

Youth Activities

“Stand Up, Speak Out”

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PATRIOTISM THROUGH LITERACY

- Volunteer: Read books to children
- Donate historical books to: schools, shelters, libraries
- Host a read-a-thon
- Award and reward
- Teach children about American History

How can I participate in Patriotism through Literacy?

- ✓ Volunteer to read historical or creative nonfiction picture books to kids at your local library.
- ✓ Donate historical fiction or creative nonfiction books to schools, shelters or libraries.
- ✓ Host a read-a-thon and award small prizes (stickers, pins) for number of books or hours read.
- ✓ Beginning with our youngest youth, kindergartners, first and second graders, we can instill in them the importance of our Flag, how our country was formed, why we say the Pledge and who our first President was.



CREATING, SUPPORTING AND WORKING WITH YOUTH GROUPS

Activities that assist and work with veterans and their families provide a vital source of community involvement for youth groups. The Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, church youth groups, Boys and Girls Clubs of America and school-sponsored clubs are just a few groups that can benefit from our involvement.

Show these youth that we care. Invite a group to participate in some of our Auxiliary activities:

- Deliver groceries to a disabled veteran.
- Help a veteran with yard work and take the trash to the curb.
- Visit nursing homes or hospitals.

Back to School will be coming soon. Hold an event to collect School supplies for our Youth.

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