Hello Auxiliary Members and Happy Holidays!!!

Membership is climbing across Kansas and I am super excited to report as of November 20 we are at 49.57%, only 37 members away from reaching our goal of 50% by the extended deadline of December 15, 2026.

I am pleased to announce District 1, District 2, District 4, District 10, and District 11 have already reached the 50% goal and have earned their gears to decorate their lighthouse. I will be reaching out to each of these district membership chairs to get the gears delivered to you!

Here are the current district standings and the number of members needed by December 15 to earn the gears for your district lighthouse:

- District 1: 50.56% GOAL MET! Congratulations!
- District 2: 51.55% GOAL MET! Congratulations!
- District 3: 46.4% (38 members needed)
- District 4: 56.56% GOAL MET! Congratulations!
- District 5: 48.83% (15 members needed)
- District 6: 31.2% (141 members needed)
- District 7: 49.45% (4 members needed)
- District 8: 45.48% (14 members needed)
- District 9: 43.16% (23 members needed)
- District 10: 58.52% GOAL MET! Congratulations!
- District 11: 52.16% (GOAL MET! Congratulations!

Can you believe we already have 2 units in Kansas who have exceeded their 100% goal for the year! Please help me congratulate the following 2 units:

- Leavenworth Unit 94: 125%
- White Cloud Unit 154: 120%

It is holiday season which means many of us will be celebrating the holidays with friends and family! Remember to bring ALA membership applications to your family gatherings and share why you belong. Encouraging friends and family to join is a great way to build our membership. And don’t forget to tell everyone about our new membership eligibility guidelines!!!

NOTICE TO ALAMIS USERS: you must renew your membership before December 31, 2026 to keep your ALAMIS user access active. Please be sure to renew before the December 31 deadline to stay active in ALAMIS!

REMINDER: ALAMIS user forms and payments are due to the ALA Department office on or before December 31, 2026. If you need help completing the form or have questions about what user access you need and what your payment should be, please reach out to the department office.

As always, if you have any questions, comments, or concerns please do not hesitate to reach out!

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