

	Youth Activities November -December 2023	Karen Cypret 22222 Whiplash Lane Washburn, Mo. 65772 kcypret7vfw@gmail.com 417-342-7652
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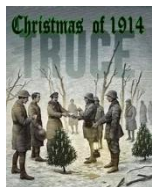
The Holiday season is upon us. This is a season that kids have been looking for the whole year. What do you have in the works for the youth in your community? There are so many different days observed in this great Country of ours.

Illustrating America Art Contest: Have you been to the schools with this wonderful Contest for students in grades K-8th? You can find the entry form at [Youth Activities - \(vfwauxmo.org\)](http://Youth Activities - (vfwauxmo.org)) the deadline is March 31st when Student entries must be submitted to a participating sponsoring VFW Auxiliary.

November 7th is the day to go vote. Have you registered High School Seniors to vote yet?

Veteran's Day is Saturday November 11th. What plan does your Auxiliary have to promote this in the schools? Go to the schools and ask what kind of program they put on and how you can help with that.

Thanksgiving is November 23rd. Is your Post and Auxiliary holding a Thanksgiving Dinner? How about inviting the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts or the 4-H Clubs in your community to help with your meal prep, serving or even clean-up. They will get credit in their organization for their community service and you get the honor of working with the future of this Nation.



Christmas December 25th. Are you walking in Parades? If so, invite youth groups to ride on your float or walk with your Auxiliary.

New Year's Day January 1st.

Books to check out

The Poppy Lady: Moina Belle Michael and Her Tribute to Veterans by Barbara Walsh

Rosie the Riveter: Women Working on the Home Front in World War II by Penny Coleman

Don't forget to report as soon as you complete a project at www.vfwauxmo.org. Please remember to put the chairperson and their

contact information. Our auxiliary year is half over with. Crazy to believe that. April 15th will be here before we know it.

Have a safe and prosperous Holiday Season. God Bless each and every one of you. Shalom.

"Show Me Teamwork... as We Work for Our Veterans" while we are "Banding Together for Our Veterans", "Let us teach our youth to love America and Her Veterans."