



**Wisconsin Veterans Home Union Grove**  
**2024-2025 Needs List**  
**(Subject to change)**

At this time, we **DO NOT NEED** any reading books, clothing, lap robes, puzzles, word puzzles, personal hygiene supplies, wheelchairs, electric scooters, walkers, crutches, table games, magazines, or VHS tapes

**Monetary Donations:**

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- 1E patio expansion with walking paths and seating areas.
- Music & Memory programs
- Supplies for activities or special events
- Member garden areas

**Memory Care Unit/1West**

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- 1 West garden remodel-\$40,000
- [CRDL](#): A care instrument designed to create impactful connections between people.
- [Eugeria](#): HUG (by laugh): HUG is a sensory product. Its weighted limbs and heartbeat bring comfort and calm.

**Campus Events**

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- Sweetheart lunch, family picnic, Christmas party, special meals, volunteer banquet
- New Year's Eve celebration, Halloween party, Packer parties, Brewer's tailgate parties, Veterans Day breakfast
- Entertainment, refreshments, decorations, Sponsored bingo or horse racing. Catered meals, Fresh Flowers for Mother's Day, Easter, Christmas

**Food Items:**

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**Please check expiration dates to assure freshest items**  
**Items may be dropped off directly to Boland Hall**

- Individual bags of chips, Ice cream, Sugar free ice cream options, Lactose free ice cream options
- Fun and full-size candy bars, (some with nuts some without), bags of individual wrapped candy-regular and sugar free, Little Debbie, Hostess, soft cookie, and granola bar snacks, Pub supplies-non-alcoholic beer, (O'Doul's), Diet and regular soda; root beer, orange, 7Up, Pepsi, Coke, Dr. Pepper, cheese balls, puff corn.
- Pudding snack pack cups in a variety of flavors-regular and sugar free

**Other General Supplies**

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- Young Living Essential Oils-Thieves, lemon, orange, peppermint, purification
- Subscription to 'Reminisce' magazine and National Geographic, Racine Journal Times subscription
- Small stuffed animals (NEW)

Monetary donations for the Union Grove WVH should be payable to ALA-Wisconsin and mailed to ALA Department Headquarters, PO Box 140, Portage WI 53901-0140. Please use the 2024-2025 Poppy Fund Donation sheet #4415 (found on the Dept website [www.amlegionauxwi.org](http://www.amlegionauxwi.org) under the Forms tab).

Thank you to the ALA Units and organizations that have been gracious and generous contributors on a regular basis for our veterans residing in Union Grove. Together we are making a difference

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