

MEMBERSHIP

SOI plus Bulletin number one

Let's talk membership!

I'm going to start with recruiting new members. They are so important to grow this organization and bring in new ideas and new faces. So, with that my question to the auxiliaries is Do you have a new member packet? If not, why? Do you know where to locate all the things you need to create a new member packet?

Retaining members, these members are just as important as recruiting new members, but we need to make sure that we keep the current members we have. Let me ask you what you can as an auxiliary do if you hear a member is struggling to pay their dues for this year?? Right use your relief fund to help pay for those dues. But you must have this voted on by the auxiliary.

Have you used the QR code? Well now you have no excuse because on the back of my business card that you all have is the membership QR code.

**I WILL NOT HAVE A YEAR END REPORT FOR MEMBERSHIP!!! I
HAVE ISSUED TWO CHALLENGES SO FAR!**

Now let's talk awards...

National awards are...

The Recruiter 5 members pin again with a chance at a drawing.

\$50 to each auxiliary reaching 100% plus by 6/30/26.

National Membership Achievement Award to a member who recruits 20 or more and there will be a drawing with this as well.

Department Challenges:

1. To the auxiliaries who uses Department President Robyn's theme "Keep the home fires burning" during a recruiting event the best and sends me a report will be 10 points towards a report at the end of the year.
2. Auxiliaries that 95%+ by November 30, 2025, by Mid-Winter will get a prize!
3. Auxiliaries that reach 98%+ by February 28, 2026, will be entered for a drawing.
4. Auxiliaries that reach 100%+ by April 30, 2026, will be entered for a drawing as well.
5. Auxiliaries that reach 102%+ by May 31, 2026, will be entered for a drawing at Convention!

Department of Washington Membership Year End Challenges Report

Must be sent to Adrienne Halvorsen by May 30, 2026

1. Did your auxiliary use Department President Robyn's theme "Keep the home fires burning" during a recruiting event the best and sends me a report?
2. Did your auxiliary reach 95%+ by November 30, 2025?
3. Did your auxiliary reach 98%+ by February 28, 2026
4. Did your auxiliary reach 100%+ by April 30, 2026?
5. Did your auxiliary reach 102%+ by May 31, 2026?

Loyally,

Adrienne Halvorsen, WA Dept. Membership Chairman