



For Your Information

Information about the Connecticut Society of the Children of the American Revolution

Fall 2011

C.A.R. JUST THE FACTS:

- **C.A.R. is open to any boy or girl between the ages of 0-22 who is lineally descended from a person who directly aided in the cause of American Independence.**
- **The organization was founded in 1895 and is the oldest patriotic organization for youths in the country.**
- **Dues are currently set at \$25 per person per year for national and state dues. Society dues are determined by the individual society.**
- **There are NO required hours or meeting minimums for C.A.R.**
- **We have societies located all over the state!**
- **For more information, visit the national or state website:
www.nscar.org
www.connecticutcar.org**

Email us at:
info@connecticutcar.org

NATIONAL & STATE C.A.R. PROJECTS

- **The National Project** of the National President is "Living the American Dream". Money and awareness is being raised to benefit the Fisher House Organization which houses veterans and their families all over the world while they are receiving medical treatment. West Haven, CT is the site of the proposed Fisher House in CT. For more information about this new Fisher House, please see www.fisherhousect.org
- **The State Project** of the State President is "Camping Out with C.S.C.A.R." Money and awareness is being raised for Keeler Tavern Museum's Kamp Keeler. Keeler Tavern was the headquarters for Patriots during the Battle of Ridgefield (April 27, 1777) and every summer they have an American Revolutionary Camp for children in 2nd to 5th grade. Money is being raised by selling solid pewter cannon lapel pins in honor of the cannonball that is still lodged in Keeler Tavern Museum. These pins are American-made and only \$10. For more info about Kamp Keeler, visit www.keelertavernmuseum.org



2011-12 National Logo



2011-12 State Pin

PAST ACTIVITIES OF THE STATE & LOCAL SOCIETIES

- Field trips to Philadelphia and NYC
- 4th of July, Memorial Day, & Veteran's Day Parades
- Flag Retirement Ceremonies with American Legion VFW
- State, Regional, and National Conferences
- Lazer Tag Fun Meeting
- Wreaths across America
- Massing of the Colors

C.A.R. MISSION STATEMENT

"The National Society Children of the American Revolution trains good citizens, develops leaders, and promotes love of the United States of America and its heritage among young people."