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Sons of the American Revolution
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Next Meeting – Thursday, November 12th @ Noon

At the Petite Violette Restaurant, 2948 Clairmont Rd, Atlanta, GA 30329

Speaker: Leslie Watkins

Program: "Moina Belle Michael: Memorial Poppy Lady and Georgia Treasure"

In November 1918, inspired by Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae's poignant World War I poem, "In Flanders Fields," American educator and humanitarian Moina Belle Michael wrote her own moving response, "We Shall Keep the Faith." Just two days before the Armistice, she pledged to wear a red poppy as an enduring symbol of remembrance for the brave men and women who served and sacrificed in the Great War. Determined to honor America's veterans, Moina purchased 25 red silk poppies and began promoting their sale to raise funds for veterans in need. Her tireless dedication helped transform the red poppy into an internationally recognized symbol of remembrance and gratitude. Through Moina Belle Michael's vision, the red poppy became more than a flower—it became a lasting pledge that the sacrifices of our veterans shall never be forgotten.

Remember those **soda can tabs** for donation to the Atlanta **Ronald McDonald House; magazines and toiletries for veterans at the VA Hospital**. A drop-off point at the table next to the registration table is set up to receive your donations.

October Luncheon



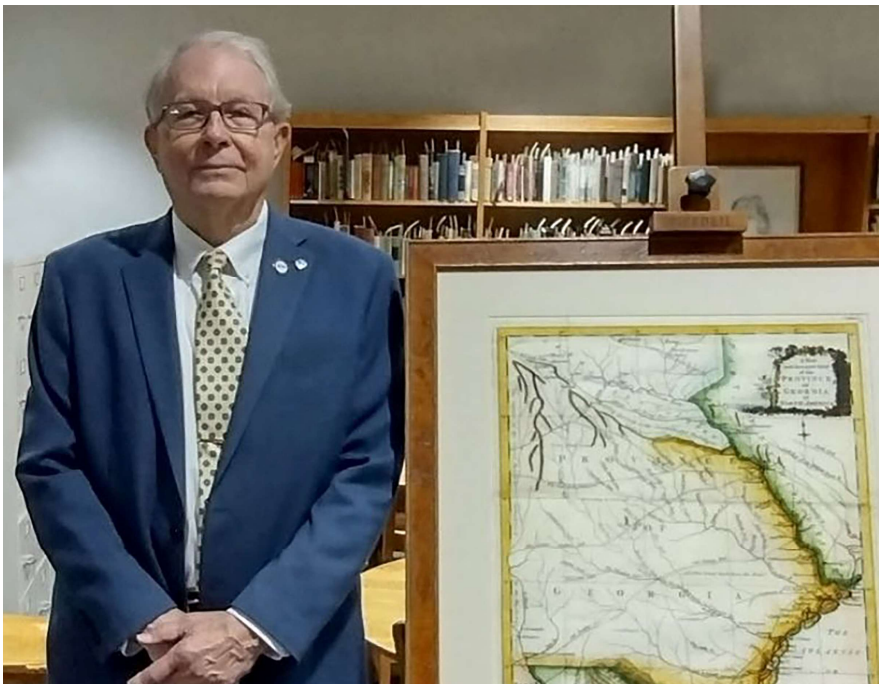
The October speaker for the Atlanta Chapter was Honorary Regent of the Old Noonday Chapter, DAR **Connie Soloway**, left, who delivered a presentation on the formation of our National Archives and Presidential Libraries. Chapter 1st Vice President **Al Adams**, far left, gave an update on the Atlanta Chapter 250th Project, which will be an engraved commemorative marble bench to be placed near the Patriot Graves in the Historic Decatur Cemetery. The Historic Decatur Cemetery is the oldest known publicly owned burial ground in the Atlanta metropolitan area. Compatriot **Mark Bell** has recovered from his injury and was in attendance to receive his Bronze Roger Sherman Medal with an Oak leaf cluster for his leadership as the Atlanta Chapter Chancellor as well as the Atlanta Fellows Certificate, given for his financial support to the Atlanta Chapter. Thank you Mark for all your support to the Atlanta Chapter. Compatriots **Bill Goodman** and **Mark Bell** were the lucky October Door Prize winners picking up a bottle of Traveller Bourbon and the New York Times Best-seller, "The Patriots: Alexander Hamilton, Thomas Jefferson, John Adams, and the making of America" by author Winston Groom. Now is also the time to choose our 2027 Chapter leadership, so please be involved! The SAR provides numerous opportunities to serve our communities, encourage and recognize America's youth, promote an understanding of our nation's founding, and honor the principles and sacrifices of our Revolutionary ancestors. The SAR has a place for you- You simply need to find the program that aligns with your interests, get involved, and have fun while serving. Just let us know & we will help you find the right program for you!





Connie Soloway, above left, delivers her presentation on the formation of our National Archives & Presidential Libraries. Chapter 1st Vice President Al Adams, center, presents Mark Bell, above right, the Bronze Roger Sherman Medal with an Oak leaf cluster for his leadership as the Atlanta Chapter Chancellor as well as the Atlanta Fellows Certificate, given for his financial support to the Atlanta Chapter.

Columbus State University Names Archives in honor of Georgia Historian Kenneth H. Thomas Jr.



Kenneth H. Thomas, Jr.
CSU Archives and Special Collections

Named in recognition of
a generous gift from
Kenneth H. Thomas, Jr.

With a career focused on history and genealogy, Mr. Thomas has devoted most of his life to striving for accuracy in research and writing, and for the preservation of records for future generations. He is a Columbus native with family roots in this region that go back to the 1820s; a graduate of Emory University, where he was president of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity; and a veteran of the U. S. Air Force. He worked in the Historic Preservation Division of the Georgia Department of Natural Resources from 1973 to 2006, serving as Historian for the National Register of Historic Places (1978-2006). He wrote a genealogy feature for *Georgia Life* magazine (1975-1980) and a weekly column on Genealogy and Local History in the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* from 1977 until 2024. He is the author of *Columbus, Georgia, in Vintage Postcards* (2001) and *Fort Benning, Images of America* (2003) as well as numerous articles in *Muscogiana*, the journal of the Muscogee Genealogical Society. He has won various awards including the Governor's Award in the Humanities, the Sarah Turner Butler Heritage Award from the Historic Columbus Foundation, and the John McPherson Berrien Lifetime Achievement Award from the Georgia Historical Society. He is a Fellow of the Society of Georgia Archivists.

August 2026

The Archives in Ken's name reflects not only the magnitude of his support, but also the profound and lasting impact he has had on Columbus State University and on the preservation of our collective heritage. Through Ken's many contributions, materials of enduring value have been safeguarded, new opportunities for research and discovery have been created, and countless individuals have been inspired to engage with the history of our region. Few will ever hope to rival Ken's contributions to local history research and scholarship. Archives exist to preserve the memory of of communities. It is especially fitting that the Archives bear the name of someone whose own commitment has helped preserve so much of that memory. Well, done Ken!



Calendar of Events 2026

From the GASSAR Hornet's Nest

5 **Patriot Grave Marking** Hunt, Kehela, Liddell McRight, Morris	Sugar Hill, GA	7 November @ 11 a.m.	State
Patriot Grave Marking John Nash LeGrand	Cumming, GA	7 November @ 2:30 p.m.	State
Veterans Day	Various	November 11, 2026	National
Liberty Tree Dedication & 250 Bench Dedication	***Oconee Veterans Park in Watkinsville, Ga***	November 11, 2026 **@ 9:30 a.m.**	State
Patriot Grave Marking William Carson	Warrenton, GA	14 November @ 2 p.m.	State
248th Anniversary Siege of Fort Morris "Come and Take It"	Midway, GA	21 November @ 10:30 a.m.	National
Wreaths Across America	Lawrenceville, GA	19 December @ 11 a.m.	National
Georgia Society SAR Annual Conference	**Peachtree Corners, GA**	**January 29-30 2027**	State
Heroes of the Hornet's Nest Commemoration	Elijah Clark State Park Lincolnton, GA	**February 12, 2027**	National
248th Anniversary of the Battle of Kettle Creek Revolutionary Days	Washington, GA	February 13, 2027	National
Atlanta Chapter SAR George Washington Birthday Celebration	Druid Hills Golf Club (Advance Reservations Required)	February 20, 2027	Chapter

250th Tags are now Available

Georgia now has a special license plate to commemorate the United States' 250th Anniversary from 2026 through 2030. The design was selected from submissions by Georgia middle school students. The winning design was submitted by Georgia CAR member Eden Pethel, seen here at Kettle Creek, right.

The bill authorizing the license plate specifies that it will be in addition to the regular license plates and will be available from January 1, 2026.

For this tag there are no additional fees, unless you want to get one before your normal renewal.





2027 Dues Notices have been sent out & Are Now Due!

By now, you should have received an email containing your dues bill for the 2027 SAR year. Dues are now due and should be paid as soon as possible. Prompt payment helps avoid the additional expense and administrative burden to both you and the Atlanta Chapter that can result from having to complete the reinstatement process.
Please review and print your membership form, make any necessary corrections, and return it with your payment.
If you have not received your dues bill, please contact Richard Marsh at saratlanta@gmail.com for assistance.

250th Anniversary of the American Revolution Recognition Program

National Society, Sons of the American Revolution

The recognition program is designed to encourage and recognize those compatriots, chapters and societies that participate in local, state, national and international events which publicly educate, and recognize, honor, and celebrate the events and heroes of the period surrounding the American Revolution. Participation involves the planning and execution of these events, as well as attendance. The medal covers any event celebrating and promoting the 250th Anniversary. This therefore will cover any public events celebrating and promoting the 250th Anniversary in the period from 2014 to 2033. Forms may be submitted for multiple years Scorekeeping is the responsibility of each compatriot and awarding authority. The awarding authority for each medal is as follows. The Bronze Medal is authorized and recorded by the local chapter. The Silver Medal is Authorized and recorded by the state society. The Gold Medal only is authorized and recorded by the NSSAR 250th Anniversary Committee. **Only Gold Medal applications should be submitted to the NSSAR 250th Anniversary Committee using the email address below:**

PLEASE SUBMIT TO: 250AnniversaryRecognition@sar.org.



Upon approval of the Gold Medal an email will be sent to the individual authorizing them to purchase the 250th Anniversary Gold Medal from merchandising.

- **Awards are based on activity and the awarding of points for each type of activity:**

a. Directing, chairing or co-chairing an event or sub-committee for the duration of the event. (20 points)
b. Participation in the planning, financing, promotion or conduct of an event other than directing, chairing, or co-chairing an event. Those that do direct, chair or co-chair and event and also serve as a regular member of a committee or sub-committee in a non-leadership role, may also earn points. (10 points)
c. Attending an Event (3 points)
d. Attending an event in Colonial Attire (5 points)
Points are cumulative. The maximum points that can be awarded for any one event is 28 points.

- **SAR Members may be awarded the Medals for achieving the following levels:**

a. Bronze Medal: 25 promotion points as certified by his chapter, state.
b. Silver Medal: 60 promotion points as certified by his state society.
c. Gold Medal: 150 promotion points as certified by the NSSAR 250th Anniversary Committee.

- **Non-SAR members may also be awarded these medals:**

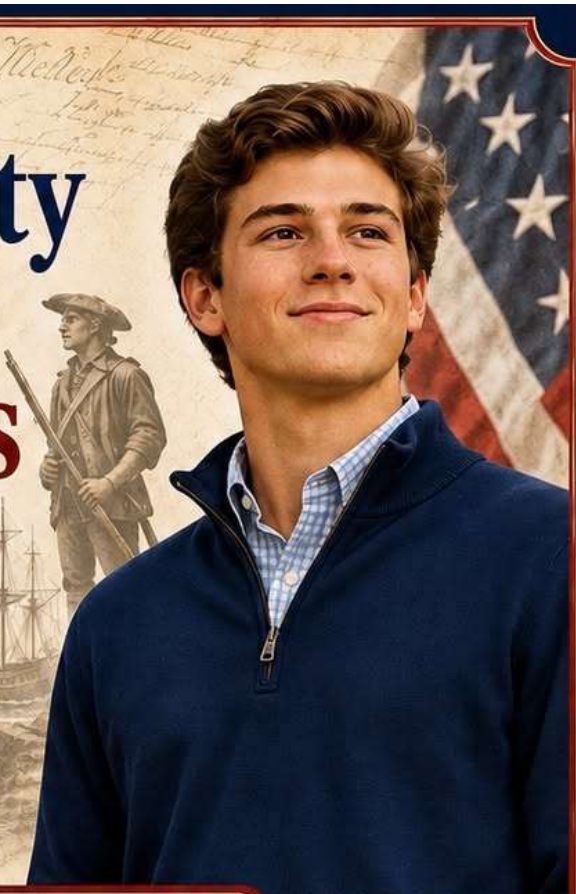
a. The chapter may present bronze awards to its Partners in Patriotism, and may recommend its Partners to the state or national society for higher recognition.
b. The state and district may present silver awards to its Partners in Patriotism, and may recommend its Partners to the national society for higher recognition.
c. The national society may present gold awards to its Partners in Patriotism.

- **Streamer.** Streamers are available for chapters, state societies and districts to present to Partners in Patriotism for attendance or participation in a 250th Anniversary Event. i.e. Scouting Units, DAR Chapters, etc. They are available for purchase from merchandising at a cost of $5.00 each.

Name of Candidate:		National Number:	
E-mail:		Phone:	
Type Submission:		Chapter:	
Name of Submitter:		State Society:	
Date Submitted:		Organization Size:	

Event	Position	Possible Points	Committee/ Sub-Committee	Date of Service	Points Earned
	Chairman	20			
	Planning/Non-Leadership	10			
	Attend Event	3			
	Attend in Colonial Attire	5			

Special Opportunity *for* C.A.R. Members



Application Fees and National Annual Dues Waived

The Sons of the American Revolution is pleased to announce a special membership opportunity approved by the 2026 SAR Congress.

From August 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, eligible male members of the Children of the American Revolution may join the National Society Sons of the American Revolution with both the application fee and national annual dues waived.

Approved July 2026

★ Who Qualifies? ★

- ★ Approved male member of the Children of the American Revolution
- ★ In good standing with the C.A.R. at the time of submission
- ★ Age birth through 22
- ★ Application submitted between August 1, 2026 and June 30, 2027

★ Continue the Legacy ★



This program offers an outstanding opportunity for young men in C.A.R. to continue their patriotic service and family heritage through membership in the SAR.

★ **Interested applicants should contact their local SAR chapter or state society for details.** ★

Announced by the SAR Registrar General

N.S.C.A.R. Leadership Legacy Campaign

Support Our Youth

As part of its National Project, Liberty's Legacy, N.S.C.A.R. has launched a Leadership Legacy Campaign. Members are serving their communities, participating in leadership training, and learning fundraising skills by creating individual pages to support the National Project during the campaign period of October 1 through October 31.

Campaign Period: October 1 – October 31, 2026

ACTION REQUIRED

Southeastern Region is looking for 100 compatriots willing to contribute $20.00 for the National Leadership Legacy Campaign

Please support a C.A.R. member in the Southeastern Region by visiting their fundraising page. A QR code is available for easy sharing—please distribute it widely within your networks to maximize support for this important youth leadership initiative.

Scan to Support Leadership Legacy Campaign

Direct Links

Leadership Legacy Campaign:

https://my.cheddarup.com/c/nscar-legacy-leadership-campaign/fundraiser/teams

National Project:

https://www.nscar.org/CAR/NSCAR/National_Project_Program/national_project.aspx?hkey=88f9ea32-fd06-486e-9584-ae295a430f01

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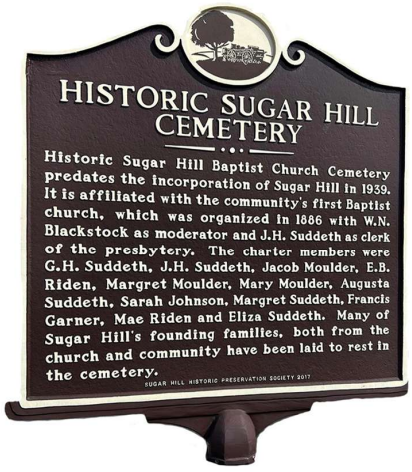
The Atlanta & Button Gwinnett Chapters



SAR
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

DAR
Daughters of the American Revolution

5 - PATRIOT GRAVE MARKINGS &
2 - LIBERTY TREE DEDICATIONS

Requests your presence at City of Sugar Hill Historic Cemetery, 5039 West Broad Street, Sugar Hill, Georgia, 30518

Saturday, November 7th 2026 @ 11 a.m.
Sugar Hill Historic Cemetery



The ceremony will honor the Revolutionary War service of

Littleton Hunt, b. 23 Mar 1741 d.11 Mar 1843, NC Militia
Christopher Kehela, b.1758 d. 25 Mar 1837, NC Continental Line
William Liddell, b. 1762 d. 23 Aug 1836, NC Militia
Mathew McRight, b. 2 Feb 1762 d. Nov 1832, SC Militia
William Morris, b. 1758 d. 8 Sept 1828, NC Militia

LIBERTY TREES
In Recognition of the 250th Anniversary of the American Revolution 1776 – 2026

- Button Gwinnett Chapter SAR is Dedicating a Liberty Tree to One of Georgia's Signers of the Declaration of Independence – *Button Gwinnett*
- Suwanee Creek Chapter NSDAR is Dedicating a Liberty Tree to the Revolutionary War Patriots Who Called Gwinnett County Home
- For the Dedication of these Liberty Trees, National SAR considers this a National Event for Color Guard purposes.

FREE PARKING at Solis' Garage
1170 Temple Drive, Sugar Hill, GA, 30518

WREATH PRESENTERS & SAR CHAPTER CO-SPONSORS
By October 30, 2026, please contact Don McCarty at (404) 218-6624 or email donald_mccarty@bellsouth.net, if your Chapter/Organization would like to present a wreath. Please include your presenter's name, position title and organization. SAR Chapters wishing to co-sponsor the Grave Marking Event should contact Don McCarty by October 1st.



Daughters of the American Revolution

CHESTATEE RIVER CHAPTER, NSDAR

invites you to attend a

REVOLUTIONARY AMERICA HISTORICAL MARKER DEDICATION

in honor of

JOHN N. LEGRAND

German Battalion, Continental Troops
Revolutionary War Soldier

Saturday, November 7, 2026
2:30 p.m.

Friendship Baptist Church Cemetery Entrance
2250 Friendship Circle
Cumming, Georgia 30028

Military honors will be presented with the special participation of members of the GASSAR Color Guard

Historical marker generously funded by the William G. Pomeroy Foundation

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RSVP by October 30 to Pam Wigington, Corresponding Secretary
Email: pamwigi6745@gmail.com | Phone: (678) 898-2870

Click here for wreath registration

A reception in the fellowship hall will immediately follow the ceremony.
In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will be moved to the sanctuary.

November 14th Patriot Grave Marking!

As we celebrate the 250th Anniversary of American Independence, please join us in a Grave Marking Ceremony honoring

PATRIOTS William Cason and Henry Pool.

Location:
775 Wright-Reese Road
Warrenton, GA 30828

Saturday, November 14, 2026 @ 2:00 PM

Sponsored by the
Captain John Collins Chapter along with the
Brier Creek, Button Gwinnett, Fall Line,
John Milledge and Little River Chapters of the
Georgia Society
Sons of the American Revolution.

For questions, contact President Jim Poole at
jimpoole82@gmail.com

Wreath Registrations: Email Donald McCarty at donald_mccarty@bellsouth.net PRIOR to November 1, 2026.

Wreath Registration

for the Grave Marking Ceremony honoring

PATRIOTS William Cason and Henry Pool

on November 14th at 2pm.

For wreath presentations, please submit the below information to:

Donald McCarty.

Email: donald_mccarty@bellsouth.net

Prior to November 1, 2026

1. Organization: _____

2. Check one: SAR ☐ DAR ☐ C.A.R. ☐ Other ☐

3. Presenter's Name: _____

4. Presenter's Title: _____

5. Color Guard Participation: YES ☐ NO ☐

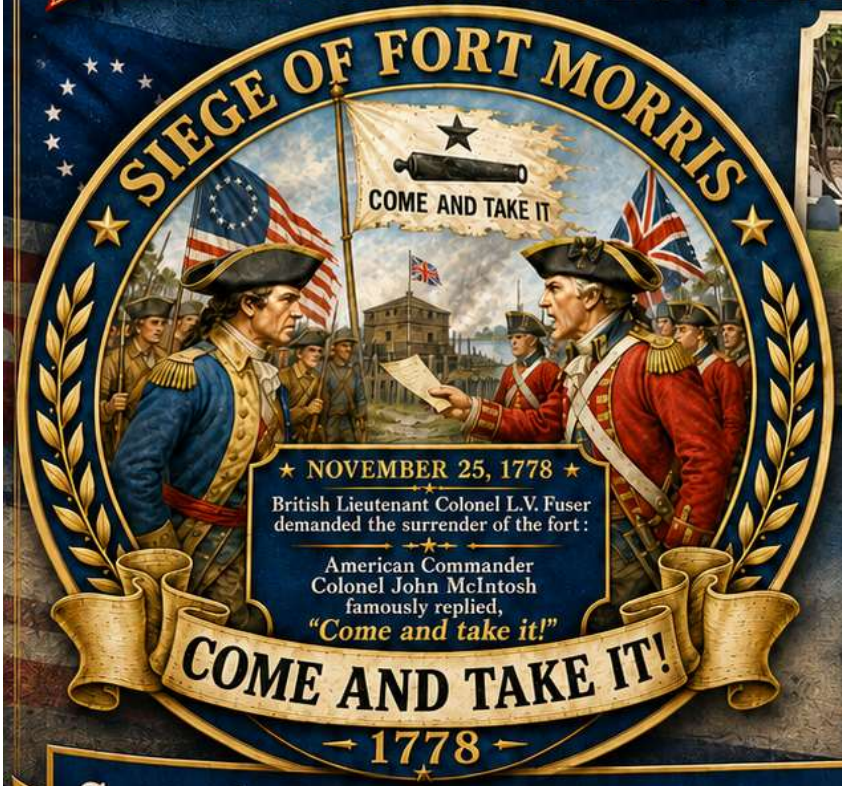
6. Phone #: _____

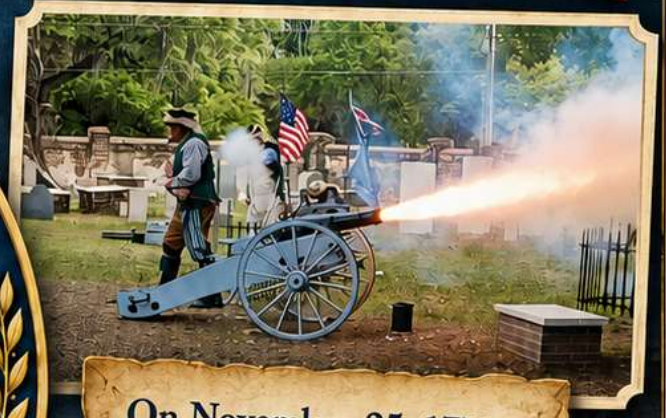
7. Email: _____

THE SIEGE OF FORT MORRIS

248th Anniversary of the "Come and Take It!" Commemoration

A NATIONAL SOCIETY SAR EVENT





On November 25, 1778, the British demanded Fort Morris to surrender... to which the Patriots defiantly replied, "Come and Take It!"

Saturday, November 21, 2026 • 10:30 AM

THE PUBLIC IS INVITED

CANNONS • PERIOD DRESS • MILITIA!

FORT MORRIS HISTORIC SITE

Georgia's only Revolutionary historic site with earthworks

7 miles east of I-95, Exit 76 – Island Parkway and Fort Morris Road • (912) 884-5999

Sponsored by the Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution, Marshes of Glynn Chapter, Georgia Society SAR, and Georgia Society Children of the American Revolution

GEORGIA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES | STATE PARKS & HISTORIC SITES

Note: An entrance fee will be required by all attendees.

December 19th

WREATHS across AMERICA

Marietta National Cemetery

REMEMBER ME

REMEMBER HONOR TEACH

WREATHS across AMERICA

Honoring 250 Years of American Heroes

GA0057 - Georgia Society-Sons of the American Revolution

Please help us Remember, Honor, and Teach on December 19, 2026 at 12:00 pm (EST) by sponsoring a wreath, volunteering, or inviting friends to help.

REMEMBER the Fallen. . . HONOR those who Serve. . . TEACH our children the value of Freedom.

Welcome to the GA0057 - Georgia Society-Sons of the American Revolution's Wreaths Across America Page.

On December 19, 2026 at 12:00 pm (EST), GA0057 - Georgia Society-Sons of the American Revolution will be helping Marietta National Cemetery to Remember and Honor our veterans by laying Remembrance wreaths on the graves of our country's fallen heroes.

Please help us honor and remember as many fallen heroes as possible by sponsoring remembrance wreaths, volunteering on Wreaths Day, or inviting your family and friends to attend with you.

Thank you so much for supporting the GA0057 - Georgia Society-Sons of the American Revolution and Wreaths Across America!

https://wreathsacrossamerica.org/pages/47894/Overview/?relatedId=14805







Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution Annual Conference

January 29th & 30th 2027

Hilton Atlanta Northeast
5993 Peachtree Industrial Blvd.,
Peachtree Corners, Georgia 30092-3416
Phone: 770-447-4747

There are two ways to register for the annual conference.

Register Online & Pay Online @ https://gasocietysar.org/

Registering by USPS Link: -Link to be announced soon-

Tentative schedule of upcoming events

Events – Friday, January 29th:

12:00-5:30 pm	Registration
1:00-2:30 pm	Program TDA
3:00-4:30 pm	Program TDA
6:00 pm	Reception (Card/Cash Bar)
7:00 pm	Member Awards Banquet (Members & Guests) (Black Tie, Business Suit, Uniform/Kilt)

Events – Saturday, January 30th:

8:00 – 8:20 am	Late Registration
8:30 am	Memorial Service (Members & Guests)
9:15 am	Winter Board of Managers Meeting (Members)
9:15-10:00 am	Ladies' Program
10:15-11:00 am	Ladies Auxiliary Annual Meeting
10:45 am	Annual Meeting: GA Society Election of Officers (ALL Registered Members Vote!)
11:45 am	Chapter and Youth Awards Luncheon & Installation of 2027 Officers (Members and guests) (Business Suit, Uniform or Kilt)

You may call the hotel to make your reservation.

The Sons of the American Revolution

Atlanta Chapter Board of Managers

cordially invites you and your family to attend our

2027 Annual George Washington Birthday Celebration, Meeting & Luncheon



Druid Hills Golf Club

740 Clifton Road
Atlanta, Georgia 30307

10:30 a.m., Saturday, February 20, 2027

Join us in celebrating a successful year!

In **2027** we will continue honoring our patriot ancestors and family heritage, promoting patriotism, recognizing Veterans, and encouraging education of the people, places and events of the Revolutionary War.

Meet GASSAR President J. Daniel McMichael and hear highlights of awards received by the Atlanta Chapter from the Georgia Society SAR. National Society & Chapter member awards will be presented along with recognition of 2026 officers. New members will be inducted and officers installed for the 2027 year ahead.

Advance reservations are required and must be postmarked no later than February 8th

Mailing information will be sent out in January

Note that the regularly scheduled chapter meeting will not be held on the second Thursday in February and the start time of this annual meeting is earlier. Social at 10:30 a.m. with the program starting at 11 a.m.

HOME REGISTRATION HOTEL SCHEDULE TOURS MERCHANDISE ATTRACTIONS

VOLUNTEER CONTACT US

137TH ANNUAL CONGRESS - 2027

New Orleans, Louisiana
July 9 - 15, 2027

THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT IS HOSTING THE 2027 CONGRESS!



The Southern District states of Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Tennessee will host the 2027 Congress at the "New Orleans Marriott" located at 555 Canal Street, New Orleans, LA 70130

CHECK BACK AS WE GET CLOSER TO 2027! We will be adding a merchandise link, a list of places to eat, a list of places to visit while you are in New Orleans, a list of scheduled Tours, a link to volunteer to work at the convention, and other information in the near future.

https://2027congress.com/

SAR Premium Membership Medal

The Sons of the American Revolution is pleased to announce the production of a high quality replica of the original 1890's Tiffany Style Membership Medal. The new medal is struck in sterling silver and plated in gold.





SAR Premium Miniature Membership Medal

SAR Premium Cuff Links













SAR Premium Tie Bar/Tack

Please contact the NSSAR Premium Membership Medal Project for a Price list & Order Form: Usina@aol.com

2026 Chapter Officer Directory

Chapter officers to serve February 21, 2026, to February 20, 2027, are as follows:



President	Gregory Smith
1st Vice President	Robert “Al” Adams
2nd Vice President	Jay Russell McLendon
Secretary	Robert “Al” Adams
Treasurer	Richard Marsh
Registrar	Joseph H. Blackmon
Chancellor	Mark Bell
Chaplain	John Titus
Historian	Ken Thomas
Sergeant at Arms	Robert “Al” Adams
Information Technology	Richard Marsh



2026 Atlanta Chapter Sons of the American Revolution Officers

Thank You to Our Atlanta 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.

Atlanta Fellows

2026



Al Adams
Edward M. Anderson Sr.
Joe Lewis Anderson Sr.
Paul Leon Anderson
G. Kathryn Anderson
Bill Armstrong
Paul Boshears
Mark Bell
Stuart Brady
Richard K. Brown
Sam Chafin
Philip Clinkscales III
Henry Cobb
John Coning
Ed Conley
Phil Curtis
Jim Freeman
Peggy Freeman
Bill Goodman
Gene Grasser
Tom Gurley
James Hankins
Joseph Hankins
Pat Hankins
Barrett Hanson
Ann Hays
Bill Hays
Anthony Henderson
Don Kenagy
Charles Lord
Katherine Lord
Bruce Maney
Charlie Maney
Ginny Manning
Terry Manning
Richard Marsh
Barry N. Miller
Joy Miller
Ted McMullan
Theodore Mullin
Lowrey McNeel
Joe Meyer
Charlie Newcomer
Alice Noble
David Noble
James Noble
Ray Patton
Joyce Patton
Loy Reddick
Ed Rigel, Sr.
Joan Rigel
Robert Miller Rogers
Stephen D. Schroeder
Kathleen Ann Schroeder
Stephen D. Schroeder II
Korey Matthew Schroeder
Delbert Smith Jr.
William Smith III
Gregory Eugene Smith
Ben Statham
Penn Templeman
John Titus
Bruce D. Wanamaker
Eugene Wilson
Mary Wilson
Richard Dean Williams
Elizabeth Kearsley Wysong
George Kearsley Wysong III



Veterans Respect Activities

Our chapter has donated close to $ 6,000.00 to the VA since this project began in early 2019 to purchase VA Canteen Coupon Books which patients can use in the canteen, coffee shop or cafeteria at the VAH, Decatur. These books will be distributed by the VA Volunteer Service at the hospital. At each meeting there will be a jar marked "$ for VA Canteen Coupon Books" to accept donations. Please look for it and contribute a dollar (or more).

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.



We are aware that many of our Atlanta Chapter members have been involved in such activities, but we do not know the extent. We would like to gather information on such efforts. If you have been involved in any such activities since January 1, 2026, please report the details to our Chaplain John Titus.

Enjoy the SAR



Be sure to enjoy your time with the Sons of the American Revolution! Always make your patriotic service fun. We are here to honor our Patriot ancestors — and to have a good time doing it!