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**Bulletin**

**The Ohio Society of the Sons of the American Revolution**

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## Message from the President

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This will be my last message to you during my term as president. The year has flown by, and now I find that the 127th Ohio Society Annual Conference is quickly upon us. At the Society meeting on April 30th, state officers will be elected to lead our organization forward.

When I presented my goals to you after my election to president, I stated that I wanted to increase member participation; recruit and retain membership; strengthen operations; secure adequate funding; and reinforce our historical, educational, and patriotic programs.

As I reflect upon the past 10 months, I see how much has been accomplished. However, I reiterate that these were the goals that you approved, and that you accomplished. I merely charted the course and steered the ship.

Together, we have tackled some difficult issues, reached consensus, and walked away, still friends and compatriots. As evident by our well attended and lengthy meetings, we have brought together many viewpoints, opinions, and life experiences in pursuit of solutions to problems, some of which have existed for several years. All the while, we have remained resolute in our dedication to our ancestors, promoted the mission of the SAR, and represented ourselves to our communities as modern-day patriots. I think we should be proud of what we have done as a group.

Where do we go from here? In the next two months, there remains time to accomplish a few more things; however, time is of the essence. We need to follow through on our plans to form a new chapter in the Adams, Brown, and Highland Counties. We have a number of new members who were recruited with the promise of forming a chapter in the communities near to their homes, schools, and symbiotic organizations. We need to finish what we started with our finances and investments. We are still in need of members for our new Investment and Fundraising Committees.

Most of all, we need to sustain the momentum. And, we must constantly glance back at where we have come from, while focusing on where we are going.

James D. Schaffer  
Ohio Society  
State President  
2015 - 2016

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## Ohio Society Winter Meeting in Findlay, Ohio



Saturday BOM Meeting in Findlay, Ohio  
LtoR: OHSSAR Secretary Col. Donald C. McGraw; OHSSAR State President James D. Schaffer

The Winter Meeting of the Ohio Society was held in the Northwest District in Hancock County. The Findlay Inn and Conference Center in Findlay, Ohio, was the site of our state meeting in 2010 during President Wm. A. Robinson's term. Many in attendance remember the winter blizzard that set upon us then, requiring an additional night's stay for some attendees. Despite much trepidation, this year our surroundings were free from snow.

On the evening of February 5th, the Society hosted an outstanding plated dinner that was attended by 28 members and guests. After dinner, the ladies adjourned to the Tavern at the Inn for social activities, while the Ohio Society SAR Executive Committee convened.

Four of five members of the Executive Committee formed the necessary quorum to conduct business. Twenty-five Society members were in attendance.

During the two hour meeting, Ohio Society Treasurer and Finance Committee Chairman Steve Hinson presented several recommendations for the stability of the

Ohio Life Member Fund, which was reported at the Fall Meeting to be underfunded. The Executive Committee agreed upon a course of action to take to the Board of Management on the following day.

Compatriot Hinson also briefed the Committee on the 2016-2017 Ohio Society Operating Budget, which is to be approved by the Board annually at the Winter Meeting. Discussions were openly held, and Executive Committee members made recommendations on various line-items, with concentration centered upon increases in award amounts for the youth contests.

Compatriot Jack Breden-

foerder, a member of the Finance Committee, announced his intentions to propose the formation of a Fundraising Committee to address the budget shortfalls due to these award increases.

The meeting adjourned after two hours, after which Compatriot Robinson, Chairman of the Eagle Scout Committee, assembled volunteers to judge this year's contestants.

The Board of Management Meeting began promptly at 9:00 AM on Saturday morning, with 30 members representing 13 chapters present.

After hearing reports from officers, district, and committee chairs, the meeting turned to new business.

Motions approved by the by the Board included a resolution to make a donation to the Ohio Society Children of the American Revolution and it's incoming president's project; a resolution to make an annual memorial service at the Mound Cemetery in Marietta a state color guard event, a resolution on incremental steps to strengthen the funding of the Ohio Life Member Fund;

See State Meeting Pg. 4



Col. Donald C. McGraw Speaking at Luncheon

## National Society Spring Leadership Conference

The NSSAR held its Spring Leadership Conference from February 25-27, 2016 at the Brown Hotel in Louisville, Kentucky. Representing the Ohio Society were President James D. Schaffer; National Trustee Troy Bailey, Treasurer Steve Hinson; and Compatriots John Franklin, Jr.; Tony Robinson; Tim Ward; Jack Bredenfoerder; and James Gilbert.

The Trustee Meeting began on Thursday, February 25th. The trustees approved the State of Virginia as the location of the 2020 National Congress. Also discussed was the \$100,000 bequeath left to the NSSAR by the Ramsey Estate earmarked initially for the Eagle Scout

fund. A codicil modified this bequeath, removing the Eagle Scout fund as its intentions. After a vote to leave the monies in the Eagle Scout fund failed, an agreement was reached to form an ad hoc committee to recommend an equitable redistribution.

The Trustee Meeting reconvened on Saturday morning, February 27th. At this day-long session, business included the approval by the trustees of the Solid Light Project Interpretive Plan for the museum. Following was approval of a motion allowing implementation of the Interpretive Plan, to go forward as funds become available, with a goal to raise



*Spring Leadership Trustee Meeting at the Brown Hotel*

10M by the SAR Foundation.

Notable committee actions included the approval of Karl Jacobs (CA) as Color Guardsman of the Year. Ap-

proved as Minutemen were: David Boring (DC); Steve Renouf (CA); James T. Jones (TX); John Dodd (CA); Russ DeVenney (MO); and Dr. Rudy Byrd (AZ).

## OHSSAR Membership Increases

According to the Ohio Society Registrar's 2015 Annual Reconciliation Report filed with NSSAR, the Ohio Society added 238 members to its beginning roster of 1,553.

These additions included 157 new members, 25 new junior members, three trans-

fers-in, 51 reinstatements, and 2 transfers-in/reinstatements.

During this same period, the Society lost 189 members, with 20 deceased, 16 resignations, 8 transfers-out, and 149 who failed to renew their dues (dropped).

*See Membership Increase Pg. 4*

## Ohio Society Officer Nominations

The Ohio Society Regulations require that the Nominating Committee, at the Winter Board of Management Meeting, announce a list of recommended candidates for elected officer positions for the ensuing leadership year.

The Nominating Commit-

tee consists of the five most recent past presidents who are willing to serve, but cannot consist of more than one from any given chapter. The chairman is the member who is serving his second year as a member of this committee.

*See OHSSAR Off. Nominations Pg. 5*

## Ohio Society State Seal



The Ohio Society SAR has a new State Seal. At the Fall 2015 Board of Management Meeting in Pt. Pleasant, WV, a contest was launched by the Board of Management

with the purpose of selecting a first-ever state seal. The goal as put forth was to encourage artists/designers to design a seal that is to reflect historical events or persons of the American Revolution 1774-1783, with emphasis on those with some connection to the geographic area of present day Ohio.

An ad hoc committee was formed to design the rules and means by which the contest would be conducted. Compatriot Paul M. Wilke

was appointed as chairman of this committee.

The contest was open to all U.S. citizens, however companies, educational institutions, or organizations were prohibited from entering.

The contest ran from November 1st, 2015 to January 1st, 2016. The announcement was posted on the Ohio Society website, with entries submitted to the chairman, and thereafter posted in the order received on a special page of the web-

site. Designs were posted by number, and not the names of those who submitted them.

Voting was divided into two phases. Popular voting was permitted from January 4th to January 15th. via a special program on the website. Again, being open to the public, the purpose of the popular voting was to give the Board some idea of the popularity of each design, by both SAR members and the communities that

*See Ohio Society State Seal Pg. 5*

## Eagle Scout Contest Winners

At the Winter 2016 Ohio Society Board of Management Meeting in Findlay, Ohio, Eagle Scout Committee Chairman Wm. Anthony Robinson announced the top three winners of the Ohio Society SAR Arthur M. & Berdena King Eagle Scout award. They were selected from amongst nine entries by a panel of OHSSAR judges.

This contest is open to all Eagle Scouts who are registered in an active unit and have not reached their 19th birthday. To enter, the applicant must submit an application form, a four generation

ancestor chart, and a 500 word patriotic themed essay. Competition begins at the chapter level, and 1st place winners go on to the state competition. The 1st place winner of the state competition is entered at the national level.

The top three winners are:

1st place David Wood sponsored by the Northeastern Ohio Chapter; 2nd place Isaiah Ebert sponsored by the General Henry Knox Chapter, and 3rd place Brice Stiner sponsored by the Benjamin Franklin Chapter.

### Special Reminder

*If you are attending the NSSAR 126th Congress in Boston, you need to notify OHSSAR Secretary Donald C. McGraw, Jr. to be credentialed as a voting delegate.*

## Membership Increase

(From Pg. 3)

Thus, the Ohio Society's total membership increased by approximately 3.1% from 1,553 to 1,602.

Current data as of the printing of this bulletin shows that of the 149 members who dropped their memberships, only 15% have reinstated.

It would be to our Society's benefit for the chapter leadership, who file their

individual reconciliation reports with the Ohio Society, to reach out to those members in their chapters who have not yet reinstated, and try to determine their reasons for dropping.

Reinstatement is a simple process that only requires the filing of NSSAR form 0918 with the Ohio Society Registrar including dues.



## Americanism Score Sheets

The Ohio Society submitted its 2015 Americanism Award/ President General's Activity Combined Score Sheet to National before the March 1st deadline. The state assimilates the data from those chapters who also submit to National.

This year, the state reported 30,017 Americanism points and 33,626 Streamer points compared to 29,853

and 34,679 respectively in 2014. Once again, 10 chapters submitted their score sheets to the state.

In addition to competing at the National level for the most active states and chapters, the score sheet is an outstanding way for our organization to gauge its effectiveness in our efforts to further our patriotic, educational, and historical mis-

## Ohio Country Bulletin Delivery

The OHSSAR publishes four Ohio Country Bulletin newsletters annually, which are printed and mailed via the U.S.P.S. In addition, it is sent via email to state and chapter leaders so that they can in-turn forward as necessary, and is posted on the state website. Compatriots who would rather receive the newsletter via email instead of U.S. mail are requested to contact the OHSSAR Registrar and Secretary at [tbaily@suite224.com](mailto:tbaily@suite224.com) and [donald.c.mcgraw@gmail.com](mailto:donald.c.mcgraw@gmail.com). This could result in substantial cost savings for OHSSAR.

## State Meeting

(From Pg. 2)

and a resolution to establish a Fundraising Committee to be chaired by Compatriot Jack Bredenfoerder.

Treasurer and Finance Committee Chairman Steve Hinson presented the 2016-2017 Ohio Society Operating budget in place of 1st Vice President David B. Foster, who was not present. Recommendations from the Executive Committee from the prior evening were incorporated into the proposal, which gained the Board's approval.

Compatriot Ted Minier presented the Nominating Committee's recommendations for the 2016 - 2017 slate of officers., as Committee Chairman George Ruch was not present. The election of officers will take place at the Society Meeting on April 30th, 2016 at the 127th Annual Ohio Society

Conference.

The last order of business was the selection of a winner of the State Seal Design Contest.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 noon, after which a plated lunch was served in the hotel's atrium. The keynote speaker was Ohio Society Secretary, Colonel Donald C. McGraw, Jr., who retired from the U.S. Army after 34 years of service. Colonel McGraw spoke of the service and sacrifices of our military service men and women.

Reports, resolutions, and other related information from the Executive Committee and Board Meetings are posted on the Ohio Society website in the members-only section at [www.ohssar.org](http://www.ohssar.org).



sion.

In an analysis of the activities reported by the 10 chapters, some pertinent and useful data surfaced.

Over the course of 2015, compatriots appeared 871 times in uniform at various activities; 122 articles were published by 8 chapters; 8 school programs were presented by 4 chapters; 3 chapters participated in dis-

plays at schools, museums, or public places; 4 chapters gave awards to police, fire, EMS, or for heroism; 7 chapters sponsored only one youth award contest; 5 chapters had members attend NSSAR meetings; 10 chapters had members attend OHSSAR meetings; 2 chapters sponsored patriot grave marking ceremonies;

*Americanism Score Sheets Pg. 5*

## Welcome New Members

### *Arthur St. Clair Chapter*

Wooden, William Harrison

### *Benjamin Franklin Chapter*

Mills, Aaron Timothy  
Jennings, Ronald Edwin Jr.  
Salt, Steven Alan  
Salt, Andrew David  
Salt, Christopher Steven  
Salt, Conrad Christopher

### *Cincinnati Chapter*

Schwartz, Stephen Louis  
Schwartz, Austin Louis  
Link, Stanley Louis  
Link, Jason Michael  
Kuschel, Robert Adam  
Kuschel, Sawyer Daniel  
Jacobs, Dennis Ray  
Wilke, Paul Albert  
Snow, Scott Earl  
Snow, Jacob Scott  
Jarard, John Bradley  
Grills, Michael Bryon  
Grills, Garrett Michael

Duggins, Graham Edward

### *Richard Montgomery Chapter*

Ohlemacher, David Mark  
Francis, Jerry Dean

### *Firelands Bicentennial Chapter*

Gatts, David Lowell

### *Lafayette Chapter*

McMullan, Floyd Lester  
Ganoe, Franklin Roy  
Ganoe, Barry Lynn

### *Northeastern Ohio Chapter*

Alexander, James Madison  
Wood, Franklin Morton

### *Western Reserve Society*

Shaw, Austin Jacob

### *At Large Chapter*

Calendine, Philip Edward



## In Memoriam

### *Western Reserve Society*

Lawrence Hylas Brewster  
November 23, 2015  
David Lee Gee  
November 29, 2015  
Perry Thomas Demming  
October 7, 2015

### *Northeastern Ohio Chapter*

Danny Lee Garner  
September 22, 2015

### *General Henry Knox Chapter*

Richard Dale Gilbreath  
December 7, 2015

### *Richard Montgomery Chapter*

Jack C. Sowder  
December 18, 2015  
Carl Andrew Nissen Jr.  
July 27, 2015

### *Lafayette Chapter*

Robert Nute Farling  
January 9, 2016

### *At Large Chapter*

Donald W. Moyer  
January 27, 2016

### *Northwestern Territory Chapter*

Philip J. Lupien, Jr.  
February 20, 2016

## OHSSAR Officer Nominations

(From Pg. 3)

The Nominating Committee recommends the following candidates for 2016-2017:

President  
Rev. David B. Foster  
1st Vice President  
Col. Donald C. McGraw, Jr.  
2nd Vice President  
Shawn A. Cox  
Secretary  
Turner Lee Wilkerson III  
Registrar  
Troy Bailey  
Treasurer  
L. Stephen Hinson  
Chancellor  
Richard L. Carr, Jr. Esq.  
Historian  
Dr. James D. River  
Genealogist  
Timothy E. Ward  
Chaplain  
Rev. James O. Fast

National Trustee  
James D. Schaffer  
Alternate Nat. Trustee  
Rev. David B. Foster  
Directors at Large  
(Continuing Terms)  
2014 - 2017  
William A. Robinson  
2013 - 2016  
Timothy E. Ward  
2015 - 2018  
Paul M. Wilke

The elections occur at the annual Society Meeting which will take place on April 30th, 2016 in Blue Ash, Ohio. At that time, nominations can also be made from the floor prior to the voting. Voting is open to all Ohio Society SAR members who are in good standing.



## Ohio Society State Seal

(From Pg. 3)

we engage. The top five designs with the most popular votes were displayed at the Spring 2016 Board of Management Meeting in Findlay, OH. The selection of a winner was detailed to the Board of Management.

At the Meeting, voting by Board members was conducted by written ballot. Two designs tied for the most votes, requiring a run-off vote.

The winning design was submitted by NSSAR past-President General Joseph W.

Dooley, a member of the Virginia and Ohio Societies.

The center of the new seal depicts Fort Laurens, the only Revolutionary War fort located in Ohio.

The seal may have variety of applications on stationery, business cards, t-shirts, signs, flags, and websites.

The Ohio Society SAR extends its gratitude to all of those who took the time to submit their designs. Our congratulations and appreciation are especially extended to PG Dooley.

## Americanism Score Sheets

(From Pg. 4)

2 chapters sponsored patriot grave markings; 3 chapters attended 26 naturalization ceremonies; 2 chapters reported veteran's service activities; and 2 chapters sponsored genealogy seminars.

The categories included by NSSAR on these score sheets are designed to guide the states and chapters in the engagement of their members and communities.

The Ohio Society thanks the Benjamin Franklin, Camp Charlotte, Centennial, Cincinnati, Firelands Bicentennial, General Henry Knox, Hocking Valley, Northeastern Ohio, Northwest Terri-

tory, and Western Reserve Society chapters for completing their score sheets. It helps the organization to compile this data no matter what the score is.





# OHIO SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

## 127th ANNUAL CONFERENCE

### FEATURED EVENTS

**April 29th, 2016 - 6:00 PM**  
**Dinner - Carpenter's Run Ballroom 3**



Presentation

"The Captain Howard Miller Historic Flag Collection"

Compatriot Paul M. Wilke, a past National Society Sons of the American Revolution Vice-President General and Ohio Society President, presently serves as a Director at Large on the Ohio Society SAR Board of Management. His presentation is on the Captain Howard A. Miller Historic Flag Collection, an assembly of 70 patriotic and historic flags which have flown over American soil. The collection is on permanent loan to the Cincinnati Ohio Chapter SAR.

Roasted Loin of Pork - \$29.50

Maple Roasted Pork Loin Served with Apple Raisin Celery Chutney  
*Or*

Chicken Supreme - \$29.50

Chicken Breast Baked with a Light Coating of Bread Crumbs Topped with a Creamy White Wine and Garlic Sauce  
*Both Served With*

House Salad; Caribbean Blend Vegetables; Sweet Potato Casserole; Dinner Rolls, Coffee, Tea, Water Service; and Dessert (Alternating Cakes)  
*Or*

Tortellini Primavera Vegetarian - \$26.00

Cheese Filled Multi-Color Tortellini with Sautéed Vegetables topped with Basic Cream Sauce

**April 30th, 2016 - 12:00 PM**  
**Lunch - Carpenter's Run Ballroom 3**



Presentation

"The Unintended Consequences of John Cleves Symmes"

Mr. Greg Hand, proprietor of the "Cincinnati Curiosities" blog (handeaux.tumblr.com), is the retired associate vice president for public relations and spokesman for the University of Cincinnati. His presentation is on John Cleves Symmes, Revolutionary War veteran, and his vision for how southwest Ohio should be settled and developed.

Soup, Baked Potato and Salad Bar- \$21.00

Chef's Soup of the Day, Garden Fresh Mixed Romaine Blend with Assorted Toppings and Dressings, Fresh Seasonal Fruit, Colossal Idaho Bakers Served with a Selection of Toppings Including: Grilled Chicken, Grilled Steak, Sautéed Broccoli and Cauliflower Florets, Grated Cheese, Green Onions, Sour Cream and Bacon, Warm Rolls and Sweet Creamery Butter

*Includes:*

*Coffee, Tea, Water Service, and Dessert Station*

**April 30th, 2016 - 6:00 PM**  
**Awards Banquet - Carpenter's Run Ballroom 3**



Guest of Honor & Keynote Speaker

NSSAR Secretary General J. Michael Tomme, Sr.

Compatriot Tomme presently serves as Secretary General of the National Society Sons of the American Revolution. His previous offices within the organization include: Treasurer General; Registrar General; George Washington Endowment Fund Board; National Trustee; National Color Guard Commander; President Georgia Society; and President Marquis de Lafayette Chapter. He retired from a 34 year career with the State of Georgia Risk Management Department. Compatriot Tomme is a candidate for the office of National Society President General for 2016 - 2017.

Hazelnut Crusted Halibut- \$32.00

Served with a White Wine Citrus Butter and a Crushed Hazelnut Breadcrumb Topping  
*Or*

Roast Prime Rib of Beef - \$34.00

Tender Roasted Prime Rib, Served with Natural Au Jus and Creamed Horseradish Sauce  
*Or*

Stuffed Portobello Mushroom Vegetarian - \$32.00

*All Three Served With*

House Salad; Green Beans Almandine; Steamed Redskin Potatoes; Dinner Rolls; Coffee, Tea, and Water Service, & Strawberry Mousse Dessert

- Cash Bar - 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
  - Receiving Line Forms - 5:30 PM
- Dress Code - Black Tie; Suit; or Revolutionary War Uniform



# OHIO SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION 127th Annual State Conference

April 29th - May 1st, 2016

### EVENTS

- Spring Executive Committee Meeting
- Spring Board of Management Meeting
- Annual Society Meeting
- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
- Youth Contest Judging
- Annual Awards Banquet
- Service of Remembrance

### VENUE

#### Crowne Plaza Hotel

5901 Pfeiffer Road  
Blue Ash, Ohio 45242  
(800) 468-3597  
(513) 793-4500

39°14'53.9"N 84°22'07.1"W

Double-Double Room \$120 per night  
King Room \$120 per night

Includes 2 Hot Breakfast Buffets Per Room

A block of rooms has been reserved at this rate until **April 8th, 2016**. Make your room reservations directly with the hotel, but pay the Ohio Society SAR with the below form. Incidental expenses will be the responsibility of each guest. The guest will be expected to leave a valid credit card or a cash deposit in the amount of \$25.00 per day for the length of stay with the hotel at the time of check-in.

### SCHEDULE

#### Friday April 29th, 2016

3:00 PM - 6:00 PM Registration	6:00 PM Dinner
3:00 PM - 10:00 PM Hospitality Room	7:30 PM Executive Committee Meeting
5:00 PM Cocktails (Lobby Lounge)	7:30 PM Ladies Social Time

#### Saturday April 30th, 2016

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM Registration	1:30 PM Poster & Brochure Judging
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM Hospitality Room	2:00 PM D.G. High Oration Contest
9:00 AM Board & Annual Society Meeting	5:00 PM Cocktails (Banquet Room)
9:00 AM Ladies Auxiliary Meeting	5:30 PM Banquet Receiving Line
12:00 PM Lunch	6:00 PM Annual Awards Banquet (Black Tie; Suit; Uniform)

#### Sunday May 1st, 2016

9:00 AM Service of Remembrance	10:00 AM Installation of Officers
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Detach ↑

OHIO SOCIETY 127th ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Enclose With Payment ↓

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Society/Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### SELECTIONS

#### Friday Dinner

Roasted Pork: Persons \_\_\_ @ \$29.50 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chicken Supreme: Persons \_\_\_ @ \$29.50 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vegetarian: Persons \_\_\_ @ \$26.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### Saturday Lunch

Soup, Baked Potato,  
& Salad Bar: Persons \_\_\_ @ \$21.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### Saturday Banquet

Halibut: Persons \_\_\_ @ \$32.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Prime Rib: Persons \_\_\_ @ \$34.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vegetarian: Persons \_\_\_ @ \$32.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### Sleeping Rooms

King Room Nights: \_\_\_ @ \$120.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dbl. Room Nights: \_\_\_ @ \$120.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### PAYMENT

*Make check payable to  
Treasurer, OHSSAR  
and mail to:*

**Mr. L. Stephen Hinson**  
5863 Beech Street  
Andover, OH 44003  
(440) 293-4314

*Registration Deadline  
Friday, April 8th, 2016*

### TOTALS

Fri. Dinner: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + Sat Lunch: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + Sat Banquet: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + Room Nights: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# Dates to Remember

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April 1-2, 2016: Ohio Society DAR 117th State Conference, Columbus, OH

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

May 28, 2016: Battle of Vincennes Memorial Service, Vincennes, IN

May 26, 2016: Memorial Service Mound Cemetery, Marietta, OH

July 6-13, 2016: 126th Annual National Society Congress, Boston MA

July 29-30, 2016: Ohio Society Summer Meeting, Bolivar, OH

July 30, 2016: Fort Laurens Memorial Service, Bolivar, OH

August 20, 2016: Battle of Blue Licks Memorial Service, Carlisle, KY

October 7-8, 2016: Ohio Society Fall Meeting, Gallipolis, OH

October 7-9, 2016: WVSSAR Battle Days, Point Pleasant, WV

November 4-5, 2016: Central District SAR Annual Meeting, Erlanger, KY

## More Ways to Stay Informed

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

### NATIONAL SOCIETY

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

[www.facebook.com/groups/sonsoftheamericanrevolution/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/sonsoftheamericanrevolution/)

### CENTRAL DISTRICT

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

### OHIO SOCIETY

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

[www.ohssardispatch.wordpress.com](http://www.ohssardispatch.wordpress.com)

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