



## **Junior Girls Units Sponsored by Ladies Auxiliary VFW How to Organize a Junior Girls Unit**

### **ELGIBILITY**

Membership in the Junior Girls Unit is open to girls from five (5) through sixteen (16) years of age who are daughters, foster daughters, stepdaughters, granddaughters, sisters, half sisters, foster sisters and stepsisters of members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, or of men and women eligible for membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

A foster daughter of foster sister shall be one who has been reared from an early age as a daughter or sister of a man or woman who is a member or eligible to membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

### **AUTHORIZATION**

A Junior Girls Unit may be organized by authority of the National President on the application of not less than ten (10) members, all of whom meet the eligibility requirements as outlined under Section 3, Paragraph 1 of the Rules, Regulations and Ritual. The Organizer shall be a member of the Ladies Auxiliary.

### **CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION**

Application for Certificate of Organization shall be made on a form provided for that purpose by National Headquarters. The form shall be completed and forwarded through the Department President to the National Secretary. The form shall be accompanied by a list of prospective members and a check or money order in the amount of \$25.00 to cover the initial supplies and certificate. An official Certificate of Organization (instead of a charter), signed by the National President and the National Secretary, will be issued for each new Junior Girls Unit. This certificate shall constitute the authority under which the Junior Girls Unit will function.

Although a list of Charter Members of the Unit does not appear on the Certificate of Organization, it is necessary that you submit the list of girls' names with the Application for Certificate of Organization.

The following are the names of girls whose applications have been accepted as members to the proposed Junior Girls Unit to Auxiliary No. \_\_\_\_\_.

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| 1. _____  | 11. _____ |
| 2. _____  | 12. _____ |
| 3. _____  | 13. _____ |
| 4. _____  | 14. _____ |
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| 6. _____  | 16. _____ |
| 7. _____  | 17. _____ |
| 8. _____  | 18. _____ |
| 9. _____  | 19. _____ |
| 10. _____ | 20. _____ |

**RETURN WITH YOUR APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION**