

District 1 Children and Youth Committee Report District Fall Conference: Sunday, October 2, 2022

Committee Chair: Lisa Fauster

Vice Chair: TBD

Activities since last report:

Generous donations were made from Posts to the Fisher House, Ronald McDonald House and the R&R House. Scholarships were awarded to High School Seniors across the District.

Upcoming activities:

Dept. of WI Children and Youth Chair, Lisa Fauster, will be presenting the new Children and Youth Ambassador Award at the Fall DEC Meeting on Oct. 15th to replace the current C&Y Reporting form. The Award will allow Posts to share about their exciting C&Y activities that they are involved in. Awards will be given in membership groups, to be received at the Dept. Convention.

Many Posts will be hosting either Trunk or Treat or Safe Halloween events for the youth in their community. Santa will be handing out Christmas cheer wherever his sleigh can reach within our District.

Help me share the great message to our Youth to BE THE ONE. The one to be kind, the one to be brave and speak out against bullying, and the one to pay attention to others in distress. Our kids can be our best front line defense for their peers who may be involved in drugs and alcohol, self harm and suicidal ideation. Hand out the BE THE ONE bracelets at your C&Y activities. \$20.00/100. Contact yiayia4wilegion@gmail.com to arrange pick up.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Fauster

First District Children & Youth Chair