Oregon State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution
DAR 101

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Buildings: The DAR Headquarters complex occupies an entire city block near the White House and includes three adjoining buildings, two of which are registered National Historic Landmarks.

DAR Library: One of the largest genealogical research centers in the United States; a specialized collection of American genealogical and historical manuscripts and publications.

RESOURCES FOR CHAPTERS AND MEMBERS
DAR Public Website [www.dar.org]
Chapter Regent’s Manual
DAR Handbook and National Bylaws
DAR Media
Getting to Know the DAR
State Information Packet [SIP]
History of Oregon State Society and Chapters

National Committee Awards
OSSDAR Leadership Training
DAR Prospective Member Brochure
National Information Packet [NIP]
Webinars

1890 – 2015
Compiled by Alice Miles, State First Vice Regent
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Annual Reports
State Conference reports should cover events between State Conference: May 1 - April 30.

Associate Members
DAR Handbook and National Bylaws – page 60

Audit –chapter do yearly.
Send copies to Financial Secretary – Mary Wedmore – marywedmore@gmail.com
1) Annual financial report
2) Report of chapter audit committee
3) copy of chapter filing of Federal Form 990-N

Awards
When do we give out?
National awards are given at National
State awards are given at State Conference
Chapter awards are given at chapter meetings.
Not sure if your award can be given at State Conference, contact your State Chair.
See National Committees Contests & Awards page 13-22.

Board of Management Meetings
Oregon State Society Bylaws May 17, 2015, Article IX
Section 2 – November and March – the first Saturday of the month.

Business Cards – 60 for $6.00
See Forms page 7 for complete instructions

http://www.dar.org/members/dar-members-section
Where to find:
Forms and Publications - http://www.dar.org/members/forms-publication
Organizing Secretary General -

Credentials:
OSSDAR Chapter Credentials Form – Registration and Credentials are included in the Call to Conference posted in the Patriot Press.
Credentials Packet for Continental Congress – mailed from National to chapter regent in March.
See DAR Handbook and National Bylaws, Chapter XI, Credentials Form page 246

DAR Facts
National fact sheet page 8-9
DAR Handbook and National Bylaws
This Handbook, as updated by the Young administration (2013-2016), became available in printed, hard copy form February 2014. The online version is updated to reflect changes and edits necessitated by decisions and actions of the Executive Committee, National Board of Management, and Continental Congress.  http://www.dar.org/sites/default/files/members/darnet/forms/DHB-1000.pdf

DAR Media
Facebook: Oregon State Society DAR

DAR Prospective Member Brochure
Membership Resources:
http://www.dar.org/members/committees/national-committees/membership/resources
Membership Brochure:

District Meetings
No less than one meeting in each District each year.  Oregon State Society Bylaws May 17, 2015
Article XVI – Districts

e-Membership – Membership changes in e-Membership
Chapter level authority: regent, vice regent, treasurer, registrar
https://emembership.dar.org/scriptcontent/

Getting to Know the DAR
The First Thirty Days –
http://www.dar.org/members/committees/national-committees/membership/first-thirty-days

History of Oregon State Society & Chapters
See pages 25 – 26

Insignia & Pins
The Flag pin should be worn on the left lapel, in accordance with the United States Flag Code. when wearing the DAR Insignia, the Flag pin is the only emblem that may be worn on the left and should be worn on the left lapel and not on the official DAR ribbon.

National Committee Contests and Awards
Committee contests, awards and contact - See pages 13 - 22

National Information Packet [NIP]
IMPORTANT INFORMATION
This document is the online version of the 2015 National Information Packet (NIP). Since 2014, supplement will be mailed with changes only, instead of reprinting the same material each year. If there is a change in chapter regent, please provide the incoming regent a complete set of the NIP packet. The NIP is currently available in the Members’ Website at http://members.dar.org/publ_forms/?List=NIP. Please check it regularly since the forms will be updated online and they are available in writeable and saveable formats. http://www.dar.org/sites/default/files/members/darnet/forms/NIP-2015-1001.pdf
Oregon State Society DAR - New Members Course and Orientation


The information you learn in the New Members Course will, hopefully, answer most of your questions and reinforce the decision that led you to join our organization. You are the future of our Society, and we encourage you to become an active, contributing member who finds many enjoyable ways to serve your community, state and country through DAR service.

http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~orossdar/ORDARmembers.htm

ORDARlings
This list serve is one of several mechanisms set up to improve communication between Oregon Daughters, and help with timely delivery of important state information. Please note that use of the list is restricted to OSSDAR members only, and also restricted to information of interest to all Oregon Daughters. This service is through Google Groups and not through the national NSDAR website.

If you wish to join please contact the State VIS Chairman, Sara J. Greer, at sjgreer30@gmail.com and she will send you an invitation. Please include your chapter and your NSDAR Number for verification. As a member of the list serve, you can post to the list as well as review past messages on this site:

http://groups.google.com/group/ordarlings

OSSDAR Leadership Training
See Forms and Instructions page 10 - 12

President General’s pins

Linda G. Calvin  Merry Ann T. Wright - Lynn F. Young

The current President General’s pin must always be worn above the prior administration.

State Regent’s pin

M. Ellen Hopkins  Cynthia Parnell

The current State Regent’s pin is always worn above the past State Regent’s pin, but usually don’t wear both at same time. State Regent wears the current President General’s pin on her sash. Honorary State Regent can wear the current President General’s pin on her sash or the pin of the President General when she was State Regent.

SAR Contact:
Grier Ingebretsen
grier27@comcast.net
503-970-3529
Sash Ribbons and Pins

Daughters who have served or are serving on the National Board of Management by virtue of an elected office are entitled to wear a sash. The sash should not be longer than hem length and is worn over the right shoulder and under the left arm. A member may wear no more than two pins on a sash—one to secure the sash on the right shoulder, and one to fasten the sash at the left hip.

If a member is invited to represent her chapter or the state at another organization, pins and sashes would be appropriate. Pins may be worn with dress slacks or pant suits; this does not include jeans or casual pants. Sashes are not to be worn with any type of pants.

State Information Packet [SIP]

The SIP has been updated and is located at the OR State Society DAR Members Only Site
http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~orossdar/ORDARmembers.htm

Style Sheet for National Board and Annual Proceedings

Capitalization; abbreviations; computer/internet terminology; numbers; punctuation; titles
See Pages 23 - 24

Supplementals

Supplementals are application papers that establish additional Revolutionary ancestors.

Webinars - http://www.dar.org/members/committees/standing-committees/dar-leadership-training/webinar-archives#Membership_

Archived: National Society; Chapter Leadership; Continental Congress: Genealogy; Membership; Public Relations
video, script, Q&A

What Chapters can Do for the DAR Schools

Box Tops for Education
Campbell’s Labels for Education
Ink Cartridges
Other

What Should I Wear


Forms and Instructions

Pages 7 - 26
FORMS AND INSTRUCTIONS

Order Form For Business Cards

60 cards.............$6.00 postpaid
Additional cards   $1 for 12 cards

Name_________________________________
Address_________________________________
________________________________________
Telephone________________email____________

Chapter name _________________________

Offices & Chairmanships – maximum 5 lines, list primary title first

Checks payable to Belle Passi Chapter OSSDAR, Allow 3 to 4 weeks for production.
For mail orders send to:
Shirley O’Neil, 19041 SW Chesapeake Dr., Tualatin, OR 97062-7722

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- **Founded:** October 11, 1890; incorporated in 1896 by an Act of Congress
- **Mission:** To promote historic preservation, education and patriotism
- **Motto:** God, Home and Country
- **Membership:**
  - 177,000 members
  - 3,000 chapters in all 50 states and Washington, D.C.
  - International chapters in Australia, Austria, The Bahamas, Bermuda, Canada, France, Germany, Guam, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Russia, Spain, United Kingdom
  - More than 920,000 women have joined the DAR since it was founded.
- **Management:** Policy for the Society is made by the National Board of Management composed of the President General, 11 Executive Officers, 21 Vice Presidents General and 53 State Regents. The National Board of Management meets six times a year at DAR Headquarters in Washington, D.C.
- **Continental Congress:** The DAR annual national meeting is named after the original Continental Congress that governed the American Colonies. DAR Continental Congress attracts more than 3,000 members to Washington, D.C., each summer.

Become a Member
- **Eligibility for Membership:** Any woman 18 years or older, regardless of race, religion or ethnic background, who can prove lineal descent from a patriot of the American Revolution is eligible.
- **Ways to learn more about** - Visit the DAR Website (www.dar.org) to read about steps to membership and to fill out a prospective membership form
- **DAR membership:**
  - Talk to local DAR chapter members in your area
  - E-mail inquiries to membership@dar.org
  - Call a membership representative at National Headquarters at (202) 879–3224

National Headquarters
- **Buildings:** The DAR Headquarters complex occupies an entire city block near the White House and includes three adjoining buildings, two of which are Registered National Historic Landmarks*:
  - **DAR Library:** One of the largest genealogical research centers in the United States. A specialized collection of American genealogical and historical manuscripts and publications.
  - **DAR Museum:** 31 Period Rooms as well as permanent and changing exhibitions showcase American furnishings and decorative arts prior to 1830. Accredited by the American Association of Museums.
  - **Memorial Continental Hall** (1905) - **Constitution Hall** (1929) - **Administration Building** (1920, 1950)
  - **Americana Room:** Collection of early American manuscripts and imprints, including signatures of all of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence. The unique collection is available for viewing and research.
- **Hours:** Open to the public:
  - Monday—Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

DAR Publications and Resources
- For more information, pricing or to order these materials, call DAR Headquarters.
  - America’s Women in the Revolutionary Era, 1760–1790: - DAR Public Website (www.dar.org)
  - **A Bibliographic Guide - Forgotten Patriots:** African American and American Treasure: The Enduring Spirit of the DAR American Indian Patriots in the Revolutionary War
  - American Spirit magazine and Daughters newsletter - Lineage Research Kit
  - Genealogical Records Committee Index - My Father Was a Soldier: The Real Daughters
  - Getting to Know the DAR of the American Revolution
  - DAR Handbook and National Bylaws - NSDAR Directory
  - DAR Media Kit and Brochures - NSDAR Proceedings
  - DAR Members’ Website (ask chapter regent) - Revolutionary War Source Guides
  - DAR National Information Packet - Today’s DAR membership video
  - DAR Prospective Member Brochure - The Wide Blue Sash
- For more information about DAR, visit www.dar.org or call (202) 628–1776.

DAR Committees
Most of the volunteer work of DAR is accomplished under a committee system comprised of national chairs appointed by the President General and locally appointed state and chapter chairs. The national chairs direct, supervise and promote the activities of their committees with the assistance of national vice chairs.

DAR committees promoting the mission of the society include (but are not limited to):
Historic Preservation

**American Heritage:** Promotes the preservation of American cultural traditions, crafts and music.

**Genealogical Records:** More than 18,000 volumes of unpublished source records have been copied and bound for the DAR Library.

**Historic Preservation:** Oversees awarding of the Historic Preservation Medal and supervises the Historic Preservation Project Contest; documents historic site preservation and research.

**Lineage Research:** Those knowledgeable in genealogy assist prospective members and hold workshops. President General’s Project: “Celebrate America!” is a project to restore and improve the NSDAR complex of historic buildings, to strengthen membership and to invest in our communities.

**DAR Library:** Repository for electronic genealogical resources and microforms of state records not found in other local research centers.

Education

**American History:** Sponsors American History essay contests for students in fifth through eighth grades, including homeschooled children.

**American Indians:** DAR has assisted American Indians with financial and scholarship aid since 1936.

**Children of the American Revolution:** Founded in 1895 by the DAR, this committee provides patriotic and leadership training today’s youth.

**DAR Good Citizens:** Promotes dependability, service, leadership and patriotism among high-school seniors by presenting national and state awards.

**DAR Scholarship:** Thousands of dollars are awarded through NSDAR American history, political science, history, government, historic preservation, economics, music, nursing, medical and occupational therapy scholarships annually.

**DAR School:** Support given to Kate Duncan Smith DAR School, AL; Tamassee DAR School, SC; Berry College, GA; Crossnore School, NC; Hillside School, MA; Hindman Settlement School, KY.

**Junior American Citizens:** Citizenship training program for boys and girls, kindergarten through high school. JAC Clubs are available to parochial, private, public and homeschooled students.

**Literacy Promotion:** Promotes adult literacy and involvement in literacy programs.

Patriotism

**Celebrate America!**: A challenge issued to all DAR members to invest a collective million hours of community service a year as a way to celebrate America by giving back to our communities.

**Community Service Awards:** Medals given to recognize local citizens for outstanding achievements in cultural, educational, humanitarian, patriotic and citizenship work in their communities.

**Constitution Week:** DAR sponsors special programs during the week of September 17–23 to raise awareness about the United States Constitution. This official weeklong celebration of the Constitution was initiated by the DAR in 1955 and adopted by the U.S. Congress in 1956.

**DAR Service for Veterans:** As a member of the National Veterans Administration Voluntary Service Advisory Committee, DAR has representatives in Veterans Administration (VA) Medical Centers. DAR members volunteer in VA facilities and in state- and community-based programs, donating gifts, cash, personal care items, cancelled postage stamps and thousands of hours of time in service to America’s veterans.

**The Flag of the United States of America:** Thousands of flags, flag codes, certificates and other patriotic materials are distributed annually.

**National Defense:** Youth Citizenship Awards are presented to elementary through high-school students. Gold and bronze ROTC medals are presented to outstanding high-school and college cadets.

**DAR Project Patriot:** Provides support to America’s service personnel in current conflicts abroad.

Some Additional Committees

- Americanism
- Commemorative Events
- Conservation
- Continental Congress
- DAR Leadership Training
- DAR Magazine
- DAR Museum Outreach
- Membership
- Special Projects Grants
- Units Overseas
- Volunteer Genealogists
- Women’s Issues

For more information about DAR, visit www.dar.org or call (202) 628–1776

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OSSDAR Leadership

OSSDAR Workshop
September 20, 2014

Six DAR Leadership Tools

1. DAR Handbook and National Bylaws
   a. NSDAR Office Contact Information
   b. History, Policy and Committee Definitions
   c. Chapter Guidelines – includes Chapter Meeting format and Model for Chapter Bylaws
   d. Calendar – Review the NSDAR annual activities
   e. Continental Congress Guidelines – from structure to protocol
   f. Awards and Scholarships

2. OSSDAR Yearbook and Bylaws
   a. State Conference and BOM minutes from September through State Conference
   b. Annual Reports – for Officers, Directors, Chairmen and Regents
   c. Standing Rules – both for OSSDAR and State Conference
   d. Bylaws – Any updates will be available on the OSSDAR website

3. NIP and SIP
   a. National Information Packet – Full NIP mailed to chapter in first year of three year term, then on-line. Includes Project outlines, project forms, contribution forms, contest instructions, etc.
   b. State Information Packet – Explanations of National and State Committees with contact information for state representatives of all committees and offices. Includes calendar and web site info.

4. Roberts Rules and Parliamentary Procedure
   a. In Chapter XIV of DAR Handbook
   b. 11th edition of “Roberts Rules of Order “ and “Roberts Rules In Brief”
   c. Important to understand procedures for Meeting Minutes, Motions, Amendments, and Voting

5. Protocol Guidelines
   a. Chapter XIII of DAR Handbook
   b. Important to understand procedures for Chapter Meetings, Districts, State Meetings, and Dress Code

6. Traditions
   a. Re-evaluate traditions in your chapter and district meetings that are not “by the book”.
   b. Be gracious in explaining traditions to new members who want to understand “why we do things”.

DAR Fact Sheet

Explains DAR’s Mission, Motto, Membership size and locations, and Organizational Management. All members should be aware of this basic information.

Chapter Must-Do’s

1. Submit Chapter Change Forms to NSDAR and State when changing officers and member information.
2. Review State and National Calendars.
3. Hold Summer Planning Meetings to determine/prepare Programs, Budget, Yearbook, Hostesses.
4. Send an Annual Billing to all Members. Cover letters/annual reports are helpful.
5. Send Chapter Yearbook copies to State Officers. This can be via e-mail, preferably in pdf format.
7. Plan New Member Welcomes, Installations, and Memorial Services.

Chapter Should Do’s
1. Send Newsletters or communications to all members as often as possible.
2. Create Chapter Brochures/maintain web sites.
3. Plan Lineage Workshops at least every two years.
4. Complete a Review of Chapter Bylaws as needed.
5. Select a “Sunshine Lady” to keep contact with members who are ill or cannot attend meetings.
6. Plan a Field Trip at least once each year.

Meeting Procedures
1. In “DAR Handbook and National Bylaws,” pages 233-234, there are two options for Opening Meetings.
2. Page 279-280, above, gives the Order of Business as required at DAR Chapter Meetings.
3. The only optional parts in the Order of Business are the inclusion of the Preamble to the Constitution and the singing of the National Anthem. The Program may be moved to an alternate part of the meeting with 2/3rds member consent. Adjournment must occur at the end of all activities, not before the program.

Reports
1. Board of Management Reports – November and March, no more than 350 words, or two minutes.
2. Annual Reports for State Conference- Also 350 words max, should be sent to State Regent, State Recording Secretary, State Vice-Regent 30 days prior to conference
3. Chapter Annual Reports – Chapter officers should submit an annual report to the chapter regent at the chapter’s annual meeting (often in May).
4. Chapter Achievement Awards/Master Questionnaire – are combined this year, see on-line instructions.

Webinars
1. www.members.dar.org, click on “Committees”, then “DAR Leadership Training”, then “Webinar Archives”
2. Categories –
   a. National Society – DAR Buildings, Welcome to the Young Administration, Exploring the Members’ Website, Outstanding Jr. Member Contest
   b. Chapter Leadership – Fundraising, Conflict Resolution, Parliamentary Procedure, Archiving Records, Budget Preparation, Managing a Meeting, CAA and MQ
   c. Continental Congress- Paging, Introduction to Congress
   e. Membership – Junior Membership, DAR Protocol, Insignia, New Members, Celebrating America, Jr. Membership, DAR 101, Units Overseas, Cultivating Prospective
Conclusion
1. We are ALL volunteers and strive to do the best we can for DAR. We must respect everyone’s individual level of participation.
2. We are here to help others in our community; be they children, veterans, museum visitors or others.
3. We are also here to help each other do the best we can for our chapters and our state and national societies.

Parnell administration/2014-2016
NATIONAL COMMITTEES CONTESTS & AWARDS
Standing Committees
http://www.dar.org/members/committees

American Heritage
Fiber Arts – send to State Chair
Arts & Sculpture, Crafts, Literature & Drama, Music – send to National Vice Chair
Evelyn Cole Peters Awards for Excellence
Women in the Arts Recognition Award – send to National Vice Chair
OSSDAR – Jessie Betterton Best of Show

Contact: State Chair – Arleta Day - 503-581-1206  arletaday@aol.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern -Division Vice Chairs have been eliminated.
National Vice Chair
National Chair

American History
American History Essay Contest
Christopher Columbus Essay Contest
Women in American History

Contact: State Chair – Eleanor Fuhrer, eleanor-4dar@gmail.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern- Darley Von Vandergriff, rkenida@dcdi.net
National Vice Chair
National Chair

American Indians
Approved Schools: Bacone College and Chemawa Indian School
American Indian Scholarships $1,000
Frances Crawford Marvin American Indian Scholarship
Indian Youth of America Summer Camp
Programs: Native American Heritage Recognition Month – November

Contact: State Chair – Tamara Goesch, eurotel@proaxis.com
Advisor to Chemawa Indian School – Christine Meinicke, chris.meinicke@frontier.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Diane Nein, otnein@yahoo.com
National Vice Chair:
   American Indian Scholarships
   American Indian Youth Camp
National Chair
Americanism
DAR Manual for Citizenship
DAR Medal of Honor
DAR Americanism Medal
Policy - DAR members are not eligible to receive either medal.

Contact: State Chair – Kathleen Holt, katholt@monitorcoop.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Shirley Wagers, swagersdar@comcast.net
National Chair

Chapter Achievement Awards: The Measure of Health of Our Chapters
Chapters complete electronically by February 1
State Chair completes electronically by February 15
Division Vice Chair completes electronically by March 15
In 2014, the CAA was included in the Chapter Master Report, and all chapters were required to complete it online through e-membership. Level 1 - 325 points; Level 2 – 200 points; Level 3 – 125 points

Contact: State Chair – Donna Dial, fannyagnes62@yahoo.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Lillian Eaton Stewart, waterlildar@gmail.com
National Chair

Chapter Development & Revitalization Commission
Plan of Action for State Regent
State CDR Commissions
Strategic Plans
Chapter Assessment
Contact Ideas
Chapter Information
Commission Members
Revitalization Resources - State Resources; Chapter Resources

Contact: State Chair – Jane Gray, graylady99@charter.net
National Chair – Bethe Clark-Urban, darco.bethe@gmail.com

Children of the American Revolution
Chapter Awards
Individual Awards
Sponsor a C.A.R. Society
N.S.C.A.R.
President & Theme

Contact: State Chair – Sarah White-Bowman, csnstw@comcast.net
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Jennifer Lundberg, shatartulip@qci.net
National Chair
Commemorative Events

50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War – Become a Partner
http://www.dar.org/sites/default/files/members/committees/events/partner.pdf
Report Form

Contact: State Chair = Mary Wedmore, marywedmore@gmail.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Lanabeth Horgen, Lanabeth@lanabethhorgen.com
National Vice Chair
National Chair

Community Service Awards

Community Service Awards are chapter or state awards of recognition. They are not contests.
There is no competitive judging on any level.
State Chairman’s Report

Contact: State Chair – Lillian Eaton Stewart, waterlildar@gmail.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Andrea Daro, adddar@alaska.net
National Chair

Conservation

Chapter Contest
Conservation Tips
America’s Parks
DAR Forests
Medal
Instructions for NSDAR Conservations Award
Recommendation for Presentation of NSDAR Conservation Award

Contact: State Chair – Judy Coe Daily, ariesangelic@hotmail.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Erin Stoetz, estoesz@wyoming.com
National Chair

Constitution Week

History of Constitution Week
Preamble to the Constitution
Your Constitution Week Toolbox
Working With Schools - U. S. Department of Education Directive
Activities & Planning Calendar - Ideas for Your Community - Planning Calendar

Contact: State Chair – Ruby Pantalone, rpantalone@aol.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Ruby Pantalone, rpantalone@aol.com
National Chair
DAR Genealogy Preservation

Current Project - The committee’s current project is the Supporting Documentation Project.
Forms - Record Log - Record Log - Excel

Contact: State Chair – Kristin Lowe-Bartell, kristinlowebartell@gmail.com
National Vice Chair – Bonnie Dybski, BonnieBeeDAR@live.com
National Chair – Andrea John, MsAnnieJohn@yahoo.com

DAR Good Citizens

Scholarship
DAR Good Citizens Scholarship Contest Instructions
Calendar and Deadlines
Forms: Chapter Chair’s Forms - State Chair’s Forms
State first place winner goes to Division level. Notifies State Treasurer and submits State winner
to Division Vice Chair Northwest.

Contact: State Chair Tonya Rawie, t-rawie@comcast.net
Division Vice Chair – Northwest – Diane Greene, dgreene@northrim.net
National Chair

DAR Magazine

American Spirit & Daughters Newsletter
Submissions to the Daughters Newsletter
Daughters Newsletter Advertising Opportunities & Requirements
Templates
Digital Magazine Archive

Contact: State Chair – Day Westine, westinejd@msn.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern - Marilyn Strausborger, mstraus@rtconnect.net
National Chair

DAR Museum Outreach/Corresponding Docent Program

Virtual Tour
Correspondent Docent Programs

Contact: State Chair – Sue Glen, jglen@pacifier.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Ramona Higer, dghiger@msn.com
National Vice Chair
  DAR Museum Docents
  DAR Museum Correspondent Docents
National Chair – Terry Maloney
DAR Project Patriot
What You Can Do - Helping Those Who Serve and Protect

Contact: State Chair – Jacquelyn Beveridge, beveridge.jacquie@gmail.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Laura Idsinga, lids88@embarqmail.com
National Vice Chair
National Chair

DAR Scholarship
NSDAR Scholarships
  General Scholarship
  Political Science, History, Government, and Economics Scholarships
  Nursing School Scholarships
  Medical Scholarships
  Specific Scholarships

Contact: State Chair – J. Elaine Wagner, graymamma97735@yahoo.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Barbara Grant, boisegrant@gmail.com
National Vice Chair
National Chair

DAR Schools
Kate Duncan Smith (KDS) DAR School (Founded 1924)
Tamassee DAR School, Inc. (Founded 1919)
DAR Approved Schools
  Hillside School, Inc. (Founded 1901); Hindman Settlement School, Inc. (Founded 1902)
  Berry College, Inc. (Founded 1902); The Crossnore School (Founded 1913)

Contact: State Chair – Jane Buck, janeehb@gmail.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Hazel Daro, hdaro@Mosquitonet.com
National Vice Chair
National Chair

DAR Service for Veterans
Nominate an Outstanding Volunteer
  DAR Outstanding Veteran Volunteer
  Outstanding Youth Volunteer
  Outstanding DAR Service for Veterans Award
Committee Awards - Information for Chapter Chairs

Contact: State Chair – Jan Burrows, rootbeerjan@aol.com
Division Vice Chair – Northwestern – Linda Scott, louandlt@hotmail.com
National Vice Chair
National Chair
The Flag of the United States of America

Committee Objectives: Days to Display the Flag of the United States of America; Flag Pins and Materials; Flag Facts; Francis Scott Key; Pledge History; Salute to our Flag

Contact: State Chair – Carol Hill, cjhill@canby.com
National Chair – Mary-Mac Barnett, macmnm@bellsouth.net

Genealogical Records

Three Projects

- Project #1 - Collect and Index Unpublished Records
- Project #2 - GRC Every-Name Indexing Project
- Project #3 - GRC Bible Catalog Project

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Historic Preservation

Awards: Historic Preservation Medal; Historic Preservation Recognition Award
Contests: Historic Preservation Project Contest; Historic Sites and Properties

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Insignia

DAR Official Insignia; Previously Owned Pins; Guidelines for Wearing the DAR Insignia; Proper Disposal of Members’ Pins; DAR Attire; Ordering – Hamilton; SASH; DAR Banner; Marking a Grave; Bylaws; Placement of DAR Insignia and Pins on Official Ribbon; Handbook; Webinar

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Junior American Citizens

2015-2016 Theme: “Celebrate America”

JAC Contest – Categories

- Poster, Stamp Design, Banner, Photographic Essay, community Service, Poem, Short Story
- Thatcher Award

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**Junior Membership**
- Helen Pouch Memorial Fund
- Supporting Tamasssee and KDS Schools
- Friends of Junior Membership
- National Junior Doll

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**Lineage Research**
- Lineage Research Lookup Board; Pins; Committee Forms & Helpful Resources
- Lineage Workshops; Spanish Task Force; Minority and Ethnic Research
- Research on the Internet; Cold Cases Project; Committee's CDR Role
- Commission Web Site

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**Literacy Promotion**
- Literacy Promotion Committee Contest
- Outstanding Service of a DAR Member
- Outstanding Service of a Chapter
- Outstanding Service of a State Contest

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**Membership**
- Membership Promotion; Prospective Members
- Members at Large; The First 30 Days
- Membership Resources; Webinars; Soaring High Club
- Committees CDR Role; Newsletters

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   - Prospective Members
   - Membership Promotion
National Chair
National Defense
National Publications - National Defender
Medals:

ROTC & CADET MEDALS
The Gold ROTC Medal
The Bronze ROTC Medal
The Silver DAR Outstanding Cadet Medal

Citizenship Medals
The DAR Youth Citizenship Medal
The DAR Distinguished Citizen Medal

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President General’s Project
Celebrate America
Guidelines for the President General’s Project 100% Chapter and State Participation Certificates

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Public Relations & Media
NSDAR Media and Entertainment Award
Local Award
National Award
Chapter Awards

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Website Approved
Site of the Month
News & Tips
Volunteer

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Volunteer Genealogists
Volunteer Field Genealogists; Genealogical Consultant
Volunteer Genealogists; Genealogical Educational Program
Resources; Outstanding Volunteer Genealogists
Balcony Volunteers

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Women’s Issues
Essay Contest
Health Issues
Career Issues
Family Issues

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Special Committees
Celebrate America
Mission; The New & Exciting Goal; What is “Meaningful Community Service?”
Reporting & Sharing; Online Tally of Service Hours; Webinar

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Patriot Recording Project
The Patriot Records Project begun in the fall of 2014 will make finding and identifying Revolutionary War patriots in hard to search collections easier than ever. The project will bring the exploits of the American patriots, who sacrificed so much, to life. The project begins with the Continental Loan Books of Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey and New York. The Continental Loan Books contain the names of men, women and businesses who helped to finance the War for Independence.

Volunteer Now

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Administrative Committees

Protocol
Official Procedure & Protocol Booklet

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Units Overseas
Associate Member Forms
Associate Member Brochure
Daughters Abroad Newsletter

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Other Committees
  Lineage Research Committee, Units Overseas
  Volunteer Information Specialists Committee, Units Overseas

National Vice Chair
National Chair
Style Sheet for National Board Reports and Annual Proceedings

Capitalization:

- Upper case is only used for proper nouns (complete and accurate names of individual people, chapters, committees, scholarships, geographic locations); in virtually all other cases, lower case is used.

- Civic and professional titles are only capitalized when they are placed directly in front of a name, as part of a name, or when used in place of a name in a formal introduction. An exception to this rule is that the official titles of the members of NSDAR’s National Board of Management should always be capitalized.

- Chapter and committee are capitalized when used as part of the official name of a particular chapter or committee. Examples: General Doe Chapter, the chapter, six chapters, the American Heritage Committee, the committee.

- Daughter is capitalized when it refers to a member of the DAR. In other instances (when used to show a relationship) daughter is not capitalized. The term DAR or DARs should not be used when referring to a member(s) of the NSDAR.

- Flag is capitalized when it is included in the specific name of the Committee (The Flag of the United States of America Committee) or as part of the name of a publication (Flag Code). Other general references to the flag are not capitalized (West Virginia state flag).

- History and heritage are capitalized when used as part of the name of a specific committee or scholarship. Examples: American Heritage Committee, American History Scholarship, in defense of American heritage, the study of American history.

- National is capitalized when it is used with society to refer to the NSDAR. It is not capitalized when used as an adjective to modify a noun. Examples: national winner, national committee, the national Resolutions Committee.

- Society is capitalized when it is used to refer to the National Society or a specific state society (Oregon State Society). In other instances society is not capitalized.

- State may be capitalized when used with the society in referenced to a particular state, but is otherwise not capitalized. Examples: California State Society, state societies, state flags, state chair, state winner.

DAR terms which should ALWAYS be capitalized:

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Specific awards such as DAR Good Citizen, Outstanding Junior, Junior Member, and Congress Award should be capitalized but do not capitalize general terms such as award of appreciation and certificate of appreciation.
DAR Terms which should NEVER be capitalized unless they are part of a name of an official committee, event or item:

- docent, correspondent docent
- fundraising (this is one word)
- page
- insignia
- teller

Abbreviations:
- C.A.R. - Children of the American Revolution
- LRLV - Lineage Research Look-up Volunteers
- JROTC - Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps
- NIP - National Information Packet
- DAR - Daughters of the American Revolution
- ROTC - Reserve Officers Training Corps
- JAC - Junior American Citizens
- NSDAR - National Society Daughters of the American Revolution
- VAVS - Veterans Administration Voluntary Service

Computer/Internet Terminology:
There is still no universal standard for their spelling many computer and Internet related terms. However, for the purposes of DAR reports, we ask that you adhere to the following:

- e-mail OR email (but use one form consistently)
- Internet
- e-Membership
- Web site
- DAR Members’ Web site

Numbers:

- Spell out numbers from one to ninety-nine in text. Always spell out numbers that begin a sentence.
- Use numerals when referring to membership certificates (25, 50, and 75 year certificates).
- State statistical reports only: to conserve space, use numerals for all numbers; round dollar amounts to the nearest dollar and do not use a decimal point (example $299.56 should be reported as $300). First, second, third etc. should be abbreviated to 1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc.

Punctuation:

- Use commas to separate items in a series: one, two, and three.
- Semi-colons may be used to separate items in a series if the individual items contain commas. Example: Mrs. John Doe, member; Mrs. James Smith, member.
- Commas, periods, and semi-commas are placed inside quotation marks.

Titles:

- Put quotation marks around titles of magazine articles, newspaper articles, songs, poems, programs, radio programs, and television programs.
- Italicize titles of books, newspapers, magazines, and movies.
HISTORY OF OREGON STATE SOCIETY & CHAPTERS

Organization of the DAR in Oregon

“The first Continental Congress was held February 22, 1892, and Mrs. Harrison presided and made the speech of welcome. She was re-elected president-general, and the first reception of the Daughters was given at the White House. Our members were so few at this time that we seemed like one great family. I had received the national number of 1064. The first eight hundred were declared charter members.

The state regency for Oregon was soon thereafter bestowed upon me as the second congress, D.A.R., was about to convene and it was considered of importance that each state should be represented, and I was the only one available.” Mrs. Mary Phelps Montgomery

Source: Oregon Magazine
Organization of the D.A.R. in Oregon by Mrs. Mary Phelps Montgomery

Mrs. J.B. Montgomery of Portland, Oregon, had accompanied her husband on a lengthy business trip to Washington. She was Mrs. Harrison’s friend and went with her to DAR meetings. She became the 1064th member, and when she and her husband returned to Oregon, was appointed Oregon State Regent, entitled to form chapters in that state.

The first chapter was Multnomah, named for a branch of the Chinookan Indians who had lived on Wapapa-too {Sauvies} Island. Lewis and Clark named the lower part of the Willamette River “Multnomah,” and it appears on their maps. Multnomah Chapter was organized in the same month and year that the National Society was incorporated by Congress - February, 1896.

In January 1911, a second chapter was formed - Willamette, namesake of the beautiful and largest river within the state of Oregon. Along that river, Linn Chapter and Oregon Lewis and Clark were organized, both in February 1914, and Chemeketa a year later. Soon other chapters mushroomed all around the state. Most of them are doing very well. Most members of this Oregon DAR family are active, cooperative Daughters looking forward to celebrating their National Society’s centennial – and the centennial of their own Oregon State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

In 1914-1915, Mary Woodworth Patterson, the wife of the future Governor of Oregon, Isaac Lee Patterson, was the Regent of Multnomah Chapter. Each Regent still wears Mrs. Patterson’s original DAR insignia during her term. In 1929-1931, the Regent was Ruth Rose Richardson, a renowned Portland attorney. Through her efforts historical markers were placed throughout the state marking the graves of many founders and pioneers of Oregon. Under her leadership, Multnomah Chapter participated fully in the restoration of the three local DAR museums: Pioneer Mothers’ Memorial Cabin, Robert Newell House and Caples House. In 1970-1972, Multnomah Chapter purchased property on the river bank in Columbia City creating the Ruth Rose Richardson Memorial Park.
History of Oregon State Society DAR & Chapters

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