

## **DAR Finder Program**

### **CHAPTER INFORMATION**

SAR Chapters and State Societies are encouraged to promote a congenial and harmonious relationship with DAR Chapters and State Societies for the betterment of both organizations. As you recruit new SAR members always ask about their female relatives who could join DAR. In turn ask DAR members to ask about male relatives as they recruit new DAR members. When they bring us new SAR members, The Ohio Society has a program to reward them with medals.

Every year at the National Congress our National Society awards the DAR/SAR award to the DAR state society that recruits the most members for SAR. This is a \$500 award to the DAR state society.

OHSSAR has a DAR (and C.A.R.) Liaison Committee to spearhead these efforts. The state liaison is John O Langlitz. DAR Co-chairman is Paul M. Wilke: [langlitz@fuse.net](mailto:langlitz@fuse.net) or [tinman01@fuse.net](mailto:tinman01@fuse.net) .

### **Chapter Level Instructions**

The Chapter Registrar will review the application for accuracy and completeness before he forwards the application package, which contains the DAR Finder form, to the Chapter Treasurer where the chapter application fees and dues are properly distributed and the DAR Finder form is recorded. The Chapter Registrar should keep a Word document or spreadsheet record of the information on the DAR Finder form. Record the SAR applicant and the DAR member's name, DAR chapter, and her DAR National number, if provided. A photocopy of the Finder form should be retained with the Chapter's application file. Once the application is processed and approved at the chapter level, it is forwarded, along with the DAR Finder form, to the State Registrar.

Sponsor level instructions FYI:

As an SAR member who is proud of his lineage to a Patriot Ancestor, it is your privilege and obligation to enlist additional men into the society. You should seek to sponsor prospective members by helping them through the application process. This may require you to help them with their genealogy research or simply be their first-line signer on a completed application. If a DAR member assists you in the process, there is a "DAR Finder" form that should accompany the completed application package when it is submitted to the Chapter Registrar.

DAR Finder Word format:

[http://www.sar.org/committee/DARliaison/dar\\_finder\\_award\\_form.doc](http://www.sar.org/committee/DARliaison/dar_finder_award_form.doc)

DAR Finder fillable PDF format:

[http://www.sar.org/committee/DARliaison/dar\\_finder\\_award\\_form.pdf](http://www.sar.org/committee/DARliaison/dar_finder_award_form.pdf)