



# UTAH DAUGHTERS



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"Bee of Service - Bee Re-membered"

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Dear Utah Daughters,

I am honored to Bee of Service to the Utah Daughters. As the new National Service to America Committee rolls out to continue recording your qualifying service hours to our veterans, communities and churches, please don't forget to Bee of Service to your fellow Utah Daughters. Does a Daughter in your chapter need someone to log their qualifying service hours, need help in getting to a meeting, etc. Please consider sharing your knowledge, skills and time to all 'Bee of Service' to our Utah Daughters. Yes, we are a lineage society, but our founders wanted a society founded on Service, let Utah continue to be a leader in the Nation for Service to America.

The State Regents Project will be to support our Veterans and CM Continue Mission No Veteran Left Behind. If you were at the past Utah State Conference you would have heard about Continue Mission, its creation by a Veteran and mission to help Veterans with service connected physical, mental, and emotional injuries. We could be a part of helping to prevent the suicide of a Utah Veteran. The chapters can coordinate supporting and serving a box lunch, or how about refreshments and cookies, etc. for one of their activities.

We will also be support the President Generals Project. Part of Mrs. Dillion's project is supporting chapters through membership and community service promotions.

National will be providing the support to increase Utah's membership in a big way through the annual Roots Tech Conference. They will be sponsoring the DAR booth, providing the pamphlets, and sending experts to help man the booth indefinitely. Pat Bausman, State Registrar will be asking for volunteers to once again man this booth February 8-11, 2017. We will need to gear up in the chapters to provide application support to these genealogy savvy Prospective Members, by holding workshops, helping with the applications, etc. This is why it is so important to have a separate membership chairman from the Chapter Registrar. I would suggest to the chapters to create a membership committee team to help support the Chapter Registrar. Pat Bausman, the State Registrar is here to help you as am I.

Another part of Mrs. Dillion's project will be to continue the Special Projects Grants. I have asked Judy Barking, Honorary State Regent, to head up **this committee**. We will be filing for a grant for Continue Mission and a grant to restore and clean Mrs. Harriet Wetmore Sells headstone in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, in Salt Lake City. She is a DAR Real Daughter.

You can read more about the President General's Project on the member's website.

To support the State Regent's Project, we will be selling voices for the Bald Eagle quilt pictured below. It is expertly made and quilted by Pat Moseman and Hazel Peterson. Thank you both for donating your time and talents. Voices for the quilt are \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00. The drawing for the Bald Eagle quilt will be at the April 2017 State Conference. We will also be selling soft padded DAR eyeglass/sunglass cases for \$5.00.

For the second year of my term, we will be selling voices for a week long timeshare in Mexico, generously donated by a Utah Daughter. Details will be available next year.

Moving Forward in Service to America, how will you 'Bee of Service?'

Brenda Reeder,

Utah State Regent

## **STATE REGENT'S TRAVEL CALENDAR**

**Sep. 3** - Wasatch Range Chapter  
**Oct. 5-8** - Washington, DC for NBOM  
**Oct. 8-16** - NSDAR School Bus Tour  
**Dec. 10** - Salt Lake Valley Christmas Tea  
**Feb. 1-4** - Washington, DC for NBOM  
**Feb. 18** - Salt Lake Valley Chapter  
**Mar. 20** - Golden Spike Chapter

## **DATES & DEADLINES**

**Dec. 1** - Mail chapter achievement funds, President Generals Project and other donations to State Treasurer Deborah Hoyt.  
**Dec. 3** - State DAR Christmas Luncheon at the Lion House. Sponsored by the State Officer's Club. Everyone is welcome and invited.  
**Dec. 17** - Wreaths Across America, 10 am Utah State Veteran's Memorial Cemetery in Bluffdale.  
**Dec. 26** - JAC chapter contest entries to Carolyn Bushman.  
**Before Dec. 31** - Log Moving Forward in Service to America Hours.  
**Jan. 14** - State Board of Management Meeting at Salt Lake County Complex.  
**Jan. 14** - Good Citizen chapter winners due to State Chairman Susan Holt.  
**Jan. 20** - American History Essay chapter winners due to State Chairman Lucile Peterson.  
**Before Feb. 1** - Due to State Treasurer Deborah Hoyt-Audit of chapter books for 2016; 2016 chapter financial report; \$40 State Magazine co-op ad; \$25 donation State Regent's fund; \$5 donation to Honorary State Regent flower fund;.  
**Feb. 1** - Chapter Achievement forms due to be filed electronically or 2 hard copies delivered to Deborah Hoyt by Jan. 25.  
**Feb. 1** - Master Questionnaire due filed electronically through e-Membership.  
**Feb. or Mar.** - Chapter meeting-elect delegates for State Conference and Continental Congress.  
**Mar. 15** - Chapter credentials due for State Conference to Lori Liljenquist.  
**Apr.** - Chapter credentials due for Continental Congress (exact date will be on packet mailed to

each chapter regent) **MUST BE SENT IN WITH A CHAPTER CHECK ONLY.**

**Jun. 28 - Jul. 2** - Continental Congress.

## **STATE COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN 2016-2018**

American Heritage - Colette Kingsley  
American History - Lucille Peterson  
American Indians - Karen Shuman  
Americanism - Carol Howard  
Frances Merrill  
Chapter Achievement Awards- Deborah Hoyt  
CD&RC - Diane Tarbox  
C.A.R. - Judy Mayfield  
Commemorative Events - Lorena Norris  
Community Service Awards - Melissa Moon  
Conservation - Rena Mills  
Constitution Week - Christine Schultz  
DAR Genealogy Preservation- Jane Nelson-Comp  
DAR Good Citizen - Susan Holt  
DAR Magazine - Lorena Norris  
DAR Museum - Hollie Gilliland  
DAR Project Patriot - Kathryn Jenson  
DAR Scholarship - Cindy Toone  
DAR Schools - Teresa Call  
DAR Service for Veterans - Monica Hoyt  
Flag of the USA - Michelle Shreve  
Genealogical Records - Jane Nelson-Comp  
Historic Preservation - Cindy Toone  
Insignia - Sondra Jeffus  
JAC - Carolyn Bushman  
Junior Membership - Lisa Hoyt  
Lineage Research - Sandra Ball  
Literacy Promotion - Patricia Moseman  
Membership - KariAnn Christiansen  
National Defense - Darle Taylor  
President General's Project - Deborah Hoyt  
Public Relations/Media - Tanya Bird  
VIS - Melissa Moon  
Volunteer Genealogists - Diane Tarbox  
Women's Issues - Belinda Barking  
Service to America - Katie Madsen  
Special Projects Grants - Judy Barking  
Patriot Records Project - Patricia Fullerton  
Educational Resources - Darle Taylor  
New Members & New Horizon - Pat Bausman

## State Committees:

**Finance Committee:** Brenda Reeder, Deborah Hoyt, Sandra Ball, Lorena Norris

**Long Range Planning Committee:** Diane Tarbox, Jane Nelson-Comp, Ellen Powley, Cindy Toone, Connie Lockhart, Shirley Nelson

**Bylaws:** Vickie G. Fuller

**Protocol:** Ellen Powley

**Newsletter:** Vickie G. Fuller

**Membership Directory:** KariAnn Christiansen

## **AWARDS RECEIVED AT 125th CONTINENTAL CONGRESS**

**The State of Utah garnered many Chapter, State, Southwest Division and National Awards during the 125th Continental Congress.**

**Chapter Achievement Awards were received by the following chapters at each of these levels.  
(Based on Membership)**

Bear River--Level 2 286 Pts.

Bald Eagle--Level 2 312 Pts.

Sego Lily--Level 1 492 Pts.

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Princess Timpanogos--Level 1 582 Pts.

Color Country--Level 1 617 Pts.

Uintah--Level 1 716 Pts.

Salt Lake Valley--Level 1 807 Pts.

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### **Southwest Division Awards**

**State of Utah received from the Constitution Week Committee**

Honorable Mention for Outstanding State Participation; Honorable Mention for State with Most Obtainable Proclamations by Division, State with the Most number of Constitution Week Displays by Division, and Proclamation from State Governor.

**Awards to Individuals and by National and Division:**

American History Award presented to **Lucille Peterson** outstanding service 2014-2016, American History Committee to **Lucille Q. Peterson** of UT.

**Southwest Division for Outstanding Service 2013-2016**, as Division Vice Chairman.

Constitution Week Committee to **Wasatch Range**, UT. SW Division 2nd Place Chapter with the most Constitution Week Events, 3rd Place Chapter with the most number of Constitution Week Displays, 1st Place Chapter for the most obtained proclamations, and 2nd Place Chapter for Outstanding chapter Participation in Constitution Week Events in SW Division.

DAR Good Citizen Committee presented to **Bald Eagle** chapter an award for sponsoring 20 or more school for Good Citizen Award.

Literacy Promotion Committee for SW Division recognized **Ellen Powley** for service Outstanding Service as Division Vice Chairman.

Junior American Citizen; DAR Project Patriot recognized **Carolyn Bushman** for her outstanding collaboration as UT State Chairman.

Junior Membership Committee presented to **Lisa Marie Hoyt** a certificate for Outstanding Service to Jr. Membership Committee. **Meredith Ann Frey** received a certificate for Outstanding Service to Jr. Membership Committee. **Junior Membership in UT** received a 2nd Place SW Division Certificate for Contributions made to the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund. **Junior Membership Committee** also received a **2nd Place for a State with fewer than 20 chapters** who made a significant contribution to the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund.

DAR Membership Committee SW Division recognized **Vickie G. Fuller**, SLV Chapter for Outstanding Service to the National Membership Committee. **SW Division** presented to Utah a **3rd Place Award** for the fewest dropped or resigned members., **2nd Place Certificate** for net increase in membership, **1st Place Award** for the highest percentage of new members, a **2nd Place Certificate** for the Overall percentage of New Members and a **National Award to the State having less than 20 chapters** for placing 2nd in highest percentage of New Members.

Historic Preservation Committee, SW Division recognized **Cindy M. Toone**, as the State Chairman of Historic Preservation.

DAR School Committee presented to **Meredith Frey** a certification of Meritorious Service as State Chairman. **Utah State Society** received a 1st Place Award from the SW Division for Labels for Education.

Lineage Research Committee recognized **Pat Bausman**, Golden Spike Chapter, for her 294 hours of research in 2015.

House Committee presented to **Brenda K. Reeder** a certificate for supervising tiers S-V

Americanism Committee presented a certificate to **Carol Howard** for Outstanding Service as State Chairman.

**Kathryn Jensen**, Wasatch Range, was recognized for her outstanding Service as Chapter Regent.

Commemorative Events Committee presented to **Salt Lake Valley Chapter**, Utah, **National Division 1st Place** for Outstanding Commemorative Program for 125th Anniversary **Ellis Island**. The program was presented by Hazel and Lauren Peterson.

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Librarian General's Award, Given to Utah a **1st Place for DAR Library's Book and serial donations in 2015; category III (chapters with 400-699 members). 95 books were donated.**

DAR Museum Outreach Committee and Correspondent Docent to **Vickie G. Fuller**, UT. for outstanding State Chairmanship, Vice Chairman Activity and State Chairman Service to Community.

DAR Project Patriot Committee SW Division recognized **Lois Bawden** for Outstanding Service as State Chairman.

Volunteer Genealogist Committee SW Division presented to **Diane R. Tarbox**, Utah State Chairman in appreciation for Outstanding Service.

Volunteer Information Specialist Committee presented to **Brenda Reeder**, Uintah Chapter, UT. SW Division for Outstanding Service--VIS Vice Chairman for SW Division.

DAR Magazine Committee presented to **Judy Barking**, a certificate for Newsletter Advertising

State Winner with 100% chapter participation for advertising in 2015.

Celebrate America Committee, SW Division recognized **Kathryn Madsen**, Wasatch Range Chapter, for Outstanding Service as State Chairman.

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## **FROM THE CHAPTERS**

### **Princess Timpanogos – Carol Howard, Regent**

Princess Timpanogos daughters have been busy this spring learning about our country's history and the flag code. In March we heard from Devon D. Simper, Commanding Officer of the Junior Navy ROTC. We learned that the American Flag never tips forward and that the only time it can be hung at a 45 degree angle is on your home. This came from the Navy as ships attach the flag on this angle for travel through the water. It was also interesting to the history of the new State of Utah flag adopted in 2011. It seems that the only major flag maker in the US to make this new flag is Colonial Flag in Sandy. Thus, the Jr. Navy ROTC has been writing letters to other flag companies urging them to make the change.



We were thrilled to be mentioned in the DAR magazine as a chapter who increased their membership over 10% this year. We also were awarded the bronze level for our participation in subscriptions to the DAR magazine.

Princess Timpanogos daughters continue to serve in the community with thousands of volunteer hours for Celebrate America.

In May we installed new officers for the term 2016-2018. They include: Chapter Regent Carol Howard, Vice Regent Frances Gooley, Chaplain Betsy Chatlin, Recording Secretary Shirley Nelson, Treasurer Ruth Berrett, Librarian Pam Genovesi, and Historian Kathy Kerby.



We are looking forward to serving with our new leadership in both our chapter and the State Society.

### **Color Country – Karen Shuman- Regent**



The Color Country Chapter has been actively involved in fund raisers for the Vietnam Veteran's Memorial Monument which will be located at Harley-Davidson in Hurricane. Several of our members met at Chili's in

March where 15% of the total proceeds that day went for the monument.

The Sun River Community in St. George has been recognizing our veterans at a Memorial Day event for several years. Our DAR chapter took part in this event by providing a bake sale. Thru sales and donations we were able to collect over \$1,000 to go toward the Vietnam Monument in Hurricane.

Our Color Country Chapter was well represented at State Conference with seven members in attendance. We brought our basket for the auction and 194 protein bars for the National Veterans Wheelchair Games on June 27 thru July 2. KariAnn Christiansen was elected as the State Corresponding Secretary. Our chapter received several certificates for new member applications, conservation, Historic Preservation, Genealogical Preservation and book syncing.

The Conservation Committee celebrated Arbor Day with a tree donation to the Tonaquint Nature Center. We will eventually place a commemorative plaque by the tree.

A Pinewood Derby was held at Southern Utah Veterans home in Ivins. Our chapter made a donation to help with the purchase of some of the cars. The veterans really enjoyed watching their cars race down the track.

The May luncheon was well attended with twenty-three members in attendance. Offices were installed, a new member was welcomed as well as a memorial service for one of our deceased members. The new officers that were installed were; Karen Shuman, Regent; Valerie King, Vice Regent; Betty Versteeg, Chaplain; Linda Baldazzi, Recording Secretary; Becky Newman, Corresponding Secretary; Betty Hersfeld, Treasurer; Lee Ann Riddoch, Registrar; Beverly Harper, Historian; Lu Fisher, Librarian.

Color Country Chapter hopes that all of our sisters have a safe and enjoyable summer.



**Golden Spike – Patricia A. Bausman, Regent**



What a membership year Golden Spike is having! We have increased by over 20% so far this year, with more new members in the pipeline. We are thrilled that these additional members will allow the Golden Spike increase its service activities: we take Eugenia Washington's directive, "we want an organization founded on service," very seriously.

Our March meeting focused on women's issues with member Laura Colvin telling us about her path becoming one of Utah's first female Physician Assistants. Commemorative events and conservation were featured in April as we celebrated the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the National Park Service with a presentation on how the National Parks have influenced one member's life. Historic preservation was on the agenda in May, when our meeting was a field trip to "our" monument: Golden Spike National Historic Site,

west of Corinne, where several members and PMs enjoyed a special tour of the roundhouse. Our annual Flag Day observance this month was casual family picnic at a local park, where we learned some things we didn't know about the flag, enjoyed a little patriotic music, and mingled with fellow members, prospective members, and families on a beautiful evening.

Among other recent activities: in April several members and HODARS lent support to Ogden's Corporal Fred J. Grant Post VFW Post #1481's Vietnam veterans' rally, at which many vets received their Vietnam Veteran lapel pins; several speakers also gave us valuable information on the help available to veterans in our area. Also in April, at Weber State University's Army ROTC awards luncheon, we presented the Gold ROTC Medal to third year female ROTC cadet Chelsey Kellum; her Army career will be in chemicals management. In May, several members participated in three naturalization ceremonies in Salt Lake City.

Our tentative meeting calendar has been set and we see an exciting year ahead for Golden Spike.

### **Salt Lake Valley – Hazel Peterson, Regent**

Some might have experienced the 'lazy days of summer' but for a group of Salt Lake Valley Chapter members it's been the 'crazy days of summer'. One thing became very apparent as the Executive Board began to organize and learn our positions for the upcoming year; locating policy and procedures to follow were difficult to locate and often in conflict between state, national and our chapter.

Thanks to Faye Keune, who was willing to spend countless hours going through 7 different documents and multiple edits, to bring our bylaws up to national standards. The Salt Lake Valley chapter can start the year off on a firm foundation with a clear knowledge of who we are, what we do, and how we do it. The membership will have the opportunity to approve the new bylaws in our September chapter meeting.

It is my strong recommendation that every member, especially those in leadership positions, start the new administration off by reading, and if needed, updating their chapter bylaws. Having a clear knowledge of bylaws on all three levels can provide each of us with answers to our questions and help us become more effective in our responsibilities no matter what our position is.

### **Wasatch Range – Katie Madsen, Regent**



We have added 11 new members since January. Five of them are Juniors! We have 10 pending members. Our former registrar, LeAnn Eliason, gets much of the credit.

In January we had the Honorable Judge Davis from the 4<sup>th</sup> District Court speak to us. We collected 400 books to give to the United Way of Utah County.

In February we honored our American History Essay Winners from Challenger School in Lehi. Two of them were state winners also. Hollie Gilliland also gave a presentation about the Stamp Act. We collected many school supplies for the Utah Attorney General's project to help the under-privileged in our state.

In March we partnered with Randy Edwards CSM R, Utah County Veterans Services Coordinator, for a program and reception for Vietnam Veteran's Day at the Utah County Courthouse in Provo. About 200 people attended.





In May we had a lovely luncheon "Pretty in Pink" and installed our new Executive Board: Katie Madsen, Regent; Diana Nielsen, Vice Regent; Helen Prescott, Chaplain; Colette Kingsley, Recording Secretary; Lorrie Crandall, Corresponding Secretary; Lori Liljenquist, Treasurer; Barbara Graves, Registrar; Desiree Harris, Historian; Marilyn Thomsen, Librarian and Kathryn Jensen, Director.

We were saddened by the passing of Kathryn Christensen Quinn, a long time member of DAR and mother of Kathryn Jensen.

In June we delivered 40 boxes (reamed paper size) of snack bags for the Olympic Wheelchair Games. Thanks to everyone who contributed or volunteered to that project!

In July two members of our chapter, Sharon Monson and Barbara Graves organized a "DAR Room" at the BYU Family History and Genealogy Conference with computers and volunteers to help participants of the conference see if they had a patriot ancestor. This generated much interest in DAR and volunteers gave instructions about the process of joining DAR.

We look forward to another year of involvement in God, Home, and Country.

### **FROM THE TREASURER GENERAL'S OFFICE**

### **New Member Application Notice:**

DAR membership applications postmarked on or before July 31, 2016 can be submitted with dues at the old rate. Applications postmarked August 1, 2016 or later will be subject to the new membership dues rates as indicated on the Members' website at:

[www.dar.org/FeesAndPolicies](http://www.dar.org/FeesAndPolicies)

In a foresighted move meant to stabilize the finances of NSDAR going forward, the collected body of delegates to this year's 125th Continental Congress voted to amend the Bylaws to increase the dues. The proposed bylaw amendment related to dues was circulated to all chapters and state organizations in March 2016 for their delegates to review prior to voting on the amendment at the 125th Continental Congress.

Effective July 5, 2016, NSDAR annual national dues for a member of a chapter is \$40 and NSDAR annual national dues for a member-at-large are \$55. The approved increase amounts to 25 cents per month per member.

This information will also be available to all chapter treasurers in e-Membership via the Dues Invoicer from the Office of the Organizing Secretary General

### **FROM THE STATE COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN**

**National Defense Committee Chairman--Darle Taylor by Vickie Fuller**

**Our National Chair, Julia Rogers would like us to recognize DAR members serving in our active duty and reserve armed forces; salute citizens volunteering in emergency situations, promote unique ways to study the Constitution in our schools, honor military sites and installations of historic importance to the defense of our nation, and recognize honorees who received the DAR Distinguished Citizen Medal in your community and support veterans.**

**Daughters may commemorate July 4th by remembering America's 83,000 missing in action from WWII through Operation Iraqi Freedom.**

**Also of SPECIAL IMPORTANCE: August 7, was the date the Purple Heart Medal was established in 1782, and the Vietnam War began in 1964.**

#### **WOMEN'S ISSUES:**

**The National Information Packet is under the committee's pages on the DAR Members' Website. Chapter Chairs should give a woman's two-minute spot announcement and at least one program and activity relevant to the issues. Extensive information on health and family information can be found at [www.cde.gov/women](http://www.cde.gov/women) Vickie G. Fuller**

#### **President General's Project:**

**Information for planning and participating in Ann Dillon's project of "Moving Forward in Service to America" can be found in the Daughters Newsletter on page 322. Please read it so that your chapter and members can participate fully. Vickie G. Fuller**

#### **Lucille Peterson, American History Committee Chairman**

We have new themes for the American History and Christopher Columbus essay contests. Be sure to get these to your students so they can get started on their writing! Remind them to follow the rules site all at the DAR members' website) and that they can have someone edit their writing. I hope to see some great essays this year!

American History topic for 2016–2017: The National Park Service was established by Congress in 1916. The National Park Service manages approximately 84.4 million acres of national parks. Pretend you are writing a journal while visiting one of the 58 national parks. Identify its location. Discuss why and when it was

established as a national park. What makes this park one of our national treasures?

Christopher Columbus topic for 2016–2017:

Technological advances have greatly changed our world since the voyages of Christopher Columbus. If Christopher Columbus had just some of the technology we have today in 2016, how might this have changed his planning and carrying out of his voyages: What technological advances would have been most beneficial to Christopher Columbus?

#### **Judy Mayfield, Children of the American Revolution Committee Chairman**

The CAR is ready for another fun filled year. Over a dozen CAR members and their leaders marched in the Granite 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade in Sandy, Utah. The members enjoyed throwing candy to the onlookers and waving their flags. We especially loved carrying our new CAR flag along with the United States and Utah flags.



Our next meeting will be the Opening Social and picnic on Saturday, August 27<sup>th</sup>. Dominguez y Escalante is hosting Wasatch Range for this event. It will be at 11:00 a.m. at the home of Judy Mayfield, 2890 S Melbourne Street, SLC, UT. There will be State CAR Board meeting following the chapter meeting.

The Utah State CAR Conference will be held March 4, 2017, from 10-1PM at the North Building of the County Complex located on the corner of 2100

South and State Street. Hope to see everyone there.

**Patricia Bausman, Utah State Registrar; Diane Tarbox, State Volunteer Genealogists Chairman; and Sandra Ball State Lineage Research Chairman. These ladies are available to help chapters. Call them for help, guidance and advice.**

### **State Registrar--Patricia A. Bausman**

#### Applications: What's New?

**Electronic Applications:** The biggest news on the application front this summer is DAR's new Electronic Application (EA). There has been much buzz about this for so long, and now it's finally here, albeit in a limited form for now. Basically, the system is designed to greatly automate the process of filing new member applications and Supplementals. When the system rolled out last month, it was limited to new member applications only, and it does not integrate with the Build-an-App (BAA) system yet. How does it work? Simply put, after the Registrar sends an invitation to the prospective member (PM), it is the PM who prepares the application and uploads her documents. Chapter officers then get a chance to review (but *not* edit) the application. After communication between the PM and the officers, and her edits, the PM pays her fee and national dues via credit card and submits the application and documents online. Before the application arrives at the genealogy department, there is a mid-level review by an "EAR" (Electronic Application Reviewer), an anonymous DAR member who has qualified for this task via classes and a test.

Utah Daughters who attended the Registrar General's Forum at Continental Congress came away with the opinion that the vast majority of Utah's applications will continue to be submitted on paper using the existing system for the foreseeable future. DAR staffers have said that, if you are going to use EA now, you should do it only with a *very* easy application: one with most generations already proved and one that will require

few documents. In addition, you will need a PM who is very computer literate, is able to scan her own documents into .jpg images, and is willing to type the entire application, since BAA is not now available; this requirement alone should give us pause, since we all know what happens when information is retyped.

If you do choose to give the system a try, please only do it with a PM who is "ready to go," as DAR does not want to store applications in process for long periods. Other things to consider are that you will have to collect state and chapter dues from the PM separately, as there is no option for her to add them to her credit card payment; only the PM herself can pay her fees because the name on the credit card must match the application.

This is a big subject, much too big to cover in this newsletter, so please thoroughly study the information on the members' website, which includes a tutorial and step-by-step instructions:

[www.dar.org/members/applications-supplementals/electronic-application](http://www.dar.org/members/applications-supplementals/electronic-application).

**Member-for-Member (M4M):** DAR has returned the M4M program to its original purpose: encouraging members to introduce eligible women to DAR; as of 1 March 2016 credit will no longer be given for researching a prospective member's lineage, and only one member can receive credit, rather than two. After application approval, the chapter Registrar, following consultation with the new member, assigns credit via eMembership/Updates/Member for Member update. It is no longer necessary to type members' names on the M4M lines on page 1, and DAR will not apply credit based on anything typed there.

Former Registrar General Sharon Withers posted this FAQ on the subject: "The Member for Member (M4M) program is an initiative of the Membership Committee; each and every member of DAR should invite eligible women to join DAR. When a new member comes into the chapter in the traditional way, the member who invited/recruited her should receive the credit. For walk-in members and members referred through the PMD, the chapter Registrar and the new member

should agree on the appropriate person for whom M4M credit should be applied . . . In no instance should pressure/persuasion be applied to the new member in regards to who is to receive the M4M credit.”

You will not lose the credits you have earned, and M4M credits still qualify you for a pin and dangles. You may still submit your research hours to the Lineage Research Committee to qualify for its pin.

**Image Access:** Earlier this year, chapter Registrars were granted Image Access (IA) privileges—good news, indeed! If you are a new Registrar, be sure you are taking advantage of this wonderful source of information for preparing applications; e-mail [organizing@dar.org](mailto:organizing@dar.org) to obtain your log-in information.

With the good comes the bad: as part of this change, some members who have had IA privileges due to their accumulation of 50 M4M credits, will lose it. We have no explanation for this change, except to let you know that it has been discussed with the decision-makers at National. As of 1 March 2016, IA will no longer be provided as a result of M4M credits (what so many of us were working for—trying to get to 50 credits so that we would have IA regardless of any office or chairmanship we held). A little good news: to provide a fair transition, members with 40 or more M4M credits (not 50) will have IA until 1 March 2017; those with between 40 and 50 credits, should contact the office of the Organizing Secretary General, [organizing@dar.org](mailto:organizing@dar.org), to initiate this.

**Dues Increase:** National dues were increased by \$3 at Continental Congress. Here is the link to the official announcement re: timing of collection [www.dar.org/members/announcements/dues-announcement-0](http://www.dar.org/members/announcements/dues-announcement-0).

I hope to see you all at the Workshop on August 13!

### **Patriot Records Project --Patricia Fullerton, Chair.**

Have you checked us out on the DAR Members' Website? Look under “Administrative Committees” and find “Patriot Records Project”. To view a

webinar about the project, click on “DAR Leadership Training”, then on “Webinar Archives”, and scroll down to “Genealogy”. Watch the video for The New Patriot Records Project. The committee’s goal is to index rare Revolutionary War-era records and put them in a searchable database. The following records have been indexed so far: Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey and New York Continental Loans; South Carolina Archive Accounted Audited and North Carolina Revolutionary War Pay Vouchers. We have a special need for volunteers who can read Spanish to index the Mexican Archive Records. Volunteer Now!! It’s a good excuse to stay indoors out of the summer heat. [phfullerton@comcast.net](mailto:phfullerton@comcast.net)

### **35 Annual National Veterans Wheelchair Games held in Utah: June 27-July 2nd, 2016-July 2, 2016**



These are a couple of pictures Judy Mayfield and I took one of the days we volunteered at the Wheelchair Games. These veterans competed in such sports as bowling, salmon, air rifles, bocchia ball, field javelin, shot putt, archery, & soccer. All branches of the military were represented. Some such as Sgt. Judi Ruiz from the Marine Corp. came with a care giver. Most of these veterans were very pleasant and upbeat and looked forward to the physical competition and visiting with old friends and acquaintances. Many of these veterans have known one another for several years during their active military time.



We would like to thank **Kathryn Jensen** who spearheaded this event for the DAR. The following daughters volunteered: **Vickie Fuller, Susan Holt, Cindy Toone, Cindy Larson, Teresa Call, Hollie Gilliland, Lois Bowden, Danielle Musick, Marilyn Thomsen, Lori Liljenquist, Pat Moseman, Judy Mayfield, Bevalyn Iverson, Elaine Janeway, Helen Prescott, Lorilee Beazer, Amanda Fronk, Rebecca Aaron, Colette Kingley, Brenda O'Guin, Rena Mills, Valerie Hunt, PJ Maughan and daughter, Connie Ratcliff and Dawn Ratcliff.**

We would also like to thank the following businesses for their generous support of the DAR and Colonial Dames efforts on behalf of the paralyzed veterans who competed in the National Veterans Wheelchair Games:

**Smith's Food & Drug Stores, Walmart Neighborhood Market, Provo, Walmart Neighborhood Market, American Fork, Walmart Neighborhood Market, Pleasant Grove, Walmart Supercenter, Lindon, Sam's Club, Provo, Target, American Fork, Costco in Murray, and Costco in West Valley City.**

Let's show our appreciation by giving them our business! Vickie Fuller and Diane Neilsen.

## **CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME NEW MEMBERS SINCE May 1st**

**Shauna Nelson Junior  
Katherine Buxton  
Carolyn Gedris  
Connie Ratliff  
Marie Schwarz  
Dawn Ratliff  
Cheryl Whitehead  
Terry Jenson  
Michelle Lippold  
Danielle Music Junior  
Verna Allred  
Kathleen Boynton  
Janeal Kallas  
Mikelyn Stacey  
Cherry Anderson  
Heather Bristow  
Catherine Burton  
Holly Harvey**

### **Note from the Editor**

Deadline for the Utah Daughters Newsletter SPRING edition is February 15. Forward your chapter member email addresses, send articles, photographs, and mailing labels to the First Vice Regent by that date.

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