

# Atlanta Tidbits Ledger

Atlanta Chapter  
Sons of the American Revolution

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## September 9<sup>th</sup> Meeting Now Via Zoom

Our next in person Meeting

Oct 14<sup>th</sup> @ 12:00 p.m.

Speaker TBA

**Members:** As this pandemic continues, we pray that you are well and staying safe. The Atlanta Chapter Board of Managers will continue to monitor the situation.



## 2021 Chapter Officer Directory

Chapter officers to serve February 20, 2021, to February 20, 2022, are as follows:

<b>President:</b>	<b>Barry Neil Miller</b>
<b>First Vice-President:</b>	<b>Vacant</b>
<b>Second Vice-President:</b>	<b>Charlie Newcomer</b>
<b>Secretary:</b>	<b>Al Adams</b>
<b>Treasurer:</b>	<b>Richard Marsh</b>
<b>Registrar:</b>	<b>David Noble</b>
<b>Sergeant-at-Arms:</b>	<b>Bob Campbell</b>
<b>Chancellor:</b>	<b>Ed Floyd</b>
<b>Chaplain:</b>	<b>John Titus</b>
<b>Historian:</b>	<b>Gregory E. Smith</b>

Contact any Chapter officer by clicking on this link: <https://www.saratlanta.org/contact-us/>

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## Proclamation

### *Honoring the Marquis de Lafayette on the Occasion of the 264<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of His Birth.*

***WHEREAS**, Marie-Joseph-Paul-Yves-Roch-Gilbert du Motier, commonly known as the Marquis de Lafayette, was born on September 6, 1757, and occupies a considerable place in the history of the United States of America; and*

***WHEREAS**, Lafayette was a man of considerable military skill who expressed sympathy for American revolutionary fighters, decided to aid colonists in their struggle for independence, and was voted by Congress the rank and commission of Major General in the Continental Army; and*

***WHEREAS**, Lafayette's military service was invaluable to General George Washington during many Revolutionary War battles, earning him the title of 'the soldier's friend'; and*

***WHEREAS**, Lafayette's strategic thinking, military skill, and dedication as a general officer serves as a model for present day American military officers; and*

***WHEREAS**, the Continental Congress appropriated awards and honors in honor of Lafayette's service to the American people, including the commissioning of a portrait that hangs in the Chamber of the United States House of Representatives; and*

**WHEREAS**, because of Lafayette's strong belief in freedom, he advocated the abolition of slavery in the Americas, favored equal legal rights for religious minorities in France, and became a prominent figure in the French Revolution; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1824, at the invitation of President Monroe, Lafayette embarked upon a triumphant, yearlong tour of all twenty-five states of the then-United States, during which he became the first foreign dignitary to address a joint session of Congress, and visited many Masonic bodies; and

**WHEREAS**, upon his historic visit to the City of Savannah on April 19, 1825, he was welcomed with a salute by the Chatham Artillery. On the 21<sup>st</sup>, Freemasons met with Lafayette as he laid the cornerstones to the monuments to General Nathaniel Greene and Casimir Pulaski. After Lafayette reached Augusta on April 23<sup>rd</sup>, the town celebrated for 48 hours; and

**WHEREAS**, because of America's affection for Lafayette, many United States cities, towns, and counties, including LaFayette, Georgia, and LaGrange, Georgia (his French estate) have been named for him; and

**WHEREAS**, the achievements of Lafayette and the examples set by his conduct and selfless love of liberty have been and will continue to be a valuable legacy for the future of the United States and the world; and

**WHEREAS**, the Georgia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, an organization of lineal descendants of the patriots of the American Revolution, encourages public observances of the Marquis de Lafayette's birthday on September 6th to commemorate his life and character as it relates to the future of the nation and the welfare of free people everywhere; now

**THEREFORE**, I, David Jessel, President of the Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution, do hereby encourage all Georgia Society Chapters to observe September 6, 2021 as Marquis de Lafayette Day in Georgia.

*David G. Jessel*

President

August 12, 2021

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131<sup>st</sup> Nation Congress awards Atlanta chapter DR. David Noble the Liberty Medal with two oak leaf clusters



The liberty Medal is given in recognition to those compatriots that have recruited new members receive one oak leaf cluster for every 10 new members recruited. Thank you Dr Noble.

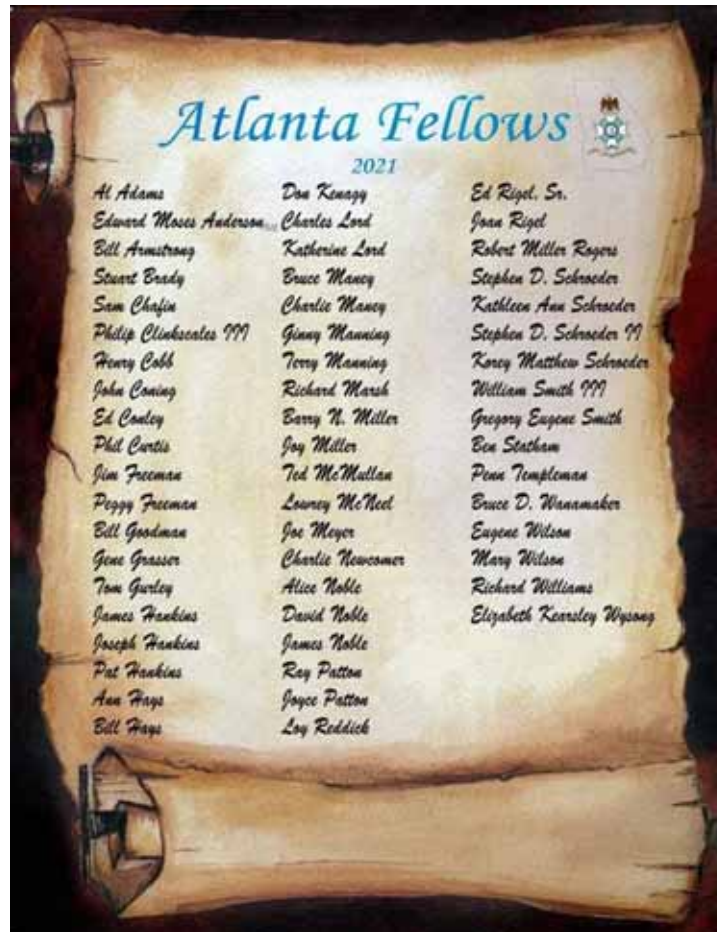
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# ATL chapter Fellows

The Atlanta Fellows are members, spouses, businesses, and other organizations that support unbudgeted projects of the Atlanta Chapter with a \$200 donation. Such donations have supported our **Sacred Soils Displays**, **Bushnell Monument dedication**, **VA Hospital Portico Project** and **Flag Receptacle Program**. Donations toward chapter-sponsored events such as **Wreaths across America** also credit toward the Atlanta Fellow program.

Many thanks go to our Atlanta Fellows whose donations help support our extended outreach programs. Thanks go to our existing Atlanta Fellows who have made additional donations, including donations made by or on behalf of spouses of members of our chapter. We are also grateful for several members who have started making incremental donations toward becoming Atlanta Fellows. The following list may not include some recent donations. We thank all our Atlanta Fellows for their support and encourage others to join their ranks!

## 2021 Atlanta Fellows



# Veterans Respect

**Chairman: John Titus**



The role of the Veterans Respect Committee is to pursue opportunities to honor and recognize current service members and veterans of past service. A wide range of activities fall under this charge. Some examples are:

- hours served in the VA Hospital (VAH) Volunteer Service,
- visiting a veteran in a VAH, nursing home or private home,
- donating personal care items to a VAH or nursing home serving veterans,
- donating publications to a VAH,
- organizing an outing for one or more veterans,
- participating in a veteran's funeral as a participant, pallbearer, or attendee,
- attendance at Revolutionary War Veteran's Grave Marking,
- participating in placing flags or wreaths on veteran's graves.

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**Easy and Cheap Way to Help the ATL Chapter Earn Stark Award Points**

Each year our chapter submits information for the USS Stark Memorial Ward. It is based on a compilation of our Veterans Respect activities. A major effort for the last couple of years has been our purchase of VA Canteen Coupon Book and that will continue.

However, there is another easy and inexpensive way to earn points. The Stark Award scoring allows us to earn 1 point for every personal care item donated to the VA. An easy way to do that is to purchase bottled water (8 oz.) and give it to the VA Clinic in Decatur. A 24-bottle case can usually be purchased for between \$4-5, but often less. For this \$5 purchase and donation we receive 24 points! There is a Kroger near the clinic where it can be purchased. If this idea appeals to you, please contact John Titus at [mojotitus@bellsouth.net](mailto:mojotitus@bellsouth.net) or 678-995-0874 (H) or 678-995-1764 (M) if you have questions. If you do this please be sure to provide the details to John to report.

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## Patriot Records Sub-Committee meeting - 9 Sep 2021

Gary O. Green NC is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting on **9 Sep 2021 at 6:00 PM EDT**

As a newly designated sub-committee of the IT Committee, this will be the only official meeting for Fall Leadership 2021; attendance at 50% of the official meetings is required for committee members. All PRS volunteers are invited to attend.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84988926313?pwd=d0Y3U0lVMlITU2hldDhTeHdPQ0lwUT09>

Meeting ID: 849 8892 6313 Passcode: 074759 One tap mobile

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074759 Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/kcXf3sQCyc>

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# Color Guard

## Revised Color Guard Schedule 2021

- 04 Sept - Battle of Ewtah Springs, Eutawville, SC
- 17 Sept – Constitution Day, St. Paul’s Church, Augusta, Ga.
- 18 Sept – Siege of Augusta, Kroc Center, Augusta, Ga.
- 18 Sept – Washington Vigil, Mount Vernon
- ~~26 Sept – Patriot Grave Marking, Michael Box, 3pm, Banks Cty~~
- ~~03 Oct – Patriot Grave Marking, John Eades, 3pm, Oglethorpe Cty~~
- 07 Oct – Kings Mountain
- 09 Oct – Siege of Savannah
- 16 Oct – Patriot Grave Marking, Reuben Hill, Mt, Vernon Baptist Church Cemetery, Dawsonville, GA
- 16 Oct – DAR Constitution Dinner, Macon, GA
- 23 Oct – Board of Managers
- 30 Oct – Patriot Grave Marking, Smyrna Church, GA
- 06 Nov – Snellville Veterans Day
- 11 Nov – Veterans Day, Veterans Park, Watkinsville, GA
- 20 Nov – Fort Morris, Midway, GA
- 04 Dec – Battle of Vann’s Creek, Richard B. Russell State Park, GA

### **2022**

- 28-29 Jan – State Conference
  - 13 Mar – Hermitage, Tenn
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## Patriot Chest/Trunk Program

### Reimbursement Process:

The Patriot Chest Program is an interactive presentation, intended to compliment Elementary and Middle School lesson plans on the Revolutionary War and Colonial Period of American History.



SAR Outreach Education will be serving as the source for State Societies and their chapters to obtain a Patriot Chest DVD and receive reimbursement up to \$375 for identified contents purchased to develop their own Patriot Chest. The contents include period clothing, toys, household, hunting and military items. The average cost of a complete Patriot Chest is about \$500. Reimbursements will be made according to the following guidelines.

One \$375.00 reimbursement for each Chest costing more than \$500.00.

Maximum of two Patriot Chests per State Society.

Maximum of \$750 for the life of the program per State Society.

Reimbursements will be at 75% of total receipts up to \$500.

Only identified items pertaining to the presentation of the Patriot Chest Program will be reimbursed. No exceptions.

Reimbursement requests must include itemized list of objects that reflect the submitted receipts will qualify to be reimbursed.

Receipts and itemized list must accompany the submitted request for reimbursement.

Please mark all submitted material "Patriot Chest Reimbursement."

Send all documented receipts at one time for one payment.

All reimbursements will be made payable to the State Society.

State Societies needs to provide current mailing address of the Treasurer or designated State Society officer who will be receiving the reimbursement.

Reimbursement requests should be sent to:

SAR

Attn: Finance Director Mary Butts 809 W. Main St.

Louisville, KY 40202-2619

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## Color Guard Uniforms for Sale

A Quartermaster's purchasing guide to outfitting yourself as a Member of the Sons of the American Revolution Color Guard.

See this webpage for the latest Continental and Militia uniforms for sale publish by Emil Decker, Compatriot, Robert Forsyth Chapter, Georgia Society:

<http://robertforsythsar.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/The-Well-Dressed-Guardsman-2021.pdf>

Now is an excellent time to outfit yourself while there is the opportunity to reduce the cost to \$100 by taking advantage of a \$100 stipend from the ATL chapter and \$200 from the GASSAR.

Contact the ATL chapter Color Guard Commander for more details: Terry Manning.

## Link to the National Color Guard Handbook:

<https://nebula.wsimg.com/a9441c5e68fa1c418f57d6cb5df54076?AccessKeyId=AF001173C708DD44CE31&disposition=0&alloworigin=1>

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### Georgia Color Guard Compatriots

The NSSAR Color Guard is publishing the July 2021 issue which will be available now. It can be found and read with all previous issues by visiting the SAR.org (and logging in) --> Compatriots --> SAR Committees --> Color Guard committee link, then the *SAR Colorguardsman* Magazine link . Or by clicking or copy/paste this URL - -

[https://www.sar.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/34-colorguardsman\\_v10-i2.pdf](https://www.sar.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/34-colorguardsman_v10-i2.pdf)

The *SAR Colorguardsman* Magazine is an E-Magazine. The publication schedule is set for quarterly issues that will be distributed via email notification and be available on the Color Guard committee web page. Each issue will be published in a PDF format (Adobe Acrobat).

The plan is for The *SAR Colorguardsman* to contain articles of interest to the Color Guard including, but not limited to the following:

- Uniforms – history, where to get replicas made, etc
- “How To” Articles – establishing a color guard, drill manuals, handling weapons, etc
- Events – what should be expected of color guards, pictures and articles of color guard participation, etc
- Announcements – what upcoming events need color guard participation, etc

Deadlines are as follows:

- October Publication – September 30th Deadline
- January publication – December 31st deadline

- April publication – March 31st deadline
- July publication – June 30th deadline

Thus, the call is now going out for submissions for the next issue of The SAR SAR *Colorguardsman* e-magazine (October 2021 issue) to cover your state's Color Guard activities/events during the 3rd quarter of this **2021** year. Entries should be emailed to me at the email provided below my signature. Each submission should be sent in a DOC or RTF format (Microsoft Word) or similar format. Pictures should be sent in JPEG format - *not embedded in a document* but separately.

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## 132nd NASSAR 2022 Congress needs Volunteers Savannah, GA July 08- July15, 2022

The Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution is pleased to host the 132nd National SAR Congress in Savannah, Georgia in July 2022.

Numerous volunteers will be needed to handle all the various jobs that go along with hosting a National Sons of the American Revolution Congress.

As a volunteer you will receive an official Volunteer Shirt and be invited a Volunteer reception in Savannah on Saturday, July 9, 2022. You are also able to attend meetings as a non-voting compatriot. Please take advantage of having a National SAR Congress in our state in 2022.

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Volunteers are being asked to utilize an electronic signup system. The system we are using is Signup Genius and the specify link for the 132nd National Congress in Savannah is as follows:

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<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F094CAAA92DABFD0-national>

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You might have already indicated a willingness to serve as a volunteer (Day Captains, Bus Captains, Credentials, Registration etc.) but we request that you use the link and enter your signup information in the electronic signup in order to sign up for a specific shift or shifts.

In order to get shirt sizes, we needed to make the Shirt Size question a mandatory answer. Please enter your shirt size for each slot you sign up for but unfortunately you will only receive ONE shirt for the size indicated.

If you have problems with the electronic system, please do not hesitate to reach out and we can enter the information into the system for you.

Thank you from the Congress Planning Committee for 2022  
Allen Greenly and Michael Tomme, Co-Chairs  
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**Invitation from The Lyman Hall, Robert Forsyth, and Little River Chapters, Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution, to attend the dedication commemorating the service of Patriot:**

Ruben Hill  
Saturday, October 16, 2021 @ 10:00 a.m.  
Mount Vernon Baptist Church  
8188 Kelly Bridge Rd.  
Dawsonville, Georgia 30534

**Please R.S.V.P. by 30 September 2021**

Directions: From Gainesville, GA; N. on Hwy 53 past Hwy 400 to Dawsonville  
or From Atlanta, GA; N. on Hwy 400 to Hwy 53, turn North to Dawsonville  
At Courthouse roundabout, continue N. on Hwy 53 for 2.6 mi. (through Traffic Circle) continue on Hwy 53 N. for 5.2 mi. Turn L. on Cowart Rd. (next to Handy Corner Store). 2.4 mi. turn L. on Kelly Bridge. for .6 mi. Church and Cemetery are on the Left.

GPS: 34°3843430" N, -84°2180700" W

**Please R.S.V.P. by 30 September 30 2021** if you Plan to lay a wreath or participate in Color Guard / Militia.

Registration information:

Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Presenter(s) Name \_\_\_\_\_

Please send registration to David Johnson at 4725 Connie Mara Suwanee, GA 30024 or Email: davidj0613@gmail.com  
Phone 770 – 344 - 8375

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## 2021/2022 Atlanta Chapter Cash Contests are Available.

Applications are now available for the 2021/22 Atlanta Chapter Cash Contest Awards.

\$\$ Arthur M. and Berdena King Eagle Scout Contest \$\$  
Outstanding JROTC Cadet (Enhanced) (Essay) contest  
\$\$ The George S. and Stella M. Knight Essay Program \$\$  
\$\$ The Joseph S. Rumbaugh Historical Oration Contest \$\$  
\$\$ Dr. Tom & Betty Lawrence American History Teacher Award \$\$

If you have a child, grandchild or know of someone who might benefit from these contests, contact them, and get them involved no matter where they reside.

Full details, forms, instruction, deadlines, and eligibility requirements for each contest are on the Atlanta Chapter website and the National SAR website.

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## NSSAR online Youth Protection Program

Our National Society has developed an online **Youth Protection Program** that is designed to be taken by anyone who has regular contact with young people through any of the Sons of the American Revolution programs, such as the Traveling Trunk program, any classroom presentation given in our area schools, or situations where our members are participating in events where the general public and young people may attend.

**It is highly recommended that we all consider taking this short online training program.**

To complete the online **Youth Protection Training Program** it will take you between 20 and 30 minutes. It is available on the National SAR Web Site under the **elearning tab** on the blue banner on the home page or at <https://www.sar.org/courses/youth-protection-training/>

**Make sure you login using your regular SAR login,** and your name and other pertinent information will be captured for the record and used to populate your certificate. If you do not log in, you will not be able to take the training, get a certificate, or have your name entered on the compliance database. **An example of the certificate of completion is attached.**

**NSSAR's Youth Protection Training:**

Youth protection is best achieved through the focused commitment of everyone in the organization. It is the mission of the NSSAR Education Committee and Outreach Education to work within the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to maintain a culture of Youth Protection awareness and safety at the national, state society and chapter events.

**Youth Protection Strategies:**

NSSAR acknowledges a responsibility to safeguard and promote the welfare of youth in its charge and is committed to developing and adhering to abuse protection best practices. Staff and Volunteers must place the welfare and safety interests of youth in their care above all else. All youth and mentors deserve a safe, positive and enjoyable experience while participating in our programs and events. This policy must be implemented and carried out in a manner consistent with federal, state and local law.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about this program.

Rick Reese, Jr.  
Education Committee Chairman  
Cell: 847-778-9235  
[RickReese68@att.net](mailto:RickReese68@att.net)

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## ATL Chapter Membership Anniversaries in September

**5 Years:**

Leroy Bennett Mathews 16 Sep 2016

**20 Years:**

Terry Edward Manning 29 Sep 2001

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## The following have a birthday in September.

Douglas Newcomer 7  
Malcom Griffith 9  
Jeffery Cimbalo 11  
Andrew Thompson 13  
Burton Martin Jr. 14  
Woodfrin Hays 14  
Leroy Mathews 20  
Michael Mallary 22  
Harry Haisten 23  
John Lyons 26  
John Montgomery 28

Please let us know if you have a birthday this month and it is not on the above list.

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## Invitation to Join the South Atlantic District Email Distribution List

Compatriots,

The South Atlantic District has created an email list to be used for announcements and notifications. It is our hope that this will facilitate easier communication between our Societies to keep everyone informed of news and events.

To join the group, send an email to [edr...@gmail.com](mailto:edr...@gmail.com) with the following:

Name  
Email  
Chapter and State Society  
Office, if any

Much like SAR-Officer, this email list is used for announcements or notifications of an official nature of the Sons of the American Revolution. It is not to be used for advertisements, discussions of a political nature, or topics not related to the SAR and its mission.



Thanks,  
Ed Rigel, Jr.  
[edr...@gmail.com](mailto:edr...@gmail.com)  
Secretary, South Atlantic District

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**Events in Sep:**

240th Anniversary of the Siege of Augusta Commemoration, 18 Sep 2021.

Annual George Washington Tomb Vigil, Mt. Vernon, VA 18 Sep 2021.

**Save the date:**

SAR Hermitage Park Bench dedication, Nashville, TN 13 Mar 2022.

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**Georgia Society  
Sons of the  
American  
Revolution  
Ladies  
Auxiliary**

**Dear SAR Members,  
We need more Georgia Society SAR Ladies Auxiliary members!**

Since its formation in 2008, the Georgia Ladies Auxiliary has assisted the Georgia SAR and the National SAR to further the goals and objectives of inspiring patriotism and informing others of the contributions of our revolutionary ancestors. Ladies Auxiliary members support the 35 Georgia SAR chapters through activities such as helping with your meeting preparations, chapter banquets, service projects, grave markings, commemoration events, fundraising, and more.

**While the Georgia Society SAR has 2,000 members, the Georgia Ladies Auxiliary has less than 200 members! We want to grow our membership!**

Please consider recognizing and thanking your wives for their support of you and your SAR chapters with a lifetime membership in the Georgia Ladies Auxiliary. The cost is a one-time dues payment of just \$25, and, as a Georgia Ladies Auxiliary member, she automatically becomes a member of the National SAR Ladies Auxiliary without any additional dues. In addition to your wives, other women related to you by blood or marriage including daughters, granddaughters, sisters, aunts, and nieces are eligible to join the Georgia Ladies Auxiliary. There is only one Ladies Auxiliary meeting per year which takes place during the Georgia SAR Annual Meeting in January.

Dear Ladies,

First, thank you to Deborah Dobbs for her excellent leadership in the GASSAR LA in 2020. Deborah was just the leader we needed for "such a time as this," and we appreciate her very much. Thank you for your confidence in the new Executive Board and your membership in the Georgia Society SAR Ladies Auxiliary. We are grateful for your membership and look forward to working with you to increase membership and work together toward a very successful NSSAR Annual Congress in 2022.

The NSSAR is coming to Georgia in 2022! The GASSAR Ladies Auxiliary will help make it a memorable event. We need the assistance of every member to do it. What do you enjoy doing? Are you a meet and greet person? Behind the scenes? Decorating tables for events?

There is something for everyone. If you are planning to come to Congress in Savannah in July 2022, there will be much to do as well as planning ahead, and helping make decisions. We hope you and your GASSAR member are planning now to attend. We want and need your input, your ideas ~ everyone is included. For those who cannot attend, we aren't leaving you out: We value your input and ideas as well. Please don't count yourself out! We are counting you "in!"

We hope you will join us to get ready for this event which will be very special. Please let us know your thoughts. We look forward to hearing from you! Thank you for volunteering your heart and your hands for a wonderful event. Email at [darismycupoftea@gmail.com](mailto:darismycupoftea@gmail.com) with your suggestions and ideas, and those whom we should contact about Membership. Lifetime Dues at \$25.00 + \$15 for a beautiful GASSAR LA lapel pin. Telephone: 770.254.8579 Looking forward to adding new members, and to Congress 2022 in Savannah.

**Blessing, Brenda Davison Jessel, President, GASSAR LA 2021**

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## GASSAR 2022 Online Dues Collection

The dues collection process 2022 is underway. Notices were sent out via email on August 9, 2021. Your chapter has elected to participate in the online dues process this year after a highly successful rollout to a pilot program for 2021. For those of you that participated in the pilot program, this document will serve as a review and an information source should you have questions.

Before getting into the mechanics of the online dues payment process, here are a few basics for 2022 dues collection:

- The deadline for submission of dues is **October 31, 2021**, and must be received by the GASSAR Secretary by this date. This deadline applies to both dues paid online and by check.
- Online dues payments are optional. Members may still choose to send checks directly to the chapter. Submission of chapter dues payments to GASSAR must follow guidelines provided by the GASSAR Secretary.
- Funds received by GASSAR through the online process on behalf of the chapter will be paid via check monthly by the GASSAR Treasurer. Reports will be provided regularly by the GASSAR Secretary showing all online dues activity for your chapter.
- GASSAR incurs processing fees for online payments. These fees equal 3.459% of the transaction amount plus \$0.49 per transaction. Since these fees are not included in the National, State or Chapter fee structure, the fees are added to the amount charged for online payments. For example, a chapter charging \$10.00 annual dues for a regular member, the chapter dues will appear as \$10.46. Similar adjustments are made for the National and State dues, with the \$0.49 per transaction fee being included in the State dues amount (e.g. \$19.16 for a regular member). Chapters electing to have optional payments in variable amounts will receive those payments net of the 3.549% fee (e.g. a chapter asking for donations in any amount will receive that donation less the 3.549% fee (e.g. a \$10.00 donation will produce a \$9.65 receipt to the chapter).
- The online dues process consists of two steps, registration and then payment. The registration process is simply setting up an account for the member and verifying their information. The verification step is necessary for two reasons: to ensure that only GASSAR members can login to the member area; and to ensure that the information provided by the member is accurate since payments are processed and credited to them automatically based on this information (during the 2021 pilot program, approximately 10% of all members registering made mistakes by either entering an incorrect national/state member number or stating an incorrect membership type. Members that registered for the 2021 pilot program are already registered and do not need to register again. **An email address can only be used in association with one member.** For families with more than one member using the same email address, the registered member may pay dues for family members, or others, from their login. Instructions for doing this are shown below.

The process is intuitive, but I have attempted to anticipate any questions that may arise.

### **Registration**

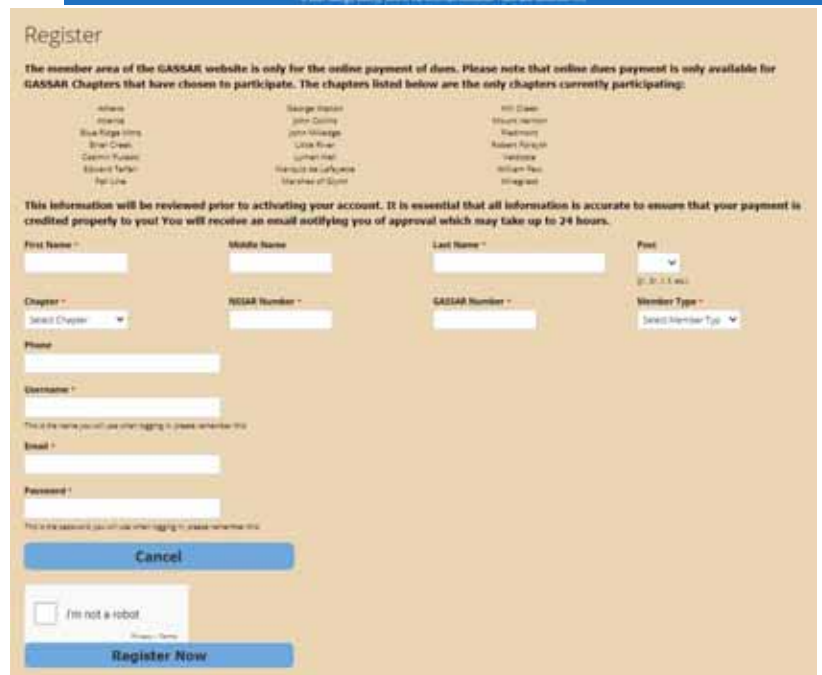
Registration is accomplished by visiting the GASSAR website at [www.gasocietysar.org](http://www.gasocietysar.org) and selecting “Login” under “Member Area” on the top bar menu (see right) or by going directly to [www.gasocietysar.org/login](http://www.gasocietysar.org/login) .



This page will then open. If the member is not registered, click on “[here](#)” in the top line that reads “You must be registered to login to GASocietySAR.org. If you have not yet registered, Click [here](#) to register”. If the member is already registered, skip to Dues Payments.



The registration page is straight forward. Note that only 21 of the 35 GASSAR chapters have chosen to participate in the online dues payment program. To register, you must be a member of one of these chapters (listed on page). The member simply fills in the required information. It is critical that the correct national/state membership numbers be provided along with the current membership type (e.g. regular, junior, lifetime, junior lifetime or exempt). When complete, click “I am not a robot” and then “Register Now”. A page will then display acknowledging the registration and a notice that the information must be verified by the system administrator prior to account activation. This can take up to 24 hours as the administrator is not monitoring requests 24 hours/day.



### **Dues Payments**

Payment of dues is accomplished by visiting the GASSAR website at [www.gasociety.sar](http://www.gasociety.sar) and selecting “Login” under “Member Area” on the top bar menu (see image in Registration above) or by going directly to [www.gasociety.sar/login](http://www.gasociety.sar/login). When the login page is displayed, enter the username and password. Click “I’m not a robot” and “Login”. If the password is forgotten, there is a link below the password field that will take you to instructions on how to reset the password.

The Member Area page will load and provides three payment options.

## Pay Dues

Select "Pay Dues" to pay dues for the logged in member. The Dues Collection page will load and will be prepopulated with the member information, the dues structure appropriate for that chapter and member type, and optional payments as applicable.

### Dues Collection

First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Post
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Chapter	NSSAR Number	GASSAR Number	Member Type
<input type="text" value="Atlanta"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="Regular"/>
Email	Phone		
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>		

**2022 Dues and other payments**

A nominal fee has been added to cover transaction fees

**Required Payments**

- National Dues (Regular Member)  
Price: \$ 36.05
- State Dues (Regular, Lifetime)  
Price: \$ 18.64
- Atlanta Chapter Dues (Regular, Lifetime)  
Price: \$ 17.51

**Optional Payments**

**State Options**

- Friends of the NSSAR Library in Louisville - \$25.75
- Become a Georgia Fellow - \$257.48

**Chapter Options**

- Become an Atlanta Fellow - \$205.97
- Donate any amount for VA Coupon Books for Veterans (Atlanta Chapter)

**Total Amount**  
**\$ 72.40**

Clicking Pay Now will redirect you to PayPal where you may pay with your PayPal account, Credit Card or Debit Card

I'm not a robot

All members will have the opportunity to make some optional payments: Friends of the NSSAR Library in Louisville - \$27.75; Become a Georgia Fellow - \$257.48; and if the member's chapter has identified one or more optional chapter programs. To contribute in any of these programs, click on the field and choose to participate or enter the donation amount if prompted.

Once any options have been selected, click “I am not a robot” and then “Pay Now”. The member will be redirected to the PayPal login screen. Payment can be made by logging into PayPal or if preferred, payment can be made directly with a credit or debit card by clicking on the link below the login area “Pay with Debit or Credit Card”.

If the member changes their mind and prefers not to pay their dues at this time, click “Cancel and return to Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution”.

Follow payment instructions displayed.

Upon completion of payment, the user will be redirected to the GASSAR website.

### Pay Dues for Family Member

Only one member account may be established for an email address. For households or families where there may be multiple members using the same email address, or a member simply wants to pay the dues of another member, the ability to pay someone else’s dues has been provided.



🛒 \$338.12 USD

## Pay with PayPal

With a PayPal account, you're eligible for free return shipping, Purchase Protection, and more.

[Forgot password?](#)

**Log In**

or

**Pay with Debit or Credit Card**

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On the Member Area screen select “Pay Dues for Family Member”. The payment process is identical to the member payment process outlined above other than information about the member being paid for must be provided (see below). Simple fill in the requested fields and follow the above process. It is critical that the Name, NSSAR Number, GASSAR Number and Member Type to be entered accurately to ensure that the member receives credit for his dues. If in doubt, please verify first.

I'm paying dues for

His First Name *	His Middle Name	His Last Name *	His Post
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
His Chapter *	His NSSAR Number *	His GASSAR Number *	His Member Type *
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<small>His membership in this Chapter will be verified</small>			<small>His membership status will be verified</small>
His Email *	His Phone		
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>		

### Dual Memberships

A member in good standing in a GASSAR chapter may elect to become a dual member of another GASSAR chapter. Provision to pay dual membership dues for any of the chapters participating in the online dues payment program can be made online. To be a dual member of another chapter, the member only needs to pay the chapter dues for that chapter.

On the Member Area screen select “Dual Memberships”. The Dual Membership page will be loaded, again with the member’s information preloaded on the page. Up to six dual memberships may be paid per visit to this page.

In the dropdown list select the chapter for the dual membership. Once selected, the option for another will be displayed and repeat until six chapters are selected or all desired chapters have been chosen. It is important to review the selections to ensure that only desired chapters have been selected. Once all desired dual memberships have been selected, proceed to payment.

You may pay Online Dual Membership dues using this form for up to six chapters at a time. To pay for more than six dual memberships, revisit this form after making initial payments. Dual Membership dues to other chapters must be arranged directly with those chapters. A nominal fee has been added to the chapter dues to cover transaction fees

Dual Membership #1  
Mill Creek - \$ 20.90

Dual Membership #2  
Choose Chapter - \$ 0.00

Proceed to payment if no additional dual memberships are desired

**Total Amount**  
**\$ 20.90**

The payment process is identical to the two other payments outlined above.

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## Next Meeting, Petite Violette Restaurant 14 Oct 2021 at 12:00

### Parking at the Petite Violette Restaurant

Petite Violette provides valet parking. Also, there are additional parking spaces available at the office building next door at 2948 Clairmont Rd.

Below is a photo of the path from this parking area at the first Visitor Parking sign to the restaurant.





*All-Chapter announcements and notices are sent via email from [chapternews@saratlanta.org](mailto:chapternews@saratlanta.org). To ensure that your emails are not blocked by your email provider, please take a few minutes to add this address to your trusted senders list even if you have been receiving correspondence. If you are not sure how to do this, simply Google “trusted senders list” for your provider (e.g., Gmail trusted senders list, AT&T trusted senders list, etc.).*

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