

# **Youth Activity Program August**

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**School has now started, so lets get the local school involved in our Youth Activity Programs. Don't forget our home school students.**

**If your Auxiliary has a youth group that helps Veterans in your community, you need to remember to recognize them for their efforts. Fill out and submit the request form available at [vfwauxiliary.org/resources](http://vfwauxiliary.org/resources) to have a citation sent to a deserving youth group in your community.**

**Get family members involved. The youth activity program has endless possibilities for youth. By actively promoting our Youth Activities program, you have a great opportunity to include family members of youth and collaborate with other programs. Encourage Patriotism through Literacy and host a reading event at the local library. Have Auxiliary members read historical books to children who attend. Ask to attend PTA,PTO meetings to promote our programs, educate parents on what we offer and how we support military families. Many families know a deployed service member, good way to help the troops, help the youth pack care packages for the service members they know, even if they are not your Auxiliary adopted Unit, you can still help them.**