

# Daughters

Iowa  
Summer 2018

Quarterly Newsletter from the Iowa Society Daughters of the American Revolution - Summer 2018

**Dear Iowa Daughters,**

It doesn't seem possible that these 2 years is coming to an end. Your support has meant more than you will ever know!! I have enjoyed meeting so many of you at the State, District, and Chapter meetings.

No matter how small the Chapters are, you all accomplish so much. As Mrs. Dillon said in her Address at the State Conference Banquet, "If you think that one person can't accomplish anything, you have never been in bed with a mosquito."

There is a separate note in the newsletter regarding the dedication of our DAR Monument at the Veterans Cemetery in Van Meter. It will be held August 4. More information will follow.

Thank you again for everything that you did for me and for my Husband during these past years.

I know that you will give Marsha and her board the same support that you gave to me and my Board.



In DAR Love  
Cindi Carter, State Regent  
2016-2018

*"If we do not lay out ourselves in the service of mankind, whom shall we serve?"* Abigail Adams

## Iowa Daughters,

Well we have completed another successful year at both the chapter level and the state level.

Thank you so much for all those who attended our 119<sup>th</sup> State Conference held in Ames.

We had over two hundred members and guests including 24 first time attendees registered to attend. I hope that everyone had fun and learned a thing or two along the way.



Having Pres. General Mrs. Dillon and 5 visiting State Regents made for very special memories.

We also honored some outstanding young men & women in the Good Citizen, American History, Christopher Columbus and scholarship students. Congratulations to all and best of luck in your future endeavors.

As this newsletter arrives we are still a few weeks away from Continental Congress where we will hear Cindi's report on our Iowa Society and keeping our fingers crossed on the announcement of our own Sarah Steinke for Outstanding Junior. We are hoping for the best for you Sarah, Cindi & I would also like to know who will be attending CC as we will be making arrangements for a group photo Friday night (?) at the Grand Hyatt Hotel. I will contact those with exact time & place once I know who will be there.

Deadline for notification to either or both of us is June 15<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!

Now for a few brief comments regarding some issues that occurred at State Conference. Cindi, Marla and I have discussed with the hotel the events of Friday night reception. I still do not have a complete picture as to why meeting room A & B was not set up as it should have but someone should have brought this to my attention immediately. It is not for anyone else to discuss with the staff or to ask that another room be set up nor should any of our members help hotel staff clear tables. I appreciate the kind consideration that felt they could save me the trouble and deal with it themselves. This is not true. As chairman of the State Conference it is the State Vice Regent's responsibility or her designee if need be to discuss issues with the hotel and staff when something has gone awry whether it be meeting room related, food related or hotel staff related or an illness that befalls someone. We are currently in discussion as to how best to handle various scenarios. WE want all who attend meetings to have fun, learn as much as they can, meet new friends. We know not everything is going to be smooth as silk, a wrinkle is going to happen we just don't want it to end up as a tear in the curtain. So please keep a positive outlook. Everyone is working very hard to provide a nice, safe and affordable environment for meetings and we are all human and glitches will happen, we just want to minimize them and have them go unnoticed by the overall audience.

Thank you

Marsha Huckle

## 2018 Board of Management Meeting

August 5-6, 2018

Quality Inn & Suites, 2601 13<sup>th</sup> Street, Ames Iowa

Iowa Daughters,

Please plan to attend our 2018 ISDAR State Board of Management meeting in Ames, IA. Registration and meal reservations must be prepaid. Checks should be made payable to Iowa Society DAR. Hotel information can be found on the Registration Form. Completed Registration Forms, (one per person) along with a check or money order, must be **postmarked by Sunday, July 15<sup>th</sup>**.

### **Sunday, August 5th**

11:15 a.m. - Budget & Finance Committee meeting – *Executive Board Room*

12:45 p.m. – Executive Committee Meeting (State Officers) – *Executive Board Room*

*Display tables may be set up as soon as the space is ready- Meeting Room A&B*

5:30 p.m. – Pizza Ranch Party, 1404 Boston Ave, Ames, IA 515-232-1999

7:00 p.m. – Workshop – *Meeting Room A&B*

***ISDAR and NSDAR websites – How do I find....?***

### **Monday, August 6th**

7:30 a.m. – Finish Setting up sales & display tables, *Meeting room A&B*

8:00 a.m. – Board Meeting Registration opens - *Lobby*

8:30 a.m. – Page Information Meeting – *Executive Board Room*

9:30 a.m. – Iowa Society DAR Board of Management opens – *Meeting Room A&B*

Introductions, State Office Reports, State Chairman Reports

12:00 p.m. - Luncheon - *Banquet Room C*

Program following luncheon

1:15 p.m. – Meeting resumes – *Meeting Room A&B*

**Schedule subject to change**

**All Iowa Daughters are cordially invited and encouraged to attend the Sunday Evening activities, held August 5<sup>th</sup> at the Quality Inn and Suites, Meeting Room A&B. We hope the evening will be one that members can learn about their State Officers, other Iowa Daughters and about DAR overall and have fun while doing so. Please join us.**

***“Be a beacon of light in service through DAR”***

***“And serve each other as according to the gift each person has received as good managers of God’s diverse gifts.” 1 Peter 4:10***



**IOWA SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**  
*Board of Management Meeting Aug 5-6, 2018*

Quality Inn & Suites  
 Starlite Village Conference Center  
 2601 East 13<sup>th</sup> Street, Ames, IA  
 I-35 Exit 113, (& 2 blocks West)

Hotel Reservations: (515) 232-9260 or (800) 903-0009  
 Double or King \$109 plus 12% tax - up to 4 per room  
 King Suite \$119 plus 12% tax

**Make Reservations directly with hotel by July 20, 2018**

**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)*

(REG) Chicken Salad Croissant  
 Sandwich

(VEG) All Iowa Salad Meatless

Check	REG
To	or
Select	VEG



***“Be a beacon of  
 light in service  
 through DAR”***

Registration	\$ 8.00		
Sunday Pizza Ranch Party (Member's Responsibility)			
Monday Luncheon	\$ 23.00		
State Directory Printed Copy	\$ 4.00		
<b>TOTAL ENCLOSED</b>			

**Registration Deadline is July 15, 2018**  
**Mail registration form and payment to:**  
 Marla Suter, State Vice Regent  
 302 West Montgomery Street  
 Knoxville, IA 50138-2432  
 Email: mlsuter@iowatelecom.net

**Make checks payable to “Iowa Society DAR”**

Please check ALL that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> National Officer      | <input type="checkbox"/> HODAR             | <input type="checkbox"/> Credentialed Medical Professional |
| <input type="checkbox"/> State Officer         | <input type="checkbox"/> Member            | <input type="checkbox"/> CAR Member                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honorary State Regent | <input type="checkbox"/> District Director | <input type="checkbox"/> National Chairman                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter Regent        | <input type="checkbox"/> Page              | <input type="checkbox"/> National Vice Chairman            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter Vice Regent   | <input type="checkbox"/> Junior            | <input type="checkbox"/> State Chairman                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter Officer       | <input type="checkbox"/> Guest             | <input type="checkbox"/> State Vice Chairman               |

## Great Opportunity Awaits!!!!

**Hello**

Do I have a chairmanship for you!!

Do you love to travel? Do you love to plan sightseeing when you travel?

I am in seeking one to two (ideally two) women to chair the Iowa Bus Tour chairmanship.

You will work with an experienced travel agency. You will go with 25-50 of the most entertaining, and fun-loving sisters in DAR !!

I know both Toots Kennedy & Mary Ealy would gladly share additional information. For those who have been on the bus trip to DC, you know it is a great way to see some sites along the way, enjoy great companionship and make new friends. Please contact me if you are interested.



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### SAVE THE DATE

**AUGUST 4, 2018**

**Dedication of the  
ISDAR Monument to  
Honor Soldiers and  
Patriots Buried in  
Iowa.**

**More information to  
follow.**

### SAVE THE DATE 2018 District Tour Information

Oct 9<sup>th</sup> – NE – Mason City  
NE District Director – Lucy Ziemet

Oct 10<sup>th</sup> – SE – Burlington  
SE District Director – Carla Huebler

Oct 11<sup>th</sup> – SW – Shenandoah  
SW District Director – Diana Kading

Oct 12<sup>th</sup> – NW – Clarion  
NW District Director – Carol Baxter

### HOT TIPS FOR LINKING GENERATIONS

**Wills:** They may not provide names, only relationships. Look at deeds and other earlier legal records.

**Draft Registration, Military and Pension files:** They may have birth information and names of relatives.

**Birth records:** Be sure to ask for the complete record or the certificate with the parents' names.

**Find the family in censuses:** More than one generation may be listed in a household with relationship.

**Death records:** May contain the parents' names.

**NSDAR applications and supplementals:** Look in the GRS Ancestor Database, check if the line is coded. Look in the GRS Descendants Database, check for common descendants in multiple generations.

**CONGRATULATIONS  
SARAH STEINKE  
OUTSTANDING JUNIOR  
NATIONAL FINALIST!!!!!!!!!!!!**

## Conference Memories



President General Ann Turner Dillon and Regent Cindi Carter with the Iowa Chapter Regents.



Out of State Guests: Standing: Connie Plettner from Nebraska, Cynthia Cleveland McNamara from Mississippi, Mindy Horner Davis from West Virginia  
Seated: Linda Shiflett from Mexico, President General Ann Turner Dillon, State Regent Cindi Carter, and Terri Turner Mott from Arizona.

The 2016-2018 ISDAR Officers. They served us well.



The 2016-2018 ISDAR District Directors. Looking beautiful and ready to serve in new ways.



## Conference Memories



Conference pages escorted Mrs. Carter – ISDAR State Regent.

It was a great honor to have President General Ann Turner Dillon join us at our 119<sup>th</sup> conference. Her Friday night address was inspirational and uplifting.



Are we having fun – or what ! ? !

What a privilege! The first timers to the conference got to sit with and have lunch with President General Dillon.



Sara Jane Harwood reports on the Iowa Room, our corner at the DAR Museum in Washington, DC. She has brought passion and devotion to "our place" for many years.



State Chaplain Judy McNamara led us in prayers and songs throughout the conference and officiated the Memorial Service on Saturday.

## Conference Memories



State Regent Cindi Carter was officially elected as an Honorary State Regent for life.

Thank you Laura for organizing and providing this fine selection of glamorous and gorgeous gowns for Iowa Daughters. Proceeds went to the State Regent Project.



Congratulations to Kristen Rose Kassel of Emmetsburg High School for being named Iowa's 2018 Good Citizen State Winner. Kristen was sponsored by Algona Chapter. A certificate and State Winner pin and a monetary gift were given to her. She was the Northwest Good Citizen.

Recognition of the four Iowa District Good Citizen winners took place at the 2018 State Conference in Ames the evening of 27, April. Each student told of their high school accomplishments. The winner read her qualifying essay. The other three recipients were: Northeast: Andrew K. Morse from Newman Catholic High School, Mason City, Sponsored by Mason City Chapter; Southeast: Vance Bushong from Montezuma High School sponsored by Grinnell Chapter; Southwest: Clara Grace Schaaf from Freemont Mills High School sponsored by Glenwood Chapter. Monetary gifts were presented to each.



Carolyn Loeffler, District Good Citizen Chairman, announced the winner of the North Central District is Savanna Hampton from Illinois.

One hundred ninety deserving seniors were honored as Good Citizens in Iowa in 2017-2018. It is such a pleasure to recognize outstanding young people each year. Hopefully, that number will continue to grow.

Congratulations to Sarah Steinke on securing the Iowa Outstanding Junior award and best wishes to Sarah on conquering the National Outstanding Junior award!





## Conference Memories

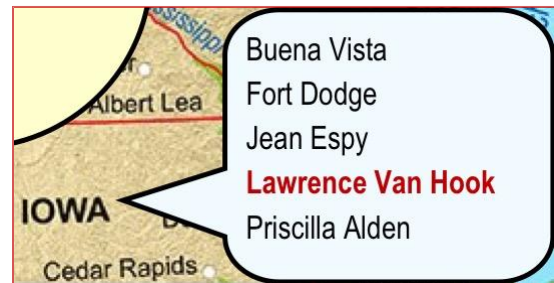
Many awards, certificates of accomplishments, accolades and recognitions were presented and applauded. Congratulations everyone!

Kudos to the Buena Vista chapter with the highest net increase in membership (11%) for 2017 and they received the Pauline Presley Corey Tray award!

Congratulations to the Abigail Adams Chapter with the largest number of new members by application for 2017 and they received the Ina Napier Tray award!

Hats off to the Spinning Wheel chapter for securing the largest number of new Junior members for 2017 and they were awarded the Junior Tray at the Iowa State Conference!

Five Chapters from Iowa earned the Tikkar Award by obtaining 10% or higher increase in membership by new members for 2017 while also in 2018 achieving a 2% or less drop in membership. Lawrence Van Hook is noted in red as this is the second year they have achieved this. Congratulations ladies!



To see LOTS MORE photos from the 119<sup>th</sup> ISDAR conference, go to the ISDAR website for members!



Our new ISDAR Officers:

Marsha Hucke – Regent,

Marla Suter – Vice Regent,

Ellie Senne – Chaplain,

Laura Kozin – Recording Secretary,

Fran Myhre – Corresponding Secretary,

Kristin Macy – Organizing Secretary,

Edee Brunia – Treasurer,

Sylvia Blaesing - Registrar,

Janice Juchems – Historian,

Mary Jane Foutch – Librarian.

Ready and willing to serve.



## Across the State

Members of **Pilot Rock** Chapter DAR met at the home of Barbara Ivarson on March 23 to help her celebrate her **90<sup>th</sup>** birthday. Coffee, cake, and good conversation were enjoyed by all.



The **Buena Vista** Chapter filled a display case at the Buena Vista County Historical Museum with items from their attics, basements and garages to represent their favorite childhood keepsakes. The theme was “Fun and Games”. Items included a View Master, antique stereoscope, marble collections, some well-loved dolls and much more.

The **Buena Vista** Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, honored Abigail Daly with the ROTC Gold Medal at its regular meeting on April 25<sup>th</sup>. She is a Senior at Buena Vista University majoring in Computer Science. She graduates this May. Ms Daly is also a member of the BVU women’s

basketball team and has a hobby in Theatre Production. Her hometown is Waukee, IA. Ms Daly will be commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Active Duty Army at the end of May, 2018, in the Cyber Branch. She will be going to Fort Knox, KY, for two months following graduation from BVU. Then Ms Daly will go on to her regular military schooling in GA. Congratulations to an outstanding ROTC cadet!



A highlight for the **Buena Vista** Chapter at the conference was presenting President General Ann Turner Dillon with a copy of Gutsy Wives in Governors' Lives written by the late DAR member Barbara Noll Bennett, wife of Iowa State Representative Wayne Bennett. It present biographies of Iowa’s First Ladies from Lucas to Vilsack.

At the March 12th meeting of the **Revolutionary Dames** Chapter ISDAR, members brought books of postage stamps to be sent to Veterans for their personal use. We are glad to be able to support our military personnel in this way.



## Across the State

While many of us were attending State Conference on April 28th **Hannah Lee** Chapter members Marilyn Holland, Wendy Novak and Stacey Gossling attended the rededication of the Civil War Stone of Tosten Nyhus (14 April 1834 - 13 June 1917) at the original Aase Haugen Home and Cemetery west of Decorah. This ceremony was presented by the Winneshiek County Pioneer Cemetery Commission with whom Hannah Lee



Chapter has close ties. The ceremony included remarks by Pastor Matt Larson, the Headstone Dedication and Flag Folding by the Decorah Area Honor Guard, the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and a wreath laying by the Pioneer Cemetery Commission followed by Taps played by Dan Kirkeby. Cynthia Delano, a descendant, accepted the Memorial Flag. L to R in the photograph is a member of the Decorah Area Honor Guard, three members of the SAR and DAR members Stacey Gossling, Wendy Novak and Marilyn Holland.

Karen Henriquez, eighth grade daughter of Jovy and Rosa Henriquez of Decorah, was awarded the annual Daughters of the American Revolution Youth Citizenship Award at a recent Decorah Middle School assembly. The DAR Youth Citizenship Medal was established to foster among schoolchildren a greater appreciation of the qualities of citizenship Americans must possess if our country is to remain sovereign and independent. This medal is presented to a student who exemplifies the qualities of honor, service, courage, leadership, and patriotism. Karen was nominated for this award by her teachers. The award was presented by Sarah Nowack of the **Hannah Lee** Chapter of National Society Daughters of the American Revolution.



May 14, Dutch Letters in hand, Marsha, Kris, Marlys, and Cindi set out for a visit to **Helen Hinman Dwelle** Chapter. Betty Evans, Chapter Regent opened the meeting with the DAR Ritual. Our attention then turned to helping the 3 prospective members and brainstorming ideas for increasing DAR awareness in the area. No matter where a Chapter is located or how many members they have, everyone matters!! As Mrs. Dillon said in her address at State Conference. "If you think that one person can't make a difference, you have never been in bed with a mosquito." The Chapter members were so welcoming!!! Hopefully future State Regents and Officers will put this Chapter on the list of a must visit. Thank you to **Helen Hinman Dwelle** for a wonderful afternoon!!!!



## Across the State

The Woodbury County Courthouse celebrated their 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with a week-long calendar of activities May 1-5, 2018. Famed architect William Steele designed the courthouse in Prairie School style, an unusual choice for public buildings in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century. In fact, the courthouse is known as the largest public building in Prairie style in the world. Architectural students and aficionados from all over the world visit it regularly. Trimmed in elaborate terra cotta, the building features sculptures by Chicago artist Alphonso Iannelli on the outside and murals by painter John Warner Norton under a stained glass dome.

In November 2017, a time capsule was removed from the cornerstone and opened by county officials and Sioux City Museum staff. A display case was loaned by the museum to display the contents of the time capsule for the Centennial celebration.

On April 24, 2018, four officers of **Martha Washington** Chapter



attended the meeting of the Woodbury County Supervisors and

announced the donation of a display case to replace the one on loan, valued at approximately \$2,000. The Board was pleasantly surprised – in fact, nearly speechless - as county staff had not informed them of the gift in advance!

Members of **Martha Washington** Chapter pose with Courthouse display case. L-R: Vice Regent Fran Myhre; Recording Secretary Marta Nelson; Registrar Vivian Adams; Regent Elizabeth Rosenbaum.



The **Spinning Wheel** Chapter NSDAR met Saturday, May 19 for their Spring Brunch at the home of Diane Hobson. The brunch was catered by Katie J's. A memorial service was held for Beverly Bollhoefer and Judith Cameron, members who passed away this past year.

State Regent Cindi Carter was our honored guest. She spoke about her two years in office, her travels, and the nice people and friends she met

### COUNCIL BLUFFS CHAPTER RAISES FUNDS FOR COUNCIL BLUFFS JR AFROTC PROGRAM:

Council Bluffs Chapter Chaplain, Janice Ehrens, created a beautiful patriotic quilt to help raise funds for the Council Bluffs Air Force JROTC cadets to travel to Normandy, France,



to honor the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration of D-Day in 2019. Seen here, Mrs. Janice Ehrens volunteered her Saturday morning at the local HyVee to bring attention to the program and their fundraising efforts



Harvey Kahl

The winner of this amazing quilt was **retired Command Master Sergeant Major Harvey Kahl**. Kahl is one of our chapter's honorary veterans, participating in 5 parades with the **Council Bluffs** Chapter last year. He is seen here participating in last year's wreath laying ceremony at the Veterans Memorial Plaza in Bayliss Park in Council Bluffs. The ceremony was in remembrance of America's official entry in of World War I, exactly 100 years ago. That event was sponsored by the **Council Bluffs** Chapter NSDAR and the Historic Dodge House.

### NATIONAL WINNER!

Congratulations to Evelyn Morgan of the **Jean Marie Cardinell** Chapter on her National 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the American Heritage Committee's Fiber Arts, Machine-Quilted Wall Hanging competition. The theme was Exploring America Through the Arts. Evelyn was notified by mail that her entry "Waving Proudly" had been selected. She will receive a certificate and a ribbon at Continental Congress. An on-line *Book of Winners* will be published on the members' website as it is practical for the webmaster to do. Evelyn explained "the quilt welcomes visitors as they walk through my home's front door; ...to continue showing our American heritage pride".



### 2018 May Naturalization Ceremony: Jean Marie

**Cardinell** Chapter representatives handed out Pledge of Allegiance and The American's Creed cards to over 50 new U.S. citizens.

**MEMORIAL DAY TV SPECIAL 2018:** Candy Brown, **Jean Marie Cardinell** Chapter 50<sup>th</sup> Vietnam Chair, appeared on CW Live (TV Channel 23) to talk about the Vietnam Commemoration as part of their Memorial Day special program. She was interviewed by Jackie Schmillen.

## Across the State

### JROTC AWARDS CEREMONY

The **Jean Marie Cardinell** Chapter was on-hand at the Des Moines Central Campus JROTC Red Bull Battalion 3rd Brigade End of the Year Award Ceremony 2017-2018 held on April 12, 2018 at Central Campus. The recipient of the DAR award was Jasira Prasasouk, a junior at Roosevelt High School. She was selected for the award because she is at the top 25% of her class in JROTC and academics at Roosevelt. She has also shown great leadership ability and military discipline. Presenting was Chapter Regent Jennifer Ewing.



### DAR GOOD CITIZENS AWARDS

On March 3rd, the **Jean Marie Cardinell** Chapter, ISDAR recognized 3 winners of the Good Citizen Award from area high schools. As a group, they have excelled in academics, athletics, music, speech and have received honors and awards for these activities. Honoring our high school seniors as Good Citizens is a very important way that our Chapters promote education and patriotism. To show our appreciation, we presented



them with a Certificate, wallet recognition card and a DAR Good Citizen Pin. The DAR Good Citizen winners have the option to participate in the scholarship essay competition, but it is not required. The essay title and focus question are not given out until the student is ready to write the essay. They then have 2 hours to write a 500-word essay without any reference material. We were proud to announce that Emily was named the winner of the essay Scholarship contest for our Chapter. Her entry was then forwarded to the State Society for consideration.

L to R: Grayce (Jackie) Baker, DAR Good Citizen Chairman; Emily Bogle, DAR Good Citizen Scholarship Winner, Ankeny High School; Mia Battani, DAR Good Citizen, Ankeny Centennial High School; and Shantelia Shook, DAR Good Citizen, Lincoln High School; and Jennifer Ewing, Regent, ISDAR **Jean Marie Cardinell** Chapter.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY, MARY!!

May 22 marked the 107th birthday of Mary Canfield who is also a 70 year member of Daughters of American Revolution.

Members of the **Cedar Falls** Chapter presented her with a certificate to honor her dedication to the organization and her service to the Cedar Valley. She was very active in the Waterloo Chapter before it disbanded and was active in the Cedar Falls Chapter until 5 years ago. We asked Mary what was her secret to a good life “mind your parents”.



In the picture seated Elle Senne State Chaplain; Mary Canfield; member Dolores Cady. Standing, Jeverna Mulligan, Chapter Registrar; Deb Crawford, Recording Secretary; Sue LeQuatte, Chapter Regent.

## Across the State

### 2018 VIETNAM VETERANS RECOGNITION DAY

It was a beautiful day for the 2018 Vietnam Veterans Recognition Day – the 10<sup>th</sup> one - on Monday, May 7<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am. The program was held in front of the Iowa Vietnam Veterans Memorial located south of the Iowa State Capitol building. Dan Gannon, Chair of the Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs was MC. The Keynote speaker was John Rowan, National President of the Vietnam Veterans of America. Other speakers included Governor Reynolds and Lt Governor Gregg. Other organizations were on hand to provide the presentation of colors, taps, 21-gun salute and the bag pipes. A very large crowd was on hand and afterwards everyone headed to the Veterans Auditorium for a free lunch provided by the Disable American Veterans. The Veterans then had time to talk and share.



Candy Brown, **Jean Marie Cardinell** Chapter Chair, learned of a Des Moines Vietnam Veteran, who was considered a MIA but whose remains were found, for friends and family to be recognized during the ceremony. The family was presented a flag that was flown over the Iowa Capitol. Candy also ordered the special Certificates of Honor for the family.

Our Chapter pinned commemorative lapel pins on 92 Vietnam Veterans as well as handed out tin pins and commemorative Vietnam books.

The Chapter has now honored over **10,000** Vietnam Veterans since 2013!

Picture - L:R: Judy McNamara, Deb Jorgenson, Marty Kane, Sherry Young, Edee Brunia, Sara Wells, Mary Lee Koziol, Dianna Baker-Hoye and Candy Brown

On May 22, 2018, members of **Hannah Caldwell** Chapter placed Flags on the graves of eight Chapter Charter members buried at Oakdale Memorial Gardens in Davenport. On that date, records were discovered indicating another Charter Member, Caroline Courtright Abbott, is also buried in that cemetery. Additional work will be done to find her place. The members placed a Flag at the marker for Julia Ann Weaver, a Real Daughter. Her stone needed to be reset, and the Chapter has paid for that work to be done in 2018.

Picture: At Maria Purdy Peck's site (left to right): Ethel Hegeman, past Chapter Regent, Bernadine McGuire, Marilyn Owen, Elise James, newly installed Chapter Regent.



### HANNAH CALDWELL CHAPTER PRESENTS AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Five local high schools participated in the 2018 Good Citizens Recognition. Three students were given monetary awards for their participation in the essay portion of the program. First place award was given to Grace Rohlf, a student from Davenport Assumption High School. Second place was given to Emma Horsfield, Pleasant Valley High School, and third place given to Courtney Schaeffer, Davenport West High School. Ms. Rohlf read her award-winning essay at the luncheon held in March at The Outing Club in Davenport. The program speaker was LTC (Ret) George B. Eaton, Command Historian, U.S. Army Sustainment Command, Rock Island Arsenal. Picture: Grace Rohlf receiving her monetary award from Ethel Hegeman, Chapter Regent.



At the May monthly meeting, **Hannah Caldwell** Chapter, Davenport was pleased and proud to present a 50 Year Membership Certificate to Marjorie Wagner Irwin. Mrs. Irwin joined the Chapter in 1968. She has been a faithful, supportive, and helpful member, serving as Chapter Regent 1984-1986. Picture – Chapter Regent Ethel Hegeman on the left; Mrs. Irwin on the right

Isaac Mize, a senior at North Scott High School, Eldridge Iowa, was presented the 2018 Hannah Caldwell Chapter Scholarship at the **Hannah Caldwell** Chapter's meeting in May. The scholarship provides financial assistance to a graduating high school senior who will continue his/her education at an accredited Iowa Post-Secondary institution. Applicants are judged in areas including GPA, ACT score, extra-curricular activities, and a two-hundred-word essay detailing the applicant's volunteer work in community service. Isaac is the son of David and Amy Mize, and he will be attending the University of Iowa studying civil engineering. Picture – left to right: Amy Mize, Isaac Mize, Marilyn Owen, Chapter Scholarship Chairman.



**Hannah Caldwell Chapter** awarded two ladies with JROTC certificates and medals at ceremonies in May, 2018. Army JROTC award was presented to Naomi Puentes, a student from Davenport Central High School. At separate ceremony, Marine JROTC award was presented to Kayla Masakowski a student from Davenport North High School. Congratulations to both outstanding students! Picture: Ceremony at Davenport Central High School. Naomi Puentes in center and Chapter Member Ruth Johnson standing beside Ms. Puentes.





## Across the State



The **Marion Linn** Chapter NSDAR celebrated their 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on April 22 2018 at Summit Pointe Senior Living Center in Marion, Iowa. About 35 people attended an open house, several of them being regents and daughters from other chapters. Birthday cake, coffee and lemonade were served.

Displays on the tables included history albums, pictures of commemoration plaques and other memorabilia. Daughter Sarah Nemmers produced a wonderful slide show of the previous chapter regents from the beginning of the chapter. A picture was taken of those members who were attending.



Jean Oxley, one of our **Marion Linn** longstanding members, and granddaughter, were in attendance.

Marge Spencer, Scholarship Chairperson, along with Cindi Carter presented the 2018 Iowa DAR Scholarship to Eian Adams at the ISDAR State Conference.



The **Buena Vista** Chapter marked the graves of DAR members in our local cemeteries on May 18. Ruth Stark and Sue Nielsen placed four marker stakes on graves at Buena Vista Memorial Cemetery. The **Buena Vista** Chapter, NSDAR, of Storm Lake also participated in the Parade of Flags on Memorial Day, Monday, May 28. It also decorated its Pioneer Memorial Monument on the north shore of Storm Lake, near the patriotic monuments in memory of those pioneers and descendants who served their country in our nation's various wars.





## *Service to America Committee*

### ***Service to America Committee Goals – 2018 for Chapters:***

1. Encourage each chapter to record 2018 volunteer hours via the Online Tally equivalent to four and one half (4.5) volunteer hours per month per Daughter per Chapter. (Multiply 4.5 times 12, # of months, times # of total members of chapter. The result is the chapter's reportable hours goal for 2018.) This assures Iowa's proportional share recorded to attain nineteen million hours during the Dillon Administration. Note: Hours posted to the Online Tally may be monitored through e-membership access.
2. Educate members, especially those who do not regularly attend Chapter meetings, the value of their services. Educate them to record these volunteer hours on the national Online Tally.
3. Publicize chapter member's service activities (locally, state and or nationally).

### ***National Bimonthly Daughters Newsletter – Chapters Allowed One Article Per Year***

The January 31, 2018, *Today's DAR Blog* (DAR Magazine Publications Coordinator, Elizabeth Partridge) articulates chapter publication guidelines in the NSDAR Daughters Newsletter. Prior to 2001, chapters paid a fee to be featured in the Daughters Newsletter. Today, each chapter is allowed one free submission per year. This is a great opportunity for sharing activities nationally - whether historic preservation, education and patriotism.

Please refer to the January 31, 2018 blog for specifics regarding submission details.

### ***Resources and Handouts Available on ISDAR Members' Website!***

Handouts from the ISDAR April, 2018 Conference and ISDAR October, 2017 District Tour are available through the ISDAR website, Service to America Committee. They are intended as resource material.

Lois Iseminger, Co-Chairman  
Beth Iseminger, Co-Chairman  
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## *In Memoriam*

**Lois Avitt**  
#543623  
Abigail Adams  
Passed 28-Sep-17

**Dorothy Fisher**  
#815585  
Hannah Lee  
Passed 3-Apr-18

**Mary Donovan**  
#644121  
Mus-Quo-Ta  
Passed 30-Apr-18

**Harriet Wharton**  
#531794  
Cedar Falls  
Passed 14-Mar-18

**Mary Carlson**  
#595713  
Helen Hinman Dwelle  
Passed 21-Mar-18

**Georgia Briley**  
#428735  
Nancy Mc Kay Harsh  
Passed 1-Mar-18

**Barbara Kratz**  
#808625  
Cedar Falls  
Passed 26-Mar-18

**Shirley Vorland**  
#678985  
Helen Hinman Dwelle  
Passed 28-Jan-18

**Clarice Minnick**  
#736281  
Nancy Mc Kay Harsh  
Passed 20-Mar-18

**Patricia Curtis**  
#782057  
Glenwood  
Passed 30-Apr-18

**Marybelle Block**  
#763081  
Helen Hinman Dwelle  
Passed 17-Apr-18

**Agnes Jacobs**  
#787078  
Solomon Dean  
Passed 5-Apr-18

**Dorothy Cunnick**  
#725878  
Hannah Caldwell  
Passed 15-Mar-18

**Karen Bonta**  
#605595  
Jean Espy  
Passed 13-Mar-18

**Judith Cameron**  
#558649  
Spinning Wheel  
Passed 7-Apr-18

**Barbara Edwards**  
#676605  
Lucy Standish-  
Newcastle  
Passed 18-Feb-18

**Barbara Stewart**  
#693901  
Stars And Stripes  
Passed 13-Apr-18

## **ISDAR Directories**

Members at State Conference voted to keep the option available for members to buy “at cost” a printed copy of the ISDAR Directory. This officer plans to work on getting our new digital document into print-format after Continental Congress. A price quote requires knowing how many will be printed. Based on my guess of 50, we can keep the cost to \$4.00. Please see the Board of Management registration form to order a printed copy. You can pick up your book at BOM, or have someone pick it up for you. **Payment is required.** The new ISDAR Directory is available online, at our Members-only website. Because of the personal information listed, you do need to enter the password to open it. Our webmaster has made a very readable layout. And the “search” function lets you find someone quickly, even if you don’t know her office or full name!

Laura L.B. Kozin  
Recording Secretary

## *Welcome Ladies!*

We are pleased to welcome these new Daughters to the Iowa Society DAR.  
Their applications were approved in March, April and May.

**Abigail Adams**  
Penny Lorey  
Nancy Hamilton  
Jeanette Hagan

**Ashley**  
Eileen Kozman

**Cedar Falls**  
Crystal Wilken

**Council Bluffs**  
Shelley Bishop

**Elizabeth Ross**  
Jody Wells-Spurgen

**Hannah Caldwell**  
Karleen Noteboom

**Hannah Lee**  
Melinda Rhode

**Jean Espy**  
Elisabeth Chatfield  
Janice Varner

**Jean Marie Cardinell**  
Andrae Parmenter  
Deborah Wells  
Dawn Baldwin  
Janis Oswald

**Lawrence Van Hook**  
Lisa Leab

**Marion Linn**  
Doris Pazour  
Judith Bushlack  
Janette Beardsley  
Anna Frey

**Spinning Wheel**  
Elizabeth Reichinger

**Stars and Stripes**  
Sandra Hopson  
Maria Gapen

### **ISDAR Newsletter**

The newsletter committee torch was passed from Laura Kozin and Terry Lauritzen to Karla Wright and Tina McCleary. Submission due dates for the quarterly newsletter are:

**September 2    December 2    March 2    June 2**

Please continue to send your newsletter submissions to:

**IowaDaughters@gmail.com**

The newsletter will be sent via email to Chapter Regents, Vice Regents, Treasurers and Registrars; ISDAR State Officers; ISDAR District Directors; NSDAR National Officers; Honored Past Regents; and a few others. It will be available online at the members only ISDAR website and on the ISDAR Facebook Page -- where you can view, read, download and print. Regents: please share your PDF copy of the newsletter with your members! A limited supply of printed newsletters will be mailed to select officers and to paying subscribers. As of this newsletter the new paper copy fee schedule has not yet been approved.

Thanks for your help! We look forward to helping State Regent Marsha Hucke be a “**beacon**” of encouragement, knowledge and information for the Iowa Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

Karla Wright  
Tina McCleary  
ISDAR Newsletter Committee Co-Chairs

