



## Catholic War Veterans Auxiliary

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NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS  
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September 2019

### **PLEASE GIVE TO YOUR THIRD VICE PRESIDENT**

**TO:** Third Vice Presidents, **ALL** Echelons

**FROM:** **Geraldine Schwartz, Third Vice President**  
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### **SUBJECT: 2019-2020 NATIONAL THIRD VICE PRESIDENT PROGRAM**

I have always believed that the 3rd Vice Program was one of the most important offices that this organization has. If our 3rd Vice Officers got and kept the interest of our youth, they will remember our Organization when they are ready to join. There is a saying that goes something like this-- The youth of today is our future! We need to help channel their energies into constructive pursuits.

Activities should be coordinated to involve as many individuals as possible. We will follow the specific rules and regulations regarding the various student contests as recommended by the National Third Vice President.

In the past, Posts, Chapters and Departments have conducted their own independent contests throughout the year. We encourage you to continue sponsoring such contests. Your selective subject for the contests may vary according to locality. Our goal is to keep young minds busy. A busy mind may be the one link that will have them SAY NO to drugs and alcohol and to keep them law-abiding citizens.

**Contests are due to National by the following Dates at the address or the 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President.**

**Grades K-2 Keep "Christ in Christmas" Coloring Contest Deadline December 15,2019**

**Grades 3-5 Religious Easter Poster Contest Deadline March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**Grades 6-8 *What America Means to Me* Essay Contest Deadline April 15, 2020**

The ICB Scholarship is offered to high school seniors who are sons, daughters, grandsons, or granddaughters of an active member of the Catholic War Veterans of the United States of America or of the Catholic War Veterans Auxiliary. A child or grandchild of a deceased Veteran is also qualified. A student may apply for both Veterans and Auxiliary scholarships. **If you have submitted a scholarship application to our parent body, Catholic War Veterans of the United States of America, and are chosen by them as a scholarship recipient, you automatically become ineligible to receive the Catholic War Veterans AUXILIARY scholarship.**

The ICB Scholarship will award two \$1000 scholarships this year. Scholarships are made possible by donations from our members, Units, and Departments. Applications may be obtained from **National Headquarters at 237-20 92<sup>ND</sup> RD. BELROSE, NY 11426**

I'm asking for your help! Each year we give out two \$1000 scholarships. We rely on the generosity of our Departments and Auxiliaries to donate towards this worthy cause. I am asking that each Department and Auxiliary please make a donation Make checks payable to Catholic War Veterans Auxiliary and send them to National Headquarters.

**DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATION IS June 30, 2020**

Please help us continue this program by sending your contributions to:

**Catholic War Veterans Auxiliary**

**237-20 92<sup>ND</sup> RD.**

**BELROSE, NY 11426**

**Be sure to indicate the donation is for  
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION BURSE #2**

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**REPORTS**

All Third Vice Presidents are responsible for submitting the enclosed **2019-2020 YOUTH ACTIVITY REPORT FORM through ECHELON** as soon as possible after Department Convention. Department Third Vice Presidents should send a compiled report of all their Units and Chapters, along with a **report of Department Officers' activities** to the **National Third Vice President.**

**Deadline for submission of report is 30 June, 2020**

**AWARDS**

**Units Up to 30**

**Units 31-75**

**Units 76-120**

**Units 121 & Over**

**Chapter and Department**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$25 Check & National Citation**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place – National Citation**

**NATIONAL CITATION**

**To the Best Youth-Oriented Special Project**

**2019-2020 REPORT FORM**  
**YOUTH ACTIVITY**

Auxiliary Name & No.: \_\_\_\_\_

No. of Members: \_\_\_\_\_ Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Name & Address of Officer: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Immaculate Conception Burse (ICB)
2. Contest
  - A. Keep Christ In Christmas Coloring Contest (Grade K-2)- coloring pages included
  - B. Religious Easter Poster Contest (Grades 3-5)
  - C. "What America Means to Me" Essay Contest (Grades 6-8)
3. Aid to children with physical and mental disabilities, Special Olympics Participation
4. Sponsoring/Chaperoning camping programs, Scouts, Brownies, school bands, etc.
5. Special Project(s)

**Please explain on a separate sheet of paper, write in a narrative style.**

THROUGH ECHELONS – from UNIT (to Chapter, if any), to DEPARTMENT, to NATIONAL AUXILIARY OFFICER BY DEADLINE DATE of **JUNE 30, 2020**.

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**NATIONAL THIRD VICE PRESIDENT PROGRAM**

**\* \* \* CONTEST AWARDS/RULES \* \* \***

**A. A. KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS COLORING CONTEST (K through 2 Grade Students)  
DEADLINE: December 15, 2019**

1st Place \$ 25.00 Check and Citation  
2nd Place Citation

**B. RELIGIOUS EASTER POSTER CONTEST (3 through 5th Grade Students)  
DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2020**

1st Place \$ 25.00 Check and Citation  
2nd Place Citation

**C. "What America Means to Me" Essay Contest (6 through 8th Grade Students)  
DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2020**

1st Place \$ 25.00 Check and Citation  
2nd Place Citation

**CONTEST RULES**

1. Grade eligibility listed for each contest.
2. Posters are to be standard size 11 x 14 inches only. Any type of cardboard or paperboard is OK.
3. Students in Contests "B" "Winning posters may be shipped and students should avoid designs in which the effect may be lost.
4. For Contest "C", Essays should be at least 400 to 500 words; all essays should be typed and double spaced.
5. **EVERYONE MUST USE THE IDENTIFICATION FORM. Affix ID Form to entry.**
6. Only three (3) Entries are to be submitted by each Department per contest.
7. Post and Auxiliary not under Department jurisdiction may submit a total of one (1) poster or essay per contest
8. All entries must arrive at National Third Vice President's address listed below ON or BEFORE THE DEADLINE DATE. Late entries will NOT be judged.
9. The decision of the judges is final.
10. Contestants need not be present to win.
11. Only winning entries will be returned.

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