About Freedoms Foundation

Freedoms Foundation is a nonprofit organization founded in 1949 to foster citizenship and patriotism in young Americans as a way to preserve our democracy and move freedom forward to the next generation.

Their educational programs foster engaged citizenship, individual character, and personal responsibility, while recognizing those who model these qualities through their awards programs.

Programs on our nation’s history, our government, and current topics relevant to foundational freedoms equip participants with the tools to make informed decisions on their roles and responsibilities as American citizens.

Freedoms Foundation classrooms, dormitories, and offices are in Valley Forge, PA on a 75-acre campus. This is where teachers and students come to live and learn about our great country and the role each of us has to play.

From the National Americanism Officer

“As I become more familiar with Freedoms Foundation and the educational programs offered to our students, it makes sense to raise funds to help this wonderful organization continue inspiring our children.

To step back in time and learn about who we were as a Nation and how we got here, to relive the lives of our legends, to experience history by being totally immersed in it, and to instill pride of country in our youth is needed more and more today. That’s what Freedoms Foundation does every day.

Please join Madame President and myself this year in working together as a team to create positive change for our youth. Help educate our youth about AMERICA, the land of the free, how it became the land of the free and who gave their all for that freedom.

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The Need for More Power

The winters in Valley Forge are historically known for being bad and never fail each year Freedoms Foundation loses power. With student programs running the risk of being left in the cold with no lights and food is a real concern. It happened to a group of 5th Graders from California. Because this is such a regular occurrence, Freedoms Foundation hopes to install three back-up generators, one each for the dormitories. The combined President and Americanism Project’s goal for 2019—2020 is to raise enough money to purchase natural gas powered back-up generators, which will allow heat and electricity to operate normally in the kitchen, dining room, classrooms, and dorm rooms, when power is out.

From National President Dee Baggett

I believe we should Always Remember our rights and responsibilities as citizens, which is what Freedoms Foundation is teaching our children everyday. Since being elected Department Americanism Officer and attending Freedoms Foundation, I have always wanted to help to keep their lights burning bright for future generations.

Join me and National Americanism Officer, Denise Rodzen, in our campaign, “Powering Up The Future,” to ensure the power of responsible citizens stays burning strong!

Goals for 2019-2020

- Full participation of the Auxiliary.
- Every Department to make a minimum donation of $300.
- Each Auxiliary to make a $100 donation.
- $35,000 total gift.
- Purchase building generators for Freedoms Foundation.

Show Your Support!

Americanism Project lapel pins are available for purchase from Department and Auxiliary Americanism Chairs for $5 each.

If you would like pins to sell contact:
Denise Rodzen
National Americanism Officer

Project Goal: $35,000

Gold Level Support — $600 or more

Departments, Locals, or individuals contributing $600 or more will receive a certificate, a set of Freedoms Foundation notecards, and a framed photo of the George Washington in Prayer Statue.

Silver Level Support — $300 - $599

Departments, Locals, or individuals contributing $300 or more will receive a certificate and a set of Freedoms Foundation notecards.

Bronze Level Support — $1 - $299

Departments, Locals, or individuals contributing just $1 or more receive a certificate.

Power me up!

Enclosed is my contribution to AMVETS National Ladies Auxiliary Americanism Project in the amount of $_______.
Please direct all donations through your Department.
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