



NATIONAL SECURITY AWARDS

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Each award application must include a cover sheet.

All awards will be announced at National Convention during the National Security pre-convention meeting.

Department Award: Department National Security Program Award

Type of Award: Citation

Presented to: One department in each division (5 overall awards)

- For the most outstanding overall National Security program in the division.

Materials and Guidelines:

- Entries must include the award cover sheet located in this packet.
- Each entry must be typewritten in narrative form.
- Include pictures and newspapers articles.
 - Pictures and articles to be included must be submitted to the Department National Security Chairman postmarked by May 1, 2017 or by email (received no later than 5pm CDT) on May 1, 2017.
- Entries must be sent by the department National Security chairman to your National Security division chairman postmarked by June 1, 2017, or by email sent by 5 p.m. EDT on June 1, 2017.

Department Award: Dorothy Pearl Civil Preparedness (CERT) Plaque

Type of Award: Citation Plaque

Presented to: One department

- For the department having the highest percentage of units participating in civil preparedness.

Materials and Guidelines:

- Entries must include the award cover sheet located in this packet.
- Each entry must either be a narrative report or spreadsheet of participating units, CERT training dates, the number of participants registering for the program and number of participants completing the program.
- Entries must be sent by the department National Security chairman to national committee member postmarked by June 1, 2017, or by email sent by 5 p.m. EDT on June 1, 2017.

Department Award: Military Spouse eMentor Award

Type of Award: Citation Plaque

Presented to: One department

- For the department having the highest percentage of members actively participating in military spouse e-mentoring and connected to military spouses

Materials and Guidelines:

- Entries must include the award cover sheet located in this packet.
- Each entry must have a list/spreadsheet of participating members.
 - Submit your list of participating members to the Department National Security Chairman postmarked by May 1, 2017 or submit by email (received no later than 5pm CDT) on May 1, 2017.
- Entries must be sent by the department National Security chairman to the National Chairman postmarked by June 1, 2017, or by email sent by 5 p.m. EDT on June 1, 2017.
- Each department's participation percentage will be determined by the National Chairman. The percentage will be calculated based on the number of reported participating members who are serving as an e-mentor as of June 8, 2017, as reported by the e-mentoring program staff, divided by the department's membership number as of June 8, 2017. (For example, if 250 of the 300 members listed on the department's submitted spreadsheet were connected to military spouses, in a department with 5,000 members, the percentage would be 5 percent).

Unit Award: Military Support Unit Award

Type of Award: Citation

Presented to: One unit in each division (5 overall awards)

- For demonstrating the most outstanding overall program serving and supporting military families, with special emphasis on helping military families through times of deployment and/or injury (severely wounded).

Materials and Guidelines:

- Entries must include the award cover sheet located in this packet.
- Each entry must be typewritten in narrative form.
- Include pictures and newspaper articles.
- Entries must be sent by the unit National Security chairman to her National Security division chairman postmarked by June 1, 2017, or by email sent by 5 p.m. EDT on June 1, 2017. (Send a copy of the Unit entry to the Department National Security Chairman.)

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**American Legion Auxiliary
2015-2016 National Award Cover Sheet**

Send completed form to:

National Security Chairman Karen Degner, 914 Dreifuerst Road, Plymouth WI 53073

This cover sheet should be attached to each narrative submitted for a national award. Please fill out the information as completely and accurately as possible.

Award certificates will be completed using the information given on this sheet, so please write carefully. All awards will be mailed to the department office after national convention. Department presidents may wish to recognize award recipients by presenting them at a department function.

National committee sponsoring award: NATIONAL SECURITY

Type of Award: Department Unit Member

Name of the award you are applying for: _____

Complete the following if you are applying for a department award:

Name of department: _____

Name of department chairman: _____

Chairman's phone number: (_____) _____ ALA member ID#: _____

Chairman's email address: _____

Please complete the following if you are applying for a unit award. Be sure to give the complete name of your unit. The award certificate will be prepared using the information you include below.

Unit #: _____ Full official unit name: _____

Unit president/chairman (circle one) name: _____

Phone number: (_____) _____ ALA member ID#: _____

Email address: _____

Please complete the following if you are applying for a member award. Be sure to give the complete name of the member. The award certificate will be prepared using the information you include below.

Unit #: _____ Full official unit name: _____

Member Name: _____ ALA member ID#: _____

Nominating Member (if different from above): _____

Nominator's Phone number: (_____) _____

Nominator's Email address: _____