

## October 2025 Buddy Poppy/National Home

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## **Happy Fall Y'all**



Looking for ideas on how to educate and promote the Buddy Poppy and help the VFW National Home? Share the story behind the Buddy Poppy and why it matters. Promote the VFW National Home by sharing their mission, how they support our veterans and families and encouraging donations.



"Pumpkin Patch Poppy" setup a table at a local pumpkin patch, farmers market or at a fall festival. This is a good way to reach the community enjoying the fall season.





"Harvest for Heros" Host a Buddy Poppy distribution and the theme is to "Harvest Donations"

"Scarecrows for Service" Decorating contest using Scarecrows & Buddy Poppies.

Auction them off for donations.



"Scare up Support" Whitmore's Warriors "Do More Stock The Store" Encourage a friendly competition among your District, whichever Post & Auxiliary donates the most they get a Trophy to take back to their VFW Post.



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