

# COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS

## The 'Silent Rag' J.A.S.O.N. Award

Each year, Department recognizes those Posts and Auxiliaries that have turned in reports on time each month by December 31<sup>st</sup> for the following months: **July, August, September, October & November**. This is the J.A.S.O.N. period.

ONLY THOSE THAT HAVE TURNED IN A REPORT **EACH MONTH, ON TIME** WILL RECEIVE THIS AWARD.

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## 100% Community Service Reporting

Each month a community service report is due **by the end of the following month**. (Example: January is due in February) Those that turn in a report **ON TIME EACH MONTH** will be recognized by Department. Not those who wait and turn them all in at once – it must be each month.

## National Outstanding Community Service Post Award

Each membership year, National requests that each Department chooses a Post who has proven outstanding performance in their community service.

### **The following is the criteria for this award:**

1. Post must have reported every month on time (**by the end of the following month**)
2. All areas of the Community Service report must be participated in by activity or donations
3. Have shown the great work that they do in their community for their Veterans

### **The Award consists of:**

1. a plaque inscribed with the name of the VFW Post and VFW Auxiliary (if applicable),
2. a \$599 stipend to cover part of the Post representative's expenses to the National Convention,
3. publication of the Post's name in the Convention program booklet
4. and a street sign identifying this national award for the Post to put up in their community

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