

## INDIVIDUAL RECOGNITION/ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS “THE S.A.L. BLUE BRIGADE”

A Sons of The American Legion member who recruits 30 or more NEW members into the Sons of The American Legion by the May target date will qualify for enrollment in the elite BLUE BRIGADE of The Sons of The American Legion.

A NEW MEMBER is defined as a person that has not been a member of the Sons of The American. Reinstated members do not qualify as New Members. These very special Sons of The American Legion members will be Awarded unique gifts that designate affiliation with the Blue Brigade of the Sons of The American Legion. Also, special recognition will be given to those Sons of The American Legion members enrolled in the Blue Brigade through a special announcement in the National Update. The National Commander will recognize members of the Sons of The American Legion Blue Brigade during the National Convention. The gifts awarded to a Blue Brigadier will depend on the number of times he has qualified for this award. The first time qualifier for the Blue Brigade will receive a Jacket and Blue Brigade Certificate. A second, third or fourth time winner will receive a Blue Brigade Certificate, and a “Hash Mark” for the jacket sleeve.

An S.A.L. Blue Brigadier who has earned the S.A.L. Blue Brigade Award for at least Five (5) consecutive years or more, including the current membership year, is eligible for a \$150.00 gift certificate to National Emblem Sales. Department Adjutants are required to submit the certification form by the May target date.