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**Bulletin**

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

Spring 2018 Newsletter

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**Message from the President**



This is my last of eight Ohio Bulletins and my last opportunity to address the more than 1,800 members of the Ohio Society. I cannot thank you enough for the opportunity to serve as the Society's President for two years. The time has flown by and I find we have our 129<sup>th</sup> Ohio Society Annual Conference coming in less than two months. I have deliberately planned this year's meeting in Columbus so that it is as geographically in the center of the state as possible in hopes that it will encourage those who have not attended a meeting in the past to do so this year. On Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, you will be electing the new State Society officers that will lead our organization forward. This year's slate of officers is impressive, and you will find it in this Bulletin.

One of my most important priorities this year was to grow our membership. In my first year as President (2016-2017), our net increase in membership was 4 Compatriots, despite gaining 132 new members and 52 reinstatements. The losses due to resignations and failures to pay dues was significant. I am glad to report that we have turned this around in 2017-2018 and we experienced a net increase of 103 Compatriots this year. Recruitment and sustainment of the membership is Chapter-level work and I think all those involved at the Chapter-level should be commended for their efforts this year.

Additionally, in the last couple years we have embarked on several efforts to strengthen the overall operations of our Society. This includes seven new Administrative Instructions added to our By-laws that strengthened and codified many of our financial procedures and investment policies. At the same time 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President Steve Hinson took on an effort to get all our Chapters compliant with Ohio Charitable Organizations regulations. While there will always be more work to do, it is important to occasionally pause and look back to see how far we have come.

So what is next? Between now and our Annual Conference (4-6 May), there are numerous events planned – Color Guards participating in community events, Patriot grave marking ceremonies, Chapter meetings and luncheons. Our Patriotic, Educational and Historical work never ends. Again, it is my hope that as many Compatriots as possible will be able to attend our 129<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference in Columbus.

Let me close by sending my sincere thanks to all those Compatriots who served as officers, committee chairmen & members and those that simply helped when asked. It has been through your efforts that we have furthered our cause for increased patriotic, educational and historical awareness of those who fought for and gave us this great Democracy. May we continue to do so and ensure this America they so loved and created is forever worthy of their sacrifices.

Donald C. McGraw, Jr.  
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2016 - 2018

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## OHSSAR Winter Board of Management Meeting

The 2018 Winter Meeting of the Ohio Society took place in the Northeast District in Cuyahoga County, southeast of Cleveland on Friday and Saturday, 2-3 February 2018. The Cleveland Marriott East in Warrensville Heights, Ohio was the site of this year's meeting. The Ohio Society was last in Cleveland for its 122<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference in 2011 during President John Franklin's term.

On the evening of February 2<sup>nd</sup>, the hotel offered a no-host dinner that was followed by an Ohio Society Executive Committee meeting that was attended by 18 Compatriots. All five members of the Executive Committee were present. The ladies adjourned to another location while the Ohio Society Executive Committee convened.

President McGraw reviewed with the Executive Committee the agenda items that would be brought before the Board of Management on Saturday. Additionally, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Shawn Cox provided an overview of his proposed **budget for 2018-2019**. Generally, the budget is not much different from those of the recent past. It is a balanced budget that assumes the worst case for expenses and a challenge to raise \$4,000.00 through fundraising activities. All current officers and committee chairmen provided input to the budget. In general, the budget expenses break down as follows:

55% - Operating Expenses (Meetings, Insurance, Newsletter, etc.)  
26% - Youth Awards and Programs  
7% - Contributions & Donations

### 12% - Officer Expenses

This budget was presented to the Board of Management on Saturday and after some discussion, it was approved by acclaim. The Executive Committee Meeting adjourned at 8PM.

The Board of Management Meeting convened promptly at 9:00 AM on Saturday morning with 23 Compatriots representing 16 Chapters. First on the agenda were reports from Officers, District Chairmen and Committee Chairmen. Treasurer Jack Bredenfoerder noted the need to draft 3 Administrative Instructions that have been called for in our Regulations but never completed. These include 1) Requirement for Membership, Preparing and Processing of Membership Applications; 2) The Ohio Society Life Membership Plan; and 3) Annual National Membership Registration (or reconciliation). President McGraw agreed to set up an Ad Hoc committee to draft these instructions.

During the Committee reports, the **Finance Committee** presented three resolutions to the Board of Management. Resolution 18-03 provided for an update to Administrative Instruction 800-1, *Treasurer Administrative Procedure*, to clarify the process for depositing checks. Resolution 18-05 asked the Board to approve Administrative Instruction 800-5, *Investment Policy and Procedure*. Resolution 18-06 asked the Board to authorize the Investment Committee to proceed with the evaluation, selection and purchase of a stock mutual fund offered by Fidelity Investments. All three resolutions were unani-

(See State Meeting Pg. 4)

## NSSAR Spring Leadership Meeting

The National Society Sons of the American Revolution held their Spring Leadership meeting in Louisville, Kentucky on March 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 2018. The Ohio Society was well represented. Compatriots in attendance were Troy Bailey – OHSSAR Registrar – Northeastern Ohio Chapter, John H. Bredenfoerder – OHSSAR Treasurer – Cincinnati Chapter, Craig Cairns – Ebenezer Zane Chapter, Shawn A. Cox – OHSSAR 1st Vice-President - Arthur St. Clair Chapter, John H. Franklin, Jr. – OHSSAR Past-President - Western Reserve Society, Michael Gunn – Cincinnati Chapter, Steve Hinson – OHSSAR 2nd Vice-President – Northeastern Ohio Chapter, Larry Perkins – OHSSAR Eastern District Chairman – Ebenezer Zane Chapter, James D. Schaffer – OHSSAR National Trustee – Cincinnati Chapter,, Elwin Spray – OHSSAR Southwest District Chairman – Richard Montgomery Chapter, and Timothy E. Ward – OHSSAR Genealogist/Alternate Trustee – Northeastern Ohio Chapter.

At the Trustee's Meeting, several motions were considered, and each passed. These motions are described here briefly:

Motion #1: The Executive Committee recommended that the Trustees issue another RFP for a new website within 60 days with specifications supplied by the IT Committee within 45 days.

Motion #2: The Executive Committee recommended that the Trustees issue another RFP for a new member database module within 60 days with specifications supplied by the IT Committee within 45 days.

Motion #3: The Executive Committee recommended that the John Michael Tomme and Pricilla G. Lee Youth Council Awards Fund be moved into the National Society SAR Investment Fund.

Motion #4: The Executive Committee recommended that the Dr. Tom and Betty Lawrence American History Teacher Award Fund be moved from the SAR Foundation to the National Society SAR Investment Fund. (See NSSAR Meeting Pg 4)

## OHSSAR Nominating Committee's Slate of Officers for 2017-2018

At the Winter Board of Management meeting on February 3<sup>rd</sup>, the OHSSAR Nominating Committee, chaired by Past-President James D. Schaffer, submitted the following proposed slate of officers for the 2018-2019 term:

President	Shawn A. Cox
First Vice President	L. Stephen Hinson
Second vice President	Turner L. Wilkerson III
Secretary	Steven E. Frash
Registrar	Troy Bailey
Treasurer	John H. Bredenfoerder
Chancellor	Richard L. Carr, Jr. Esq.
Historian	Dr. James D. River
Genealogist	Timothy E. Ward
Chaplain	Rev. James O. Fast
Director-At-Large (2018-2021)	Paul M. Wilke
National Trustee	James D. Schaffer
Alt National Trustee	Shawn A. Cox
Continuing terms	
Director-At-Large (2017-2020)	William A. Robinson
Director-At-Large (2016-2019)	Timothy E. Ward

The Nominating Committee is made up of the five most recent past-presidents who are able and willing to serve, but not more than one may be from a given chapter. This year's Nominating Committee included James D. Schaffer (Chair), Ted M. Minier (Vice Chairman), Rev. James O. Fast, William A. Robinson and Timothy E. Ward. Elections will be held during the Annual Conference General Membership Meeting on May 5th.

### Christmas Parade—Somerset



On December 2nd, the Hocking Valley Chapter marched in the Somerset Christmas Parade (Perry County) and gathered for dinner at the Clay Haus, a historic restaurant in Somerset.

## Mahoning Valley Chapter Celebrates Washington's Birthday



*Mahoning Valley Chapter, Phil Bracy welcomes from Left to Right, Dan Matheke, NEO Chapter Secretary, Steve Hinson, 2nd Vice President and NEO Chapter President, Troy Bailey, State Registrar and Chapter President Phil Bracy. Photo by Diane Bracy.*

Members and guests of the Mahoning Valley Chapter Sons of the American Revolution gathered at Salsitas Restaurant in Austintown, Ohio on Saturday February 17th to celebrate President George Washington's Birthday. Joining the chapter for the event were Ohio Society SAR Registrar Troy Bailey; Ohio Society SAR 2nd Vice-President Steve Hinson; and Northeastern Ohio Chapter Secretary Dan Matheke.

During the business meeting, the chapter officers for 2018 were elected. They are President Philip Bracy; Vice President John Oppe; Secretary Scott Davis; Registrar/Genealogist Craig Campbell; Treasurer Jonathan Guerrier and Chaplain Jim Alexander. State Registrar Troy Bailey administered the oath of office.

Chapter President Bracy then swore in Adam Russell and Austin Michael Wentz as Junior Members. They joined their father and grandfather as Chapter Charter Members.

Dave Mannion was recognized for his ongoing efforts at the Canfield Fair with the presentation of the Ohio Society Challenge Coin. State Registrar and Northeast District Chairman Troy Bailey and Northeastern Ohio Chapter Secretary Dan Matheke were recognized for their tireless efforts helping form the Mahoning Valley Chapter.

In other business, Chapter President Phil Bracy announced that Scott Davis will serve as chairman of the Youth Programs Committee, in addition to duties as the chairman of Trumbull County recruitment activities. Brian Young will undertake the chairman responsibilities of the JROTC Committee. For YSU ROTC Committee, Chris Wentz will serve as chairman and John Dalbec will join the committee as a member. The Canfield Fair Committee will be chaired by John Phillips, with Dave Mannion and John Oppe assisting as members. John Oppe is changing chairmanship from the Canfield Fair Committee to the chairmanship of Columbiana County recruitment activities and will organize the chapter's color guard. John's extensive knowledge of Columbiana County and the close partnership with the NSDAR Mahoning County Chapter, which has been active there for some time, will be a successful combination. Bracy stated: "I am sure it will lead to great results for both organizations". Compatriots interested in serving on any of the committees were invited to contact the Chairmen today or through the chapter's dedicated email. The chapter welcomed back Craig Campbell, Chapter Registrar and Genealogist, who returned to his duties after being challenged by a life-threatening illness.



## Ohio Society Winter Board of Management Meeting

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mously approved by the Board of Management.

Compatriot Ted Minier, acting for the **Nominating Committee** Chairman, presented the Ohio Society slate of Officers for the 2018-2019 term of office. See page 3 for the Committee's report.

The Board then turned to Unfinished Business. 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Steve Hinson provided an update on the number of Chapters still working to complete their **Ohio Charitable Trust Registration**. Thus far 15 Chapters have completed their registration, 9 are in the process of completing theirs and Steve is working to determine the status of the rest.

Compatriot John Franklin provided an update on the **Ohio Historical Connection's historical marker for Fort Laurens**. Funding for the project is equally split between the OHSSAR, Ohio DAR and the Friends of Fort Laurens Foundation (\$1,000 each). Additionally, the Ohio Society SAR has been able to obtain a grant from the NSSAR's George Washington Endowment Fund for \$600 that will help offset some of the installation and ceremony costs.

Finally in Unfinished Business, the Board received the report from Secretary Lee Wilkerson, Chairman of the Ad Hoc Committee to review and refine **Administrative Instruction 400-2 Ohio Society Sex Offender Registry Check Policy**. After some spirited discussion on the policy, the Administrative Instruction was approved by the Board of Management.

The Board then turned its attention to matters of New Business. First up was the annual resolution to approve the OHSSAR's annual donation to the **Ohio Society, Children of the American Revolution**, \$200, and a \$100 donation to sup-

port the C.A.R. President's Project (this year it is support for Honor Flights for Veterans). These donations are presented at the OSCAR's Annual Banquet, this year on March 3<sup>rd</sup> and the donations are provided for in the budget. The resolution passed unanimously.

Lastly, President McGraw made the Board aware of the ongoing construction of the **National Veterans Memorial and Museum** in Columbus, Ohio. This will be the first of its kind Veterans memorial/museum in the country and is slated to open later this year. President McGraw has been in touch with the museum's operating committee and has offered the OHSSAR Color Guard's participation in the opening ceremonies and dedication. It would only be fitting for a Color Guard from our Society to represent the first generation of Veterans of our nation. The meeting was then adjourned at 11:10 AM.

### NSSAR Spring Meeting

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Motion #5: The Arizona Society made a motion that the National Society SAR support the efforts of the Citizens Flag Alliance to protect the National flag from desecration and disrespect and reaffirm our endorsement.

Motion #6: The Executive Committee recommended that the Executive Director be authorized to enter into a contract for build-out of the 2nd floor of the Headquarters building in an amount not to exceed \$200,000.

Motion #7: The Education Committee recommended that the American Founding Documents curriculum and workbooks developed by the American Founding Documents Sub-committee be funded in the amount of \$7,000 to introduce the concept as a prototype in specific schools for beta testing and feedback.

Motion #8: The Genealogy Committee recommended that the mandatory enactment date of March 1, 2018 for the new member application forms approved by the Trustees previously be changed to an enactment date of March 2, 2019 due to delays in their development.

Motion #9: The Finance Committee recommended that the Trustees accept the portfolio of allocations recommended by the 5/3rd Bank investment advisers for the George Washington Endowment Fund and the SAR Foundation Funds for 2018-2019.

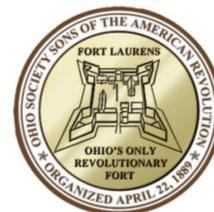
At National there are a plethora of committees and most of them met during the Spring meeting. The National Membership Committee reported that Membership at the end of 2017 was 36,961. Of note to the Ohio Society, the Eagle Scout Committee announced that OHSSAR Compatriot Daniel Patrick Beebe of the Marietta Chapter has been selected by the committee to receive the Robert E. Burt Boy Scout Volunteer Award.

### NSSAR Announces General Officer Nominations for 2017-2018

At the NSSAR Spring Leadership & Trustees Meeting, the Nominating Committee made the following endorsements for the 2018-2019 General Officer election:

President General	Warren M. Alter
Secretary General	John T. Manning
Treasurer General	Davis L. Wright
Chancellor General	Richard T. Bryant, Esq.
Genealogist General	Jim L.W. Faulkinbury
Registrar General	C. Bruce Pickette
Historian General	John O. Thornhill
Librarian General	Douglas T. Collins
Surgeon General	Dr Darryl S. Addington, MD
Chaplain General	Dr John C. Wakefield

These are the same persons endorsed by the Ohio Society at our Fall Board of Management Meeting on October 2017 with the exception of the Genealogist General. The actual elections for these positions will occur at the NSSAR 128<sup>th</sup> Congress in Houston, TX, July 13-18, 2018.



## Welcome New Members

### Western Reserve Society

James A. Jennings

### Cincinnati

James R. Bissell  
Anthony S. Brannen  
Stephen A. Brannen  
James T. Crane  
James T. Dent  
Ralph W. Dent  
Jim E. James

### Benjamin Franklin

Graham H. Bailey  
Jack R. Bailey  
John T. Bennett  
Roger S. Dyer  
Dewey W. Hildebrand  
Richard S. Kaufman  
Byron R. Lupton  
Thomas W. Rice, Jr.  
Joseph W. Sanders  
Ronald M. Sanders  
Mark T. Taracuk

### Richard Montgomery

Keith G. Davis  
Michael E. Roundtree (TRI)

### Lafayette

Joseph A. Bistransky  
Michael T. Eberhart  
Christian M. Raineri  
Richard S. Weigle, Jr.  
Roger N. Williams

### George Rogers Clark

Larry Barnett

(TRI—Transfer In)

### Northeastern Ohio

Dale H. Fellows  
Benjamin S. Pugel  
Harrison M. Pugel  
Henry T. Pugel

### Firelands Bicentennial

Kyle O. VonKamp

### Arthur St. Clair

Joseph D. Coyan

### John Hancock

Martin A. Cook  
Tracy S. McKee  
Nathaniel Spicer  
Robert M. Spicer  
Robert M. Trost

### General Henry Knox

Arthur J. Mizer

### Marietta

William F. Conroy, IV.

### Camp Charlotte

Jeffrey R. Lear  
Ricky L. Lear  
Scott G. Lear

### Hocking Valley

Mark W. Hardman  
Noah R. Hardman  
Andrew V. Snavely  
Benjamin D. Snavely

### Mahoning Valley

Adam R. Wentz  
Austin M. Wentz

## In Memoriam

*Be Thou at Peace*

### Richard Montgomery

David L. Penrod  
February 22, 2018

### John Stark

Claude L. Roe  
August 15, 2016

### Lafayette

Jack D. Huggins  
December 12, 2017

### Northeastern Ohio

Keith E. Mygrant  
January 20, 2018

### Firelands Bicentennial

Seaton A. Schweitzer  
January 24, 2018

### Centennial

Gordon D. Best  
February 27, 2018

### Northwest Territory

Billy L. Latta  
February 24, 2018

### Frederic W. Strobel

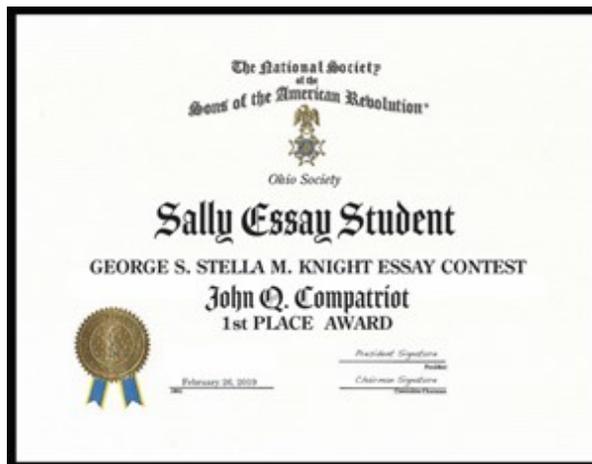
February 15, 2018

### Hocking Valley

John T. Dye  
February 8, 2018



## Youth Awards Naming Opportunities



### Add your name to an Ohio Society SAR Youth Award **FOREVER!**

#### **The D.G. High Oration 1st Place Award**

Your \$20,000 Legacy Donation endsows an annual \$1000 award.

#### **The Eagle Scout Award**

Your \$16,000 Legacy Donation endsows an annual \$800 award.

#### **The JROTC Award**

Your \$16,000 Legacy Donation endsows an annual \$800 award.

#### **The George & Stella Knight Essay Contest 1st Place Award**

Your \$10,000 Legacy Donation endsows an annual \$500 award

#### **The Americanism Poster Contest 1st Place Award**

Your \$5,000 Legacy Donation endsows an annual \$250 award.

#### **The Moses Adams Memorial Brochure Contest 1st Place Award**

Your \$5,000 Legacy Donation endsows an annual \$250 award.

For more information, contact the Ohio Society SAR Fund-raising Chairman: jack.b@fuse.net



## Wreaths Across America



Wreaths Across America was held on Saturday, December 16, 2017. Over 1,470,000 wreaths were placed on Veterans' graves at over 1000 cemeteries. For the second year in a row every grave at Arlington National Cemetery received a wreath. (Pictured is Compatriot Steve Kelley)



## Around Ohio



### Naturalization Ceremonies



L/R: Compatriot Jack Bredenfoerder (Cincinnati), a new citizen, Jerry Knight (Cincinnati) and Ken Carpenter (Highlanders) pose for a picture after the ceremony.

Members of the Cincinnati & Highlanders Chapters attended five Naturalization Ceremonies in January 2018. Compatriots Jerry Knight, Jack Bredenfoerder and Highlanders SAR President Ken Carpenter (as well as many others) welcomed the new citizens at each event. They often spend time with the new citizens after the ceremony, posing for pictures. Most ceremonies are held at the U.S. District Courthouse, but some are at other venues such as local schools. Throughout 2017, the Cincinnati & Highlanders Chapters participated in more than 40 Naturalization Ceremonies.



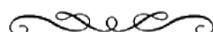
### OHSSAR Visits the Battle of Kettle Creek



LtoR: NSSAR Secretary General Warren Alter; Past NSSAR President General J. Michael Tomme; Ohio Society SAR Steve Frash

On February 10th and 11th, 2018, OHSSAR Marietta Chapter President Steve Frash and daughter Ms. Lisa L. Rose of the Ohio Society DAR (Elizabeth Sherman Reese Chapter), traveled to Wilkes County, Georgia to attend the 239th Anniversary of the Battle of Kettle Creek. The three-day commemorative event was sponsored by the Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution.

The Battle of Kettle Creek occurred during the American Revolution on February 14, 1779 and was a between a militia force of patriots and a loyalist militia force. It was considered an American victory.



### Western Reserve Society Annual Awards Banquet



L to R: Lee C. MacBride (2015), Douglas M. Dechert (2006), John H. Franklin, Jr. (2007), Roger P. Jones (2009), Zackary K. Hoon (2017), J. Atlee Horner III (2016), Ted M. Minier (2011), Fredrick A. Watkins (2013) and William M. Donley (2003).

On Friday evening, December 15, the Western Reserve Society held its Annual Meeting and Holiday Dinner at The Tudor Arms Hotel of Cleveland. As members and guests arrived, holiday music was played on the piano and warm apple cider and drinks flowed.

After dinner, two new members, Richard W. Ashton and Brian J. Lamb, were inducted into WRS by President William Shanklin. The highlight of the evening was awarding the Archibald Willard Award and bowl by last recipient J. Atlee Horner to long time member and Past President, Zackary K. Hoon. Past recipients of the Willard Award congratulated the 2017 awardee Zackary K. Hoon (see picture).

President William Shanklin called the Annual Meeting to order and the necrology report was read of those compatriots that passed away in 2017.

Then the slate of new officers for 2018 was presented. The new officers are: David B. Foster (President/ Chaplin), J. Atlee Horner III (1st Vice President/Treasurer), Thomas M. Stickney (2nd Vice President/Parliamentarian), William L.S. Ross (Secretary), Richard C.O. Rezie (Registrar), Nathan P. Carmon (Genealogist), William Shanklin (Trustee), Peter W. Knox (Trustee) and Daniel Mitchel (Trustee). Congratulations to all of these compatriots.

### Hocking Valley Awards



On January 20th, the Hocking Valley Chapter held its Annual Awards Gathering at the Lancaster Library (Fairfield County), attended by State SAR President Don McGraw. Many awards were given out this year, including a Heroism Award to the widow of Kirksville Police Chief Steven Disario who was killed by a gunman in May of this year. The chapter also donated a check for \$300 to the widow, Aryn Disario, and her family of six children who were in attendance.

After the Awards Gathering, three chapter members and two wives went to the Crestview Manor Nursing Home to award compatriot John Dye, 90, the Meritorious Service Medal. John has been instrumental in the chapter's outreach to school history education for years. Unfortunately, John passed away on February 8<sup>th</sup>.



# The Ohio Society

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*129<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING - 4 THRU 6 MAY 2018*

**Venue**

Crowne Plaza – Dublin  
600 Metro Place North  
Dublin, OH 43017

**Reservations**

1(877) 424-2449 or 1(614)764-2200

DbI Queen Rm (no-smoking) @ \$142.00 / Nite  
King Rm (no-smoking) @ \$142.00 / Nite

**Schedule**

**Friday, 4 May 2018**

3:00 – 6:00 PM Registration  
3:00 – 10:00 PM Hospitality Room  
5:00 – 6:00 PM Cocktails  
6:00 – 7:30 PM Dinner  
7:30 – 9:00 PM Ex Comm Meeting  
7:30 – 9:00 PM Ladies Social Time

**Saturday, 5 May 2018**

8:00 – 9:00 AM Registration  
8:00 – 4:00 PM Hospitality Room  
9:00 – 11:30 AM Board & Annual Society Meeting  
9:00 – 11:00 AM Ladies Social Time  
12:00 – 1:30 PM Lunch  
1:30 – 2:00 PM Poster & Brochure Judging  
2:00 – 4:00 PM D.G. High Oration Contest  
5:00 – 7:00 PM Cocktails  
5:30 – 6:00 PM Banquet Receiving Line  
6:00 – 9:30 PM Annual Awards Banquet  
*(Black Tie, Suit, Period Dress or Uniform)*

**Sunday, 6 May 2018**

9:00 – 9:45 AM Service of Remembrance  
9:45 – 10:15 AM Installation of 2018-2019 Officers

**A block of rooms has been reserved at this rate until Wednesday, 4 April 2018**

Make your own 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 the stay with the hotel at the time of check-in.

**Deadline for Reservations  
4 April 2018**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

**Friday Night Dinner**

Roasted Sliced Pork #persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$34.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
Pan Seared Chicken #persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$33.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
Herb Crusted Cod #persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$36.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Saturday Lunch**

Metro Deli #persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$32.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Saturday Night Banquet**

Bone in Pork Chop #persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$41.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
Stuffed Chicken #persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$38.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
Roasted Salmon #persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$38.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
New York Strip #persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$42.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Lodging**

Double Room Nights \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$142.00 = \_\_\_\_\_ and/or King Room Nights \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$142.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment Summary**

Friday Nite Dinner \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + Saturday Lunch \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + Saturday Dinner \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + Room Nights \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENT**

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

**John Bredenfoerder, 8751 Haverhill Lane, Cincinnati, OH 45236**

# Dates to Remember

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May 4-6, 2018: OHSSAR 129th Annual Meeting, Dublin, Ohio

July 13-18, 2018: 128th Congress, Houston, Texas

July 27-28, 2018: OHSSAR Summer Meeting, Bolivar, Ohio

July 28, 2017: Fort Laurens Memorial Ceremony, Bolivar, Ohio

October 5-7, 2017: Fall Meeting, Point Pleasant, WV

Fundraising for OHSSAR Youth Programs

Go to : <https://www.gofundme.com/25jbsrjr>

## More Ways to Stay Informed

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

### **NATIONAL SOCIETY**

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

[www.facebook.com/groups/sonsoftheamericanrevolution/](http://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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