



April 24, 2020

Greetings Louisiana Auxiliary Members,

I know there are a lot of ladies that are looking for ways to help Veterans during this pandemic. Here is a little info I thought I should pass on about what these guys are doing from District 2. And I am just wondering if we ladies can follow suite.

Allan Dunn and Gene Franques of Post 383 brought \$425 worth of drinks and snacks to the Reserve home last Friday and they were so grateful! He and Allan(Dist. 2 Commander) have reached out to the other Dist. 2 posts for assistance and everyone is sending funds to continue the effort. We have also talked to Ancillary reps for the other 4 state homes and they, too, love the idea. They are reaching out to the Auxiliary units because they thought it might be something you all might like to do while you have so much time on your hands. If the Legion posts continue to support the Vets Homes maybe our Units that are not near a Vets Home could inquire at other (none Veteran) nursing homes to see if they need help. The majority of the nursing homes are in lock down and cannot allow vendors to access their machines to replenish them. However, we must be sure all snacks are individually wrapped for safety's sake.

Don't forget to call them first to make sure you can do this 😊

I have a contest for you. I have attached a coloring sheet. Print it out and color it in your own style. When done email to secretary@lalegion-aux.org or mail it to Department Secretary Nicole by May 2. She will then put them on the Facebook page without names. Then everyone will vote on the one they like the best. The winner will get \$20.00 donated in their name to their favorite program.

We have sent out a Resolution to the DEC to cancel the State Convention on June 11-14, 2020. Once we have all the votes in, we will be emailing the results of the voting.

For God and Country,

Department President
Kate Kelsay

Wake up
-AND-

Smell
The
Rain

