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CAPTAIN MEER'S MESSAGE

Ahoy, Pennsylvania C.A.R.!

As the 2018 year concludes I want to congratulate everyone on such a successful year of working hard to Treasure Our Veterans. It makes me so proud when I hear of the great things societies do to promote the C.A.R. and to better their communities.

I have been traveling throughout the state, promoting the state project, to many DAR and SAR societies. When I visit a DAR chapter, I usually get the chance to tell them about our project, raising awareness of the Veterans Breakfast Club and how important our veterans are to us. So far this year I have spoken at over 20 events this year. My favorite event recently was the Veterans Breakfast Club that I attended on Veterans Day. I sat with a World War II veteran who was in the Army Air Corps. His story about his service was inspiring. He spoke with passion and excitement. I was honored to get to know him.

A special thank you goes to the Parkinson's Ferry Society and the Elizabeth McKinney Society for inviting me to their annual Christmas Tea. I had a great time reading a pirate themed Christmas book to all the kids there and enjoyed the festivities with my C.A.R. friends.

On December 15th I participated in the Wreaths Across America event at the National Cemetery of the Alleghenies. I laid a wreath at a veteran's grave with almost the same name as me, "Everett." It was a day to honor the over 2000 men and women buried there.

To ensure that 2019 is as good as or if not better than our previous year we must work extra hard to honor veterans and promote the state society. If you haven't started already, begin to make plans for State Conference which is March 22-23, 2019. Lets weigh anchor and set sail into a successful new year!

*Captain Everitt Meer
Pennsylvania State President*



TREASURE OUR VETERANS



PA C.A.R.

2018-2019

KLEE'S TREASURES

Ahoy PA C.A.R. Members!

I want to take this time to wish all the members of the PA C.A.R. crew a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I hope you are all taking the time to have fun in your C.A.R. travels and learn more about our state and national projects. I know our captain Everitt Meer has been hard at work this fall promoting Pennsylvania C.A.R. at all his events. Among attending the fall and winter national board meetings in Washington D.C. I have had the pleasure of visiting with some of our PA C.A.R. membership at the Parkinson's Ferry & Elizabeth McKinney Society joint Christmas tea. I was also pleased to be able to attend the Wreaths Across America ceremony in Butler, PA with other Elizabeth McKinney Society members and General Richard Butler DAR Chapter members. It has been a full past few months and I am looking forward to our Christmas break. I hope you all enjoy your time with your family and friends and will see you all in the New Year.

Brandie Klee

PA Senior Society President



Membership

Visiting Family Over the Holidays? Recruit Them for C.A.R.!



Thanksgiving and the other winter holidays are a great time to visit family and to discuss your genealogy! Are you going over the river and through the woods to Grand-mom's house? Take a copy of your C.A.R. application or family tree, so you can help your cousins find their link to join C.A.R.!

My two sisters and I all joined C.A.R. together and our National Numbers are just one number apart. My oldest sister, Clarissa, was a dual member of DAR until she aged out, and my middle sister, Lizzy, is still a dual member. Even though they are all grown up, being C.A.R. members together will always be something we had in common. So, even if you don't live near your cousins, you can look forward to meeting up at State or National meetings and being in C.A.R. together.

The more you learn about your family history, you might even find a distant C.A.R. cousin and make new friends! My mom and I are related to a bunch of other DAR and C.A.R. members, so we like having lots of "cousins."

Andrew Verish, State Membership Chair

New Members

Full Name	Local Society	Full Name	Local Society
Samuel Scott Davis	Frances Slocum	Lydia Florice Huntress	Parkinson's Ferry
Robert Samuel Morgan	Francis Hopkinson	William Carroll Huntress	Parkinson's Ferry
Courtney Elise Fritsch	John Morton	Caleb Peter Frustino	Towamencin
Shawnessy Kye Munoz	John Morton	Susanna Beth Frustino	Towamencin
Gavin Lucas Sugano	John Morton	Hayden Ensley Gotwals	Towamencin
Paxton Gage Sugano	John Morton	Matthew Evan Henry	Towamencin
Rosina Christine Coleman	Nancy Hart	Fiona Swann Hodgson	Towamencin
Anna Leigh Huntress	Parkinson's Ferry	Flora Irene Hresko	Towamencin
Cecelia Elizabeth Huntress	Parkinson's Ferry	Branden James Reed	Towamencin
		Rhett Field Watkins	Towamencin

State Project

Treasuring Our Veterans



We are more than half way through the Treasure Our Veteran's administration. Our goal is to help raise money for Veterans Breakfast Club events. The Veterans Breakfast Club is a service project focusing on supporting veterans. With donations, the veterans are given the recognition they deserve while speaking of their service, keeping history alive. Local societies have received thank you cards to distribute at the events.

Our state is supporting our veterans in many others ways this year as well. Local societies remembered veterans by having a moment of silence on November 11th, Veterans Day, and

putting the Nation's flag at half-staff, they held special meetings to get to know some of their local veterans. The members also talked about family members and friends who were in the military and what their service has meant to them. Through the holiday season several societies will be participating in Wreaths Across America.

If you would like more information on hosting a Veteran's Breakfast Club event in your area or would like to donate to our state project, please contact Mrs. Klee, Senior State President.

*Emerson Sites-Byers
State 1st Vice President*



National Project

During this season of giving how are you choosing to give your service hours for the America's Lasting Legacy administration? I would love to know! Some I am sure are helping local foodbanks, maybe you are visiting with older members in your community, or maybe you are going to be out on December 15th laying wreaths for Wreaths Across America like I am. No matter what you chose to do this holiday season in your community remember to be logging your hours for the National Presidents project. He would like to see us reach 25,000 service hours and I know our members in Pennsylvania can help make a dent in that number with all the community service we do. I hope you have a very Merry Christmas with your family and friends and look forward to hearing about all your community service over the holiday season in the New Year. Don't forget to submit those articles to the Kapers!



Aiden Klee
2nd Vice President



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State President's Voyages



September 2018 – He spoke to the Fort Ligonier Chapter DAR about his project. He also set up his poster and had flyers to distribute.

September 2018 – He brought greetings to the SAR chapters in the Philadelphia area and the DAR Chapters in the SE District of PA at the Constitution Day Luncheon, briefly explaining his project. He brought greetings at the Constitution Ball



October 2018 – He presented in Erie, PA to four of the DAR chapters in the Northwest as well as the local C.A.R. society and Erie SAR Chapter

October 2018 – Everitt presented at the John Corbly Chapter DAR

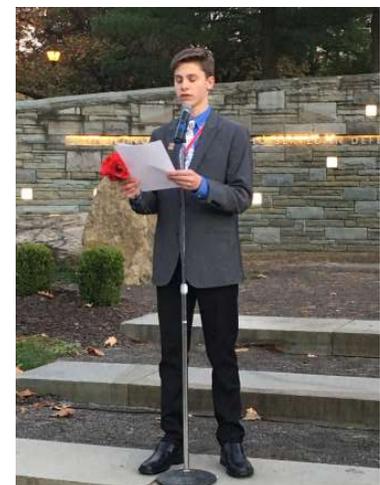
October 2018 – He brought greetings at the Bethel Fife and Drum Chapter celebration, giving a brief description of his project.



November 2018, Veterans Day – He attended the Veterans Breakfast Club on Veterans Day, getting a chance to speak to the over 100 people in attendance that included veterans about his project.



December 2018 – Everitt gave a speech at the Wreaths Across America event at the National Cemetery of the Alleghenies. He joined the George Washington SAR Chapter at the POW flag near the SAR memorial stone. More than a thousand people were at the cemetery for the event.



State Librarian



The Poppy Lady-Book Review

The Poppy Lady is a book by Barbra Walsh about Moina Belle Michael and her tribute to the Veterans. The book tells about Moina's life and how she helps the Veterans. She starts by sewing socks for the army. Then she delivered books, magazines and candy to camps. Once the war was over, she made the poppy flower a symbol for remembering the Veterans. Soon, she became the Poppy Lady. All she wanted was to make her dream come true. To help the Veterans be remembered. And she did. I highly recommend this book about Moina Belle Michael. She was dedicated and strong, and hopefully, we can keep her dream alive

Kathryn Moran
State Librarian



Societies Treasure Hunt

Falling Spring

On July 4, new chapter offices were sworn in by Senior Society President of Falling Spring Chapter Gail F. Runshaw. Patricia (Sue) Hersey Regent, Jeanette McCans, Debbi Toney, Ellen Gsell and Sandra Hudec of the PSSDAR Franklin County Chapter, were there to witness this special occasion. New Officers are: President, Cara Toney, Vice President, Preston Conner, Treasurer, Hay-den Conner, Registrar, Jeremiah Runshaw, Chaplain, Alexander (AJ) Runshaw. After our meeting all that attended the swearing in, marched in the 4th of July Parade held in Waynesboro, PA.

We had a great day!

Societies Treasure Hunt



Elizabeth McKinney & Parkinson's Ferry Christmas Tea



Societies Treasure Hunt

Francis Hopkinson



Members of the Francis Hopkinson Society, C.A.R. pay their respects and present a wreath at Francis Hopkinson's grave at Christ Church Burial Ground, Philadelphia.

Gaby Aragon, Francis Hopkinson Society President

Francis Hopkinson was an author, composer, inventor, musician, and lawyer, but his most notable deed was being a signer of the Declaration of Independence. He designed the first U.S. coin, and other U.S. currency. He designed seals used by the government and other organizations, such as the American Philosophical Society. He even contributed to the design of the first official American flag.

Hopkinson was educated at what is now called the University of Pennsylvania, a member of their first-ever graduating class. When he served as a Delegate to the Second Continental Congress, he represented New Jersey where he lived for many years. He held many other important positions in U.S. government, serving as a Customs Collector, as member of the Congress Marine Committee and as Chairman of the Navy Board. He was Treasurer of the Continental Loan Office, a Judge of the Admiralty Court of Pennsylvania, and was nominated by George Washington for his service as a Federal Judge. Hopkinson also helped ratify our U.S. Constitution.

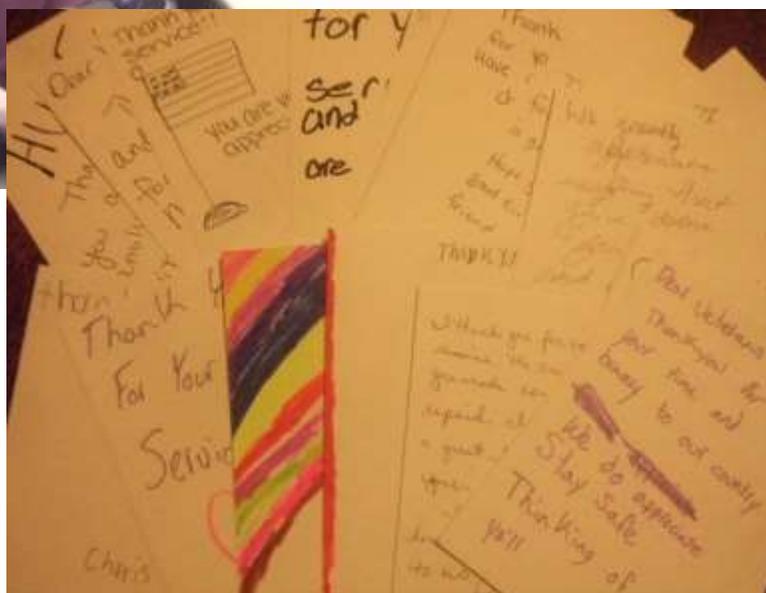
Hopkinson was born in Philadelphia on October 2, 1737, and he died in Philadelphia on May 9, 1791. He is buried at Christ Church Burial Ground in Philadelphia. His home in Bordentown, New Jersey remains a historic property listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

On October 14, 2018, Francis Hopkinson Society, C.A.R., held a wreath laying ceremony in his honor. We learned about Hopkinson's accomplishments and successes, and presented a beautiful wreath which we left at his grave. Our C.A.R. members are proud to be part of a Society bearing his name! Today and forever, we honor Francis Hopkinson and celebrate all of his service to our great nation.

Societies Treasure Hunt

Regina Hartman

After our regular October business meeting, we had the pleasure of learning hearing from two veteran ladies. Sue Baylor spoke about her service as an Army Nurse and Catt Tannenbaum Shurf spoke about her service with military intelligence (well what she could tell us) Leanne Bechdel spoke about various women who served both disguised as soldiers and not disguised. Debra Sampson (aka Robert Shirliff) Molly Pitcher (Margaret Corbin and Mary Hayes) Elizabeth Gilmore Berry. She then spoke about how women and children have always helped the troops while at home. Rosie the Riveter and people saving and collecting scrap metal and rags and growing victory gardens. She also spoke about America's Women's Land Army and Lumber Jills. Members also interview veterans in their families and we send out a bunch of thank you cards that we filled in.



Societies Treasure Hunt

Regina Hartman

Our members again participated in Mifflinburg Pennsylvania's annual WWII Veterans Program On November 3rd. Our Society President Garrett Franck Read the poem I Am A Veteran. Members helped collect donations, gave out programs and flags and had lunch with Gold Star families afterwards



Societies Treasure Hunt

Towamencin

President Receives Award

Holly Marx, Towamencin Society C.A.R. President, received the Outstanding Leadership Award from the Philadelphia Continental Chapter, Pennsylvania Society SAR in September. At the September SAR Chapter Meeting, Holly used a power point to speak about the role of C.A.R. in preparing leaders for the future for SAR and for DAR. She also discussed the C.A.R. mission, the National and State Projects, the contests, the National, Regional and State meetings and showed photographs of the different activities in which we participate. She encouraged them to contribute to the National and State Projects and to help us collect box tops for Tamasee and socks for Chemawa.

Holly was very surprised and delighted to accept the Outstanding Leadership Award from the President.



Societies Treasure Hunt

Towamencin

Wreaths Across America

On Saturday Dec 15 our CAR Society put wreaths on soldiers graves in the Doylestown cemetery. Some people read prayers and a man played the bugle. Then we picked up the wreaths picked a grave, said thank you for your service and laid the wreath on the grave. We all felt very good about doing this to remember these people who had helped our country.

Matthew Henry age 9



Societies Treasure Hunt

Towamencin

Philadelphia Honor Ride with Project Hero

On September 22, Towamencin Society C.A.R. members volunteered at the 2018 Philadelphia Honor Ride hosted by Project Hero. They helped man the merchandise table for the first shift of the day.

The Honor Ride is a non-competitive cycling event where active service members, injured veterans, first responders and the general public all get to ride together. Honor Ride raises crucial, life-changing funds in support of Project Hero's local programs, which have proven results helping wounded, ill and healing veterans improve their physical and mental health at no cost to them.

Fiona Hodgson, age 14



Societies Treasure Hunt

Towamencin

Volunteering at the Liberty USO Fair

Members of the Towamencin C.A.R. went to the Liberty USO fair for military families on the Willow Grove Air base. We volunteered to help with the activities throughout the day. The members took charge of the bouncy houses and had a fun time doing it! We also got to take breaks and experience the fair's many fun activities. It was great meeting new people from other volunteer groups and taking pictures with some of the military families! The Senior Officers served over 800 veterans and their families in the meal line. Overall, the members enjoyed working the fair and the experience of being on a military base.

After volunteering, we held a society meeting and Chief Pappas told us about her experiences in the Navy. She advised us to follow our dreams, set goals and always do our best. She said her most memorable day was when she was named Chief and also when she was named to the Hall of Fame – something unusual for females in her time.

Aislyn LaBadie, 14



Societies Treasure Hunt

Towamencin

Native American Non-Verbal Communication

On October 7th I joined the Towamencin Society at Black Sheep Pottery to make Native American Spirit Animal Masks. I painted a fox as my spirit animal. We used natural colors that the Native Americans would have used from nature. My fox was red, white and black. I thought it was really cool that they used flowers, berries, walnuts and bone to make paint colors. The Native Americans used their fingers and sticks to paint the masks. We also did this at Black Sheep Pottery to replicate the masks as much as possible and to understand why they did this. To my understanding they did this because they did not have paint brushes and by using your fingers a light caring touch was applied to the masks. Your essence and love was put into your work. We also learned some sign language. For example we learned how to say mountain, teepee, mother, father, and eat. We also learned that different tribes communicated with one another by using smoke signals and marking and bending trees as they grew to mark different directions in the thick woods. After the class was over I felt happy and excited with all that I learned.

Ryleigh McKeever



Societies Treasure Hunt

Washington Crossing

The Washington Crossing Society, C.A.R. baked their annual holiday cookies for the residents of the Delaware Valley Veterans Home. They delivered them on December 1st and led a carol sing-along with the residents.



Pennsylvania State Officers' Candidacy Form

If you are interested in being considered as a candidate for a PA C.A.R State Office for the 2019-2020 administration, please complete this form and mail or email to:

Deadline for consideration is January 15, 2019

Completion of this form does not guarantee a nomination.

Notes: Per State Bylaws: State and National Dues must have been paid by January 1, 2019

Per State Bylaws: You must have been a member of C.A.R. for 2 or more years.

Name:

Home Address:

Home Phone:

Email:

Cell Phone:
(if applicable)

Date of Birth:

Local Society:

Years in C.A.R.:

Please consider me for the following offices:

First Choice:

Second Choice:

Third Choice:

Offices and Chairmanships held in C.A.R.

Local:

State:

Regional:

National:

Events you have attended or in which you have participated in 2018:

Society Meetings:

Meetings of other societies:

Pennsylvania State Conference:

Attended the following years:

2018 I participated as

2017 I participated as

2016 I participated as

National Convention:

Attended the following years:

2018 I participated as

2017 I participated as

2016 I participated as

Eastern Regional Meeting:

Attended the following years:

2018 I participated as

2017 I participated as

2016 I participated as

Other Regional Meeting:

Which ones (include years):

State Workshop:

Attended the following years:

2018 I participated as

2017 I participated as

2016 I participated as

Any Special accomplishments or recognition in C.A.R.:

Tell why you feel that you are qualified to hold a State Office



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**Everitt Meer, State President
&**

Brandie Klee, Senior State President

Cordially invite you to attend the

75th State Conference

of the

Pennsylvania State Society

Children of the American Revolution

**Hosted by John Morton &
Towamencin Societies C.A.R.**

March 22-23, 2019

DoubleTree Suites

by Hilton Philadelphia West

**640 Fountain Road, Plymouth Meeting
Pennsylvania, 19462-1003**

Dear C.A.R. Members, Seniors, and Friends,

Having a wonderful year? Well, it's about to get much better as the 75th PA C.A.R. State Conference is coming soon! Every member is encouraged to attend a fun filled weekend to celebrate our achievements as a state society during the 2018-2019 year. Conference begins on Friday, March 22, 2019 and concludes with a banquet and dance the next night. Please read the State Conference Information to learn about the activities planned for all ages.

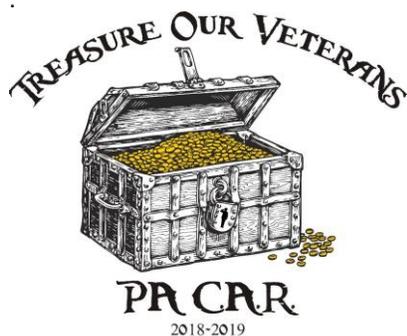
This year, I am asking each family that comes to conference to bring athletic socks to donate to the Veterans Hospital in Pittsburgh. I will deliver all donations after conference to the men and women at this hospital. The socks can be any color, any length, and any size. This will be a great group project that will help many veterans, so please consider bringing a donation to *Treasure Our Veterans*.

During the weekend, we will name the Most Outstanding Society in PA, the Most Outstanding Member in PA, and all of the winners for every state contest. I am incredibly thankful for all the support the societies have provided to the state project this year and am very proud of everyone's hard work. In addition, we will host a Veteran Breakfast Club event and present the state project. *Treasure Our Veterans* is our effort to help veterans tell their stories at Veterans Breakfast Club events across the state.

State conference is a time where C.A.R. members can gather to make new friends, reunite with old ones, and in general have a great time. Make sure to go to the pool and pizza party where everyone will be making a splash. Saturday night, bust out your best moves on the dance floor and be ready to party with the DJ. Whether it's your first time coming or not, remember to enjoy yourself all weekend.

So, make plans now to attend this year's PA C.A.R. State Conference. It may just be the best weekend of your year.

Everitt Meer
State President
PA C.A.R.



TREASURE OUR VETERANS



PA C.A.R.
2018-2019

Schedule of Events

Friday, March 22, 2019

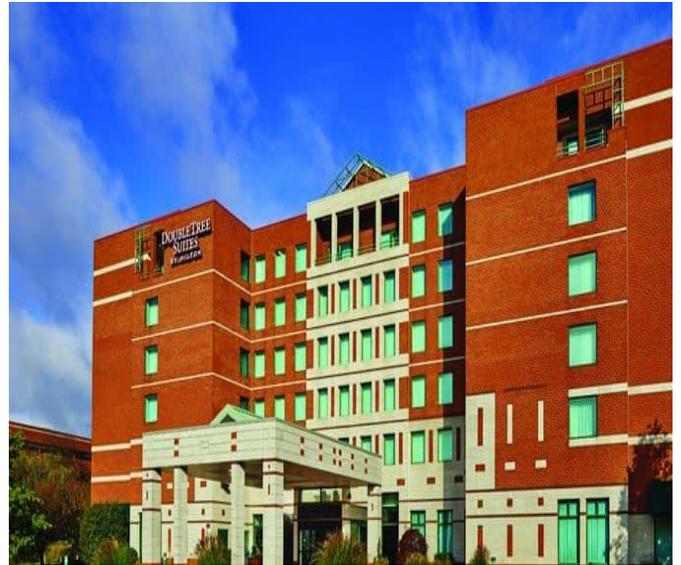
Registration Opens	3:30 pm
Senior Executive Board Meeting	4:30 pm
State Board Meeting (State Officers & Chairmen)	5:00 pm
Senior Board Meeting (Senior State Chairmen and Senior Society Presidents)	5:30 pm
Color Guards, Pages, and Aides Meeting	6:15 pm
Procession	6:45pm
Opening Session	7:00 pm
Pizza and Pool Party	9:00 pm
Adult Reception	9:00 pm

Saturday, March 23, 2019

Veterans Breakfast Club	8:30 am
Memorial Service & Wreath Laying Ceremony	11:00 am
Lunch	11:30 pm
Procession	12:45pm
Business Session	1:00 pm
Photos	5:00 pm
Banquet with Member Dance following	6:00 pm

Sunday, March 24, 2019

Executive Board Meeting (State Officers and Senior State Officers)	9:00am
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HOTEL RESERVATIONS

DoubleTree Suites by Hilton Hotel Philadelphia West

640 Fountain Road, Plymouth Meeting,
Pennsylvania, 19462-1003 610-834-8300
FAX: 610-879-4242

Hotel rooms are \$119.00 plus tax per night for Friday 3/22 through Sunday 3/24. Mention **Children of the American Revolution** to get the conference pricing for our block. The link below will take you to the hotel site to make your reservation.

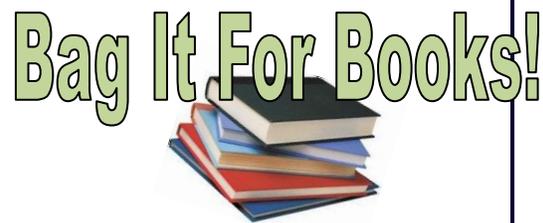
<http://doubletree.hilton.com/en/dt/groups/personalized/P/PHLGHDT-CAR-20190322/index.jhtml>

Please call (610-834-8300 or [use this link to book your room](#) for the 75th PA C.A.R. State Conference. BOOK BY 3/1/19!





Don't Forget



What to wear?

Business Sessions and Memorial Service:

Girls and Women—dresses or skirts

Boys and Men—suits and ties **Banquet:**

formal/semi-formal attire **Pages:** all

white dresses

Pages, Aides, Color Bearers: white gloves

Workshop and Dance: casual clothes

See the official dress code for more details.

Bring A Tombola Item

Calling all Pirates! We need you to bring your bounty to fill the Tombola and Silent auction tables for State Conference. Make sure you pull your finest treasures from your treasurer chests for the tables. We only need five items from each society chest for the Tombola table. And don't forget that we will be judging the silent auction baskets at state conference for the best state and national themes. Can't wait to see what all you Pirates have been collecting this year!

Ethan Klee
State Curator



A portion of your meal payment for Friday night's boxed dinner will benefit the N.S.C.A.R. Library Fund for the digitization of our library.

SILENT AUCTION

All societies are encouraged to donate a themed basket or item to auction at the Saturday night banquet. All money raised will go to the N.S.C.A.R. Museum, Washington, DC.

Veterans Breakfast Club

Saturday Morning, we will host a Veterans Breakfast Club event. We need all of you to help us host the guest Veterans. Please make your reservation to join us.

Saturday PA C.A.R. Memorial Service & Wreath Laying



On Saturday, after the Veteran's Breakfast Club, PA C.A.R. will travel to the Wentz's United Church of Christ (3246 Skippack Pike, Lansdale, PA 19446) for our annual Memorial Service. "The beginning of the church takes us back to the time of the French and Indian War, and more than a decade before the breaking out of the Revolutionary War. The cornerstone of the first three church buildings erected on the site where the present church now stands, was laid fourteen years before the adoption of the Declaration of Independence and twenty-five years before the signing of the

Constitution of the United States. When Washington became the first president of the United States, Wentz's Church was already twenty-seven years old.





PA C.A.R. Patron Form

Dear C.A.R. Families and Friends,

We are excited to invite you to the 75th Pennsylvania C.A.R. State Conference in Plymouth Meeting, PA! Plans are being made for your entire family to enjoy your experience while celebrating all the accomplishments of C.A.R. for 2018-2019. All committee chairs and members are working hard to plan the weekend events. We want you to have a chance to help make this State Conference a great success.

Expenses for State Conference are never completely covered by registration fees. The generosity and good will of individuals and societies is essential. We are asking that you or your Society consider a monetary donation to meet the expenses of this year's conference.

We are so thankful for your generosity.

Shiver Me Timbers,

Everitt Meer
State President

Brandie Klee
Senior State President

Elizabeth Ciarrocchi & Jennifer Cherry
Conference Co-Chair



Yes, I would like to make a tax-deductible donation and become a patron for the 75th PA C.A.R. State Conference.

Admiral of the Black **\$100+** First Mate **\$50** Privateer **\$25** Swashbuckler **\$10** Landlubber **\$5**

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Mail your check and form to: Taryn Kennedy 406 E. Fairview Street, Coopersburg, PA 18036

☆ **In order to be in the 75th State Conference Program, the donation forms must be received by March 1st.**

75th Pennsylvania Children of the American Revolution State Conference 2019 - Registration Form

Contact Information	Member Information	Registration	Friday Night <i>Box It For Books Dinner</i> Pick-up at registration table. Includes sandwich, drink, fruit, chips, cookie.	Pizza & Pool Party or Adult Reception Friday Evening	Veterans Breakfast Club	Saturday Boxed Lunch Lunch will be served in the lower level of the church after the memorial service.	Banquet	Patron	Total
Please provide us with your current C.A.R. titles so that we can correctly complete the Registration Report. Use a separate page if necessary. Thank you.		All members, seniors and guests must pay registration fee.							
Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____ Office/Title: (for nametag) _____ State & Society: _____	Member's 1st Conference? Yes / No Member's Age _____	Member \$10 Senior \$20 Guest \$20 After 3/1/19 Add \$5	Boxed Meal \$20 Turkey Wrap Vegetarian Wrap Tuna Salad Wrap \$12 Peanut Butter & Jelly Child 10 & Under	Pizza Party \$5 Yes	Buffet Breakfast \$25 Adult \$12 Child 10 & Under	Buffet Lunch \$10 Yes	\$53 Chicken Salmon Vegetarian Adult Chicken Fingers - \$35 \$25 Chicken Fingers Child 10 & under	100+ _____ \$50+ _____ \$25+ _____ \$10+ _____ \$5 _____	\$ _____
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Make checks payable to: PA C.A.R.

Mail to the Registration Chair: Taryn Kennedy 406 E. Fairview Street, Coopersburg, PA 18036 **Phone:** (561) 440-0076 **Email:** misstaryn@gmail.com **Conference Registration Deadline:** must be received by **March 1, 2019** (No refunds will be given after **March 1, 2019**)

Hotel Reservations must be made by March 1, 2019 to get the conference rate of \$119.00 per night.
 Elizabeth Ciarrocchi efciarrocchi@gmail.com or Jennifer Cherry lberty1776@gmail.com, Co-Conference Chair

N.S.C.A.R. DRESS CODE

Amended October 12, 2009, April 14, 2011, December 7, 2013

The Mission Statement of the Children of the American Revolution states, in part, that the organization trains good citizens and develops leaders. This Dress Code is established to ensure that all the good citizens representing this organization, both members and seniors, present themselves in a professional, dignified manner befitting a leader. This Dress Code is in effect for all meetings of the National Society, including National Convention and Regional Meetings.

Appropriate C.A.R. Attire

Appropriate C.A.R. attire is always modest in length and exposure, well-fitting and allows the wearer to move, sit and work comfortably and respectably. Revealing clothing is not acceptable unless covered in a respectable manner.

Appropriate attire is required for all members, adults and guests at all times. The Dress Code is in effect from start of the opening session on the first day until the end of the last scheduled event and any other event as noted in the program or call to meeting.

Prior to an event, questions regarding whether an item is appropriate should be directed to the Senior State President.

Business Sessions and all Public Areas of the Hotel

In addition to the “Appropriate C.A.R. Attire” definition above, attire for business sessions must be business-like and acceptable in a corporate board room. No jeans, sweatpants, flannels/pajamas, uncovered leggings, mini-skirts, or casual attire of any kind will be allowed. Appropriate dress shoes must be worn at all times.

Ladies/Girls: Business suits with appropriate skirt; business dresses; dress skirts and blouses; equivalent military or civil servant uniform.
Gentlemen/Boys: Suit and tie; sport jacket, slacks, shirt and tie; equivalent military or civil servant uniform. Coats may not be removed during the business session. Hats may not be worn indoors at any time, except when involved in a special presentation or event.

Banquet and Formal Dance

In addition to the “Appropriate C.A.R. Attire” definition above, attire for the banquet and formal dance must be acceptable at any “Black Tie Optional” gathering. No jeans, sweatpants, flannels/pajamas, uncovered leggings, mini-skirts, or casual attire of any kind will be allowed. Appropriate dress shoes must be worn at all times.

Ladies/Girls: Evening gown; ball gown; respectable length dress; equivalent military or civil servant uniform. An evening wrap is suggested due to air conditioning.
Gentlemen/Boys: Tuxedo; suit and tie; sport jacket, slacks, shirt and tie; equivalent military or civil servant uniform. Coats may not be removed during the Banquet or Formal Dance. Hats may not be worn at any time, except when involved in a special presentation or event.

Relaxing of Dress Code

Dress Code may be relaxed for special-themed events, parties or other casual events. Casual attire should be appropriate for the activity and conform to the “Appropriate C.A.R. Attire” definition above. Appropriate footwear must be worn at all times.

The program/call to meeting will specify when the Dress Code has been relaxed and appropriate casual attire is allowed.

Enforcement

The Code of Behavior, which includes the Dress Code, is enforced by the Administrative Committee. During an event, questions and suspected violations of this code may be referred to the Senior Chairman of the Administrative Committee and designated senior leader for review and action as prescribed in the Code of Behavior.

Issues and concerns not specifically outlined in this Dress Code will be addressed on a case by case basis.

Code of Behavior

Rules for N.S.C.A.R. Functions National Convention, Regional Meetings, any nationally sponsored event

Amended February 2, 1976

Amended December 3, 1982

Amended October 17, 1983

Amended February 9, 2014

Amended October 16, 1991

Amended October 16, 1995

Amended February 8, 1999

Amended December 5, 2015

1. Appropriate dress is required at all C.A.R. functions. The Dress Code shall be printed annually in the National Convention Brochure, in the invitations to all Regional Meetings and in the notice to any nationally sponsored event.
2. All persons shall respect the comfort of other guests in the function hotel by refraining from being noisy in the corridors or rooms after 11:00 P.M. while others are trying to sleep.
3. All persons shall obey the laws of the jurisdiction in which the function is being held and the laws of the United States of America.
 - a. Regardless of laws governing the sale, possession, consumption or use of alcoholic beverages/substances, marijuana or controlled substances, all members, seniors and guests shall refrain from any use of these products and substances for the duration of the meeting or event. Prescription medications are allowed as prescribed.
 - b. Regardless of the laws governing weapons in the jurisdiction in which a C.A.R. event is held, all members, seniors and guests shall refrain from carrying weapons for the duration of the meeting or event with the exception of law enforcement personnel and approved participants. Weapons include but are not limited to, firearms and knives.
 - c. It is illegal to stay in the function hotel without being registered with the hotel.
4. All persons shall be prompt in attending all sessions of the function and shall occupy the seat or area designated for them.
5. A member/guest may not leave the function hotel during the duration of the function for any reason that is not part of the official function without the permission of his/her senior chaperon.
6. All persons attending the C.A.R. function are expected to comply with the Code of Behavior. This includes ALL members, ALL adults, and ALL guests from the beginning of the function until the conclusion of all activities of the function.
7. **Administrative Committee**
 - a. The Administrative Committee serves as a disciplinary board to review all cases of violation of the Code of Behavior and to take appropriate action.
 - b. The National President and the Senior National President shall appoint an Administrative Committee of five (5) consisting of a Senior Chairman, one (1) C.A.R. senior leader (one male and one female), and three C.A.R. members (at least one male and one female). Notifications of violations of the Code of Behavior shall be given in writing to the Senior Chairman. This notification may be made by either members or seniors. Persons shall be apprised of the charges made against them and given an opportunity to reply before action is taken.

- c. The Administrative Committee shall report to the National President and Senior National President all considerations, proceedings and decisions. In all cases of violation of the Code of Behavior, the National President and Senior National President, after consultation with the Administrative Committee, shall be empowered to declare any violator excused from further participation in the function, to send the violator home, or to determine other appropriate action.
8. Procedures for Implementation of the Code of Behavior
- a. All cases of alleged violation of the Code of Behavior must be referred to the Administrative Committee of the Code of Behavior.
 - b. The Administrative Committee shall:
 - 1) Investigate each case fully and carefully and shall be certain party/parties in question are properly and accurately identified.
 - 2) Consult with the immediate chaperon of the party/parties involved in any alleged violation (Senior State President and parent if there).
 - 3) Apprise party/parties of the charges made against them and give said party/parties an opportunity to reply.
 - 4) Determine if a violation of the Code of Behavior has occurred.
 - 5) Report the violation and any recommended action to the National President and the Senior National President.
 - c. In all cases of violation of the Code of Behavior, the National President and Senior National President, after consultation with the Administrative Committee, shall be empowered to declare any violator excused from further participation in the function, to send the violator home, or to determine other appropriate action.
 - d. The Administrative Committee shall explain fully to the violator why this action is being taken.
 - e. If the violator is excused from any further participation in the function, the State must provide supervision for this member/guest.
 - f. If it is determined that a violator be sent home, the following procedure shall be followed:
 - 1) The Chairman of the Administrative Committee shall be responsible for contacting an official chaperon and together they shall contact the parents.
 - 2) The parents shall be consulted on how a member/guest is to be sent home. Be certain the parents understand they are responsible for all expenses incurred by this action.
 - 3) Be certain the member/guest being sent home can be met.
 - 4) If it is impossible for some reason to send the violator home, the State must provide proper supervision to see that he/she does not attend any further part of the function.
 - g. All proceedings of the Administrative Committee shall remain confidential.

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

GUIDELINES ON CONDUCT

Adopted April 14, 2016

The National Society of the Children of the American Revolution (N.S.C.A.R./C.A.R.) shall uphold the laws of the locality, state/province or country in which the society is located.

These guidelines are to be used with the Code of Behavior.

Definitions

Society—Local, state and national society as approved by the N.S.C.A.R. Senior National Board of Management.

Members—Any person under the age of 22 who is a member of N.S.C.A.R.

Senior Leaders/Seniors—Adults (includes 18-22 year olds that are non-members) who hold a leadership role at the local, state, regional or national levels of N.S.C.A.R.

Adults—Any person 18 years of age or older. Adults between 18 and 22 may also be members.

Guests—Any person who is not a member or a senior leader.

Chaperones—Chaperones are to be a senior or an adult over the age of 22, in attendance for the entirety of the Scheduled Event, and have written consent from the parent or legal guardian.

Scheduled Event—All sanctioned C.A.R. activities, whether occurring at a Society's premises or otherwise, and as to which these guidelines shall apply.

Education

Every C.A.R. society is expected to inform and educate its members, senior leaders, adults, guests, and chaperones on these guidelines. Every attendee at a C.A.R. Scheduled Event shall have access to a copy of the guidelines and copies will be included in the invitations to state conferences, regional meetings and National Convention. The N.S.C.A.R. Guidelines on Conduct is found on nscar.org authorized users site.

Reporting Concerns

N.S.C.A.R. guidelines regarding the Administrative Committee and Ethics Committee are in effect at all events at the local, state, regional and national levels. A written report will be necessary to bring any concern before the Administrative Committee or Ethics Committee. All written complaints will be handled as prescribed by the Administrative Committee guidelines and Ethics Committee guidelines. In the event the issue involves the senior leader in charge of the event or the Senior National President, the behavior will be reported to the next highest ranking senior in attendance.

Bullying, Discrimination, Digital Communication and Social Media

Members, seniors, adults, and guests shall treat all individuals with respect and an inclusive attitude without regard to ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, socioeconomic status, and political ideology.

Each member, senior, adult, and guest shall respect the personal space of every other individual and refrain from physical contact or verbal abuse that makes another individual uncomfortable.

No member, senior, adult, or guest shall engage in any behavior that is deliberately hurtful, humiliating, or

denigrating to another individual or a group of individuals in person, by telephone, by postal mail, or by means of any form of written or digital communication.

All members, seniors, adults and guests must adhere to the N.S.C.A.R. Social Media Policy which is found on nscar.org authorized users site.

Weapons

Regardless of the laws governing weapons in the city, state/province or country in which a C.A.R. Scheduled Event is held, all members, seniors, adults and guests shall refrain from carrying weapons for the duration of the event, the exception being uniformed law enforcement officers and approved participants.

Use of Alcoholic Beverages and Drugs

The National Society Code of Behavior prohibits the sale, possession, consumption or use of alcohol beverages/substances, marijuana or controlled substances. Prescription drugs are allowed as prescribed.

Medical Permission and Release of Liability Form

This form gives permission for a member's chaperone or an authorized representative of the organization to arrange for all necessary medical treatment (at the parent's/guardian's expense) during a Scheduled Event, including the power to seek appropriate medical treatment or attention on behalf of a child as may be required by the circumstances; the power to authorize medical treatment or medical procedures in an emergency situation, including prescription and non-prescription medicine; and the power to make appropriate decisions regarding clothing, bodily nourishment and shelter. The senior in charge of the event may require a Medical Permission and Release of Liability Form for all members and guests who attend the event. A Medical Permission and Release of Liability Form is found on nscar.org authorized users site.

This form also gives permission for a member/guests' chaperone and/or designee to drive a member or guest to, during and from an event.

All National Officers, State Presidents and National Chairmen who attend a national Scheduled Event must provide a Medical Permission and Release of Liability Form to the Senior National President and their chaperone before the start of the event.

It is advisable for all members, seniors and guests to carry an ICE (in case of emergency) form or wallet card as an extra precaution. An ICE Form is found on nscar.org authorized users site.

Medications

Medications, which include prescription and non-prescription, cannot be administered by a senior or chaperone to any member or guest under the age of 18 without written permission of his/her parent or legal guardian.

Overnight Stays

All persons shall comply with the policies of the event hotel, particularly those pertaining to minimum age for occupying a room and maximum number of guests per room.

No member under the age of 18 may stay in a hotel room with an adult other than the member's (1) parent, (2) legal guardian or (3) chaperone designated in writing by the member's parent or legal guardian, unless the member's parent or legal guardian has consented in writing to an alternative rooming arrangement. Members because of age who are classified as adults, may share a room with other members of N.S.C.A.R. of the same gender without written permission.

Regional Meetings – Transportation

It is the responsibility of the National Officers, State Presidents, National Chairmen and members or guests who travel to regional meetings to make their own arrangements. Those under the age of 18 shall provide the driver and/or owner of the vehicle written permission from their parent or legal guardian. The exception is for those who travel with his/her parent or legal guardian.

No members under the age of 18 shall drive automobiles that are not registered to them, their parent or legal guardian without express written permission from their parent or legal guardian and the vehicle owner. The exception is for those who travel with his/her parent or legal guardian.

Regional Meetings – Chaperone

It is the responsibility of the National Officers, State Presidents, National Chairmen and members or guests who travel to regional meetings to provide the Senior National President a signed written document with the name of a chaperone who will be at the entire Scheduled Event. The chaperone will be provided a copy of this document which is to be in their possession during the entire event.

Regional Meetings – Medical Permission and Release of Liability Form

It is the responsibility of the National Officers, State Presidents and National Chairmen, and members or guests who travel to regional meetings to provide the Senior National President a signed Medical Permission and Release of Liability Form. The chaperone will be provided a copy of this document which is to be in their possession during the entire Scheduled Event. The document is to be signed by the parent or legal guardian for those under the age of 18.

Personal Information

All documents bearing personal information of any individual attending a local, state, regional or national event, including but not limited to registration forms, medical forms, and permission to treat forms are considered confidential.

Conflicts with Other Rules

In the event that these guidelines conflict with local, state/provincial or national laws or regulations, those laws or regulations shall supersede these guidelines. To the extent these guidelines set out a higher standard of conduct than applicable law or regulations, there is no conflict and these guidelines shall govern.

Questions

Questions or comments concerning the implementation of these guidelines should be directed to the senior in charge of the Scheduled Event.

Amendments

These guidelines may be amended at any Senior National Board of Management meeting.



Photograph & Video Release Form

I hereby grant permission for National Society of the Children of the American Revolution to:

- Photograph me
- Video me
- Record my voice

Photographic, audio or video recordings may be used for the following purposes:

- Conference and convention presentations
- Promotional presentations or courses
- Informational presentations
- Online educational courses (including the official website, and all related social media sites)
- Educational videos

I/We do hereby authorize The National Society of the Children of the American Revolution, its agents, successors, assigns, subsidiaries, and/or affiliates to use all information supplied to said organization(s) by me in any or all of its publicity without limitation. Said photograph(s), video(s), recording(s) or information shall be and remain the property of N.S.C.A.R. They may be used with or without using my name or using my initials or a fictitious name. Neither the copy nor the edited material has been submitted to me for inspection or approval prior to publication. I agree that I am donating this material and that I will not be compensated.

I/We agree that there is no cost to me for having this material submitted for possible publishing. I agree that there will be no cost to me for publication of these items if in fact they are published.

I/We also agree to hold harmless The National Society of the Children of the American Revolution, its agents, successors, assigns, subsidiaries, and/or affiliates in the event that the photograph(s), video(s), or recording(s) are not returned to me. I/We further state that the included material is in fact as described in my comments and descriptions attached thereto.

I/We hereby represent and warrant that I/we am/are _____ years of age and that I have not given any person or firm the exclusive right to use my name, picture or any other information. There is no other agreement between us.

Full Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____

Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Email Address _____

Signature _____ Date _____

If this release is obtained from a presenter under the age of 18, then the signature of that presenter's parent or legal guardian is also required.

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

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