



The Indiana Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

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Report to the INSSAR House of Delegates

2013 Dues –

The 2013 dues collection process is well underway, with all the Chapters receiving their kits. Special congratulations to the Simon Kenton Chapter for turning in 100% of its 2013 dues already!

New Member Applications –

The INSSAR is having a banner year. We are close to doubling the records of new applicants (2011) of 57. This is because of the hard work of everyone in Indiana. You are working hard, and it is paying off. It is critical that all applications that we receive meet the published standards from NSSAR. Some of our applications are starting to not hit those standards at 100%. Let's make sure that they are always "Approval Ready."

Two areas that remain trouble hot spots:

1. Checks for National needs to be made to: **NSSAR Treasurer General** (we see all kinds of incorrect checks and this become a problem for National to cash them.
2. Family Plan – In order for the discount to work it must:
 - a. All the members of the family plan must be submitted at the same time as the original applicant, which they are coming in under.
 - b. Have ALL the members of the family plan on one Check to NSSAR Treasurer General.

Membership Renewal/Drop –

With your help, the INSSAR has gained some ground in reclaiming those members who have dropped. Now that we are entering the 2013 dues collection process, let us make every effort to ensure we do not lose the ground we have gained. It is also a good time to gain even more ground by inviting those members who dropped over the last several years to rejoin. Invite your Chapter members to call them, send them notes, etc. – let them know we miss them.

NSSAR Fall Leadership –

The INSSAR was asked to host a seminar for Secretaries (State and Chapter) at the Fall Leadership in Louisville, KY. It was very well received and those in attendance asked for more. We will be following up with the President General to see if he is interested in the Spring Leadership hosting another session building off the first. One of the results of the session is that a Google Group was started for all Secretaries (Current, past, elected) to share ideas, information, tools, etc. We encourage all INSSAR Secretaries to join the group at - <https://groups.google.com/d/forum/secretary-information-sar> It is a closed group in that your request to join needs approval, as we want to be sure it is only SAR members in the group.

Respectfully Submitted,
Wayne Eells



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INSSAR 4-H Report

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- I will be presenting an SAR Outstanding Citizenship Lapel Pin to a 4-H member in Posey County on Nov. 13th. during their Annual Awards Banquet.
- All Chapters need to report to me any 4-H awards that may be pending so I can ensure that the pins are ready.
- We appear to be behind on our 2012-2013 goal for 4-H of increasing 4-H Award County Participation by 20 additional counties. If there is anything I can do to help, please let me know.
 - The INSSAR Secretary provided all Chapters with a new Press Release and new Informational Flyer about the 4-H Program to assist with achieving our goal. Please feel free to use them to assist your efforts.

Respectfully Submitted,

John G. West
INSSAR 4-H Program Chairman



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CAR Liaison

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The CAR/DAR/SAR/SR Relations State Chairperson, Sarah, has put together a great program to help inspire the CAR Societies find ways to integrate more with the DAR and SAR Chapters in Indiana.

*My name is Sarah. I am the **C.A.R./D.A.R./S.A.R./S.R. Relations State Chairman**. This year the C.A.R. needs to talk to the D.A.R. and S.A.R. Present a program at a D.A.R. or S.A.R. meeting or invite a D.A.R. or S.A.R. member to present a program at your local society meeting. The best program will receive an award. The boys can be part of the S.A.R. and C.A.R. The society with the most new dual members will receive an award. Each society can make a poster or pamphlet about the Battle of Saratoga to bring to a S.A.R OR D.A.R meeting and tell about it. The best poster or pamphlet about the Battle of Saratoga will receive an award.*

Let's do our part by inviting the CAR Societies to our meetings and have them provide a presentation about what they are up to. Invite them to take part in Flag Certificate Presentations, Grave Markings, Parades, and more. There are plenty of opportunities to work with them, encourage them, and develop the future leaders of the DAR and SAR.

If your Chapter is inspired, you can also make a donation to their National Project – where they are installing a CAR Monument at the Battle of Saratoga Surrender Site.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne Eells
INSSAR – C.A.R. Liaison

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Command Area Event Type Date & Count Total State Count 101

Central 53

DAR 4

- 0324 Franklin Freedom Awards
- 0519 Marriott DAR Annual Dinner
- 0602 CSH Freedom Luncheon
- 1004 CSH Chapter Meeting

Grave Ceremony 1

- 0818 Crown Hill Cemetery, Indy/ Benjamin Harrison

IWM Tour 16

- 0209 IWM
- 0217 IWM / Boy Scout Troop 10-20
- 0301 IWM / Crown Pt Christian Sch 37 Students
- 0323 IWM 17 Deaf Students
- 0405 IWM / Lewis Cass HS 50 8th gr Students
- 0419 IWM/Two Tours/75 Students N. Grove Ele sch
- 0510 IWM / N. Decatur Ele Sch 92 5th gr students
- 0511 IWM / 100 Students Glens Valley Sch
- 0606 IWM 60 Students Hoosier Youth Challenge Academy
- 0628 IWM 40 kids Mary Riggs Summer Camp
- 1010 IWM / Oaks Academy 36 gr 7 Students
- 1024 IWM / Central Cabarrus HS (FFA) 57 Students
- 1025 IWM / FFA Convention 112 Students two groups
- 1108 IWM / 20 Students Cross Street Christian School Gr 5-8
- 1120 IWM / 160 JROTC Cadets Marion HS
- 1130 IWM / Edgewood Ele Sch 60 Students - 2 grps

JROTC/ROTC 11

- 0410 Warren Central HS
- 0420 IUPUI
- 0425 Pike HS
- 0425 North Central HS
- 0512 Ben Davis HS
- 0514 John Marshall HS
- 0514 Geo Washington HS
- 0514 John Marshall HS
- 0515 Thomas Howe HS
- 0517 Northwest HS
- 0518 Emmerich HS

Memorial Day 1

- 0528 Oak Lawn Cemetery

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Naturalization 4

0209 Federal Courthouse, Indy
0517 Federal Courthouse, Indy
0621 Federal Courthouse, Indy
1116 State Fairgrounds International Festival

Other Public 9

0123 Roudebush VA Hospital/Flag
0421 Indianapolis NHDI Awards
0616 Benjamin Harrison Home/Cricket Match
0618 Convention Center AIHA
0702 Conner Prairie/ISO Freedom Concert
0703 Conner Prairie/ISO Freedom Concert
0704 Conner Prairie/ISO Freedom Concert
0916 Acton/Caboose Festival
1211 Statehouse/statehood day

Parade 3

0316 Indianapolis St Pats
0915 Robin Run, Indy/ Festival
1110 Indianapolis/ Vets Day

School 3

1019 Indpls, Emma Donnan Mid Sch
1103 IN Convention Cntr IN Assoc School Councils Convention
1203 Westfield High School/Ele Sch Vets Program PENDING

Sea Cadets 1

1104 IWM

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Northern 16

CAR 1

04 Lafayette, IN State Mtg

DAR 2

0308 Muncie / DAR Meeting

0614 Mishawaka, IN Meeting

Grave Ceremony 2

0908 Mishawaka, Compatriot Robert E. Price

1103 La Balme Site

JROTC/ROTC 1

04 Notre Dame, IN Meeting

Other Public 3

1006 Portland, Jay Cnty History Fest

1006 Portland, Jay Cnty Historical Museum

1007 Portland, Jay Cnty History Fest

Parade 7

0505 Shippshewana Mayfest

0509 Heritage Day Hartford City

0519 South Bend/River Park

0528 Mishawaka/Memorial Day

0728 New Carlisle/Hometown Days

0903 Plymouth/Blueberry Festival

0915 Nappanee, IN Apple Festival

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Ohio Valley 8

DAR 1

0311 Tell City

Grave Ceremony 2

0519 Henderson, KY, Gen Sam Hopkins

0913 Island, KY / Worthington

Memorial Day 1

0524 Owensboro, KY Lt. Robert Moseley Cemetery

Other Public 4

0110 Tri-State Genealogical Soc.

0914 Owensboro, KY Patriot Days

0915 Owensboro, KY Patriot Days

0916 Owensboro, KY Patriot Days

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Southern 24

Civic Organization 1

0616 Vincennes Lions Law Camp

DAR 1

0315 Mitchell / DAR Awards

Grave Ceremony 2

0615 Bedford/John Ginger, WWII

0721 Bedford Cemetery, Compatriot Everitt

JROTC/ROTC 2

0418 Evansville, IN Central HS

0419 Evansville, Harrison HS

Memorial 1

0804 Columbus, IN Patriots Carney & Jones Memorial

Memorial Day 1

0526 Vincennes/Rendezvous

Other Public 5

0229 Vincennes/Ft Sackville Capture

0420 Lawrence County 04/20-21/History Fest

0616 Newburgh, IN, NRA Youth Shoot flag raising

0909 Columbus/ Scottish Festival

1013 Cannleton, IN 175th Anniv. Fashion Show

Parade 11

0505 Orleans Dogwood Festival

0519 Harrodsburg Heritage Days

0630 Newburgh/Independance Day

0630 Shoals/ Catfish

0811 Gosport Lazy Days

0906 Paragon Homecoming

0915 Chandler, IN

1006 Evansville, IN Nut Club

1007 Cannleton, IN 175th Anniv.

1007 French Lick, IN Pumpkin Festival

1110 Evansville, IN Vets Day

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INSSAR Flag Certificate Program

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Make sure if you give out a certificate report back to Chairman Mark Kreps in order to have it properly reported and credit to your chapter, district and state.

Currently 11 out of 16 Chapters have awarded flag certificates in 2012 – that is **69%**. We only need 6 more Chapters to issue certificates in the next 6 months and we can hit our INSSAR Goal of 100%.

Congratulations to District 3 – 100% of Chapters participating.

Veteran's Day is just around the corner. I want to encourage all the Non-Awarding Chapters to find a reason to award at least one certificate before the end of the year so the INSSAR can hit 100%.

District 1 – (25% Of Chapters Awarding Certificates)

- Alexis Coquillard:
 - None
- Anthony Halberstadt:
 - None
- Duneland:
 - None reported
- Simon Kenton:
 - 2 July 2012 - Recognized the Jasper County Commissioners for their prominent and correct display of the United States flag atop the County Courthouse. A Flag Certificate was presented by Chapter Secretary/Treasurer Rob Pfaff. It was accepted on behalf of the residents of Jasper County by Commissioners; James Walstra, Richard Maxwell, and Kendell Culp. Also in attendance were Simon Kenton Chapter President Craig Jackson and INSSAR President David Betzner.

District 2 – (83.3% Of Chapters Awarding Certificates)

- Alexander Hamilton:
 - 7 March 2012 - Pres Matthew Boone reports giving a Flag Certificate to Fishers Library
 - 7 March 2012 Pres Matthew Boone reports giving a Flag Certificate to David Best 3/7/12.
- Benjamin Franklin:
 - 8 May 2012 Chapter President Don J. Smith awarded a flag certificate to Hartshire Lakes Apts. in Bargersville, IN.
- Clarence Cook: Americanism Flag Committee Chairman Joshua Eells awarded the following Flag Certificates:
 - 5 Jun 2012- Westfield Intermediate School, Westfield, IN
 - 5 Jun 2012 - Westfield Middle School, Westfield, IN
 - 14 Jun 2012 - Westfield Washington Public Library, Westfield, IN
 - 14 Jun 2012- Bob's Garage, Westfield, IN
 - 14 Jun 2012- Current Publications, Carmel, IN
 - 4 July 2012 – Duke Tumato, Carmel IN
- Continental:

- 28 Mar 2012 Mark Kreps presented the flag certificate Glenna Snodgrass, widow of veteran who flies the flag in Muncie, IN on a main thoroughfare. Glenna Snodgrass was presented the certificate at the E 16th St. Church of God in Muncie, IN where she is a member.
- John Martin:
 - 4 July 2012 – Gene Printz reports a certificate was issued to Gary L. & Susan Smith for a three flagpole display in Rockville. The certificate was made out to Gary L. & Susan Smith. The recognition before a large group of citizens was very effective.
- William Henry Harrison:
 - None reported

District 3 – (100% Of Chapters Awarding Certificates)

- Daniel Guthrie:
 - 26 Mar 2012, Compatriot Vice President General Central District T. Rex Legler, presented the US Army Ammunition at 0900-0930
 - 26 March Compatriot Vice President General Central District T. Rex Legler, presented the Navy Support Activity at 1000 at the Crane Military Base in Indiana.
 - Assisting in the presentations were Compatriots Robert D. Howell Sr., Edward E. Hitchcock, Ronald E. Burkhart and James C. Arnold.
 - July 2012, James C Arnold presented the Flag Certificate to William and Susan Brown of Hanover, IN
 - July 2012, James C Arnold presented the Flag Certificate to the Stanford Baptist Church.
- David Benton:
 - 8 June 2012 – Immanuel Lutheran Church, Seymour, IN
 - 12 July 2012 – Scottsburg Kiwanis Club
- John Hay:
 - May 2012 - Member Mark Owens was awarded the Flag Certificate
 - May 2012 - The Georgetown Post Office was awarded the Flag Certificate

District 4 – (66 % Of Chapters Awarding Certificates)

- General Thomas Posey:
 - 20 April 2012 - Chapter Pres. Stephen H. Johnson and Bob Hall presented a Flag Certificate to Wilson's Country Store and Cafe in Posey County.
- George Rogers Clark:
 - None reported
- Ohio Valley Chapter:
 - June 2012 - Chapter presented a Flag Certificate to the Newburgh Oral Surgery PC, Steven Rodgers, DDS.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mark Kreps
INSSAR Flag Chairman



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INSSAR Patriot Graves Registry

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Thanks to Hubert Shackleton, who prepared "Honoring Revolutionary War Veterans Buried in Warren County, Indiana", which took place on 4 July this year. Thanks also to George Frantz, William Henry Harrison Chapter, who submitted a finished pamphlet to Ron Burkhart for inclusion in the Warren County folder.

A dedication was held in the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Bartholomew County on 4 August this year for Patriots Nicholas Jones and John Carney.

As you may know, the VA rejected the headstone order for James Anderson, buried in Sanborn Cemetery, Knox County, IN. An attempt to get the VA stone is now in the hands Sanborn Cemetery Trustees. Ed Hitchcock will monitor this procedure.

A headstone has been set for John Phillips – Greene County – Dedication TBA for spring 2012.

The stone at the grave of Patriot Jacob Kepler in Graves Cemetery in Perry County was set many years ago and is still in good condition. The cemetery has a lot of small briars and saplings that need to be cut. In addition, an access to the cemetery is needed. The township trustee has been requested to help resolve this cemetery problem – no response has been received. Supervision of the problem still continues.

A VA headstone has been received for John Carpenter. The patriot is buried in Hicks Cemetery, Owen County – near Freedom, IN. Dedication ceremony is TBA for 2013.

Mark Owens has reported that the headstone for William Stewart in Stewart Cemetery, Washington County, IN has been set. Dedication is planned by John Hay Chapter for 2013.

John McBride, PS, NC is buried in McBride Cemetery, Lawrence County, IN. VA prohibits a stone for anybody not a soldier; therefore Elliott Stone Company has volunteered to make the headstone for patriot John McBride.

Edward Hitchcock is working on finishing the procedures for ordering headstones.

Mark Kreps is developing classes pertaining to the "25 Most Prominent Patriots in Indiana". Presentations will be in Power Point slide. Suggestions are welcome.

October 11, Ed Hitchcock and Ron Burkhart went to Dearborn and Ohio counties where they talked to the County Veterans Service Officers relative to patriot graves. Ed and Ron also visited Nathan Ricketts headstone. Pieces of the headstone were found a couple of years ago

on private property in Ohio County, IN. In 2011, half of the old headstone for Nathan Ricketts was refurbished. A government headstone is being ordered for dedication in 2013.

There are 2,241 names in my working database – this database is no to be misconstrued as the INSSAR Patriot Graves database located on the INSSAR web site.

From 2009 to 2012, we have a listing of 30 patriot names who did not appear in the INSSAR Patriot Graves web site. The search for all patriots, particularly new finds, is ongoing.

The following compatriots have volunteered to devote time researching counties in Indiana: **Brad Manzenberger** – Johnson, Shelby, Henry, Marion and Jennings counties; **Phil Greenwood** – Marion county; **Jim Arnold** – Morgan county; **Allen Manning** – Jefferson county; A possible research volunteer is **David Jenkins** – Warrick, Spencer, Perry, Posey and Vanderburgh counties.

From 2009 to 2012, as per my database, there has been 190 patriots whose cemetery locations, documentation, and photos have been completed.

When you find those Rev War headstones, record the GPS readings for patriot graves and cemeteries.

It appears that the following counties are either completed or near completion: Switzerland, Ohio, Perry, Warrick, Spencer, Sullivan, Gibson, Rush, Decatur. **The new ones to the list are: Ohio, Brown, Dubois, Brown, Morgan, Greene, Washington, Lawrence, Jackson, Orange, Daviess, and Pike.**

We would like to know if there are other compatriots who may be working on researching patriots graves. If so, please contact Ron Burkhart at burkhart@indiana.edu

We are still interested in keeping track of grave dedication conducted in Indiana. Please contact Ron Burkhart.

NSSAR - Proposed medals for participants in Patriot Grave Markings is still on pending – Jim Arnold appears to be the person knowledgeable on the subject requirements.

Revolutionary soldier, Blaze Robertson, was supposedly buried in Robertson Cemetery in Jackson county, and there is a stone for him in the cemetery. Brad Manzenberger stated this stone is a memorial headstone which indicates Blaze Robertson is buried in Virginia.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ronald E. Burkhart
INSSAR Patriot Grave Committee Chairman



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INSSAR Historian / Archivist Report

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If anyone has anything to be maintained in the INSSAR Archives, please send it to:

John G. West
1144 E. Gum St.
Evansville, IN 47714-1814

Respectfully Submitted,

John G. West
INSSAR Historian / Archivist



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Hoosier Patriot

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- Fall postcard campaign completed. 500 postcards were mailed. Only a couple of postcards have been returned, thanks largely to cleanup performed by Wayne Eells.
- Fall Newsletter completed and emailed on October 13th .
- Thanks very much to all who contributed. We have received kind compliments from Indiana members and from surrounding states.
- Please continue to keep sending in your stories, pictures, and events.
- We are working with the Youth Contests Chairman to see if we can produce a special edition next year that will include all the essays, orations, and more.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeffrey Hornung.
Hoosier Patriot Editor



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INSSAR Registrar / Genealogist

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As reported previously, based on state numbers assigned, 50 regular and 7 junior new members joined the Indiana Society during 2011.

However, 2012 new membership figures exceed those 2011 figures as shown, based on state numbers assigned, for 1 January thru 15 October 2012:

- 80 new regular members
- 19 new junior members
- 1 memorial membership

In the pipeline are,

- 5 new member applications on ASR (11 Oct) – one approved by NSSAR genealogy
- 8 supplemental applications on ASR (11 Oct)
- 1 new member application pended on ASR (11 Oct)

In addition to the above, 13 new member applications, and one new junior application have been submitted to NSSAR

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert D. Howell, Sr.
INSSAR Registrar / Genealogist



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ROTC/JROTC

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ROTC and JROTC SAR medals, certificates and presentation folders have been purchased (taking advantage of the Merchandise Department sale) for the 2012-2013 program year.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert D. Howell, Sr.
ROTC/JROTC Chairman



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INSSAR Veterans Committee Report

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The WWII Corps has been replaced by the Veterans Recognition Committee Chaired by Colonel Charles T. (Chuck) Sweeney, USMC, Retired. The Indiana Society will be represented by SFC James C. (Jim) Arnold, US Army, Retired. The purpose of this committee is to continue to honor those that have served in a conflict for the United States.

The next round of honor will be the Korean Veterans. In order for members of the INSSAR to receive the certificate from NSSAR they must have received the Korean War Service Medal or the Korean Defense Service Medal. Chapter Secretaries start sending the Veterans Battalion Survey to the Veterans in your Chapters and follow instruction on the form.

2014 will be the Vietnam War Veterans to receive the NSSAR Certificate you must have received the Vietnam Service Medal. Vietnam Era does NOT count. More information will be forthcoming at the Spring Leadership meeting to be held on March 01, 2013.

We are working on how to recognize those that fall in between WWII, Korea and Vietnam i.e. China Service July 7, 1937- Sept 1939 and Sept 2, 1945-April 01, 1957, Berlin Occupation May 9, 1945-Oct 2, 1990, Italian Occupation May 9, 1945-Sept 15, 1947, Austria Occupation May 9, 1945-July 27, 1955, Korean Occupation Sept 3, 1945-April 27, 1949 and Japan Occupation Sept 3, 1945-April 27, 1952. Naval Occupation Italy (same as above) Trieste May 8, 1945-Oct 25, 1947, Austria (same as above) Asiatic/Pacific Sept 2, 1945-April 27, 1952. The medals that must have been received are the Army of Occupation-Europe Medal, Army of Occupation-Far East Medal and the Navy Occupation Service Medal. The INSSAR Veterans Recognition Chairman will check each completed survey to determine what certificates the Compatriot will receive.

Patriot Graves Marking Medal - At the Fall Leadership meeting held on September 28, 2012 the Patriot Graves Marking Medal was approved. The requirements are (as far as I know of) that your name must be on the program and that the events start as of January 01, 2011. More should be coming from the Medals Committee at the March 2013 Spring Leadership Meeting. Keep reading the SAR Magazine for updates. For INSSAR the De La Balme and Fort Sackville (Vincennes) ceremony each year is to be counted along with other memorial at battle sites that you attend. Members that attended the Fort Laurens, Ohio and Battle Days in West Virginia will count.

Wreaths Across America program is in full swing. In order for your chapter to be registered go to www.wreathsacrossamerica.org. Once your registered you will be given a "Sponsoring Group ID Number" and you can select a National Cemetery in Indiana from the four that are listed. They are; Crown Hill National Cemetery (INCHNI), Indianapolis,

Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Madison, Indiana (Daniel Guthrie, David Benton and John Hay Chapters have this one) Marion National Cemetery (INMNCM), Marion, Indiana and New Albany National Cemetery (INNANC), New Albany, Indiana. WAA is part of the NSSAR Patriotic Outreach Committee.

Defense Prisoner of War/Missing Personnel Office...www.dtic.mil/dpmo/ is where you can go and get the most up to date information on POW/MIA personnel. You will also find the most current POW/MIA's that have been identified, the units they belonged to and when and where they will be buried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Compatriot James C. Arnold
NSSAR Patriotic Outreach Committee Chairman
INSSAR Veterans Committee Chairman



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INSSAR District Vice-President's Report

District 3

I attended meetings of two chapters in District #3 in the 3rd Quarter of 2012. One chapter did not have any meeting.

DAVID BENTON CHAPTER:

- This chapter had three meetings
 - 12 July – 7 members and 2 guests with a topic: Revolutionary War Trivia by Compatriot Jerry Brown
 - 9 August – 8 members and 2 guests with a topic: Orphan Grain Train by Compatriot Denny Noel
 - 13 September – 6 members and 2 guests with a topic: Changes in Newspapers Over Time by Dan Davis

- There were three new and/or new and supplemental applications submitted. Two potential members are being recruited.

- Four new members were inducted as follows:
 - July - Ed Cozart, Jr.
 - September - Merele Barnett, Dennis Noel, and Daniel Noel

- A flag certificate was given to John Martin - Scottsburg Kiwanis.

- There were three Web pages published.

- There were three compatriots that attended the House of Delegates Meeting on 14 July.

- There were four compatriots that attended the Daniel Guthrie Chapter Meeting on 21 August.

- Color Guard Activities:
 - Shoals Catfish Festival – 3 members
 - Tom Everitt Grave Dedication – 3 members
 - John Carney & Nicholas Jones Graves Dedication – 2 members
 - Gosport Lazy Day Parade – 3 members
 - Paragon Homecoming Parade – 3 members
 - Columbus Scottish Festival – 3 members

- Chapter gave a donation to the Revolutionary War Display at the Indiana War Memorial

JOHN HAY CHAPTER:

- There were no chapter meeting in the third quarter.
 - There will be meeting on Thursday, 25 October.
- There are 24 members including 2 dual members in the chapter now.
- There was one application approved for Richard Nichols who will be inducted at the October Meeting.
- Compatriot Mark Owens give a program about Guilford Courthouse to the Floyd Knobs Christian Church.

DANIEL GUTHRIE CHAPTER

- The chapter had a Quarterly Meeting on 21 August. There were thirty-two people in attendance, which included twenty-five members and seven guests. The guests included three from WOSAR, one from DAR, and two from the David Benton Chapter. The program was about Revolutionary War Painting.
- There were three compatriots from the chapter that attended the National Congress in Phoenix, AZ.
- The following awards were presented: two Military Service Medals, one Certificate of Appreciation, and two Liberty Medals at National Congress. On 28 July, Compatriot Dr. T. Rex Legler II participated in the Fort Laurens, Ohio parade and wreath laying ceremony. On 18 August, Compatriot Dr. T. Rex Legler II participated in the Battle of Blue Lick, KY parade and rifle salute.
- Compatriot Richard D. Hill set up a SAR Display at the Scott County Heritage Center and Museum for the Pigeon Roost Massacre Event. He talked to a large number of people to include Scottsburg and Greenwood DAR members. The total was 175.
- Three compatriots from the chapter attended INSSAR House of Delegates Meeting held in July at Indianapolis.
- One compatriot participated in the Color Guard event held at Conner Prairie with the INSSAR Color Guard. On 2, 3, & 4 July.
- Three compatriots from the Daniel Guthrie Chapter and three compatriots from the David Benton Chapter participated in the Color Guard for Compatriot Tom Everitt at the Everitt Grave yard near Scottsburg on 21 July.
- There were six compatriots that participated in the INSSAR Color Guard at the DAR Grave Marker Dedication for Patriots John Carney and Nicholas Jones plus compatriots from other SAR Chapters. and a DAR Chapter on 4 August.
- The Gosport Lazy Days Parade was held on 11 August. The INSSAR Color Guard was #2 at this parade. There were three compatriots from the Daniel Guthrie Chapter, two from the David Benton Chapter, and two from Clarence Cook Chapter that marched in the parade.

- The Benjamin Harrison Wreath Laying was held on 18 August. There were four compatriots from the Daniel Guthrie Chapter and also present was one member from WOSAR.
- The Chapter meeting was held on 21 August. James C. Arnold was awarded the Silver Color Guard Medal from NSSAR and the Chapter received the Partners in Patriotism Award from NSSAR. The Chapter President inducted eight new members into the SAR. The program was given on the Artist Patriot Jonathon Trumbull, Revolutionary War Painter by President Terry L. English.
- Two Flag Certificates were presented to Mr. & Mrs. Brown in Hanover, IN and to the Stanford Baptist Church.
- Compatriot James C. Arnold delivered the "NSSAR Poster Contest" to Edgewood Elementary and Stinesville Elementary School on 24 August.
- The chapter hosted the first fire arms training class and the opportunity to fire your individual fire arms at a firing range near Bloomington on 25 August.. This was the first for the chapter and maybe for INSSAR.
- Compatriots from Daniel Guthrie and David Benton Chapters marched in the 88th Paragon Homecoming Parade on 06 September. Five compatriots from the Daniel Guthrie Chapter and two from the David Benton Chapter participated.
- Three compatriots from the chapter talked to twenty students and three teachers on 5 September from the Damar Charter Academy at the Living History at the Indiana War Memorial.
- Compatriots composed the lead Color Guard for the opening ceremony of the Scottish Festival on 8 September. There were four compatriots from the Daniel Guthrie Chapter, two from David Benton Chapter, two from the Clarence Cook Chapter and one from the Continental Chapter. There were three members from the WOSAR present.
- Compatriots composed the lead Color Guard for the Parade of Clans at the Scottish Festival on 9 September. There were two compatriots from the Daniel Guthrie Chapter and two from the David Benton Chapter.
- Dr. T. Rex Legler and Robert D. Howell, Sr from the chapter attended the the 225th Anniversary of the Constitution in Philadelphia, PA on 14 and 15 September. Also, WOSSAR Mrs. Marge Howell and DAR/WOSAR Mrs. April Legler attended.
- Seven compatriots from the chapter attended the Fall Leadership Conference on 27, 28, and 29 September. Also, 5 wives attended, too.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward E. Hitchcock
INSSAR District Vice-President



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INSSAR District Vice-President's Report

District 4

Gen. George Rogers Clark Chapter:

- A reorganization meeting was scheduled for 20 October 2012, which was after this report was due/submitted

Ohio Valley Chapter:

- Met 11 August 2012 with 10 members and 5 guests. WOSAR/Ladies Auxiliary Member Karen Jenkins presented an historical program on facts and history of U.S. Dollar Bill.
- Submitted 3 applications for new members/supplemental
- Published chapter newsletter
- Participated in 5 Color Guard events (3 parades, 1 historical marking & 1 Patriot Day demo)
- Participated in Cannelton's 175th anniversary celebration fashion show
- Next meeting: 17 November 2012 at 10:00 a.m. at Evansville's Willard Library

Gen. Thomas Posey Chapter:

- Met last on 24 July 2012 with 8 members and 10 guests. Compatriot Cedric Hustace presented a program, "Cedric's Six New Paintings Inspired by the Revolutionary War".
- Pursuing 1 membership reinstatement
- Recruiting 1 potential member
- Operated food booth at River Days festival in Mt. Vernon
- Next meeting: 2 October 2012 at 6:30 p.m. at Mt. Vernon's Dean's Diner

Respectfully submitted,

J.D. Strouth
INSSAR District Vice-President