



October 2018

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Falls of the Rappahannock

Chapter NSDAR



October Meeting

Thursday, Oct 11, 7 pm

“Virginia Inventor from the Valley “

Speaker: Brenda Caricofe

Regester Chapel

85 Bells Hill Rd

Stafford, VA

Hostesses: Anne Kline & Donna Courtney

Chapter Chat

Happy Birthday to the FOTR!!!! 38 Years of Service and Friendship
Please join us on October 11th to celebrate our Chapters Birthday.

Chapter Regents,

Please add the following information to your October meeting agenda:

A District V field trip to Crossnore School, a DAR sponsored school in Boone, North Carolina, is being planned for April 11-13, 2019. In order to proceed with planning the trip the Committee needs to know the interest. If ladies are interested and want more detailed information please contact the trip coordinator, Lynn Maines (lynn.maines12@verizon.net).

A heads-up ~ bus companies and hotels get booked quickly in April so if you are interested please be prompt in contacting Lynn preferably within the next week so we can get the hotel (Hampton Inn in Boone) and bus reserved.

In Dar Friendship,

Wanda I. English

District V Director

Hostesses

NEEDED!

We are in need of hostesses for the

following months:

March—need 1

May—need 2



SERVICE to AMERICA!

Our Chapter hours donated total as of September 30 , 2018

1597

Please remember to log your hours!

[http://services.dar.org/members/committees/
ServicetoAmerica/](http://services.dar.org/members/committees/ServicetoAmerica/)

The Service to America! Committee encourages community service by **all** members on **all** levels as a means of honoring our heritage. You may now count your DAR hours!

Please bring the following to the September meeting:

- Box tops
- Ink Cartridges
- Coupons
- Coke bottle caps

Chapter Chat, cont.

Wanted:

Stories, Photos, News and High Sea Adventures

This is YOUR Chapter Newsletter , please send stories, photos, news about your family/ancestors, and historical trips to the editor so that she can make this newsletter more about YOU!

Send all information to sonja.k.johnson@gmail.com

Dates to Remember:

Oct 8, Columbus Day

Oct 10 Chapter 38th Birthday

Oct 11, 1890 DAR founded

Oct 11 NSDAR Day of Service

Oct 19 Yorktown Day

Reminder

Please fill out the Photo Release form on page 11 and bring to the October meeting or email it to Susan Harvin

If you have any extra greeting cards at home, please bring them to the next meeting.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

October 1—Jennifer Upton

October 2—Allison Gatron

October 13—Lauren Marshall



Chapter—Individual Participation

Volunteers and Walkers are needed at this years Puppy Up Fredericksburg Walk:



Fredericksburg, VA Walk



**Sunday
October 28, 2018**

Hurkamp Park
500 Williams Street
Fredericksburg, VA 22401

10 am-2:30 pm Event
10 am Registration
11 am Walk

Pre-Register by October 26
\$20 Pre-Registration online
\$25 Registration 10/27 & day of event

www.PuppyUp.org
Fredericksburg@PuppyUp.org
f Puppy Up Fredericksburg, VA

COMMUNITY
SERVICE



Upcoming Honor Flights

2018 FALL HONOR FLIGHTS DULLES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (IAD)

The list of flights is regularly updated and posted on Facebook under “Honor Flight at Dulles – Welcoming Our Heroes.” It is also listed on our website heroeswelcomeiad.com under 2018 schedule.

Except when the name appears in the description of the hub, the state abbreviation is in parentheses () to the right.

Fall 2018 Season

10/11 - THURSDAY

6. Honor Flight Southern Colorado

Arrive: 4:00PM

Depart: **DEPARTS FROM BWI**

Colleen

25 Veterans /25 Guardians

10/20 - SATURDAY

7. North Country Honor Flight (NY)

Arrive: 11:15AM

Depart: 8:15PM (4:30PM Return to Airport)

Donna

15 Veterans / 15 Guardians

10/25 - THURSDAY

8. Honor Flight of the Quad Cities (IA)

Arrive: 10:00 AM

Depart: 8:50 PM (7:00 PM Return to Airport)

Donna

95 Veterans /55 Guardians

11/1 - THURSDAY

9. Old Glory Honor Flight

Arrive: 9:45AM

Depart: **DEPARTS FROM DCA**

Donna

90 Veterans / 75Guardians

You are cordially invited



Rappahannock
Colonial Heritage Society
invites you to

November 3, 2018
at the hour of
Twelve of the Clock

St. George's
Episcopal Church
905 Princess Anne Street

Come Take Tea With Us

Historic Downtown Fredericksburg
Join our costumed hostesses as they discuss the latest issues of the 18th Century

bbreeze14@gmail.com or 804-633-7559 for reservations
Seating is limited
\$20 per person
Pre-payment is required and is non-refundable.
Money must be received by October 27, 2018

Fredericksburg Events

"Revolutionary Rift: George Washington and James Monroe"

6:30 p.m., Wednesday, October 10th. Scott Harris, Executive Director of university museums at UMW, will address the American Revolution Round Table of Fredericksburg, discussing George Washington's and James Monroe's long and complex relationship in war, politics, and diplomacy.

Central Rappahannock Regional Library headquarters theatre, 1201 Caroline Street. Free. Light Refreshments. Contact Jim Davis at JamesDavisW@aol.com or 540/899-3836.

October Service Project

FOTR will be gathering supplies for 2 Shelters for our October Service Project.

Please bring to the October Meeting.



Old Dominion Humane Society provides well-matched permanent homes for animals in need through rescue, rehabilitation, and education. Following are some items they are in need of:

Cleaning Supplies:

Paper towels

Large garbage bags

Plastic grocery/shopping bags

Puppy Supplies:

Puppy pads

Small collars

Chew toys

New or used sheets/blankets/towels



- ⇒ Paper towels
- ⇒ bleach
- ⇒ HE laundry detergent
- ⇒ sheets, towels, blankets
- ⇒ kitty litter
- ⇒ Kong's
- ⇒ dishes and bowls for cats and dogs
- ⇒ Dry /canned kitty and puppy foods

DAR Museum Events

October 9, 2018

DAR Museum Tuesday Talk: “A Clean, Well-Lighted Place for Books:” Furnishing the 18th century Library

12:00-1:00pm

Free, drop-in



Book lovers take note! What would it be like to curl up with a good novel in an 18th century library? Books were luxury items at this time. To properly showcase their expensive books, the Virginia gentry often set aside a specialized space, called the “study” or “closet.” These colonial libraries could be very simple or quite elaborate. This presentation focuses on the study of statesman Francis Lightfoot Lee at Menokin, a Richmond County plantation house built in 1769. Watch this library come alive using probate inventories, diaries, and descriptions of Lee and his contemporaries.

Speaker: Patrick Sheary, Curator of Furnishings

Image: The Reverend Say and His Wife painted in 1752 by Arthur Devis

Saturday, October 27, 2018

10:00am-2:00pm

You are invited to the DAR Museum’s ghoulish celebration! Costumes are optional but fun is required at this old-fashioned, family-friendly Halloween party. Try out the treats, tricks, and games enjoyed during a Victorian Halloween.

Free admission! [Get your free tickets](#)

"Are you afraid to meet a ghost?

Of goblin friends dare you make boast?

What is the thing that scares you most?

Come join us Hallowe'en!

We name the hour as ten o'clock.

Admission comes if you but knock.

We hope to entertain— and shock.

Come join us Hallowe'en!"

(from a Halloween party invitation, c. 1900)



September Happenings with the Chapter

Constitution Week September 17 –21, 2018

Meg Bohmke, Chairman of the Stafford County Board Of Supervisors presented Alicia Hillmer and Martha Thurston Newton a Proclamation for Constitution Week to the NSDAR Falls of the Rappahannock Chapter.



Our Contracts Administrator, Alicia, is proud to serve as the Constitution Week chairman for the Falls of the Rappahannock chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. As part of her duties, she spent her morning visiting 3 local schools for #ConstitutionDay passing out 2,300 Preamble to the Constitution bookmarks and sharing the importance of the Constitution that our Service members are sworn to protect and defend every day.

Community Day—September 1, 2018



The Fredericksburg Dog Mart

September 29



September Happenings with the Chapter, cont.

A few of the 48 volunteer professional arborists from VA & MD at Saluting Veterans at Quantico National Cemetery. DAR members Marie, Doris, Vicky & Susan served lunch donated by Starbucks, Food Lion & Mission Barbeque. Thank you to the FOTR members who donated today's drinks.



Berea Church Bell Ringing Service



Pentagon Wreath Laying





DUES NOTICE 2018-2019
Falls of the Rappahannock Chapter, NSDAR

Member: _____

X all additional
that you choose

2018-2019 Dues.....\$60.00

PG Project donation ** 7.50

DAR Magazine (optional)..... 18.00

Chapter Name Tag (optional)..... 5.00

2018-2019 Chapter Yearbook optional hard
copy.....2.00

Donation to chapter (optional).... _____

Amount enclosed: \$ _____

**** PG Project donation can be paid as \$2.50 over the 3 year term or all at once at any time during the term.**

Return this form, with your check payable to Falls of the Rappahannock Chapter NDAR (FOTR NSDAR), to:
Donna Sayre, Treasurer FOTR NSDAR, PO Box 416, Stafford, VA 22555-0416



National Society Daughters of the American Revolution

PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE FORM

I, *(please print full name neatly)* _____,
hereby grant permission to the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR),
including any of its chapters or state societies, to publish photos/images/videos including my name or
the name of my child in press releases and/or other materials either in print or electronic format for
purposes deemed appropriate by the NSDAR.

I am signing this release form with the knowledge that any photos/images/videos posted
electronically and in press releases can be downloaded and reprinted by news organizations, individuals
and others including print, electronic, and broadcast media, and I, therefore, release the NSDAR from
any liability arising from use of my or my child's photos/images/videos in web postings.

I further understand that if I wish to rescind this agreement, I may do so at any time by sending a
letter to NSDAR. I further understand that already published photos/images/videos cannot be recalled.
The requested rescission will take effect upon receipt of the notification.

If applicable, name of minor child: _____
(PRINT NAME)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

NSDAR CONTACT INFORMATION		
Name of Contact:	<input type="text"/>	
Phone No. (<input type="text"/>)	<input type="text"/>	E-mail <input type="text"/>

State Regent's Project Gala

Saturday, November 3, 2018



The Virginian Hotel
712 Church Street, Lynchburg, Virginia 24504

Updated September 28, 2018

The first *State Regent's Project Gala* will be held at the beautifully restored *Virginian Hotel* in Lynchburg on Saturday, November 3, 2018. All Virginia daughters, husbands and friends are warmly invited to attend what will certainly become a new tradition during each administration!

This sparkling evening will begin at 6:30 p.m. with cocktails (cash-only bar) in the Rose Eleanor Madison Room. State Officers and Honorary State Regents will enter the ballroom in a processional descending from the Grand Staircase at 7:30 p.m., marking the start of our delicious dinner. Following dessert, the evening program at 9 p.m. will feature television producer Andrew Och, author of *Unusual for their Time: On the Road with America's First Ladies*. Members were enthralled when Andrew spoke at the State Regent's Benefit Luncheon at the 2018 State Conference, and guests may look forward to an entertaining presentation on this special occasion.

The cost to attend this inaugural event is \$85 per person or \$160 per couple, which includes service, taxes and a donation to the State Regent's Project. Reservations for the Gala must be postmarked no later than Saturday, October 6, 2018. Attendance is limited to 200 guests. It will be an evening to remember, and one you don't want to miss!

**Make the event sparkle!
Wear your tiara and anything with bling!**

Dinner Reservations

Each attendee must complete a Dinner Reservation Form and mail with a check made payable to *State Treasurer, Virginia DAR, to Cynthia Reese Fein, State Treasurer, 1814 Pocahontas Street, Lynchburg, VA 24501*. Reservations post-marked no later than Saturday, October 6, 2018 will be accepted.

Seating and Table Reservations

All seating will be assigned on a "first come – first seated" basis; however, a Table Reservation Form may be submitted to identify up to 10 guests who would like to sit at the same table. Every effort will be made to seat groups as requested. At the Gala, place cards for each guest will indicate the assigned table number. Please mail or email completed Table Reservation Forms to Cynthia Reese Fein, State Treasurer, 1814 Pocahontas Street, Lynchburg, VA 24501; cyndi.fein@vadar.org before Saturday, October 6, 2018.

Hotel Accommodations

A block of hotel rooms at the Virginian Hotel has been reserved for \$139/night plus 11.8% + \$1.00 state lodging tax and bed/occupancy tax. Members may reserve a room with a King bed or two queen beds. Check-in is at 4 p.m. and check-out is at 11 a.m. The reservation link is: [Virginia Dar Booking Link](#) and the Virginia Daughters of the American Revolution Group Code is **VCDAR**. You may also reserve a room by calling the hotel at (434) 329-3200. Please note that the hotel reservation deadline is Wednesday, October 3, 2018.

Parking

Adjacent hotel parking is available and rates are: Self-parking: \$5/daily; and Valet: \$8/daily.

State Regent's Project Gala
Saturday, November 3, 2018



DINNER RESERVATION FORM

**Reservations Postmarked No Later Than
Saturday, October 6, 2018 Will Be Accepted**

* * A reservation form must be completed for each attendee. * *

Dinner Menu and Entrée Options

Virginian Salad: Cucumber Ring, Spring Mix of Lettuces Tossed with Dried Cherries, Shenandoah Apples, Goat Cheese and White House Apple Cider Vinaigrette.

Entrée Options (Please Select One)

Lime Soy Glazed Salmon: Pan-Seared and Served With Ginger Miso Honey Sauce

Caramelized Chicken Breast: Served With a Four Mushroom Sautee

Vegetarian Pasta (Gluten-Free)

All served with Chef's choice of vegetable and whipped potatoes; rolls and butter; and dessert; Tazo iced tea, freshly brewed regular and decaffeinated Starbucks coffee, and hot water with a selection of Tazo teas, lemon and honey.

Reservation For:

Name _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____ Chapter: _____

\$85/person – Checks made payable to *State Treasurer, Virginia DAR. Please mail to:*

Cynthia Reese Fein
State Treasurer
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Lynchburg, VA 24501
Email: cyndi.fein@vadar.org
Cell: 434-509-7252

Falls of the Rappahannock Chapter Survey for Activities – January 1, 2018 – December 2018

Please enter your service to America information on line – this questionnaire is for the CMR

Did you participate in a Naturalization Ceremony? _____ How many? _____

How many days this year did you fly the American Flag? _____

VIRGINIA - Did you visit any of the DAR Shrines this year?

_____ Yorktown _____ Stratford Hall _____ Kenmore _____ Woodlawn Plantation

AMERICAN HERITAGE - Did you participate in any of the following events? Please explain.

Fine Arts _____

Crafts _____

Music _____

Literature or Dramatic Arts _____

COMMUNITY SERVICE – how many volunteer hours did you perform/volunteer in the following areas?

*Causes such as Relay for Life, the American Cancer Society, Red Cross Blood Donations, etc. _____

*Homeless shelter or soup kitchens _____

*Handicapped children or adults _____

*Crisis or assistance hotlines _____

*Assisting at Blood Drives _____

*Schools _____

*Hospitals _____

*Church (education, governance, shut-ins, etc) _____

*Local cultural organizations and associations _____

*Docent hours at DAR Museum _____

*Scouting programs _____

*Reading to youth _____

*Other volunteer groups _____

DAR MAGAZINE – American Spirit Magazine/Newsletter.-Do you subscribe to the Magazine? _____

CHAPLAIN

*How many cards were send to members for illness/bereavement? _____

*How many cards were sent to members for birthdays? _____

CONSERVATION PROJECTS

Do you.....

Recycle or compost_____

Conserve water using rain barrels_____

Control phantom electricity by unplugging electrical items when not in use_____

Participate in Earth Day/Arbor Day Events_____

Plant pollinator gardens or use native plants in your home landscape_____

DAR SCHOOL

How much has you contributed to the following schools?

DAR School	Labels	Box Tops	Clothing	Other Items	Money
<u>Kate Duncan Smith</u>					
<u>Tamassee</u>					
<u>Berry College</u>					
<u>Crossnore School</u>					
<u>Hillside School</u>					
<u>Hindman Settlement</u>					

DAR SERVICE FOR VETERANS

Did you participate by sending

Money_____

Books, vIdeos_____

Toiletries_____

New clothing_____

Lap Robes, Ditty bags_____

Donations of water or food for events_____

List type of activities you participated in (i.e. Visitation, Honor Flight, Unaccompanied or Missing in

America Funerals, Community events._____

GRC Have you___

Submitted unpublished, abstracted or copied pages to GRC committee? _____ How many?_____

Participated in GRC book indexing? Total number of times_____