

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

“CORNERSTONE” GIFT CLUB

To Qualify: Awarded to individuals for their cumulative donations made during the current contribution year.

Foundation Ambassadors - \$1,000
Dated gold logo pin with five diamonds

President’s Circle - \$500
Dated gold logo pin with one diamond

Foundation Partners - \$250
Dated gold logo pin with one blue sapphire

Century Club - \$100
Dated gold logo pin with one amethyst

When: Pins mailed by Sept. 15.

SPIRIT OF EXCELLENCE

To Qualify: A national organization (American Legion, Auxiliary, SAL and Eight & Forty) raises \$100,000 in donations during the contribution year.

When: Dated gold logo pin with .07 diamond presented to respective national commanders, president or chapeau nationale at their respective national convention.

LEADERSHIP CLUB

To Qualify: Must have established the American Legion Child Welfare Foundation as a formal department project for their year in office.

When: Dated gold logo pin with .05 diamond presented to respective department and detachment commanders, presidents and chapeaus at a respective departmental meeting.



CHILDREN’S ACTION TEAM (CAT) PINS

To Qualify: Be a Children’s Action Team member and solicit a minimum of \$500 in individual donations within a contribution year.

When: Gold logo “CAT” pin mailed by Sept. 15.

Please help us by donating. Your charitable gift of \$25, \$50 or \$100 contributes to special moments in the life of a child.

DONATE

Send your donations today to:
The American Legion
P.O. Box 361626
Indianapolis, IN 46236
Earmark check: Child Welfare Foundation

Or donate online, legion.org/donate.



Child Welfare Foundation

P.O. Box 1055
Indianapolis, IN 46206
(317) 630-1203

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Child Welfare Foundation Annual Awards

Dedicated to the betterment of all children.



The American Legion Child Welfare Foundation, Inc. presents special awards annually for outstanding support of our programs designed to help children.

The award year is June 1 of the current year through May 31 of the following year.

DEPARTMENT AWARDS

U.S. “UDIE” GRANT LEGACY AWARD

To Qualify: Must be the top department nationally, based on combined total contributions of The American Legion, Auxiliary, Sons of The American Legion (SAL), American Legion Riders (ALR) and Eight & Forty during a contribution year.

When: Plaques awarded at their respective national convention.

GARLAND D. MURPHY, JR. AWARD

To Qualify: Must be the most active department in the nation, based on actual contributions received during a contribution year. One department from each organization (The American Legion, Auxiliary, SAL, ALR and Eight & Forty) is recognized.

When: Plaques awarded at their respective national convention.



EXCELLENCE AWARD

To Qualify: Must be one of 10 departments with the highest per capita contribution average for the contribution year within each organization (The American Legion, Auxiliary, SAL and Eight & Forty).

When: Plaques awarded for the top department in each contributing organization (The American Legion, Auxiliary, SAL and Eight & Forty) at their respective national conventions. Citations mailed to nine runners-up by Sept. 1.

“HERITAGE CIRCLE” GIFT CLUB

To Qualify: Awarded to departments (American Legion, Auxiliary, SAL, ALR and Eight & Forty) for their cumulative donations made during the contribution year.

Benefactor (gold)	\$5,000
Patron (silver)	\$2,500
Sponsor (bronze)	\$1,000

When: Plaques mailed by Sept. 1.

MERITORIOUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

To Qualify: Must be the top department in each organization (The American Legion, Auxiliary, SAL and Eight & Forty) experiencing the highest increase in per capita giving in a contribution year.

When: Plaques are awarded at their respective national convention.

REGIONAL AWARDS

MIGHTY CAT (Children’s Action Team)

To Qualify: Must be most active CAT or CATs in one of the eight regions for The American Legion, Auxiliary, Eight & Forty and Sons based on actual contributions received during contribution year.

When: Plaques awarded at National Children & Youth Conference.



POST-LEVEL AWARDS

“CHILDREN FIRST” GIFT CLUB

To Qualify: Awarded to American Legion posts, squadrons, Auxiliary units, ALR chapters and Eight & Forty salons for their cumulative donations made during the contribution year.

Guardian (gold)	\$1,000
Advocate (silver)	\$ 750
Caretaker (bronze)	\$ 500

When: Plaques mailed by Sept. 1.