

Iowa Daughters,

Report time is here. The Registrar Report, Chapter Achievement and Master Questionnaire were to be reported by February 1st. Now the State Officers, Chapter Regents and State Committee Chairmen Reports are due April 1st. Each chapter regent is to present an annual report on the activities and accomplishments of her chapter at State Conference. Three copies of the complete report are required: one for the State Regent for use in compiling her report for Continental Congress, the second for the State Recording Secretary, Candace Kamp, for publication in the Proceedings Book and a third copy for the Chapter's records. No report is to be over two minutes when given at Conference. The written report can be longer but condense the report to two minutes for Conference. If the Chapter Regent is unable to attend Conference, the Vice Regent of the chapter can read the report. Reports will be filed for State Chairmen not present. State Committee Chairmen can see the chapter chairmen information on e-membership under MQ to compile their report. The chapters did an excellent job in completing the MQ on time. Chairmen who wish to give certificates should contact State Regent Barbara Halpin and Corresponding Secretary, Mindy Beekman, or make your own on the computer using card stock.

Junior members are an important part of our membership. Encourage your Junior members to attend the Iowa State Conference and experience the joy of paging at a state meeting. Pages do not pay the registration fee for Conference. Anyone interested in paging or who has a granddaughter who would like to page, contact the state regent or Page Chairman Mary Petersen.

This officer visited the Jean Marie Cardinell Chapter in December and enjoyed a lovely potluck luncheon served by the members. On a very nice day in January this officer traveled to the Spinning Wheel Chapter and enjoyed a very tasty soup and sandwich luncheon. Visiting chapters and meeting the members is the most enjoyable part of this office. I am looking forward to visiting more chapters in the future. Contact this officer to arrange a visit.

This officer attended the National Board of Management Meeting in DC February 2nd. New member applications verified were 2, 210 bringing the DAR membership to 175,029. The goal set for the Wright administration was to attain 175,000 members. The National Board toured the Basilica of the National Shrine

of Immaculate Conception Saturday evening. We then had dinner at the historic DACOR Bacon House built in 1824-1825, which was the home of many of the early Supreme Court justices while they were serving in Washington.

The State Regent's project donations have reached the half way mark. Chapters are to be commended for their dedication to this project and it is greatly appreciated. Plans are to have the lay lights back in place for Continental Congress.

Members will find the Conference Call in this Newsletter and are encouraged to attend the two day event in Ames, Iowa. Conference is for reporting chapter activities and rewarding members that serve the society.

Hands of Friendship Working Together to Build Membership, Barbara Halpin Iowa State Regent



WELCOME NEW IOWA MEMBERS!!!

"Be ye strong therefore, and let not your hands be weak, for your work shall be rewarded"

2 Chronicles 15:7

Abigail Adams Chapter

Sharon Lamb Terry Lauritsen Carla Parrish Wynona Crawford * Debora Schwartz *

Elizabeth Ross Chapter Marisa Belau

Fort Dodge Chapter Sarah Evans

Grinnell Chapter Patricia McIlrath

Hannah Caldwell Chapter Cynthia Hanssen Roxe Roseman * Jean Marie Cardinell Chapter Danielle Abbott Margann Nebergall Laurie Heuss

Ladies of the Lake Chapter Grace Soeth

> Mason City Chapter Ruth Sunne

> Mayflower Chapter Christine Parvin Sonya Van Atta Alison Moerke * Rose Moerke *

Nancy McKay Harsh Chapter Mary Miller Revolutionary Dames Chapter Nancy Nielsen

Spinning Wheel Chapter Margaret Griffin Patricia Neuroth

> Sun Dial Chapter Sally Oster

Washington Chapter Sandra Greiner



* Indicates a Reinstated Member

Do I really need to document the spouse on an application?

.....Yes, you do!

DAR requires that we complete the first four generations with good record documentation. Do not forget, we are building a genealogical record and some day someone might want to use that other genealogical line. This means you use birth and death records - NOT a printed copy of the social security death record that was on-line. That record does not connect the person to their parents. An obit is all right if you absolutely cannot find a better source. The birth record must show the parents' names, so be sure to ask for a complete birth record when ordering it. When typing up the papers, please, please check to see if you have all of the signatures. Remember that two members of your chapter must sign the paper at the bottom of the first page. If either the Regent or Registrar is not available, either the Treasurer, Recording Secretary or 1st Vice Regent may sign instead indicating her chapter office behind her signature.

REMINDER.....Chapter donations to State Historical Society in Iowa City

This is to answer and address some questions that have been emailed to me and/or came up during district tour. As liaison to the State Historical Society in Iowa City (SHSI) one of my duties is to assist chapters that may wish to deposit/donate some of their older chapter materials to the SHSI. Keep in mind, once deposited/donated, they will no longer belong to the state or chapter, the SHSI is not 'storing' them. It is very important to keep in mind that once items are donated they are the property of the SHSI! I did verify with SHSI however, that if a chapter has items in the SHSI collection they could be borrowed perhaps for a chapter anniversary celebration etc. This would be possible <u>but it would have a very brief restricted time frame.</u>

When I served as Iowa State Historian from 2008-2010 I provided each chapter with a copy of the "Letter of Agreement" and Deed of Gift that was established during State Regent Michelle Mott Juehring's term 2002-2004. I believe it was during Iowa State Conference 2009. The "Letter of Agreement" is detailed with guidelines of what records are to be submitted and their availability for review. Please check your Chapter Regent hand-books for a copy of this form. If you cannot find it please let me know and I will provide you with another copy at the Iowa State DAR Conference in April. If you would need one before then, just let me know and I will send it to you. It is recommended that Executive board meeting minutes not be part of any donation whether it is the SHSI or some other repository.

If items are donated by an active chapter the "Deed of Gift" form must be signed by the Chapter Regent and Chapter Historian. You may also check the Historian General's 'forms' Records Management Recommendations" for more guidelines regarding storage of chapter materials other than the SHSI on the NSDAR Members Website. This information was included in the packet each chapter received in 2009, and again I will provide anyone with a copy of this information if they need it. Thanks for your attention to this reminder.

Marsha Hucke, SHS liaison marshahucke@hotmail.com

ATTENTION CHAPTER TREASURERS......

Thank you to all chapters for paying state dues in a timely manner. Also, please remember to send \$5 state dues for any new members approved at the December and February National Board meetings to the ISDAR Treasurer.

If your chapter's fiscal year ended December 31, please send your fiscal report to me, if you have not already done so. If you are not sure when your chapter's fiscal year ends, please contact me for help. Chapters that file their own tax reports or 990-N e-postcards, please remember to send a copy to me following your tax filing.

Linda Hopkins ISDAR Treasurer

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Pens, Umbrellas, Notecards and Jewelry... OH My!

The Junior Sales table, benefitting the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund (HPMF) will be fully stocked at State Conference and ready for your shopping needs! You will find a wonderful array of Patriotic and DAR themed items. Voices will also be offered for a lovely crystal and pearl Eagle Pin designed by Aspen which has been donated. The drawing for the Eagle pin will be held on Saturday at the Iowa State Conference. Treat yourself to some wonderful items and support the HPMF and the Iowa Juniors at the same time!

PROTOCOL POINTS

As State Conference approaches, perhaps some helpful hints on proper protocol during State Conference would be appropriate.

ATTIRE: The daytime dress is generally business: a dress, suit or pantsuit. Dress slacks and a coordinating jacket are acceptable. Evening wear is more formal such as a longer or tea length dress. A daytime dress (such as for church) is also acceptable unless you are a state officer. Wearing gloves (white) in processionals and receiving lines is at the discretion of the State Regent. It is good to be prepared.

PROCESSIONALS: Remember to stand as the ladies enter. This is to honor their service to our Society. The State Regent is the last one entering the room and the first one out. All stand at the end of the session and remain standing in place until the head table is cleared.

COURTESY RECOGNITION: Members should rise whenever the State Regent is presented or introduced. This is not to honor the person, but is a deserved courtesy in recognition and tribute to her high office and sash.

BUSINESS SESSIONS: Remember to address the chair and ONLY THE CHAIR, each time you stand to speak: "Madam State Regent."

When your chapter regent gives her report, the chapter delegation should rise briefly to show your support and pride on your chapter's activities for the preceding year. The assembly should stand for the Invocation and remain standing through the Opening. The assembly should also stand during the reading of the President General's message to the Conference.

MEMORIAL SERVICE: During the Memorial Service, it is a symbol of respect to stand as your deceased chapter members' names are called.

STANDING RULES: Please read and follow the Standing Rules that are found in the Program.

Our rich history of respect for our country, our organization and for each other makes these "reminders" more than hints. Enjoy yourself at Conference and the fellowship and hands of friendship extended to you by those members and guests attending. The most important tool for members to use to insure correct protocol is the booklet Official Procedure and Protocol found at members.dar.org/committees/protocol.

Nola Gottschalk, Protocol Chairman

MARK THE DATES.....

March 23, 2013:

• State Conference Credentials Form must be received by State Vice Regent, Sharon Braden

March 30, 2013:

• State Conference Registration/Reservation Deadline

April 1, 2013:

- State Officers reports due to ISDAR State Recording Secretary and State Regent
- State Chairmen reports due to ISDAR State Recording Secretary and State Regent.
- Chapter Regent's Reports are due to ISDAR State Recording Secretary and State Regent.

April 25-27, 2013:

• 114th ISDAR State Conference, Quality Inn & Suites, Ames

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As a special Iowa-based fundraising effort, the Iowa Juniors have chosen to honor Mrs. Yvonne Boone for her support and love of Junior membership. Please be sure to visit the Juniors sales and Shoppe tables at State Conference for special Parisian themed items, all lovingly found by the Juniors. The proceeds from

the sale of items at the OOH-LA-LA table will be used to fund paper, school supplies and other needs for Mrs. Boone's mathematics classroom at KDS. Please help us provide a 'boon' of supplies to this very deserving classroom (and please pardon the pun).



From DAR Good Citizen Iowa State Chairman.... Suzanne Kisner to YOU !

I would like to express my gratitude to the many who assisted me with the DAR Good Citizen Committee this past year. It was a pleasure to work with my four DAR Good Citizen Vice Chairmen. They are NE District Carol Pierce, NW District Mary Stille, SE District Sabrina Alberhasky, and SW District Marjorie Kinkade.

I would also like to thank the Chapter Regents, the DAR Good Citizen Chapter Chairmen, our Iowa State Regent Barbara Halpin and the former Iowa DAR Good Citizen State Chairman Pam Marvin who, without her input, I would have been lost.

It has been a challenge and a learning experience for me as Iowa DAR Good Citizen State Chairman and I am looking forward to announcing our four district winners and Iowa state winner at the Iowa Society DAR State Conference in April!

June 26-30, 2013:

• 122nd Continental Congress NSDAR, Washington DC

August 5, 2013:

ISDAR Board of Management, Quality Inn & Suites- Ames



DISTRICT TOUR September 16, 2013: Creston, Exec. Board Meeting September 17, 2013: Nancy McKay Harsh, Creston September 18, 2013: DeShon, Boone September 19, 2013: Revolutionary Dames, Waverly September 20, 2013: Hannah Caldwell, Davenport

ISDAR STATE REGENT'S PROJECT:

Thank you for your continued support for our State Regent's Project of contributing to the restoration of ½ of a Lay Light located in ceiling of the NSDAR Library and the restoration of twelve sconces located in the NSDAR Genealogy Room. The State Regent's beautiful items will be displayed on her personal table at the 114th Iowa Society State Conference in Ames.

How can each of us contribute to this memorable project? Monetary donations may be payable by your chapter or by individual members (through their chapter) to ISDAR and mailed to the Iowa Society Treasurer Linda Hopkins. At Iowa State Conference, members/chapters can bring items to add to the State Regent's table. This table will be located in the back corner of the conference room and will be chaired by Linda Hatch, State Regent's Project Vice-Chair.

Remember to stop by both the State Regent's special project table and the State Regent's table.

Linda Hopkins, ISDAR State Treasurer 804 7th Avenue Shenandoah, IA 51601-1627

PAGES NEEDED FOR IOWA STATE CONFERENCE

We are looking for DAR Juniors and C.A.R. members. No experience necessary, just white dresses and gloves. We would love to have you, even if you can only make it for a day.

If you, your daughter, or grand-daughter are interested, please contact:



THE IOWA ROOM: OUR CORNER IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

It's tea time and the daughter of the household mimics her mother, as she presides at a child-sized table to entertain her charming guest at tea. The Queen Anne doll, given to the Iowa Room in 1972 by Mrs. Blanche Baldridge of the now disbanded Mary Knight Chapter, Strawberry Point, was made in England circa 1700-1750. The doll's head and torso are one piece; she is jointed at hips and knees. Body and head have a coat of gesso, with chest and head then painted. The eyes are of enameled glass with other facial features painted; curled hair wig is brown, covered with a lace cap. Arms are strings which terminate in whittled lower arms and hands. This elegant lady is beautifully dressed in the style of the day down to her undergarments, although records indicate she was "recostumed authentically" in 1975 through the lowa Room Fund. However, the stockings and shoes are thought to be original. The circa 1820 painted chair, child's table and tea set are loaned from the New Hampshire Attic, an attic playroom furnished with dolls and toys from the late 18th through the early 20th century.

The name of this lovely doll has been lost to history. Do you have a suggestion? Do you have a question pertaining to the lowa Room and/or its contents? Please contact me via email at sallygwtw37@gmail.com. A virtual tour of the DAR Museum Period Rooms is available at www.dar.org/museum/room tour.

> Sara Jane Harwood Iowa Room Chairman

Help Glenwood Chapter celebrate 100 Years!

Glenwood Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution will be hosting their Centennial Celebration on Saturday, April 20, 2013 From 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Congregational Church Fellowship Hall 109 N. Walnut St. Glenwood, Iowa <u>All are Welcome</u>

For additional information, Please Contact: Pam Manning, Chapter Regent 712-527-3204

LEARN MORE AT:

http://members.dar.org (National Members Only Website)

AND

www.isdar.org/members/ (Iowa Members Only Website)



Iowa Juniors want to help you have some very sweet dreams!

The Juniors are going to be back at it—are you ready for the 3rd Annual Junior Membership Tuck-In?



During the last two State Conferences, Juniors (& Juniors at heart) after receiving a free will donation to lowa Junior

Membership have visited members' hotel rooms and tucked them into bed on the Friday night of State Conference!!

Last year, the Juniors (and Juniors at Heart) provided a song, a story and a sweet bedtime treat for those who participated—and this year is shaping up to top last year's activities!! If you want the Juniors to tuck you into bed, or simply want to hear a bedtime story, sign up at the Junior's State Conference table prior to the closing of Friday afternoon's business session.

Simply give us your name, your room number and a free will donation to lowa Junior Membership, and we will visit you after Friday night's Banquet and Social. Be ready for a wonderful bedtime treat and a delightful story... the Juniors (and Juniors at heart) can't wait!!

Do Not Disturb

Iowa Society DAR State Conference 114th Annual State Conference April 25–27, 2013 Quality Inn & Suites, 2601 East 13th Street, Ames, IA

Thursday, April 25:

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- 6:30 p.m. State Officers Club Dinner (Registration info to be sent by Club Secretary), Banquet Room C Display Tables may be set up as soon as the space is ready
- 9.00 p.m. Informal Social following State Officers Club Dinner, Pool Side Action 5 Committee members will be available to help Chapter Registrars & Members with problem applications following the State officers Club Dinner, Banquet Room A & B

Friday, April 26:

- 8:30 a.m. State Conference Registration Opens, (\$20.00) Lobby Page Instruction Meeting, Conference Room
 9:30 a.m. – ISDAR State Conference Opens – Banquet Rooms A & B Guest Introductions, State Officer Reports, Recommendations
 10:30 a.m. – SE District Director & Chapter Regent Reports, Chapter Achievement Awards
- 11:15 a.m. Reports of State Chairmen
- 12:00 p.m. Luncheon, (\$23.00) Banquet Room C,
 - "Hands of Friendship Working Together to Build Membership"
- 1:15 p.m. Conference Resumes, Banquet Rooms A & B
- 2:00 p.m. SW District Director & Chapter Regent Reports, Chapter Achievement Awards, Reports of State Chairmen
- 2:45 p.m. NE District Director & Chapter Regent Reports, Chapter Achievement Awards, Reports of State Chairmen
- 5:45 p.m. Pictures (Pages, State Officers, District Directors, Chapter Regents, Honoraries, & Guests) Lobby
- 6:00 p.m. Guest Registration
- 6:30 p.m. Banquet (Chapter Regents' Night), (\$28.00) Banquet Rooms C & D Banquet Speaker, Ann Arnold Hunter, Historian General NSDAR Honoring Award Winners
 - Honoring Award Winners
- (Outstanding American History Teacher, DAR Good Citizens, & ISDAR Scholarship Awards) 9:30 p.m. – Informal Reception following Banquet, *Pool Side*
 - Please come and visit with our Guests!
 - Juniors Tuck In Fundraiser begins...Register at Junior Sales Table

Saturday, April 27:

 9:00 a.m. — Memorial Service, Banquet Rooms A & B
10:00 a.m. — Conference Resumes, Banquet Rooms A & B NW District Director & Chapter Regent Reports, Chapter Achievement Awards Unfinished Business, Reports of State Chairmen
12:00 p.m. — Luncheon, Banquet Room C \$23.00 Honoring Award Winners (American History Essay & Christopher Columbus Essay)
1:30 p.m. — Conference Resumes, Banquet Rooms A & B Resolutions, Reports of State Chairmen

Hands of Friendship Working Together to Build Membership

IOWA SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Invites all Iowa Daughters to attend the 114th Annual ISDAR State Conference April 25 - 27, 2013 Quality Inn & Suites, Starlite Village Conference Center 2601 East 13th Street, Ames Iowa I-35 Exit 113, (then 2 blocks west)

Hotel Reservations: (515)232-9260 or 800-903-0009 Double or King \$89.95 (plus 12% taxes) King Suites \$109.95 (plus 12% taxes)

Please specify Iowa Society room block. Hotel Reservations should be made directly with Quality Inn & Suites, Starlite Village Conference Center by March 30, 2013. Any reservation requests received after Sunday, March 31, 2013 will be accepted on a space available basis. The Quality Inn allows 1 to 4 people in a room. A full breakfast buffet is included.



SPECIAL CONFERENCE GUESTS



Ann Arnold Hunter Historian General NSDAR

Ann Arnold Hunter serves as the NSDAR Historian General. She joined the NSDAR as a Junior Member and was the 1976 Virginia Outstanding Junior. She was a page for 9 years at Continental Congress, serving as a Personal Page to the President General for three years. She is married to Stephen R. Hunter and they have four children. Cynthia and Maud are members of NSDAR. She has eleven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Mrs. Hunter has served the NSDAR as Vice President General 1998-2001, National Chairman of Finance, Revision of Bylaws, National Defense and Resolutions. National Vice Chairman of Junior Membership, Program, Resolutions and Bicentennial of The Constitution of United States of America. She is the author of "A Century of Service; The Story of DAR" for which she received special recognition. Mrs. Hunter also served as editor of the National Defender for three years. Mrs. Hunter has served her state as State Regent, Vice Regent, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer.



Constance (Connie) H. Grund State Regent, Alabama

Connie Grund, State Regent of Alabama, is the eighth generation of her family born in Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama. She and her husband Ed have been married 43 years and have one daughter, Francey, who is a fifth generation Alabama DAR Member and one grandson. Mrs. Grund has served the NSDAR as National Vice Chairman Southeastern Division American Heritage Committee and currently serves as the National Chairman of the Constitution Week Committee. She is also serving on the National Board of Management, the Endowment Committee of the Board of Trustees of the KDS DAR School Board of Trustees. She has served Alabama as State Regent, Vice Regent, Chairman of American Heritage, and was Organizing Regent of the Lily of the Cahaba Chapter in Alabama.

Please remember to use a separate registration form for each attendee to State Conference. Husbands and guests are welcome to join us for any of the meals. Registration and meal reservations must be prepaid. Checks or money orders should be made payable to "Iowa Society DAR" and included with completed registration forms (one per person attending) and must be postmarked by Friday, April 1, 2013. For changes in registration after the April 1st deadline, please contact Iowa State Vice Regent, Sharon Braden at sbraden@futuretk.com or 712-486-2571.

Jo Ann R. Cooper State Regent, Arkansas

Arkansas State Regent, Jo Ann R Cooper, joined NSDAR as a Junior Member and is now a Life Member. She belongs to the Jonesboro Chapter and has served her chapter as Regent and Registrar. Mrs. Cooper is presently serving the NSDAR on the National Board of Management. Her service to the Arkansas State DAR includes State Regent, Vice Regent, Recording Secretary and Registrar. Mrs. Cooper was married to Dr. Wayne Taylor who died in 1986 and is now married to Arnold Cooper. She has a son and daughter. Her daughter Jodie is a member of the Arkansas DAR. Mrs. Cooper has four granddaughters, three step children and six step grandchildren. She graduated from UCA in Conway, AR with a degree in Business Education and a minor in Library Science. Mrs. Cooper serves on the Arkansas State Library Board.

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Quality Inn & Suites, Starlite Village Conference Center 2601 East 13th Street, Ames Iowa I-35 Exit 113, (& 2 blocks west) Reservations must be made by March 30, 2013.

Please mention ISDAR when making your reservation, to be assured of the group rate.. Reservation requests made after March 30, 2013 will be considered on a space available and rate available basis.

Hotel Reservations: (515)232-9260 or 800-903-0009 Double or King \$89.95 (plus 12% taxes) – includes up to four people in a room King Suites \$109.95 (plus 12% taxes) (Includes complimentary hot breakfast, available 6–9 a.m. in the courtyard featuring: make-your-own-waffles, biscuits/sausage gravy, pastries, hard boiled eggs, bagels, toast, fresh fruits, yogurt, cereals, coffee, tea, milk & juice.) **Registration Form** Name: _____ Chapter: _____ Phone: ______ Email: _____ I plan to arrive on ______ a.m./p.m. and depart on ______ a.m./p.m. (*Helps us plan appropriately for attendance and lets us know when you plan to arrive and depart*) Check Check То То Select Select Registration \$20.00 Friday Luncheon / Soup & Sandwich \$23.00 Friday Evening Banquet / Beef Filet Grilled Chicken \$28.00 Saturday Luncheon / Lasagna Vegetable Lasagna \$23.00 TOTAL ENCLOSED: Please check <u>ALL</u> that apply: HODAR _ National Officer National Chairman _____ Member State Officer National Vice Chairman District Director Honorary State Regent State Chairman _____ ____ Page ___ Chapter Regent State Vice Chairman _____ Junior _ Chapter Vice Regent Guest Chapter Officer SAR Make checks payable to: "Iowa Society DAR" C.A.R. Member (reference State Conference on your check) Mail checks along with your registration (one form per attendee) to: Sharon Braden, State Vice Regent 11525 400th Street

Macedonia, IA 51549-4105 Phone: 712-486-2571

Email: sbraden@futuretk.com

Pilot Rock Chapter has an "AWARDING " time on February 3rd.....

Pilot Rock NSDAR Chapter recently presented awards to area students and adults at their annual Awards Day. The program was opened with the assistance of Mary Bailey Potter Society C.A.R. members Fran Conley, Clare Conley, Betsy Ehmcke, Hannah Ehmcke, Abby Ehmcke and David Ehmcke who served as flag bearers and escorts for the opening processional. Hannah Ehmcke, Iowa Society State President and Betsy Ehmcke, National Society C.A.R. Corresponding Secretary brought greetings. Nancy Parrott made an inspirational presentation regarding the Story of the National Anthem.



Nancy Hier, Chapter Historian, presented awards for the American History Essay contest. 5th grade winners were 1st Mitchell Rhodes, 2nd Gretchen Ruba, 3rd Kaitlyn Goth, Honorable mention Trista Johnston and Kaelee Letsche. 6th grade winners were 1st Colton Meyer, 2nd Dakota Kasner, 3rd Olivia Mohr, Honorable mention Allison Gregg and Carolynn DeYoung. 8th grade winners were 1st place Clare Conley and Fran Conley.



DAR Good Citizen Awards were presented by Peggy Corrington, Good Citizen chairman. Winning senior students were Katie Turnquist, Alta-Aurelia HS, Megan Carlson, Cherokee Washington HS, Alissa McDermott, MMC HS and Mary Foley, River Valley HS. Mary Foley was named as winner of the Good Citizen essay contest and will advance to further competition at the district level. Steve Thomas, Cherokee,

was unable to attend and but will receive the NSDAR Community Service Award at a later date. He was unanimously nominated by the Pilot Rock Chapter for his incredible support and participation in numerous community projects.



Roberta Klingborg, Chapter Regent, presented Media Appreciation Awards to Andrea McIrvin for KCHE (at left) and Mariah Allen (right) for The Aurelia Star for their outstanding coverage of the chapter's meetings and projects.

Five chapter members were also recognized for their 2013 membership anniversaries. Elaine Leavitt and Mary Beth Seggerman 20 years; Carol Berkler, Nancy Parrott and Barbara Ivarson 25 years.



Chapter Records Management Quick Reference Tip...

Chapters are required to permanently retain: 1.Application papers 2. Secretary's minutes 3. Treasurer's reports 4. Official correspondence

It is also recommended that chapters permanently retain their charter as well as any yearbooks. Please refer to the Historian Generals Forms section at the NSDAR Members Only website for additional information.

114th STATE CONFERENCE DISPLAY TABLES:

Please send Sharon Braden, State Conference Chairman, your request for a display table at this year's Iowa State Conference. sbraden@futuretk.com

STATE CONFERENCE CREDENTIALS: Please remember to send your State Conference Credential's form to Sharon Braden, State Conference Chairman, <u>by March 23, 2013.</u> The form can be found on the ISDAR member's website under ISDAR forms.



The Great Plains/Grand Prairie Daughters of the American Revolution and their State Regents: Arkansas - Regent Jo Ann R. Cooper Iowa -Regent Barbara A. Halpín Mínnesota - Regent Bonníe R. Kottschade Nebraska - Regent Jacquelíne R. Ohlmann

South Dakota - Regent Rose E. Bailey Wisconsin - Regent Nancy Baldwin Lesh

Request the pleasure of your company at the Great Plains/Grand Prairie Tea

Wednesday, June 26, 2013 3:30-5:30 PM JW Marriott Hotel, Washington, DC Russell, Hart, and Cannon Rooms

Tickets: \$48 Please make checks payable to: "Nebraska State Treasurer". Tickets will not be mailed.

> RSVP by June 10, 2013 to: Cheryl Clark P.O Box 116, Elwood, NE 68937-0116 (308) 785-2046 or (308) 325-3849 cherylclark@q.com



Don't forget to bring your:

Campbell's Soup Labels Boxtops for Education and Inkjet Printer Cartridges

to State Conference. The Juniors will be thrilled to accept your donations and ensure that these in-kind gifts are sent to the DAR Approved Schools. Collection boxes will be placed near the Juniors' Sales and Shoppe Tables. This is a quick, easy and inexpensive way to help support our DAR schools!

Submitting News via Email ? Please Don't Forget....when emailing submissions for the ISDAR Newsletter, please send to both <u>ISDAR Chairman</u>, Julie Davis at <u>iowadarnews@alpinecom.net</u> AND <u>Iowa State</u> <u>Regent</u>, Barbara Halpin at <u>bah922@aol.com</u> Postal submission items may be mailed directly to ISDAR Newsletter Chairman Julie Davis at 34132 Buck Creek Road, Garnavillo, IA 52049-8228.

Womens Issues Committee Quiz for you...... Tiffany Hauptman, Iowa State Chairman



Although women often think of heart attacks as something that affects mainly men, heart disease is the number one killer of women. Every 90 seconds, a woman in the United States has a heart attack.

Test your knowledge about heart attack in women:

- 1. True or False If you feel a heart attack symptom, you should immediately drive yourself to the hospital.
- 2. True or False Nausea is a symptom of a heart attack.
- 3. True or False All women who have heart attacks experience chest pain.
- 4. True or False Heart attacks are the leading cause of death for women in the United States.
- 5. True or False Men tend to do worse after a heart attack than women.
- 6. True or False Heart disease isn't something women need to worry seriously about until they're past 50 years old.
- 7. True or False Unusual or unexplained fatigue is a symptom of a heart attack.
- 8. True or False The symptoms of a second heart attack can be different from the ones you had during your first heart attack.
- 9. True or False A heart attack doesn't start doing damage until a few hours after the onset of symptoms.
- 10. True or False You can get in trouble with the hospital if your symptoms turn out not to be a heart attack.

(See following page for answers to these important questions)

Womens Issues Quiz Answers for YOU!

Answers:

- **1-False:**The time it takes you to drive to the hospital can be the difference between life and death. Always call 9-1-1, and put your life in the hands of trained medical professionals.
- **2-True:** Women are twice as likely as men to experience nausea, vomiting, or indigestion during a heart attack.

3-False: While chest pain is the most common symptom of a heart attack, each woman's symptoms present themselves differently. That's why it's important to know them all.

4-True: Every 90 seconds, a woman in the United States has a heart attack.

5-False: Women having a heart attack wait longer before seeking help than men do…just one of the reasons women tend to do worse after a heart attack than men.

6-False: More than 10,000 women younger than 45 have a heart attack every year.

7-True: Sudden and unusual tiredness or lack of energy is one of the most common symptoms of heart attack in women.

8-True: Heart attack symptoms can present themselves differently each time, even within the same woman.

9-False: Every 30 minutes you wait to get help during a heart attack can take one year off your life!

10-False: There's no harm in a false alarm. Medical professionals would much rather see a woman err on the side of caution than die because she didn't call 9-1-1.



For more information, go to www.womenshealth.gov

Hi, Iowa Daughters!

It's time to think ahead to beautiful flowers, tasty veggies, and home-grown melons and other goodies from our own gardens. Please take note of the various reports which indicate that the state is in trouble as far as adequate moisture. You may be asked to curtail water use if it gets serious enough. Perhaps it's time to think ahead to a rain barrel and other ways to conserve on water usage!

On another note, we visited Backbone State Park and took a picture of the marker for the DAR forest there. My grandfather worked in the Conservation Corps as a stone cutter and helped build some of the arched bridges at Backbone. I bet he helped plant some of the trees in the DAR forest there, too. At any rate, I thought you might like to see the marker.

Have a wonderful spring and see you at State Conference in April!

Nancy Grindle Conservation State Chairman









In Hands of Friendship Working Together Jeanette Shannon, Chairman Action 5 Committee (CDR)

The Action 5 team is gearing up for a busy year. Meetings have been scheduled in Algona on April 4, Tipton on April 20, Storm Lake/Cherokee at Storm Lake on May 4, and we are working out schedules with Washington and Tama.

Now is the time to consider holding a workshop for your area over the summer or in the fall. Contact Jcanette Shannon, chairman to set up a date for us to visit you. We will help you with the planning and publicity.

Action Five members will be available at Conference on Thursday evening after the State Officers Club Dinner to help any registrar or member with a problem application. We will meet in the room where we will have our main meeting and work one on one with you. It might help if you would contact Chairman Jeanette Shannon jls37das@iowatelecom.net ahead of time with your problem so the Action Five Committee might be able to do some research on the problem. If you have received a letter about more information be sure to bring it along also.



Jean Marie Cardinell Chapter Welcomes new member, Frances Diesch Gearhart of Manchester, Iowa who reached her long awaited goal of becoming a DAR member at the "youngat-heart" age of 90! She is also a subscriber to American Spirit magazine. In this picture above is JMC Chapter's Chaplain, Judy McNamara with Frances.

Oskaloosa-Mary Marion Chapter Welcomes New Members

The Oskaloosa-Mary Marion Chapter welcomed new DAR members Judy Striegel and Marjorie (Baxter) Van Polen at their December 11th meeting. Pictured at Right: Marla Van Dee, Beverly Van Devender, Halene King, Eileen Blom, Marjorie Van Polen, Judy Striegel, Connie Skippers Van-Polen, Debra Krusemark,Irene Krusemark, Shirley Whitten and Betty Rainey. (Photo courtesy of Oskaloosa Herald/Andy Goodell)



The Jean Marie Cardinell Chapter in Des Moines was honored to listen to an inspiring speech titled, "Life's Lessons Learned", by Larry Spencer, Commander US Navy (ret.) whose aircraft was shot down over North Vietnam in 1966. He was held as a

POW for very nearly seven years (2,551 days to be exact). He currently serves on the Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs. Above: Vice Regent, Barbara Hammer, introducing him to Jean Marie Cardinell chapter.



In Memorium

Abigail Adams Chapter Marjorie Wilson McKean

Ashley Chapter Miriam Heerman Lamb Jean Ruth Ford Stewart

Grinnell Chapter Lillie S. Magilton

Hannah Caldwell Chapter Janet Money Kademan

Jean Espy Chapter Christina Jo George Wright

Julien Dubuque Chapter Mary Katherine Carns Bockhaus Helen H. Henderson Lawrence Van Hook Chapter Norma A. DeHoet

Lucy Standish-Newcastle Chapter Betty Jean Robinson

Nancy McKay Harsh Chapter Alice Lucile Strait John

Pilot Rock Chapter Dorothy Cecelia Johnson Phipps Stiles

> Washington Chapter Marie Knupp



Thanks to all the Chapters and Daughters for your diligent work in submitting to me your list of historical chapter markers, dedications of historic sites and dedications of markers to deceased members. With better weather approaching spring can be the ideal time to inspect your historical markers to make sure they are in good condition, particularly older markers. Please remember that funeral leaflets and obituaries of deceased members need to be submitted to Peg Wilkinson, Iowa State Chaplain. **Pam Marvin. Iowa State Historian**

Support Iowa Juniors! Iowa Society Nametags Still for Sale!

These sturdy, white plastic nametags are shaped like our beautiful state and are printed with your first and last name and the name of your chapter.

Each name tag is a great value at the low price of \$10 AND your purchase will also help support lowa Juniors! To order one of these nametags simply send your order request to Jodi Freet, lowa Junior Membership Chair along with your check made payable to "lowa Society DAR" <u>before March 25, 2012.</u>

Nametags will be ready for pick up at the 2013 ISDAR State Conference in Ames.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!

Jodi Freet Iowa Junior Membership PO Box 702 Gilbertville, IA 50634

Do you Remember When.....

Can you identify the names of the individuals at right AND identify the date this photo was taken of a newbie State Regent and a fledgling Page?





Hannah Lee Chapter members gather around toys and clothing they have selected to assist an area family in need this Christmas. Members of the chapter are from throughout northeast Iowa. Holding the Candy Land game in this photo is Virginia Larimer of Oelwein.



Summer Newsletter Submission Deadline: June 2, 2013



SUN DIAL CHAPTER SPINNING WHEEL CHAPTER

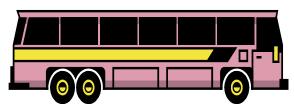
ABIGAIL ADAMS CHAPTER

DEBORAH SAMPSON SOCIETY C.A.R.

At Right: A picture was taken at the Wreaths Across America ceremony held at the Ames Cemetery.

The people in the picture are from Left to right: Toots Kennedy (Sun Dial Chapter), Michelle Rembert (Sun Dial Chapter), Marlys Ankrum (Spinning Wheel Chapter), Kathy Smith (Abigail Adams Chapter), Megan Rembert (Deborah Sampson Society C.A.R.), Volney Smith (Iowa Society SAR), Isaac Harris (Deborah Sampson Society C.A.R.), Susan Harris (Sun Dial Chapter), Jarid Olson (Deborah Sampson Society C.A.R.) and Sari Lamberts (Sun Dial Chapter).

CONTINENTAL BUS TRIP 2013



All Aboard the 2013 Hawkeye Express to Continental Congress

The 2013 ISDAR Bus Trip to Washington D.C. to attend Continental Congress will leave on Saturday, June 22nd and return on Monday, July 1st. As usual we will have passenger pickup stops as

we travel I-80 across Iowa. Our first overnight stop will be at Elkhart, Indiana.

Saturday, June 22nd — Leave Iowa

Sunday, June 23rd — Travel to Gettysburg, PA

Monday, June 24th — Travel a short distance to Gettysburg Museum & Visitor Center followed by a 2 hour step-on guided bus tour. We will have lunch before travelling on to Orange, VA for our overnight stop.

Tuesday, June 25th — Spend the majority of the day visiting Montpelier, the home of James and Dolly Madison. Later this afternoon we travel to Arlington, VA where we will be staying for the next 5 nights while attending Continental Congress.

Sunday, June 30th — Depart for home. Overnight stop in Elkhart, Indiana.

Monday, July 1st — Depart Elkhart and return to our Iowa Departure cities.

The following are included in cost of the trip:

- * Round trip motor coach transportation
- * VCR/DVD use on the motor coach
- * Nine (9) nights of lodging
- * Luggage handling (1 suitcase per person)

* Breakfast is included four (4) mornings. Some are extended continental while others are full, hot cooked breakfasts (Elkhart, Gettysburg, Orange, VA and Elkhart, IN)

- * Entrée select dinner at Dobbin House Tavern
- * Admission at Gettysburg National Military Park Museum
- Gettysburg Battlefield guided tour
- * Gratuity for Battlefield step-on guide
- * Admission, film, and guided tour at James Madisons' Montpelier
- * Constitutional Conversations program at Montpelier
- * Box lunch at Montpelier
- * Entrée select dinner at Stonefire Station
- * Transportation provided to and from Constitution Hall for daytime and evening events, and sightseeing as time
- * Driver Gratuity **Ladies, please take note of the prices below <u>before</u> sending in your balance**

due to Linda Hopkins!!

2013 Pricing

20-25 Passengers:26-40 Passengers:Double Rate Per Person\$1,874.00Single Rate Per Person\$2,564.00Single Rate Per Person\$2,464.00Triple/Quad Rate Per Person\$1,584.00

*** If we achieve 41 or more full paying passengers, we will be able to deduct \$50 per person ***-

The payment requirements for this tour are as follows: March 21, 2013 Balance due to ISDAR State Treasurer

(Amount will be determined by the number of passengers at this time)

Make checks payable to "ISDAR" and mail to: Linda Hopkins ISDAR State Treasurer 804 7th Avenue Shenandoah, IA 51601-1627

Let us know if you have a roommate. If you have questions, please contact: Alberta (Toots) Kennedy ISDAR Transportation Chairman 1115 Giddings Street, Kelley IA 50134 (515)769-2410 or amken@huxcomm.net