

# Buddy Poppy/National Home

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**Have you planned and Activity to promote the National Home?**

**What will be your most Outstanding Activity?**



**There is an award for this activity!!!!**



**You could make a Buddy “Poppy” wreath and raffle it off and donate the money to the National Home, or use the money to purchase birthday cards to send to the National Home?**

**Don’t Forget the 100th year anniversary, bring those Birthday cards to the Department convention in October will send them off in one big box.**

**Have you looked at the National Home Amazon Wishlist?**

**Have you Planned a Buddy “Poppy” Drive**

**Post Chairman's don’t forget to set up Buddy “Poppy” Drives!!!**

**Veterans day is just around the corner what a great way to honor the fallen by educating about the Buddy “Poppy” .**

**Make Buddy Poppy centerpieces and raffle them off.**



**Make a wall of remembrance a local craft or county fair and then fair goers can request a poppy for there loved ones to place on the wall.**

**The Dept. Buddy “Poppy” Contest is at the Dept. Fall Convention. Please use the same rules for National. Look for them on the Department Website or on the VFWA National Website.**

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