Hello Auxiliary Members!

Summer is here and the Department Convention is right around the corner. I hope that many of you are planning to attend. I am looking forward to seeing you there. Is your unit doing great things for youth in your community? Remember to post your events and pictures to the National American Legion Auxiliary Children and Youth Facebook page!

I am excited to announce that the Children and Youth Chairmen of the American Legion Family are teaming up to, once again, bring you a great door-prize raffle at the Department Commanders banquet! Our goal is to raise money for our Children and Youth projects. It is necessary to fund our Comfort Teddy Bears and Puppies that are distributed to children at hospitals and by first responders around the state. There is nothing better than having a good time while helping out a great cause.

We need your assistance to make this project a huge success. Spread the word within your units that donations are needed for the Children and Youth Raffle. Donations can be any new items such as candles, dish towels, garden items, or even a homemade quilt. The possibilities are endless! Bring the donations with you to the Department Convention in June.

If you are unable to attend the convention, please reach out to me at 763-639-5221 and I will make sure that your donation makes it to Bismarck.

Thank you for your support!

Jill Carstens

Children and Youth Chairman