

Republic Reporter

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**September 17, 2011
Chapter Meeting
Sizzler Restaurant
1151 Lancaster Drive NE, Salem
Noon**

Welcome to new member John Douglas Boedigheimer, NSSAR number 180075 and ORSSAR number 1764. John's application was approved by NSSAR on 1 Jul 2011. His Patriot ancestor was Joseph Worden, who served in Connecticut and New York.

From the President

Our first meeting after the summer break is coming up on September 17th. Our program is about the Marion County CERT organization. Many of our Patriot ancestors supported their communities while others fought. These modern volunteers support the community during times of emergency.

Compatriot Johnny Alexander is stepping down as the Editor of the Republic Chapter Newsletter. He has done an outstanding job as Editor, and we all appreciate his efforts. I ask anyone who is interested in continuing the newsletter to let either me or Johnny know. Contact Johnny to find out what is involved in putting the newsletter together.

It is time again for nominating the state officers of the Oregon Society, SAR. If you are interested in being a State Officer, contact me or Johnny Alexander. Compatriot Johnny Alexander is the Nominating Committee Chairman. If you know of anyone who is interested in a state office, verify that they are interested in the office, then submit their name to Johnny or myself. This is your chance to be a leader.

Compatriot David Devin
Republic Chapter, President.

Dues

And so another dues cycle rolls around. Checks may be mailed to Compatriot Betterton or you can bring your dues to the September or October meeting. Checks should be payable to the Republic Chapter SAR in the amount of \$60. The dues breakdown is as follows:

Republic Chapter: \$15
ORSSAR: \$15
NSSAR: \$30
Total check: \$60

Mailing address
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3270 Dogwood Drive SE
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Important September dates in 1778

Sep 16 - Battle of
Westchester NY.

Sep 16 - Engagement at
Philips Heights NY.

Sep 28 - Battle of Tappan NY.

Sep 26 - Battle of Fort Henry
near Wheeling VA.



The following Compatriots have September birthdays:

Elton Clark – 7
Bill Reynolds – 9
David Keele - 18

The following Compatriots have October birthdays:

Dean Meisenheimer – 8
Brian Meisenheimer – 17

We're on the Web!

See us at: <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~orrcsar/>

The Republic Chapter of the National Sons of the American Revolution

Our meetings are generally the third Saturday of the month. We meet at the Sizzler Restaurant located at 1151 Lancaster Drive NE in Salem, OR. We start our meetings at Noon.

We have a variety of interesting speakers and our own members give presentations on their Patriot Ancestors.

Upcoming meetings:

October 15, 2011
Tillamook burn

November 19, 2011
Lusanne Society CAR

December 17, 2011
Open

Registrar's Report for September 2011

With the addition of Compatriot John Boedigheimer, our membership is 38. We have another application that has been sent to NSSAR. Don Robinson is our newest potential member, and has indicated he will begin attending our meetings. Welcome Don.

I'm including a rooster of the Republic Chapter with this newsletter.

I have accepted a position with the Washington Department of Transportation and will be working in Lacey, Washington beginning 3 October. I think I can continue to perform as Registrar and will maintain my membership in the Republic Chapter until my term is finished in April. The Chapter will need to decide if I can continue to be Registrar and I will abide by the decision the Chapter makes.

I'm stepping down as Editor since I think it's important for the Editor to attend meetings.

I have instructions on setting up a Sounds of Liberty program if the Chapter is interested in continuing that program and I'll be giving that to Compatriot Devin.

Thank you all for your support and for allowing me to participate with the Chapter on many worthwhile activities.

Compatriot Johnny D. Alexander
Republic Chapter Registrar and Editor