YOUTH ACTIVITIES

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HEADSTONES.

STONES.

PROJECT.

DURING YOUR EVENT.

CRITERIA AVAILABLE AT:

JULY 2022



GRAVE BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT

✓ OBTAIN PERMISSION FROM THE CEMETERY.

✓ KEEP A LOG OF GRAVESITES BEAUTIFIED

✓ RESEARCH HOW TO CLEAN AND BEAUTIFY THE

✓ TAKE BEFORE AND AFTER PICTURES FOR YOUR

✓ RESEARCH HOW TO CLEAN THE HEADSTONES

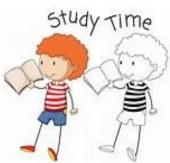
✓ FIND A YOUTH GROUP TO WORK WITH.
✓ FIND A CEMETERY WITH VETERAN

HEY KID'S, IT'S BACK TO SCHOOL DAYS!

BY YOUTH, FOR YOUTH

HOST A FUNDRAISING EVENT WITH YOUR YOUTH GROUP AND COLLECT:

- BACKPACKS
- SCHOOL SUPPLIES
- ART SUPPLIES



PATRIOTISM THROUGH LITERACY

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

GET EXCITED FOR THE RED, WHITE AND BLUE!

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SINGING CONTEST FOR GRADES K – 12th GRADE SING: "THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER" YOUR CHOICE:

- A CAPPELLA WITH INSTRUMENTS OR BACKING TRACKS
- ARRANGEMENT OR GENRE OF CHOICE
- CANNOT CHANGE THE WORDS

RULES AND ENTRY FORMS AVAILABLE: VFWAUXILIARY.ORG/RESOURCES

ILLUSTRATING AMERICA

Patriotic Art For Grades K — 8[™] Grade <u>Judged on:</u>

- PATRIOTIC THEME
- TECHNIQUE
 - THREE DIVISIONS:
 - K- 2ND GRADE
 - 3 5[™] GRADE

• 6 - 8TH GRADE

INVOLVE YOUTH IN EVERY AUXILIARY PROGRAM WE ARE *"Hands that Serve, Hearts that Care"* AND LET'S BE A *"Champion for Veterans"*

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