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Message from the President



Over the past four months, I have had the privilege to attend a number of chapter and state hosted meetings and events in our great state; and I am proud to report that the patriotic spirit is deeply rooted within the structure of the Ohio Society, and remains a strong influence in our forward momentum.

I submit to you that the chapter, with its membership, is the most important unit of our state and national organizations. The chapter is at the frontline of the introduction of our histori-

cal, educational, and patriotic objects to our communities. It also serves a critical function in the motivation and engagement of our fellow compatriots in our mission; for without the commitment of our members at the grassroots level, the presence of the SAR in the community will languish.

The importance of the chapter is apparent in the very structure of the Ohio Society. Our Bylaws define the Ohio Society Board of Management as being vested with the authority to conduct the affairs of the Society. Its members consist of elected officers, district chairmen, all past-state presidents, as well as all currently-serving chapter presidents and secretaries. With twenty-two chartered chapters, the Board of Management has forty-four positions allotted to these chapter leaders.

While membership recruitment and retention are critical, the establishment of new chapters is equal in importance. The accessibility of members to an active and thriving chapter provides them with opportunities to become involved, as well as encouragement to remain active. This eventually will lead to a greater SAR presence within their communities, and increased recruitment possibilities.

Every so often, it behooves us to re-evaluate the roles we play within the SAR. This ongoing process is important not only for the Ohio Society, but chapters as well, for their leaders have a vested interest in the affairs of the state organization. Are we serving our mission well? Are we motivating our members to become involved?

While I propose that the patriotic spirit remains strong within our organization, let us periodically set the bar one notch higher.

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125th National Society Congress



President General Thomas E. Lawrence, Esq. (center-right)

The National Society Sons of the American Revolution hosted its 125th Annual Congress in Louisville, Kentucky from Friday, June 26th through Thursday, July 2nd, 2015. The business sessions, meetings, and functions were held at the Galt House in the downtown museum district, a few blocks from the National SAR Headquarters and Genealogy Library.

The Ohio Society was well represented by Ohio Society Central District VPG William A. "Tony" Robinson (Camp Charlotte); President James D. Schaffer

(Cincinnati); First Vice-President David B. Foster (Western Reserve); Past-President & National Trus-George Ruch (Ebenezer Zane): Past-President & Director-at-Large M. Paul Wilke (Cincinnati); Past-President H. Iohn Franklin, Jr. (Western Reserve); Past-President & Director-at-Tim (Northeastern Ohio); Past-President & Chaplain James O. Fast (Centennial): Southwest District Chairman Elwin Spray (Richard Montgomery); Board Member Michael (Cincinnati): Board Member

John "Jack" Bredenfoerder (Cincinnati); and Compatriot John A. Buffenbarger (George Rogers Clark).

The business sessions concluded with the election of General Officers, Trustees, and SAR Foundation Board Members. The Honorable Thomas E. Lawrence of the Texas Society was elected to the office of President General. Other officers elected included: Compatriot Robert Howell of the Indiana Society to Central District President General; Compatriot J. Michael Tomme, Sr. of the Georgia Society to Secretary General; Compa-



triot Larry T. Guzy of the Georgia Society to Treas-

Georgia Society to Treasurer General; Compatriot Davis L. Wright, Esq. of the

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Ohio Society Excels in Youth Awards

At the 125th National Society Annual Congress, the Ohio Society finished high in the Youth Award Contests. Eight awards are offered annually in the areas of Youths and Education. Winners are selected from the first place contestants from the state societies.

In the Joseph S. Rumbaugh Historical Oration Contest, Sophia Zupanc of Mentor, Ohio, who was the first place winner of the Ohio Society's award, placed first in the National Society contest, which was judged at Congress. Her entry into the competition began with the Western Reserve Society of Cleveland, Ohio, where she also finished first.



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The rules of this contest require that the oration must be original, and of not less than five minutes or more than six minutes in length.

The subject must deal with an event, personality, or document pertaining to the Revolutionary War, and show a relationship to America today.

In the George S. and Stella M. Knight Essay Contest, Clayton E. Marsh of Piqua, Ohio, took third place in the National Society competition. The first place winner of the Ohio Society's competition, he entered through the George Rogers Clark Chapter of Springfield, Ohio.

Contest rules stipulate that contestants submit an original

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Ohio Society Holds Summer 2015 Meetings In Zoar, Ohio

On July 24th and 25th, the Ohio Society held its quarterly Executive Committee and Board of Management Meetings in Zoar, Ohio at the Firehouse Grille and Pub. Both meetings were well attended, with members present from all Ohio districts.

The Friday, July 24th activities began with an outstanding buffet dinner, followed by the Executive Committee and Ladies Auxiliary meetings. The agenda of the Executive Committee included informative discussions on the activities of committees tasked with special missions.

Saturday, July 25th began with the Board of Management meeting at 8:00AM. Immediately following, our members proceeded to the Fort Laurens Historic Site a



Saturday Luncheon at the Firehouse Grille & Pub in Zoa

few miles away for a Memorial Service at 11:15AM. Then, it was back to the Firehouse Grille and Pub at 12:30PM for another outstanding buffet meal, concluding with the presentation of National Society and Ohio Society awards to chapters, members, and supporters of the SAR.

Ohio Society Awards Luncheon

Member awards and certificates of appreciation from both the National and Ohio Society were presented as part of the Ohio Society's Summer 2015 Meeting activities. At the luncheon at the Firehouse Grille & Pub following the Fort Laurens Memorial Service, Past-President Ted Minier made the presentations for achievements during his 2014-2015 term. Recognized were:

National Society Awards

Liberty Medal

Troy Bailey - Northeastern Ohio Steve Frash - Marietta Ted Minier - Western Reserve Franz B. Ott - Cincinnati Richard Rezie - Western Reserve George Ruch - Ebenezer Zane Paul Schenck - George Rogers Clark Tim Ward - Northeastern Ohio

President General's Initiative Patriot Ancestor Biographies

Benjamin Franklin Chapter Cincinnati Chapter Ebenezer Zane Chapter Ohio Society

Appreciation For Patriot Ancestor Biographies

Michael J. Blum - Cincinnati

Vice-President General Certificate

William A. Robinson

Bronze Roger Sherman Medal France Society

Paul M. Wilke - Cincinnati

Patriot Grave Marking Medal

Steve Frash - Marietta

Liberty Bell Americanism Award Chapters With 100-199 Members

Cincinnati Chapter

Liberty Bell Americanism Award Chapters With 200+ Members

Western Reserve Society

President General's Cup Chapters With 100-199 Members

Cincinnati Chapter

Joseph S. Rumbaugh Oration Contest

Sophia Zupanc Western Reserve Society

Harold L. Putnam Award

Steve Kelley
OHSSAR Oration Contest Chairman

Knight Essay Contest

Clayton E. Marsh George Rogers Clark Chapter

Knight Essay Participation

Ohio Society

Eagle Scout Participation
Ohio Society

ROTC/JROTC Participation
Ohio Society

Admiral Furlong Flag Participation

Ohio Society

Partners In Patriotism Participation

At-Large Chapter
Camp Charlotte Chapter
Centennial Chapter
Cincinnati Chapter
Ebenezer Zane Chapter
Hocking Valley Chapter
Northeastern Ohio Chapter
Northwest Territory Chapter
Ohio Society
Western Reserve Society

Ohio Society Awards Distinguished Chapter Award

Centennial Chapter

Cincinnati Chapter
Ebenezer Zane Chapter
Hocking Valley Chapter
John Hancock Chapter
Marietta Chapter
Northeastern Ohio Chapter
Richard Montgomery Chapter
Western Reserve Society

American History Teacher Contest OHSSAR First Place

Michael E. Dalton Cincinnati Chapter

Past-President CertificateTed M. Minier

Certificate of Appreciation

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Understanding The Americanism Contests and Score Sheet

Recently, two chapters in the Ohio Society were presented with the *Liberty Bell Americanism Award*. Nationally, the Western Reserve Society and the Cincinnati Chapter received two of the four awards presented by the National Society for the 2014 calendar year. In addition, the Cincinnati Chapter took one of four *President General's Cup* awards nationally.

How did these chapters compete nationally for these awards? An understanding of the Americanism Score Sheet will shed some light on this often overlooked competition.

The Americanism Contest is actually four different contests that are combined into one score sheet. These are the Liberty Bell Americanism Award; the Allene Wilson Groves Americanism Award; the President General's Streamer Award; and the President General's Cup.

The Liberty Bell Americanism Award recognizes the top chapters that participate in the various educational outreach programs of the SAR. The award is divided into four categories based on membership size: 10 to 49, 50 to 99, 100 to 199, and 200 or more members. The NSSAR Americanism Committee judges this contest at the Spring Leadership meeting and the award is presented at the following Annual Congress. An Americanism Streamer is presented to the winner of each membership cate-

The Allene Wilson Groves Americanism Award serves to recognize the top state societies that participate in the various educational outreach programs of the SAR. This award is divided into four categories based on membership size: 10 to 199, 200 to 499, 500 to 999, and 1,000 or more members. It is judged in the same process as the *Liberty Bell Americanism Award*, and a streamer is awarded.

The President General's Streamer Award is presented to the top chapters and state societies that record the best efforts with respect to various administrative goals that contribute to the success of the SAR. Four first place awards for state societies and chapters are presented based on membership size: state societies with membership from 10 to 199, 200 to 499, 500 to 999, and 1,000 or more; and chapters with membership from 10 to 49, 50 to 99, 100 to 199, and 200 or more.

The President General's Cup is presented annually to the top chapters with respect to a combined scoring system of both the Liberty Bell and President General's Streamer awards and chapter membership levels. Four awards are presented based on chapters with membership size from 10 to 49, 50 to 99, 100 to 199, and 200 or more.

These awards began in 1978 as scrapbook contests. Eventually a score sheet was introduced to capture data for the contests, and the scrapbook requirement was dropped. Revisions added categories to earn additional points.

By 2009, the score sheet had grown to 32 different categories in which points could be earned. Often, data entry for a single event would have to be made in as many as 6 different categories to earn the maximum number of points.

The score sheet was in both spreadsheet and document formats, with a lot of the items counting in both contests. Due to the complexity and multiple formats, the contests eventually evolved into where just a few chapters and state societies were competing each year.

The current score sheet is offered only in a spreadsheet format that allows points to be calculated based on specific data entry. Embedded formulas convert the entered data into points that the spreadsheet tabulates.

The Americanism Score Sheet may be downloaded from the Americanism Committee page on the NSSAR website. It is important to download a new score sheet each year, since categories and point assessments change.

Data entry should occur throughout the contest year instead of waiting until year's end to try to recreate the entire year.

This contest is tier based. Chapters submit Americanism Score Sheets to both the Ohio Society and the National Society. The Ohio Society combines the data from its chapters with its own, and also submits to the National Society.

There are two important deadlines to be observed. Score Sheets must be submitted to the Ohio Society by January 15th. The deadline to submit to the National Society is March 1st.

DAR News

The Ohio Society DAR extended an invitation to the SAR to participate in their Chapter Development and Revitalization Workshops, which were held in four locations throughout the state.

State President James Schaffer, DAR/C.A.R. Liaison Chairmen Paul M. Wilke & Dan Matheke, and Compatriot Lance Beebe variously attended the events, and delivered brief presentations that included discussions on the Ohio Society SAR's membership recruitment and retention goals, new chapter development initiatives, the importance that SAR places on membership activities, and recognition for DAR ladies who assist the SAR.

National Society 2016 Dues Increase

At the 125th National Society Annual Congress in Louisville, Kentucky, the 2016 annual dues for Regular members was raised from \$30 to \$35. Youth member dues were not increased, and fees remain the same. This increase is for National Society dues only.

The dues increase was proposed as being necessary to cover the costs of digitization of records and other genealogy expenses, however they were not earmarked for this.

The Ohio Society adjusted it's Fees & Dues Schedule accordingly at its Summer Board of Management Meeting.

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Welcome New Members

Arthur St. Clair Chapter

Hatfield, Gary Ray Hatfield, Matthew Hatfield, Matthew Clint

Benjamin Franklin Chapter

Hopper, James Clifford Simpson II, Kenneth Lyle Prince, Kenji Christopher Stevenson II, William Woods Grever, Jeffrey Michael Grever, Michael Rhodes

Cincinnati Chapter

Kelso, Eric Michael Kelso, William Wesley Emery, Earnest Ray Emery, Erich Britt Fowler, Richard Francis Fowler, Byron Lynn Poe, James Meredith II Poe, Daryl Lewis Stebbins, Howard Joseph

Ebenezer Zane Chapter

Turner, Jeffrey Alan Turner, Daniel Patrick Turner, Matthew Aaron Hocking Valley Chapter Strother, Robert Lee Lafayette Chapter

Kopp, Scott Michael Tozzi, Anthony Wayne Jr. Tozzi, Allan Ray

Northeastern Ohio Chapter

Vankirk, Charles Wesley Proctor, Andrew William Proctor, Rafe Wyatt Shore, John Charles Campbell, Craig Steven Wilson, John Patrick Wilson, Charles Michael

Richard Montgomery Chapter

Lease, Gene Alan
Lewis, Carl Alan Richard
Lochary, William Christopher
Rufus Putnam Chapter
Weber, James Howard
Western Reserve
Society

Society
Hannon, Brendan Michael
Hannon, Sean Patrick
Hannon, Brian Robert
Hannon. Conor Ryan

Hannon, Sean Patrick
Hannon, Brian Robert
Hannon, Conor Ryan
Labaj, Donald George
Ditto, Steven Richard
King, Steven Parry

Transfers In

Cincinnati Chapter
Sandman, Jonathan M.
Sandman, Jacob Ryan
Western Reserve Society
Bell, Lloyd W.W. Jr.

Transfers Out

Cincinnati Chapter
Kelso, Eric Michael
Kelso, William Wesley
General Henry Knox
Chapter
Brooks, David Cowan

In Memoriam

Western Reserve Society

John William Latham May 19, 2015

Northeastern Ohio Chapter

Bobbie Jean Hinson May 28, 2015

Richard Montgomery Chapter

Rodger Leland Moore June 9, 2015

George Rogers Clark Chapter

Gregory D. Cox July 20, 2015



Youth Awards

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Clayton E. Marsh

essay with topics based on original research, and dealing with an event, person,

philosophy or ideal associated with the American Revolution, Declaration of Independence, or the framing of the United States Constitution.

125th Congress (From Pg. 2)

Delaware Society to Chancellor General; Compatriot John D. Sinks of the District of Columbia Society to Genealogist General; Compatriot Russell F. DeVenney, Ir. of the Missouri Society to Registrar General; Compatriot John T. Manning of the New Hampshire Society to Historian General; Compatriot C. Bruce Pickette of the Alabama Society to Librarian General; Compatriot Dr. Larry M. Leslie, M.D. of the Kentucky Society to Surgeon General; Compatriot Rev. Dr. James C. Taylor of the Texas Society to Chaplain General. Compatriot Michael Elston of the Virginia Society and Compatriot Rick Ellis of the Tennessee Society were elected to fill two of the three positions of the SAR Foundation Board. From the Ohio Society, Compatriot Troy Bailey was elected to National

Trustee and Compatriot James D. Schaffer was elected to Alternate National Trustee.

In addition to three sessions of business meetings, activities included Committee and Trustee meetings, IT training; the Joseph S. **Rumbaugh Orations Contest** judging; a Memorial Service; a Youth Awards luncheon; a Member Awards & Recognitions evening; the President General's Banquet: and the Installation Banquet. Optional events offered included a Churchill Downs Tour; a George Rogers Clark Tour; and a Kentucky Horse Farm Tour.

The 126th Annual Congress will be held in Boston, Massachusetts.



Ohio Society Fall 2015 Meetings Point Pleasant Battle Days

Once again, the Ohio Society will combine its Fall Executive Committee and Board of Management Meetings with the Battle Days Activities in Point Pleasant, West Virginia. The three day event is scheduled for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, October 2, 3, and 4, 2015. Details and registration information is found within this newsletter; however portions of the event are hosted by the Point Pleasant Chapter of the West Virginia SAR. Registration and payments for those activities are to be made directly with that chapter, and can be located at www.wvssar.org.

We have reserved a block of sleeping rooms at the Hampton Inn in Gallipolis, Ohio, as we have for the past several years. However, we have outgrown the small meeting facilities at the hotel, and have reserved a meeting room at the American Legion Post 23 in Point Pleasant, West Virginia, 2 miles from the hotel. The Ohio Society has used this facility in the past. The Executive Committee, Board of Management, and Ladies' Auxiliary will hold their meetings at this location.

The Ohio Society expresses its gratitude to the Point Pleasant Chapter for its generosity in sharing this meeting facility with us.

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Fort Laurens - Ohio's Only Revolutionary War Fort

On July 25th, 2015, the Ohio Society Sons of the American Revolution hosted its annual Fort Laurens Memorial Service at the site of this historic Revolutionary War fort in **Tuscarawas** Bolivar, County, Ohio. Members of the SAR, DAR, C.A.R. and other patriotic groups and organizations, migrate to this ceremony each year, and pay homage to the American soldiers who died in its siege in 1779. This year, SAR members came from Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, West Virginia, Virginia, and Pennsylvania to participate in the ceremony, considered a national event in the National Society SAR organization. Perhaps a brief history lesson will explain why such importance is placed upon this historical site.



SAR Color Guard Advances The National Colors

Fort Laurens was the first and only fort of the Revolutionary War established within the limits of what is now Ohio, and was built on the banks of the Tuscarawas River, now near the town of Bolivar, Ohio, in December of 1778 by General Lachlan McIntosh. The fort was intended to serve as a defense against attacks by the British and Native American Indians on settlers in the Ohio Country, and was to be a staging point in support of a planned attack on the British at Fort Detroit.

The Fort was named in honor of Henry Laurens, President of the Continental Congress. Conditions during the winter were harsh, and General McIntosh removed all but 150 soldiers from the 8th Pennsylvania Regiment and the 13th Virginia Regiment to Fort Pitt, present day Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Beginning **February** 22nd, 1779 and continuing until mid-March of that vear, a small number of British soldiers of the 8th Regiment of Foot commanded by Captain Henry Bird, and a few hundred allied Native American warriors, laid siege to the fort after ambushing a group of defenseless American soldiers who were foraging outside of the compound. Amongst the British forces was the infamous Simon Girty.

During the nearly month-long struggle, the American soldiers were starved and frozen, being forced to eat roots and grass growing within the fort's walls. Some resorted to boiling their own moccasins, making a broth for consumption.

The British forces were also suffering the harsh conditions of that winter, and abandoned their siege on March 20th, 1779. Three days after the siege was lifted, American rein-



Participants Gather After This Year's Fort Laurens Ceremony

forcements arrived from Fort Pitt. A force of over 100 American soldiers remained at Fort Laurens until August 2, 1779, when it was determined it was no longer of value as a staging point in attacking the British at Fort Detroit, and was abandoned. In total, more than 20 American soldiers died at Fort Laurens.

Today, the Ohio Historical Connection, formerly the Ohio Historical Society, operates a museum at the site of Fort Laurens, under the management of the Zoar Community Association. On site is the Tomb of the Unknown Patriot of the American Revolution, which contains the remains of one of the American soldiers killed here, and discovered during archaeo-

logical excavations at the site. This brave soldier was laid to rest with full military honors by the Ohio National Guard in 1976. The remains of other soldiers who were killed during this struggle are interred in a crypt inside of the museum.

The site was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1970. While nothing remains of



Fort Laurens Museum

the fort's walls today, the Friends of Fort Laurens Foundation is actively engaged in fundraising efforts to reconstruct the fort, log by log.

The Ohio Society of the Sons of the American Revolution returns each year to conduct its memorial service in late July.

For more information on the work of the Friends of Ford Laurens Foundation, visit their website at www.friendsoffortlaurens.org.

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Tomb of the Unknown Patriot of the American Revolution

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OHIO SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION



Fall Board of Managment

Meeting

October 2nd - 4th, 2015

Point Pleasant Chapter WVSSAR

Battle Days Activities

VENUES

Hampton Inn Hotel

American Legion Post 23

444 Upper River Road Gallipolis, OH 45631 (740) 446-8000 38° 49' 59.75" N 82° 09' 26.48" W

100 2nd Street Pt. Pleasant, WV 25550 (304) 675-3437 38° 50' 26.39" N 82° 08' 24.16" W

Trinity United Methodist Church

Tu-Endi-Wie State Park

615 Viand Street
Pt. Pleasant, WV 25550
(304) 675-2220
38° 50' 43.03" N
82° 08' 15.04" W

1 Main Street Pt. Pleasant, WV 25550 (304) 675-0869 38° 50' 21.50" N 82° 08' 26.57" W

Hampton Inn

Rooms at the Hampton Inn are available at a cost of \$102.00. Price includes hot breakfast. Make reservations by calling the hotel yourself at (740) 446-8000, however make payment to the Ohio Society Treasurer to avoid unnecessary taxes. This is a group rate for the Ohio Society Sons of the American Revolution. A block of rooms has been reserved until September 18th, so call before then to get this rate.

OHIO SOCIETY ACTIVITIES

Friday October 2nd

American Legion Post 23
5:00 PM: Buffet Dinner
6:00 PM: OHSSAR Executive Committee/Ladies Aux. Meeting

Saturday October 3rd

American Legion Post 23
8:00 AM: OHSSAR Board of Management Meeting

POINT PLEASANT BATTLE DAYS *

Friday October 2nd

Tu-Endi-Wie State Park
7:30 PM: "Maid of the Mist" Play & Historical Speakers

Saturday October 3rd

Main Street - Point Pleasant

11:00 AM: Battle Days Parade
Parade Participants Muster at Main & 10th St., Point Pleasant, at 10:45 AM

American Legion Post 23
6:00 PM: Colonial Governor's Reception
8:00 PM: Colonial Ball

Sunday October 4th

Tu-Endi-Wie State Park

10:00 AM: Early Colonial Church Service
Trinity United Methodist Church

12:30 PM: Luncheon
Tu-Endi-Wie State Park

2:00 PM: Battle of Point Pleasant Memorial Service

*NOTE: Battle Days activities are hosted by the West Virginia Point Pleasant SAR Chapter. Registration and cost information is available at www.wvssar.org.

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Address:			
Phone (Optional):	Email (Optional):		PAYMENT
	<u>SELECTIONS</u>		Make check payable to Treasurer, OHSSAR and mail to:
Friday Evening Italian Buffet Dinner: Meals @ \$20.00 Mr. L.		Mr. L. Stephen Hinson	
Hampton Inn Sleepin	g Rooms: Nights @ \$102.00	\$	5863 Beech Street Andover, OH 44003
		Total: \$	Registration Deadline
* Make reservations for Poir	nt Pleasant Battle Days activities senarately Regis	stration information is available	Friday, Sept. 18th, 2015

at www.wvssar.org.

Dates to Remember

September 25 - 26, 2015: NSSAR Fall Leadership, Louisville, KY

October 2 - 3, 2015: OHSSAR Fall Meeting, Gallipolis, OH - Point Pleasant, WV

October 2 , 3, 4, 2015: Point Pleasant WV Chapter Battle Days Activities

October 4, 2015: Battle of Pt. Pleasant Memorial Service, Point Pleasant WV

October 23 - 24, 2015: NSSAR Central District Meeting, Madison, IN

December 7, 2015: Wreaths Across America at the Statehouse, Columbus, OH

December 12, 2015: Wreaths Across America Ceremonies, Statewide

February 5 - 6, 2015: OHSSAR Winter Meeting, Findlay, OH

April 29 - May 1, 2016: OHSSAR 127th Annual Conference, Blue Ash, OH

More Ways to Stay Informed

Here are even more ways on the internet to connect with SAR activities, news, and events!

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www.sar.org www.facebook.com/groups/ sonsoftheamericanrevolution/

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