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Kansas State Historian
Welcome Home

Welcome Chapter Historians and Chapter Regents, your support of historical efforts will help to fulfill one of DAR's goals- **Historic Preservation**.

- Assistance for all historic preservation needs by State Historian
- Promotion of the Outstanding Teacher of American History contest in every chapter
- Promote the NSDAR Excellence in American History Book Award
- Promote the DAR History Award medal
- Assist with DAR member Grave markers
- DAR historical markers/monuments

The Outstanding Teacher of American History contest information is linked from the KSDAR website. The entry forms are due **electronically to the **State Historian by November 20, 2019**.

- Participate in historical celebrations and events; have chapter historical programs.
- Access Guidelines, instruction sheets and forms from the Historian General's webpage on the national website, or through the KSDAR website from the State Historian's webpage. Use CMR questions for guiding the chapter history work.
- Preserve and manage chapter records. Use DAR Chapter Property Agreement form and use digitization of records guidelines; "Records Management Recommendations for DAR Chapters and State Societies," on the Historian General's webpage.

National Donations count on CAA. Friends of the Americana Collection, and NSDAR Archives.

***STATE Donations: Budget planning for the Madonna Fund for maintenance, and to the Marker Fund for maintenance for the state markers. NEED A CHAPTER PROGRAM? Contact the State Historian to give the Madonna program.**

Attached to this Fact Sheet are additional questions for the Chapter Historian. Follow date due.

Keep History Alive!

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Chapter name _____

Supplemental questions. Send electronically to the State Historian **only**.
historian@kansasdar.org before December 31, 2019. Was a marker/insignia installed or
dedicated on a member's gravesite? How many?

Did you send a permission form to the Historian General?

Did you send a DAR MARKER REPORT FORM to the Historian General and the State
Historian?

2. Did your chapter have a project to preserve your official records following the
recommended instructions from the Historian General? (Brief summary)

3. Did your chapter have a special historical event, celebration, trip or project? (Brief
summary)

4. Did your chapter support the restoration of the Madonna of the Trail with a monetary
donation?

5. Is your chapter planning a 200 year celebration of the Santa Fe Trail?