



American Legion Auxiliary
Department of Virginia
Children and Youth Committee
2024-2025



*“Making A Difference –
Seeing Wishes instead of Weeds”*

The purpose of the Children and Youth Program is to work with The American Legion Family to promote programs that protect, care for, and support children and youth, especially those of our military and veterans.

Projects are as varied as the communities from which we come. Lean into the needs of the youth in your community. Work together with your American Legion Family to support our common Children and Youth initiatives (The American Legion Child Welfare Foundation, scouting initiatives and others found on The American Legion website www.legion.org/youth/youth).

2024-2025 Department of Virginia Children and Youth Goals:

- One Youth Hero Award per Unit
- Two Good Deed Award per Unit
- 100% Unit participation in Month of the Military Child activities
- 100% Unit participation in “Purple Up!” for Military Kids on April 15th
- 100% of Units paying their ROAR citation for Children and Youth

2024-2025 Children and Youth Special Project – Details forthcoming!

Special Children and Youth Project from National -- Operation “Stuff Sack” – Details forthcoming!

Reporting

- Mid-Year Reports due December, 1 2024
- End-of-Year reports due April 15, 2025
- Contenders for Department and National awards need to include a narrative not to exceed 1000 words and should include pictures and supporting information (publicity or press releases).

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