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The work of our Camps is the back bone of the Order. Unfortunately, these ideas, events, and deeds often go unnoticed and are not shared with the Department or National. It is important for National to see what the Camps are doing so National knows what areas we are strong in. This information also helps National to see what things need removed, adjusted or revived. As such the Patriotic Handbook and Patriotic Instructor Reports have been revised and the NEW versions are available on the website.

The requirement that Patriotic Instructors file a report has been a requirement for many years and is nothing new. Unfortunately it has been the tendency of the Order to overlook the failure to complete these reports. There is now a strong emphasis being placed on ensuring these reports are completed and they must be filed just like those the secretaries and treasurers file. Like all reports, it is the responsibility of the Camp and Department Commanders to ensure they are filed on time.

Camp Patriotic Instructors must submit Form 40 to the Department Patriotic Instructors by 1 April.

Department Patriotic Instructors must submit Form 41 to the National Patriotic Instructor by 1 June.

Ordered this 27th Day of January, 2017 .

Donald L. Martin
Commander-In-Chief
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Attested:
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People are just as happy as they make up their minds to be. ~ Abraham Lincoln