



Hello!

Thank you for your interest in the Mary Washington Colonial Chapter, NSDAR.

We meet in Manhattan, usually at an Upper East Side location, on the third Wednesday of the month. We have both afternoon and evening meetings to best accommodate our membership's schedules.

We have varied speakers—authors or other people of interest, we visit historical sites, are involved in veterans projects including a new Viet Nam veterans' initiative, present ROTC awards, celebrate Flag Day, and pursue other historically related programs. Programs this past year included a workshop on CPR and author Margaret Oppenheimer speaking about her new book on Eliza Jumel. And we gather for holiday tea in December!

Coming up we have a genealogy workshop and a private tour of a museum downtown. An exciting plaque restoration project is in the works, in coordination with local history students, as we try to make visible a plaque marking the first presidential mansion which was near the Brooklyn Bridge.

Come meet chapter officers and others so that we can get to know you, and vice versa. An endorsement by two current chapter members, who must each write a letter to the chapter on your behalf, is part of the application process.

Have a look at the accompanying genealogy worksheet and see what you can fill in. What do you know about your parents, grandparents, great-grandparents, etc., going back to your Revolutionary War ancestor? Or perhaps you have a relative who is/was a DAR member? In order to assist you with your application, we will ask you to collect copies of birth, marriage and death certificates for you and your parent and grandparents so we can start to make the links to your patriot ancestor.

A new member recently reported that she had found us "very welcoming and friendly, with a wide range of interests and ages of members. It was very refreshing." We hope that you will too.

Please pay us a visit.

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