10th District Newsletter-October 2016 American Legion Auxiliary Dept. of Wisconsin

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Happy Halloween, Auxiliary Ladies,

Wow, if you missed the Fall Banquet and the Fall DEC meeting/Memorial Service in Brackett, you missed great food, State Commander's speech, informative meeting and a touching Memorial Service.

We discussed the possibility of a combined Memorial Service for the Auxiliary and Legion. Most were for it. We gathered thoughts on the pro's and con's and hope to meet with Legion to discuss further. If you have any input, be sure to let me know so I can present at the fore mentioned meeting. There were 28 in attendance at the meeting so we received a variety of comments, but we still need your input!

Attached are a few items that I previously had promised to send and two new items- One is a copy of our Preamble and Mission statement along with another sheet with an agenda guideline and how to present a motion. I copy these 2 items on one sheet and handout to the members at a meeting- It is a very good tool for mentoring faltering units.

The second attachment is a copy of a card that can be used in your Education Programsupplied by our Education Chairman, Mary Mueller- Thank you Mary!

And the last attachment besides our scary Membership Standing Report, is the recipe of the wonderful Turkey Salad Sandwiches we were served at the Spring Conference. Sorry for the delay on this one but the mind forgets as we age, as I am sure you are all well aware of!

MEMBERSHIP	NEWS
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Hi Ladies

Fall has arrived, leaves are turning colors and eagles are soaring high in the sky every day. Now is the time for our units in the 10th district to "Soar For Our Veterans!" Remember that membership is the least we can do for our Veterans who have died, were tortured, dismembered and served our country so we can enjoy freedom!

Currently our 10th district is in last place and that is not acceptable. I expect our units to start soaring high like eagles and bring our 10th district out of 12th place and into 9th place by the end of October! So ladies start soaring high to get these membership renewed and go after new members now!

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER	•
MARY TOWNSEND	

Wonderful God;

With thankful hearts we lift up Your name. We are so blessed to witness the beauty of the Autumn season. Thankful for the harvest so bountiful. Knowing that You supply all our needs, according to Your great riches. For You are so good to us, we do not lack. Happy are we for knowing that all good things come from above. Asking for Your continued blessings on our military and the Legion Family. Amen

Up-Lifting Thought: The happiest people don't have the best of everything, they just make the best of everything.

For God and Country Karen K Hansen 10th District President