

"MORE THAN LETTERS"



POW/MIA Recognition Day!

Everyday that we live and breathe on this earth is POW/MIA Day, because these are more than just letters on one day of the year. We as an Auxiliary need to bring this to our community, making them aware of the sacrifices made of so many men and women over the years. Our youth need to be educated, if we do not educate the community the honor and respect deserved by these many men and women will slowly disappear. And when honor and respect disappear, so does "Patriotism". EDUCATE! EDUCATE! EDUCATE!

"At present, more than 83,000 Americans remain missing from WWII, the Korean War, the Vietnam War, the Cold War, the Gulf Wars, and other conflicts. Out of the 83,000 missing, 75% of the losses are located in the Asia-Pacific, and over 41,000 of the missing are presumed lost at sea."

Put a Flag Retirement Box in front of your post, put the word out that you have one and ask those who dispose of their flag to put it in this box.

On the box, display when the next Flag Retirement Ceremony will take place, invite the community and the schools. Ask the children to join in the ceremony, children will listen and hear more when they are involved then to just watching.

Respect and Honor is something that cannot be taught, it needs to be learned and seen. If people see Respect, Honor, and Patriotism, they will follow and even if it's just one person, you've reached out.