



# Bay State News

MASSACHUSETTS  
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
State Regent, Julia R. Eacott

National Theme: "Preserve the Past, Enhance the Present, Invest in the Future"

State Theme: "United We Stand"

State Scripture: "How good it is, how pleasant, where people dwell as one!"  
Psalm 133

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## State Regent's Message

Dear Massachusetts Daughters,

It was an honor to represent you at the 121st Continental Congress in Washington last month. There were twenty-seven Massachusetts members who attended Congress this year. There was a good turn out at the Massachusetts Hancock-Adams Open House. So many members across the country trace their ancestry to Massachusetts that there is much interest in the room and visitors love to hear the story about it. We had twenty-one Massachusetts Daughters attend the Junior Lunch. We filled two tables! We even had little Maeve McKeeman attend as our youngest prospective member.

As you will see in this issue, the Chapters have been doing some incredible work, with our NSDAR objectives and also with membership. We have fifty-seven new members and of those fifteen are Junior Members! There has been a huge influx in prospective member inquiries since the TV show, "Who Do You Think You Are?" aired in April. The show featured actor Rob Lowe and parts of it were filmed at DAR Constitution Hall.

The State Regent's Project is in its final design stages and scheduled for delivery August 18. Of special note is that the writers have changed the title of the book. It was originally to be called *A Sailor's Life*. The content of the book is the same, chronicling the lives of crewmembers serving on USS Constitution during the War of 1812. The new (and more appropriate) title is *Men of Iron: USS Constitution's War of 1812 Crew*. Writer and Research Historian, Matthew Brenckle, will be our featured speaker at the Constitution Lunch of Friday, September 21. He will speak on the book and copies will be available for sale. Also each Chapter Regent who is present will receive three free copies of the book to distribute as the Chapter sees fit to students, schools or libraries in their area. Please plan to stay for the Chapter Officers' workshop also held on Friday, after the Constitution Lunch.



In this third, and final, year of the Administration, we will be focusing on Education. Donna Raymond, National School Chairman is our guest and keynote speaker at the banquet on September 21. Donna will speak about all six of the DAR Schools. Representatives from Hillside School will attend, and then some of the students from Hillside School will entertain us.

Our November Board of Management Meeting (open to all) will have "The Graveyard Girls" speak to us. Their program "Welcome to the Graveyard" will take us from colonial burial grounds up through the present, examining why we have cemeteries and gravestones and why they look like they do.

Lastly, and most important is the Lay Light Project. The members of MDAR have embraced this project and over \$24,000 has been donated so far. As a result, Massachusetts DAR members will be represented as the donor of 1/2 of a Lay Light. Since the State Regent's Project is now complete, all future donations should go to the Lay Light Project. Thank you Massachusetts Daughters for your generosity. You have left a legacy for the future of our Society. For more information about this important project please visit [www.dar.org/laylight](http://www.dar.org/laylight).

In circles of friendship, service and commitment,

*Julie*

Julia R. Eacott,  
MDAR State Regent

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**Birthday Wishes  
90 Plus Crowd**

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**Aaron Guild**

Louise Lincoln

**Brigadier General James**

**Brickett-Old Newbury**

Ruth B. Witten

**CapeAnn**

Edna Forbes

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Retah Lillian Jordan Moynihan

**Mary Mattoon**

Margaret G. Reid

**New Bedford**

Louise Kelsey

*From the Editors*

Thank you for your wonderful pictures and articles. This is your publication, keep them coming.

*The deadline for the next issue will be January 1, 2013*

**Chapter Achievement Awards**

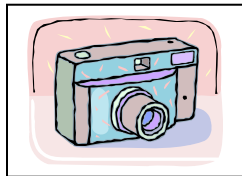
<b>Chapter Name</b>	<b>Achievement</b>
Aaron Guild	Level 1
Abiah Folger Franklin	Level 2
Amos Mills-Lucy Jackson	Level 1
Attleboro	Level 2
Betty Allen	Level 1
Boston Tea Party	Level 1
Brig.Gen.J.Brickett-Old Newbury	Level 1
Cape Ann	Level 1
Capt Joshua Gray-Jonathan Hatch	Level 1
Captain Job Knapp	Level 1
Captain John Joslin Jr	Level 2
Chief Justice Cushing	Level 2
Colonel John Robinson	Level 1
Colonel Thomas Lothrop-Old Colony	Level 2
Colonel Timothy Bigelow	Level 1
Colonel Timothy Pickering	Level 1
Colonel William McIntosh	Level 1
Contentment	Level 2
Deborah Sampson	Level 1
Deborah Wheelock	Level 2
Duxbury	Level 1
Faneuil Hall-Old State House	Level 2
First Resistance	Level 1
Framingham	Level 1
General Ebenezer Learned	Level 2
General Israel Putnam	Level 1
Hannah Goddard	Level 2
Joseph Coolidge	Level 1
Lexington	Level 1
Lydia Cobb-Quequechan	Level 1
Mansfield	Level 2
Margery Morton	Level 3
Martha's Vineyard-Sea Coast Defence	Level 3
Mary Mattoon	Level 2
Mercy Warren	Level 2
New Bedford	Level 2
Old Concord	Level 1
Paul Revere	Level 1
Prudence Wright	Level 2
Wayside Inn	Level 1



*State Happenings*

**Share your Chapter photos**

[www.flickr.com/photos/massdar](http://www.flickr.com/photos/massdar)



Photos may be downloaded from site.  
To share your chapter photos, send to Patrice Hatcher  
pvhatcher@att.net

**CALENDER OF EVENTS**

**Cathedral of the Pines**

August 10-11, 2012  
Rindge, NH

**Fall State Meeting**

September 21-22, 2012  
Best Western Royal Plaza Trade Center  
Marlborough, MA

**Constitution Week**

September 17-23, 2012

**Celebrate John Adams**

October 13, 2012  
Tour of 3 John Adams' Houses and his Church  
United First Parish Church, Quincy, MA

**Hillside DAR/Farm Day**

November 3, 2012  
Hillside School, Marlborough, MA

**State Board of Management Meeting**

November 10, 2012  
Stone Forge Tavern  
Raynham, MA

**George Washington's Birthday and History Awards**

February 17, 2013  
Sheraton Commander Hotel  
Cambridge, MA

**March State Conference**

March 22-23, 2013  
Best Western Royal Plaza Trade Center  
Marlborough, MA

**State Board of Management Meeting - Spring Fling**

May 11, 2013  
Stone Forge Tavern, Raynham, MA

**Hillside/DAR Scholarship Day**

May 2013. Exact date TBA, check website

**Boston Independence Day Celebration**

June 12, 2013  
Old Granary Burial Ground

**DAR Forest Day**

June 15, 2013  
Details in Winter BSN

**Continental Congress**

June 23 through June 30, 2013  
Washington, DC

**MEMBERS ONLY WEBSITE**

[www.massdardaughters.org](http://www.massdardaughters.org)

Password will be given to members only by your Chapter Regent.

**RITUAL and MISSAL BOOK**

The beautiful, newly revised "NSDAR Ritual and Missal" is now available at the [DAR Store](#) for a nominal five dollars. It is a valuable resource for all and is made possible by the contributions from many who have served as chaplains at the national, state and chapter levels. Contemporary and traditional DAR rituals including meeting openings, welcomes to new members, installation of officers, memorial services and many dedications are included. The missal section includes prayers for every occasion and many religious observances as well as those for special occasions and situations. Our thanks go to the Chaplain General, Laura Reid for this beautiful *Ritual and Missal*.

**NATIONAL INFORMATION PACKET**

The NIP (National Information Packet) for chapter regents and state and chapter committee chairmen is now on-line at the DAR Members website [members.dar.org](http://members.dar.org). Select Forms and Publications from the list on the left, and then click on National Information Packet (NIP) from the drop-down box. Updates will be mailed to chapter regents this summer. Outgoing regents should forward the packet to new regents upon receipt. The website will always have the most current information

**CHAPTER YEARBOOKS**

All chapters are requested to provide one copy of their Chapter Yearbook to each state officer. If this is not possible financially please provide a copy to at least the State Regent, State Vice Regent and State Registrar.

**NATIONAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**National Boards Meetings Washington DC**

October 6, 2012	December 8, 2012
February 2, 2013	April 13, 2013
June 24, 2013	

### MDAR Book Club

We will meet Friday, September 21 at 4:00PM or as soon after the workshop as we can gather. We will be discussing Shays's *Rebellion, The Last Battle of the Revolution by Leonard Richards*. Please come even if you haven't read the book. Please bring or email suggestions for future group selections.

Jane Graham Book Club Chairman

Jgraham32@verizon.net

Do you know what the Genealogical Records Committee does?

There are two projects within this committee: Collecting, transcribing and indexing unpublished records, and providing an online index for the GRC Reports.

For the first project, members collect records, such as Bible records, diaries, church records, or abstracted details from wills, probate, estates, and newspaper accounts. After being digitalized, they are available on computers in the Seimes Technology Center. They also become available via e-membership through GRS (Genealogical Research System).

The second project consists of volunteers creating an online index of GRS Reports of all the older GRC Reports. These indices become a part of the GRS. If you would like to learn about the work of this committee, please go to the address below and click Volunteer Now. Or you may call, or email me for information. A basic computer skill, some free time and a wish to make a difference is all that is required.

Mary Jones MA GRC Chairman

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**National Website at <http://members.dar.org/committees/GRC/index.htm>**

### Important Workshop

Chapter Officers and all interested Chapter members. Be sure to attend the workshop on Friday, September 21<sup>st</sup> from 1:30-3:00 pm during the Fall State Meeting. Information for Treasurers, the Master Questionnaire, Chapter Achievement, DAR Good Citizens Program, VIS/Websites and Membership will be presented. The information is of value to all and the knowledge gained will be of benefit to the Chapters. **Registration is Required.** See the hotel/meal form in this BSN issue to register.

Call or email Margaret Joseph – 413-229-8497 or mvjoseph0744@yahoo.com

### Service to Veterans

There is a request for an Adopt-A-Veteran volunteer for a blind Veteran looking for someone who can read to him. To view the Wish List for Edith Nourse Rogers VA Hospital visit [www.bedford.va.gov/giving](http://www.bedford.va.gov/giving)

### MDAR Archival Library

If you are interested in having the Library opened for you to utilize the collection, please contact me at [linejj@comcast.net](mailto:linejj@comcast.net) or at 781-233-8278 to arrange a convenient time to browse our stacks and enjoy our wonderful legacy. We also expect to have the Library open one Saturday a month from 10:00AM-2:00PM for your use. Watch the MDAR web-site for details. Hoping to see you soon!

Charlotte (Carlee) Line, State Librarian

### Lineage Research Committee

The Lineage Research Committee aids chapters in helping prospective members in preparing applications by finding documentation needed to prove the generation links. I am looking for volunteers to be a part of the Lineage Research Committee in helping chapters with their prospective member applications.

Chapters may also utilize the Lineage Research Lookup Volunteers (LRLV) board where volunteers nationwide search for needed documentation. To locate the LRLV, on the National members only website, click on Genealogy Research (left side) tab, click on LRLV board. If members would like to volunteer for the LRLV, please contact me.

If any Chapter would like to host a Lineage workshop please contact me. Lineage workshops are open to the public, where Lineage Research committee members and chapter members aid prospective DAR Members on completing their applications. The meetings are a half a day and are a great way to attract new members.

Julie E. Theroux – State Chairman, email [framDAR@verizon.net](mailto:framDAR@verizon.net)



### Chapter News

#### Deborah Sampson Chapter



Memorial Day Parade 2012 - Stoughton, MA.  
Paula Pierce, Regent and Virginia McGrath.

In memory of Lola A. Piers, Recording Secretary of the Deborah Sampson Chapter. Mother of Lorna Vasapollo and Lola A. Piers of the Deborah Sampson Chapter and Sandra Stuart of the Duxbury Chapter. Lola loved DAR, and was famous for her homemade pies, that she would bring to meetings.

#### General Israel Putnam Chapter

The Chapter honored local students for their patriotism and good works at a recent ceremony at the Judge Samuel Holten House in Danvers. Parents, family members, and friends joined Chapter members for awards given in three categories: American History Essay Contest winners included Konrad Ellis, Gaetano Micalizzi, Sarah Arnold, and Mathew Loehle. After students read their winning essays, Susan Lawrence, DAR chairman of the Essay committee, presented awards.

DAR Good Citizens awards went to Emily Wheeler of Masconomet Regional High School; Heather Hume of Essex Agricultural and Tech.HS; Jacob Levine of Beverly HS, and Kelsey Levesque of North Shore Tech. HS. Linda Vaughan, chairman of DAR Good Citizens Awards, presented these awards. Additional accolades went to Jacob Levine, who was asked to speak at the MDAR State Conference in Marlborough. Mary Brown, DAR chairman of JROTC awards, presented honors to Cadet Crystal Stepenuck of Salem High School. Cadet Stepenuck was joined at the ceremony by Gunner Thomas Smith, who spoke to the audience about his emphasis on leadership and self-confidence as the new instructor of JROTC at Salem High. Others honored were Cadet Demi Lamonica of Peabody Veterans Memorial High School and Cadet Captain Kyle O'Connor of Beverly High School.



From left to right: David, Mathew, grade 8 Essay Winner, and Diane Loehle.



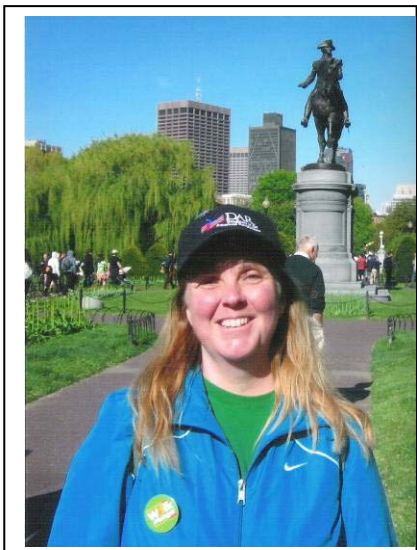
### Captain Job Knapp Chapter



Captain Job Knapp Chapter in Douglas held the DAR **Good Citizen Award** on April 21st at the 1st Congregational Church. Jeffery Andrews was the recipient from Northbridge High School. It was the first time the award went to the grandson of a member of our chapter. Jeffery is the grandson of Mary Andrews, nephew of Donna Laprade and Carolyn Lavallee. He is a descendent of four Revolutionary War Solders. He is a senior at Northbridge High, president of his class for 5 years and active in Student Council. An Honor Student and in the National Honor Society: Member of the Student Council, Northbridge School Council, and Representative to the School Committee. Two years in a row he has been the State of Mass 1st place winner of the DECA Business Club's-Financial Literacy Division. He competed in April in Salt Lake City, Utah in the DECA international contest. He was a member of the Northbridge High Golf team who participated in the State Golf championship. He will attend Babson College.

Left to Right: Gail Swenson, Good Citizen Chairperson: Jeffery Andrews, his mother and father Tina and Everett Andrews.

### Hannah Goddard Chapter



**Dianne MacPherson-Laffey** walked on behalf of the Hannah Goddard Chapter in the **Walk for Hunger**. The Chapter raised \$600 dollars, with contributions from the local Brookline VFW and American Legion Posts. This year, 43,000 people participated in the Walk to raise over \$3.6 million dollars to support their hungry neighbors.



Hannah Goddard Chapter is holding a **Fundraising Raffle** to benefit the **National Veterans Creative Arts Festival**. The Arts Festival is to be held this year in Boston, on October 8 through 14, 2012. The fundraising was kicked off at the collation following the Memorial Day service. The raffle will be drawn on June 17<sup>th</sup>, at Cypress Field, Brookline, MA. Left to right: Emily Farnsworth Regent, Dianne MacPherson-Laffey, and Frances Greenleaf Hill.



## *Chapter News*

### **John Joslin, Jr Chapter**



**Capt. John Joslin, Jr. Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution awarded the following students with DAR Good Citizen pins and certificates on March 10th.**

Photo left to right: Jennifer Markham - Lunenburg High  
 Calvin Young - Oakmont Regional High  
 Miguel Velez III - Montachusett Regional Voc.  
 Sarah Doyle - Leominster High  
 Rebecca Rousseau - Fitchburg High  
 absent from photo - Joseph Paolini - St. Bernard's CCHS

**Saturday, April 14, 2012  
 Oliver Carter Monument Rededication**

Regent, Elaine Perreault and Historian, Anne Shattuck ceremoniously unveiled the monument with the inscription "The land was given to the town of Leominster by Oliver Carter in 1754 for a Training Field or perpetual Common. The soldiers of the American Revolution marched from this place." The boulder from the Carter Farm was donated by the daughters to the town on October 17, 1906.



### **Deborah Wheelock Chapter**



**Members of the Deborah Wheelock Chapter participated in the Memorial Day Parade in Uxbridge on Monday, May 27th.**

Members and their grandchildren rode in a wagon owned by Wayne Tucker of Ironshoe Farms. The tin sign on the wagon was originally created in 1908 for the Uxbridge Homecoming Parade. Pictured from left to right are: Chapter Registrar Deborah Nydam with grandchildren Zoe Mahler, Jacob Piascik and Cecilia Mahler, State Registrar Sheryl Romasco with granddaughters Zophie and Adelaide Greenwald, State Parliamentarian, Jane Keegan and chapter member Jayne Hanscom.

## Chapter News

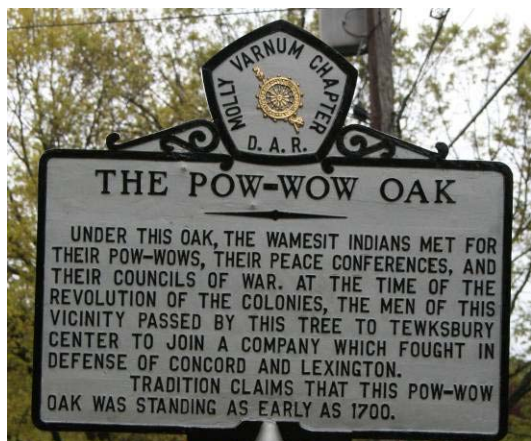
### Old Concord Chapter



Front Row, L to R: Kristina Joyce, Kimberly Whitworth, Sara MacAulay, Joyce Deliyannis, Sarah Lawrence, Linda Kistler; Second Row, L to R: Betty Vialle, Kitty Carr, Natacha MacGregor, Steve Conant, Jane Calvin, Sidney Grove, Deborah Fritz, Liz Arnow; Back Row, Left to Right: Pat Gerty and Nancy Haynes

#### Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust Received National DAR Historic Preservation Award for Spalding House

The Old Concord Chapter honored The Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust (LP&CT) on February 15, 2012, with the highly selective **National DAR Historic Preservation Award** for their work in the protection and preservation of the **Spalding House (c 1760)**. LP&CT, a private non-profit environmental group and land trust operating in Lowell, MA, was donated the Spalding House by the Molly Varnum Chapter of the DAR upon its disbandment in 1996. LP&CT has since been conducting a restoration and fundraising to continue its work, develop exhibits, expand the house's endowment, and complete landscaping. The home will eventually be open as an urban environmental history center with access by boat through national park programming and other partners. "In preserving and restoring the Spalding House located at 383 Pawtucket St, Lowell, the LP&CT has demonstrated a significant commitment to preserving our historic heritage right here in Merrimack Valley and Concord River watersheds," said Kimberly Whitworth, Regent, Old Concord DAR. She was impressed by the care and attention to detail they exhibited in their restoration of this Revolutionary Era house and their efforts to preserve the DAR presence in the house. Stephen Conant, LP&CT co-founder and past president said, "It is a great honor to be recognized for our historic preservation work by the DAR, an organization that has done so much for historic preservation in this country. In truth, our work only continues the work begun to preserve the Spalding House by the Molly Varnum Chapter of the DAR in 1896 and most recently, by its last Regent, Helen Whiting. I'm sure Helen is looking down on us with a smile knowing that we've been honored in this way."



#### Pow-Wow Oak

The now disbanded Molly Varnum Chapter originally erected this sign, located on Clark Road in Lowell, MA, in the 1930's. It commemorated the ancient oak tree and the Minute Men who passed it on their way to Lexington and Concord. The sign fell into disrepair and with the fundraising efforts of the Old Concord Chapter, City of Lowell and local organizations; it was restored to as close to its original condition as possible.

The sign, restored by the Hammersmith Studio of Concord, was re-installed in May to remind people about the Revolutionary history that took place on Clark Road in 1775.



### Chapter News

#### Colonel Timothy Pickering Chapter



#### Honored for Service

Florence Campbell, who served as a yeoman in the US Navy, was honored for her WWII military service. Fellow members of the Daughters of the American Revolution helped her celebrate her award.

Front Row Left -Right: Florence Campbell of Salem, Nancy DiLisio of Swampscott, Claire Jordan of Danvers, Nancy Benevento of Pride’s Crossing, Janice Rideout of Marblehead, Delores Zielinski of Salem, Joanne MacKay of Marblehead

Back Row: Patricia Karakashian of Lynn

#### DAR Good Citizen Award

Corinthia Blanco (right) of Lynn won this year’s DAR Good Citizen Award. Sharon Caron of Lynn coordinated Lynn English High Schools’ participation in this program offered by the Col.Timothy Pickering Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Lynn English High School ROTC coordinator Sgt. Major Oswald, USMC (Ret), (left) nominated ROTC member Ms. Blanco.

Paulene Jackman of Beverly (not shown) Chairs the Col. Timothy Pickering Chapter DAR Good Citizen Award Committee.



**Nancy Cobos, Treasurer of the Col. Timothy Pickering chapter added her cross-stitch for the chapter’s Spring Fling basket.**

Wrought by a 7<sup>th</sup> great grand-daughter of Samuel Wardwell, executed as a witch 22 September 1692 at Salem, Massachusetts and his wife Sarah Hooper Hawkes Wardwell, who was also accused of being a witch. Sarah was also arrested, imprisoned but later freed.

Inscription reads: *Oh kitchen witch, please cast your spell, protect my kitchen with magic well. Bewitch each pot and pan concerned, so each meal is delightful – not burned.*



### Chapter News

#### Wayside Inn Chapter



#### Christmas Luncheon

at Longfellow's Wayside Inn, Sudbury, Mass

Upstairs in the Ballroom 12:30 pm

*Open to all members and guests*

**Freshly Baked Rolls, Mixed Green Salad, Dessert, Coffee/Tea**

Roasted Native Turkey, Sausage & Cornbread Stuffing \$30.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Baked Boston Scrod, Lemon Butter Sauce \$30.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Spinach & Mushroom Ravioli (vegetarian) \$30.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

# Guests \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Reservation deadline November 15, 2012**

Please make check payable to **Wayside Inn Chapter, DAR** and send this form with remittance to:  
Mary Lou Godleski, Treasurer, Wayside Inn Chapter, 304 Central Avenue, Milton, MA 02186-2829

#### Betty Allen Chapter

On behalf of the Betty Allen Chapter, I wish to thank all those who have kindly made a donation towards the restoration of the Betty Allen Chapter House, following the car accident December 4th. Repairs are ongoing and our members look forward to the completion by early summer.

Karen Tatro, Vice Regent and House Manager, Betty Allen Chapter

#### Chief Justice Cushing Chapter

Chief Justice Cushing Chapter in Scituate, MA was honored recently when the Regent, Joan Powers, was named Scituate Citizen of the Year. Joan, the wife of the late Rt. Rev. Frederick Powers Jr., was guest of honor at a full house at the Barker Tavern.

She was presented flowers from her daughter, a citation from the Chairman of the Board of Selectman, Tony Vegman, and a special award from State Rep. Jim Cantwell. The Rev. Grant Barker spoke for the "knit wits" that knit Prayer Shawls for people all over the world. Joan is involved in many organizations and works tirelessly volunteering, especially with Meals on Wheels. We are indeed fortunate Joan devotes her life to serving others.



## *Chapter News*

### **Aaron Guild Chapter**

#### **Aaron Guild Chapter, DAR Honors REAL DAUGHTER**

Mrs. Ellen McGrath, the Real Daughter Chairman of Aaron Guild Chapter, received commendations from the MA State and National Society for her part in the MA Real Daughters Project. A Real Daughter is the daughter of a Revolutionary War Soldier. Her research discovered that the Chapter had a Real Daughter, namely Martha May Guild Kimball. Martha's grandfather, "Aaron Guild" is the chapter's namesake. Martha's father was Jacob Guild, son of Aaron and Anna Coney. Jacob Guild enlisted in the Rev. War when he was 17 and completed seven years of service. Aaron Guild Chapter held the Real Daughter dedication ceremony for Martha May Guild Kimball at the Old Parish Cemetery, Norwood on June 9, 2012. Martha was born 1803, taught school for many years and married Rev. Caleb Kimball. She died at her home in Medway 1898 at the great age of 95 years. Chairman McGrath read the address of Mrs. Benjamin Hackett, who presented the Real Daughter golden spoon given by the National Society in 1897 to Martha. She then unveiled a bronze plaque at the Old Parish Cemetery which reads: NSDAR; Real Daughter; Martha May Guild Kimball; National No. 20418; Daughter of Jacob Guild; Revolutionary War Soldier; Massachusetts; Marker placed by the Aaron Guild Chapter, NSDAR; 2012 Aaron Guild Chapter's guests at the ceremony were State Officers: Regent Julia Eacott, Vice Regent Gail Terry, Historian Sandra Burgoon, and Recording Secretary Ann Nocito; Honorary State Regent Marcelyn Karagosian; Linnea Bennett and Ruth Clarke from the Boston Tea Party Chapter, members from the First Cong. Church of Norwood, and Joseph Rich, who presented a letter of commendation to the Aaron Guild Chapter from Scott Brown.



Pictured are, left to right, Carol Sansone, Regent of Aaron Guild Chapter; Julia Eacott, Massachusetts State Regent; Ellen McGrath, Research Specialist and Real Daughter Project Chairman; Gail Terry, Massachusetts State Vice Regent; Sandra O'Malley, Recording Secretary of Aaron Guild Chapter; and Evelyn Jurgelewicz, Historian of Aaron Guild Chapter."

### **First Resistance Chapter**

Members of the First Resistance Chapter are pictured on their annual "field trip."

In May, they visited the Susan B. Anthony Birthplace Museum in Adams, MA with an entertaining tour and guide. The chapter presented the museum with a copy of Ms. Anthony's DAR papers, written in her own hand.







**CAMEO SOCIETY**

The MDAR Cameo Society held its 14<sup>th</sup> annual business meeting and afternoon tea on Sunday, May 6, 2012 at the Judge Samuel Holten House in Danvers, MA where members wore their best hats and white gloves. Following the business meeting, which included a remembrance service for past members, tea, tea sandwiches, fruit, and delicious desserts were served. Patricia Perry, an historical interpreter in period dress, spoke about Victorian Era tea customs. Any woman is eligible for membership in the Cameo Society who can show current active membership in the National Society DAR of any combination of grandmother, mother, daughter, granddaughter, sister, niece, aunt, or cousin. For more information on the Massachusetts Chapter, please contact Wendy Dublanica, President, at [mauiwendy@comcast.net](mailto:mauiwendy@comcast.net). We would love to have you join us for our 15<sup>th</sup> annual meeting May 2013!



**SUPER SPRING FLING DOES IT AGAIN**

The annual Spring Fling on May 12 was a terrific success. **84!** beautifully decorated baskets, overflowing with treasures and goodies, were generously donated by Daughters, chapters and other benevolent individuals in support of this state fundraiser. Almost one hundred and thirty members and guests attended this much-anticipated and most successful affair at the elegant Wellesley College Club. There were many happy winners, delicious food, superb service, a breath-taking view while dining, and even the weather cooperated!

Between sales of tickets and generous tickets, well over **\$4000** was realized from this most enjoyable afternoon activity. These proceeds will be distributed between two DAR- supported objectives...DAR Good Citizens and our Veterans. Kudos to everyone who came to the party, shared in the fun time and enthusiasm, and took home the prizes. Thanks to you, it was a success!

Plan now to participate NEXT Spring in this enjoyable, fun-filled day.... be part of the friendly laughter and excitement...pick a theme for your basket this Fall and have chapter members share in the gathering and assembling throughout the year for the most colossal basket ever donated.

Then next May, come experience the suspense, the festivity and the merriment surrounding this delightful day.

Ginger Carter, Spring Fling Chairman

**Chatty Clippers**

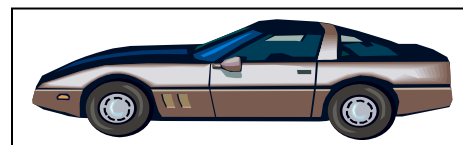
If you're tired of recycling those old Campbell Soup labels to make this year's fashion statement, why not send them in to the Chatty Clippers at Hillside School. Collect labels at each meeting to help Hillside earn free products.

Go to [www.labelsforeducation.com](http://www.labelsforeducation.com) to learn more.



**'Vettes (Corvettes) for Vets**

Mark your calendar for **Sunday September 30, 2012**. The annual vettes for vets will be held on the grounds of the Edith Nourse Rogers (MDAR Member) VA Hospital. No admission fee but a large, normal size, body wash and/or body lotion is greatly appreciated. HODARs welcome.





**West Point April 30, 2012**

MDAR Daughters with Cadet Holley Ringo in front of the General MacArthur Statue

**DAR Members from 3 States Honor Revolutionary Patriot Grave Marking Ceremony**



Musket and cannon fire echoed over the Ireland Street Cemetery in Chesterfield, Sunday afternoon, July 1, 2012 as a soldier of the American Revolution, John Halbert, was memorialized in true colonial fashion with members of three states of the Daughters of the American Revolution in attendance - the Saratoga Chapter of Saratoga Springs, New York; First Resistance Chapter of Pittsfield, MA; Mary Mattoon Chapter of Amherst, MA; Betty Allen Chapter of Northampton, MA, and Battle of Shallow Ford Chapter, Winston-Salem, NC all took part in Sunday's ceremony to kick off the 250 Anniversary Celebration for Chesterfield, MA.

***Congratulations*  
Gail E. Terry  
VIS Volunteer of the Year**

The following article appeared in the Congress Herald:

This year's national VIS Volunteer of the Year is Gail E. Terry from the Lydia Cobb-Quequechan Chapter in Massachusetts.

Gail worked on the ground floor in the effort to build databases from the enormous amount of NSDAR data related to ancestors and member lineages when the project began as part the VIS Committee. She performed many tasks, from entering ancestor card data, pension cards, and more, all laying the groundwork for the present-day GRS system.

In addition to entering the lineages of more than 7,000 member applications herself, she has worked quietly behind the scenes resolving program issues, managing complicated projects, and providing support for the many volunteers who work every day. Gail is a member who asks, "What can I do to help?"

She is quick to offer computer support no matter what it is. The VIS Committee is pleased to present this award to Gail E. Terry.

**Celebrating Independence  
June 20, 2012**



MDAR Members lead by State Historian, Sandra Burgoon, fifth from the left. Flowers were placed on the graves of John Hancock, Samuel Adams and Robert Treat Paine.



### President General's Lay Light Project

The President General's Project encompasses three vital initiatives of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which for more than a century has worked to promote historic preservation, education and patriotism. The project's three-fold undertaking involves the ongoing restoration of our historic DAR Headquarters complex, strengthening membership through support and training, and the implementation of a financial grant program benefiting projects that further the DAR mission in local communities.

After the earthquake hit Washington last summer, a thorough evaluation of the DAR building was undertaken and it was discovered that the lay lights were in danger of crashing to the floor. The preservation team composed of experts in historic preservation contracting, architectural design, structural engineering and leaded glass work identified a number of serious problems that only a comprehensive rehabilitation and restoration of the lay light could resolve. Restoring these lights became the priority of the current President General and our own State Regent. Each of the 25 light panels measuring approximately 9x8 feet will have to be removed and restored. The estimated cost of repairs is \$1.6 million. The DAR plans to restore the lay light with the highest standards of historic preservation and safety.

Support from the membership and public will help ensure that generations of future visitors will be able to appreciate the breathtaking DAR Library lay light. Please consider donating what you can. To make a tax-deductible contribution to the project, fill out DAR Form DEV-1003 and note "Lay Light" on the sheet. You can find the form at <http://www.members.dar.org/darnet/forms/DEV-1003-DON.pdf>. When you use this form, your contribution, no matter the amount, will also count towards membership in the Heritage Club. Members who contribute \$250 or more will have their name on the donor wall plaque.

Make your check payable to the Treasurer General, NSDAR, print Lay Light on the check, and send it and the form to: Mary Jones, 7 Susan Drive, Billerica, MA 01821-4421.

A list of donors to the Lay Light project appears in this issue of the Bay State News. Donations are still needed and those that are collected will be listed in the next issue of the BSN (January 1, 2013). For more information about this important project please visit [www.dar.org/laylight](http://www.dar.org/laylight).



**President General Merry Ann Wright and MA State Regent Julia Eacott in front the first restored Lay Light.**



**View of Lay Lights over the National Library.**



### Laylight Project Donations

Many thanks to the following people and groups who have donated to this important project as of June 15.

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 Elaine Perrault - In Memory of Irma E. Person Whitey  
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 Tracey Gare Polachek – in honor of Joice Garrett #813986 Betty Allen Northampton MA  
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 MDAR - In Honor of the Massachusetts Daughters  
 Gail Terry

**HILLSIDE SCHOOL****Scholarship Day on May 16, 2012.**

Two Scholarships from MDAR. Pictured from left to right, DAR/Hillside Liaison, Rich Meyer, MDAR State Regent, Julia Eacott, Eli Abbott, Sam Natale, DAR School Chairman, Anne Urbaczewski, Headmaster, and Headmaster David Becher.

**Hillside School Pen Pal Program**

Interested in writing a real letter or card to a boy at Hillside School? Would you like an old fashioned Pen Pal? In this day of electronic communication, many boys would love to receive a real letter or card in a real mailbox. Do you know that cursive writing is not taught in most schools today? It doesn't take more than a few postage stamps and a little time to become a Pen Pal, and perhaps make a difference in the life of a young person. When the school year starts, you will receive instructions.

Contact State Regent, Julia Eacott ([jreacott1@verizon.net](mailto:jreacott1@verizon.net) or 978-263-0065) to get in on the ground floor of this new program.

## Sixth Grade Essay Contest National Winner

The following essay submitted by 6<sup>th</sup> grader Ilana Aronson won the National contest. Ilana was sponsored by the Hannah Goddard Chapter.

### Young America Takes a Stand: The War of 1812

Andrew, George, John...BOYS! Do stop fighting.

Oh, you say you are pretending to be soldiers?

Would you like to learn something about the war that happened? between 1812 and 1814?

Boys, please don't grumble. You must know, to fight alone is ill, but to fight without knowledge is even worse. Gather round, all of you. I assure you that you will like this lesson. I will tell you about one of the many heroes produced in that war, Francis Scott Key.

No George, he was not famous for being a soldier. Fighting is not the only powerful thing, children. Words may hold more Power than you ever knew. Now let's begin.

It was a September night. I was a young man at the time. My friend Francis, a young, respected, American lawyer, wrote a song about a ferocious battle. The song was liked and sung by many.

Let me refresh my memory about the history of the war. It was a truly difficult time. First, France became very aggressive and wanted to control Europe, especially England, their long-time enemy. They tried to block off all trade between England and other countries. This angered England, causing them to take revenge by declaring a blockade of all ports owned by France. In the beginning, the U.S. did not want to take sides in this conflict. However, that caused American trade to suffer. France would not allow the Americans to stop at British ports, while the British demanded the Americans pay fees whenever they traded with the French. It was not easy for the sailors to be caught in the middle. Soon the conflict became more intense. The British military started to forcibly board American trade ships, claiming to look for British deserters. They said they just wanted to take back British sailors but it was not always the case. American citizens were often captured. It was very horrible indeed. Sue enough, some voices in the Congress wanted a war, and the President, James Madison, listened after much debate. America declared war on Great Britain on June 18, 1812.

Now children, let's go back to Francis. We can hardly say we have even begun the story.

There were terrible rumors flying about Baltimore. Soon everyone knew the story: Dr. William Beans, an elderly man, had been carried off by the British, and could possibly be hung! The people of Baltimore came running to dear Francis for help. On one September morning, Francis and American Prisoner Exchange Agent Colonel John Skinner went to negotiate the release of Dr. Beans. James Madison himself approved of the plan. In the morning light, Francis and John Skinner sailed off, under a flag of truce; to try to save Dr. Beans from the horrible fate the British might hold for him.

When Francis and John Skinner reached the British fleet, it was already on its way to attack Baltimore. Francis and John convinced Admiral Cockburn to let Dr. Beans go. Little did they know that Cockburn has already decided not to hang him. Nonetheless, they encountered another problem. Cockburn wouldn't let them go back to shore and, well, children, in all fairness, would you let the enemy go to warn the village that you were going to bombard?

When the time came to attack, Francis watched anxiously from the *President*, the truce ship he arrived in. From midnight to the morning, Francis knew little of the fight. Poor Francis couldn't see much through the smoke and darkness. My old friend paced the decks of the *President*, driven out of his mind with worry. Still, the little comfort he had was knowing that as long as there was still bombing and smoke, America had not yet given up. Joy was brought to him at that thought, even though he knew nothing of his countrymen's fate.



From left: Frances Crutchfield, Vice Chairman, Janeal Shannon, National Chairman, Ilana Aronson, National Winner, Merry Ann Wright, President General, Julia Eacott, State Regent, Sandra Burgoon, MDAR State Historian



Back on land, many of Francis's friends were also very worried. Had Dr. Beans, Francis, and John Skinner been hung? In the battle, had any of them been injured? They were as blind to Francis, Dr. Beans, and John's fate as Francis was to theirs.

Dawn came. By the morning light, Francis saw the American flag still waving. Even after the brutal bombing, the Americans had not given up. Francis, overwhelmed with what he had just witnessed, began to write on the back of a paper in his pocket. Those words, jotted down on the back of the paper, became the lyrics to "The Defense of Fort McHenry", also known as "The Star Spangled Banner". Francis's song was very popular. People began to sing it. It was set to the tune of "Anacreon in Heaven".

"The Star Spangled Banner" is valuable in America. During the War of 1812, there were many losses, and "The Star Spangled Banner", a very patriotic song, helped boost countless soldiers' spirits. If the soldiers were depressed with their many losses, then they might not have had as many wins. "The Star Spangled Banner", believe it or not, may have helped make the outcome of the war what it was.

Children, I think this draws our story to a close. I don't want to keep you out too long. However, I hope you understand that words have power. Just like soldiers had songs to cheer them on, you need support in most things you do. You can't always do it alone. Francis and John worked together to free Dr. Beans, and the army worked together to defend Fort McHenry. I hope you will remember that. Don't give me that look, James. It is a valuable thing you should know.



#### PROPOSED BYLAW AMENDMENTS

Present at May 2012 Board of Management Meeting  
 Publish in Bay State News Summer 2012 issue P  
 Present for Vote at September 2012 Fall State Meeting

##### **Article V State Board of Management**

###### **Current**

Section 7. A vote by mail may be taken if deemed necessary by the State Executive Committee.

###### **Proposed**

Section 7. A vote by mail **or e-mail** may be taken if deemed necessary by the State Executive Committee.

###### **Rationale**

E-mail is quicker and less costly.

##### **Article VI State Executive Committee**

###### **Current**

Section 1c. A vote by mail may be taken if deemed necessary by the State Regent.

###### **Proposed**

Section 1c. A vote by mail **or e-mail** may be taken if deemed necessary by the State Regent.

###### **Rationale**

E-mail is quicker and less costly.

##### **Article XI Fiscal Year, Dues and State Funds**

###### **Current**

Section 3.a. The Fund shall be expended by the State Board of Management for the operating expenses of the corporation.

###### **Proposed**

Section 3.a. The Fund shall be expended by the State Board of Management for the operating expenses of the corporation **and the objectives of the society.**

###### **Rationale**

To make it clear we are financially supporting our objectives.

**The Rationale for the following three proposed Bylaw amendments is:**

1. Bookkeeping for the State Treasurer will be simpler to have our Fiscal Year match the National Fiscal Year which is changing effective January 1, 2013.
2. Tax return preparation will be simpler with the Fiscal Year and calendar year matching.
3. With Master Questionnaire and Chapter Achievement reports changing to the calendar year it will make it easier if we have our financial reports to National on those forms.

**Article XI Fiscal Year, Dues and State Funds**

**Current**

Section 1. The fiscal year shall be from March first through the last day of February.

**Proposed**

Section 1. The fiscal year shall be from **January 1** through the last day of **December**.

**Article IV State Officers and Their Duties**

**Current**

Section 8f. She shall close her books on the last day of February for an annual audit of her accounts by a certified public accountant. She shall distribute printed copies of the annual report of the State Treasurer and Assistant State Treasurer to the State officers, Honorary State Regents, and upon request, to Chapter Treasurers and State Chairmen.

**Proposed**

Section 8f. She shall close her books on the last day of **December** for an annual audit of her accounts by a certified public accountant. She shall distribute printed copies of the annual report of the State Treasurer and Assistant State Treasurer to the State officers, Honorary State Regents, and upon request, to Chapter Treasurers and State Chairmen.

**Article VII Committee and Other Appointees**

**Current**

Section 3 a. A Finance Committee of three members and the State Treasurer Ex-Officio. They will present the Annual Budget for the next fiscal year at the Annual Sate Conference.

**Proposed**

Section 3 a. A Finance Committee of three members and the State Treasurer Ex-Officio. They will present the Annual Budget for the next fiscal year at the **November Board of Management Meeting**.

The following is for informational purposes only. The bylaw is being changed to follow the wording of Chapter bylaws as mandated by the National Society and therefore requires no vote.

**Article XIII Disbandment of Chapters**

**Current**

Section a.b. **Any monies in the treasury of the Chapter at the time of disbandment shall be given to projects of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution and/or the Massachusetts Daughters of the American Revolution, Inc, selected and authorized by a majority of the members present and voting.**

**Updated**

Section a.b. Although the period of duration of the chapter is perpetual, if for any reason the chapter is to be dissolved or otherwise terminated, no part of the property of the chapter or any of the proceeds shall be distributed to or inure to the benefit of any of the officers or members of the chapter. Upon the dissolution of the chapter, assets shall be distributed by the Executive Board to and only to the state organization.



**NEW MEMBERS**

**APRIL 21, 2012 - June 25, 2012 - July 1, 2012**

<p><b><u>Attleboro</u></b> Kathleen Floor Susan Harris</p> <p><b><u>Betty Allen</u></b> Elise Gifford (Jr)</p> <p><b><u>Boston Tea Party</u></b> Kate Bouvier (Jr) Pamela Fox Michelle Lentz (Jr) Alexandra McCleary (Jr) Jacqueline McCleary (Jr) Mary McCleary Rachel Trousdale (Jr)</p> <p><b><u>Capt. Joshua Gray- Jonathan Hatch</u></b> Wendy Maggio Karen Schrader</p> <p><b><u>Capt. John Josln Jr.</u></b> Lisa Beebe Rebekah Marshall</p> <p><b><u>Chief Justice Cushing</u></b> Brianna Bates (Jr) Elizabeth Cranston (Jr) Dianne Wells</p>	<p><b><u>Col. John Robinson</u></b> Constance Ryan Patricia Shea</p> <p><b><u>Colonel Timothy Bigelow</u></b> Amy Mahoney Elizabeth Quigley</p> <p><b><u>Col. Timothy Pickering</u></b> Patricia Bitterman Jacqueline Piazza Rebecca Whalen (Jr)</p> <p><b><u>Col. William McIntosh</u></b> Krista Heinrich Patricia Kallio Susan Kallio</p> <p><b><u>Contentment</u></b> Diane Bowers</p> <p><b><u>Duxbury</u></b> Brenda Alexander Phyllis Stone Johnson Lisa Pearson</p>	<p><b><u>General Israel Putnam</u></b> Anne Barrett Mary Jelinek Alyson Preston</p> <p><b><u>Hannah Goddard</u></b> Wendy Salmon (Jr)</p> <p><b><u>First Resistance</u></b> Kathleen Whitbeck</p> <p><b><u>Lexington</u></b> Bettye McLaughlin Airon Mothershed</p> <p><b><u>Lydia Cobb- Quequechan</u></b> Elizabeth Carey Gloria Nelson</p> <p><b><u>Mansfield</u></b> Melissa Carone (Jr) Lisa Czekanski (Jr) Teresa Guglielmi Deborah Lacey</p>	<p><b><u>Martha's Vineyard-Sea Coast Defence</u></b> Abigail Larsen (Jr)</p> <p><b><u>Mary Mattoon</u></b> Patricia McChesney Carol Shiels</p> <p><b><u>Mercy Warren</u></b> Colleen Chesmore</p> <p><b><u>New Bedford</u></b> Donna Kiely</p> <p><b><u>Paul Revere</u></b> Mary Grogan Pamela Winstead</p> <p><b><u>Old Concord</u></b> Pasmela Fenn</p> <p><b><u>Wayside Inn</u></b> Kristina Gaito (Jr) Emily Koop (Jr) Paula Koop Rachel Koop (Jr) Linda Lundstrom</p>
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**In Memoriam**

**Abiah Folger Franklin**  
Louise Ida Benoit

**Amos Mills-Lucy Jackson**  
Priscilla Cobb Payne

**Betty Allen**  
Bertille Horton Dragon  
Lillian Almeda Jackson Greene

**Cape Ann**  
Dorothy Mack Russell

**Captain Job Knapp**  
Judith Schott

**Colonel Timothy Bigelow**  
Alice Gertrude Howarth Prince

**Colonel Timothy Pickering**  
Mary Rose Hunnell Ganoe

**Deborah Sampson**  
Lola N. Piers

**Deborah Wheelock**  
Mary Eddy McCooley

**General Israel Putnam**  
Marjorie E. Tappan Rowell

**Mary Mattoon**  
Mary Alice Gorman Hubert

**Mercy Warren**  
Madge Annetta Cobb Jester

**New Bedford**  
Helen O. Brown



**Colonel John Robinson**  
Bette Ross Hook





*Massachusetts Daughters of the American Revolution*

~~~Fall State Meeting ~~~

**September 21-22, 2012**

Best Western Royal Plaza Hotel, 181 Boston Post Road West, Rt. 20,  
Marlborough, MA 01752-1883  
508-460-0700

**Directions**

From N & S: Interstate 495 to Exit 24B W (Rt. 20) toward Northborough, 0.9 mi on right  
follow to end past Conference Center to the Hotel  
From Mass Pike: Interstate 495 N and follow above directions

**Thursday, September 20**

7:00 Dinner to welcome guest of the State Regent  
Zachary's Restaurant in the Best Western Hotel  
All are welcome. Make reservations with Conference Chairman, Jane Keegan at 508-278-6064.  
Separate checks will be given

**Friday, September 21**

8:00 Registration and Bazaars  
9:00-11:00 Trip to Minuteman National Park. Open to all.  
12:00 Noon Constitution Day Luncheon Speaker: Matthew Brenckle - "*Men of Iron*" formerly "*A Sailor's Life*"  
1:30-3:00 Chapter Officer Workshop-*please pre-register*  
4:00-5:00 MDAR Book Club, *Shay's Rebellion* by Leonard Richards  
6:00-7:00 Friendship Hour ~ Cash Bar  
7:00 Banquet:  
Speaker: National School Chairman, Donna Raymond

**Saturday, September 22**

7:45AM Registration and Bazaars  
9:00 Fall State Meeting Called to Order  
Reports: State Officers and District Directors  
12:00 Noon Circles of Friendship Lunch - Open to all (Hosted by State Officers Club)  
1:30 PM Meeting Resumes  
Reports: Chairmen of National and State Committees

**~DEADLINES~**

**Rooms ~ August 21** ~ Identify yourself as MDAR for group rate of \$94 + tax

Reservations: Phone 508-460-0700

Check In 3pm- Check out Noon

**Meals ~ September 7, 2012**

Make check payable to State Treasurer, MDAR and mail to:

Judith Garland  
One Oak Hill Land, #105  
Nashua, NH 03062-2627



**Fall Meeting Adventure**  
**Minuteman Park Presentation**

If you are coming on the trip to Minuteman Park Friday, September 21, 2012 it is an award winning multimedia presentation transporting you to the events of April 19, 1775. See <http://www.nps.gov/mima/index.htm> for details.

The trip is free of charge but there is no transportation provided. Car pool and meet at the park's Visitor Center (250 North Great Road, Lincoln).

Please indicate if you want to see the presentation on the reservation form and give your Email address or phone so that you can be contacted about the time to meet.



***Massachusetts Daughters of the American Revolution***  
**Board of Management Meeting**

**(Open to All)**  
**November 10, 2012**  
**Stone Forge Tavern**  
**90 Paramount Drive, Raynham, MA 02767**  
**508-977-9840**

**Directions:**  
**From Points North, East and West**

Interstate 495 or Interstate 95/128 South to Interstate -93 N/US 1 N exit 12 towards Boston. Merge onto Rt 24 S via exit 4 toward Brockton/Fall River. Merge onto US 44E/ New State Highway via exit 13A toward Middleboro. Turn right onto Paramount Drive.

**From Points South**

Rt 28N to Rt 25W. Merge onto US 44W exit 6 toward Taunton. Turn left onto Paramount Drive.

**Ample Parking**

**Schedule**

|          |                                                          |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| 9:00 AM  | Registration Begins                                      |
| 10:00 AM | Meeting Called to Order                                  |
| 11:00    | Speaker - The Graveyard Girls "Welcome to the Graveyard" |
| 12:00    | Lunch                                                    |
| 1:00     | Announcement of 2013-16 Executive Board Candidates       |

**Registration and Meal Form**

**Deadline for Meals, September 7, 2012 (An additional charge of \$5.00 will be incurred after deadline)**

**Friday, September 21, 2012**

**Constitution Lunch**

**Basket** of Assorted Rolls/Butter, Hearty Seasonal Soup, Italian Rum Cake, Coffee, Tea

**\$29.00** Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad \_\_\_\_\_

**\$24.00** Caesar Salad without Chicken \_\_\_\_\_

**Banquet**

Basket of Assorted Rolls/Butter, Fresh Fruit Salad, Potato, Vegetable, Boston Cream Cake, Coffee, Tea

**\$28.00** Grilled Vegetables over Orzo Rice \_\_\_\_\_

**\$30.00** Chicken Marsala \_\_\_\_\_

**\$33.00** New England Scrod with Roasted Shallot Cracker Crust \_\_\_\_\_

**Saturday, September 22, 2011**

**Circles of Friendship Lunch** (Hosted by State Officers Club ~ Open to All)

**\$29.00** Buffet of Soup, Deli Meats and Cheeses, Green Salad, Pasta Salad, Breads, Chips and Assorted Desserts and Drinks

Dietary Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting Registration Fee \$ 5.00

Please include my donation toward the Meeting *Friendship Club* in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Your name will be listed as a donor in the Conference Program)

Total Check for all meals/registration/donation in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please sign up below and indicate if you are registering for the Chapter Officer Workshop and/or Presentation at Minuteman Park. It is not necessary to stay for meals or overnight, but Meeting Registration and sign up is required to attend the Workshop.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter \_\_\_\_\_ I am attending the workshop \_\_\_\_\_

I will be attending Presentation at Minuteman Park \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address or Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Number Attending \_\_\_\_\_

***\*PLEASE DO NOT SEND THESE FORMS AT SAME TIME\****  
***Board of Management form should be sent in after early October***

November 10, 2012

Board of Management Luncheon Reservation Form

**Deadline Friday, November 2, 2012 (An additional charge of \$5.00 will be incurred after deadline)**

**Lunch Menu**

Traditional Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner

Vanilla Ice Cream with Chocolate Sauce

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Number Attending \_\_\_\_\_

*Lunch: \$22.00*

*Registration Fee: \$5.00*

Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

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