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VFW ANNOUNCES ANNUAL PUBLICATIONS CONTEST

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The VFW Publications Department announced today that it is accepting submissions for VFW's 2010 National Publications Contest.

All publications will be categorized by the membership size of the Department, District or Post they represent. For the contest, **Departments** will be defined as:

- large (25,000 or more members),
- medium (11,000-24,999) and
- small (10,999 or fewer).

Districts will be defined as:

- large (4,000 or more),
- medium (2,500-3,999) and
- small (2,499 or fewer).

Posts will be defined as:

- large (300 or more),
- medium (200-299) and
- small (199 or fewer).

All national entries must place **first** in **Department-level contests**. One copy of each winning Post and District publication—as well as **only one** issue of the Department newspaper—must be mailed by **Department adjutants, quartermasters or Department editors**, to Kelly Von Lunen in the Publications Department at the National Headquarters address by April 5, 2010. Issues published between Jan. 1, 2009, and Dec. 31, 2009 are eligible.

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NATIONAL PUBLICATIONS CONTEST ENTRY FORM

Department Adjutants: Please include a copy of this form with each winning entry. Include a separate form for each entry. For example: one copy with Department entry, one with District and one with Post. Indicate membership size for each publication.

DEPARTMENT PUBLICATION

Name of Publication: _____

Editor: _____

Editor's address (street): _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Large (25,000 or more) ____ Medium (11,000-24,999) ____ Small (10,999 or fewer) ____

DISTRICT PUBLICATION

Name of Publication: _____

Editor: _____

Editor's address (street): _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Large (4,000 or more) ____ Medium (2,500-3,999) ____ Small (2,499 or fewer) ____

POST PUBLICATION

Name of Publication: _____

Editor: _____

Editor's address (street): _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Large (300 or more) ____ Medium (200-299) ____ Small (199 or fewer) ____