law enforcement agency, fire department, school, classroom, nursing facility, park and recreation, serve on a polling location for voting, participate in a local spring-cleaning events, become CPR certified and become an instructor, volunteer in libraries, museums, local hospitals, senior homes or senior centers. Host events and activities for youth. Spearhead a yard clean up, meal train or fundraise for someone in need. Donate duffle bags with clothing, toiletries, toys, books, bibles, beanies, socks, shoes, sweaters to agencies for children in foster care. You can even become a foster parent. To whom and how are you being a blessing? The sky is the limit. Every minute counts, and someone is doing better because of every minute *you* volunteer. Share all you do with this Archive Official, The Department of California would love to hear all about it!

## Here are some important dates that would be great archiving and photo opportunities.

- 3/1 Be The One Day / Wear R.E.D. Friday
- 3/3 Navy Reserve Birthday
- 3/4 Hug a GI Day
- 3/5 SEABEE Day
- 3/7 National President Arrives in Sacramento, Ca
- 3/8 International Women's Day
- 3/8 Wear R.E.D. Friday
- 3/9 National President Arrives in Burbank, Ca
- 3/12 National President departs California
- 3/13 K-9 Veterans Day / Birthday of US K-9 Corps
- 3/15 Wear R.E.D. Friday

- 3/15 American Legion 105<sup>th</sup> Birthday
- 3/16 -3/17 American Legion D.E.C.
- 3/20 Operation Iraqi Freedom Begins 2003
- 3/22 Wear R.E.D. Friday
- 3/24 Palm Sunday
- 3/25 Congressional Metal of Honor Day
- 3/29 Good Friday / Wear R.E.D. Friday
- 3/29 National Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day
- 3/30 California Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day
- 3/30 Resurrection Day / Easter / Cesar Chavez Day

Thank you for taking the time to read this Archive Officials Bulletin – Please reach out if you have any questions.

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