



VIRGINIA SOCIETY, SAR OFFICIAL HANDBOOK

(Extracted sections relating to DAR-assisted SAR Applications)

Volume 3: I. C. 4. The 2nd Vice President, as the membership chairman, oversees the DAR Finder Contest.

Volume 3: I. I. 2. The Registrar maintains a tally of the Virginia DAR Chapters assisting new members based on the DAR Finder Forms attached to the new member applications sent to the National Society. He will submit the tally for the calendar year to the 2nd Vice President in January.

Volume 3: III. A. 4(c). The Chapter Support and Membership Committee oversees the Virginia Society DAR/SAR Award program. This program is in direct support of the National Society DAR/SAR Award which provides \$500 to the state DAR Society that recruits the most members to the SAR. The recruiting is tracked at the national level by “DAR Finder Forms” attached to the new member applications arriving at National. The Virginia Society is encouraging this program by providing the DAR Finder Form (at the end of this volume) and by awarding certificates to the top three VA DAR Chapters recruiting new members and giving honorable mention to any VA DAR Chapter recruiting new SAR members. The committee will insure that forms are made available to the VA DAR and will on receipt of the report from the Registrar, prepare the certificates and inform the President of the results of the contest. The President or his designated representative should present these awards and recognition at the VA DAR Annual Meeting.

Volume 4: III. D. 20. The SAR Medal of Appreciation is presented to a member of the DAR in good standing in recognition of and in appreciation for outstanding services rendered to the SAR. The medal may recognize assistance in obtaining a specific number of new SAR members or otherwise significantly aiding the SAR programs. Oak Leaf Clusters may be presented to an individual if she qualifies by service to SAR rendered subsequent to the presentation of the medal or an oak leaf cluster.

DAR FINDER REPORT FORM
VIRGINIA SOCIETY SAR

Every year at the NSSAR National Congress the National Society presents the DAR/SAR Award to the DAR state society that recruits the most members for SAR during the calendar year (coinciding with membership renewal dates).

This is a \$500 award to the DAR state society.

This form is used to keep track of the DAR support. It can be filled out by either a DAR or SAR member, but must be attached to the SAR application before it is submitted to the state registrar, and **must** be forwarded to NSSAR HQ with the application. The Staff Registrar at HQ will use these forms to determine the winner.

THIS APPLICANT IS FROM THE _____ CHAPTER, VASSAR.

NAME OF APPLICANT(s) _____

NAME OF DAR MEMBER MAKING REFERRAL OR PROVIDING ASSISTANCE IN PREPARATION OF APPLICATION: _____

NAME OF HER DAR CHAPTER _____ NSDAR# _____

FIRST LINE SPONSOR (SAR) _____ NSSAR# _____

Virginia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution will present Award Certificates to the top three VA DAR Chapters in recruiting new SAR Members at the Annual VA DAR Meeting. Any DAR Chapter recruiting SAR members will receive honorable mention at the Annual VA DAR Meeting