

# Buddy Poppy/National Home

## National Awards

1. Most outstanding use of the "Buddy Poppy in another VFW Auxiliary National Program.
2. Most outstanding activity and/or event that educates their community and/or other Veteran Service Organizations about the VFW National Home.

Have you reported it? Forms to be sent Department Chairman no later **March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024.**

How many Buddy Poppy Drives did you have this year, and did you work with the Post?

Did you bring awareness to the community on the Buddy Poppy?

What National Program did you work with to promote Buddy Poppy?

Use your imagination and get out there to show your community what the Buddy Poppy is all about and how the poppy can assist our Veterans and their families.

How did you celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Buddy Poppy?

## EDUCATE, EDUCATE, EDUCATE!

Dress up like a Buddy Poppy and go to the local store, meet the community.

**It's Fun!**

Approve By:  
Teresa Bachand  
Department President

The Auxiliary President along with the Commander in Chief have come together for the "National Special Project".

Have you promoted this program and held fund raiser to donate to the National Program? **REPORT**

## HOW MANY?

Tribute Brinks

National Lifetime Memberships

National Home Amazon Wish List

Honored a Veteran

Remember a loved one.

Honor a Friend

Celebrate a milestone.

There are so many ways to contribute to the National Home, send your ideas and your ways to Department Chairman no later than **March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024.**

***"A Soldier's prayer" Dear Lord, Bless our soldiers, protectors of our nation. Give them strength and courage in the face of adversity and deliver them safely home to their loving families once again."***

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