

Outstanding Commemorative Events Contest 2023 Judging Rubric

Requirements for Complying with Report Criteria. The submission must be:

- Use online report form and attach chapter report as one pdf document.
- Include a detailed description of the event and the planning of the event using the this rubric.
- Limit to 10 pages or fewer, single-sided, including photographs.
- Photographs must include captions.
- Use 12 pt. Arial or Times New Roman font.

Name:

Chapter:

State:

Name of Commemorative Event

Describe how the Commemorative Event fulfills the mission of Historic Preservation, Education, and/or Patriotism.

Commemorative Event:

- Independence Day
- 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War
- 50th Anniversary of the NASA Space Shuttle Program
- 80th Anniversary of D-Day (June 6, 1944)
- 100th Anniversary of American Indian Citizen Act
- 125th Anniversary of DAR Hospital Corps
- 125th Anniversary of Stars & Stripes Forever (Premiere of John Philip Sousa's march)
- 125th Anniversary of the Spanish American War (April 21-August 13, 1898)
- 125th Anniversary DAR participation in the Paris Exposition of 1900
- 150th Anniversary of Yellowstone National Park (March 1, 1872)
- 200th Anniversary of Lafayette Farewell Tour (1824-1825)
- 250th Anniversary of the Boston Tea Party, the Edenton Tea Party and Other Historic Tea Parties (December 16, 1773-April, 1775)
- 250th Birthday of the US Navy (October 13, 1775)
- Legacy of Bernardo de Galvez
- Multi-Chapter Commemorative Events (List all Chapters)

Other (Special Celebrations like Statehood Anniversaries, Veterans Day)

	5 Points	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Point	0 Point
Compliance with Report Criteria	Complied with all five Report Criteria					Complied with less than five Report Criteria
Historical Significance of Program *	Was presented by holding a community event or using a guest speaker that required many chapter members for planning and preparation.	Was presented by holding an event or using a guest speaker that required some chapter members for planning and preparation.	Was presented by holding an event that required 1- or 2- chapter members for planning and preparation.	Was presented by holding an event that was a Poster or only required a single person to prepare.	Was mentioned in Chapter meeting or Newsletter.	Was not mentioned.
Educational Significance of Program*	The Program involved a presentation that went into specific detail about the event that involved the community and chapter members.	The Program involved a presentation that highlighted the most important details about the event that involved the community and chapter members.	The Program involved a presentation that highlighted the most important details about the event that involved the chapter members.	The Program involved a presentation that was a poster or a single person presenting that involved the chapter members.	The Program involved a write-up discussing the historical event at a chapter meeting or newsletter.	The program did not involve any write-up or presentation of any type.
Patriotic Impact on Community*	Involved members of the chapter as well as NSDAR State Officers & members of other lineage societies & state/local officials & community.	Involved members of the chapter as well as NSDAR State Officers & members of other lineage societies.	Involved members of the chapter as well as NSDAR State Officers.	Involved members of the chapter who are either physically or virtually present.	Involved only members of the chapter who are physically present or receive the newsletter.	Did not involve members of the chapter or state.
Social media Impact of the Program (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, newspaper, magazines, newsletters, internal DAR sources)	Media Outreach to 5 media formats with proof, either pre or post event (include copies of the newspaper, magazine, electronic submissions).	Media Outreach to 4 media formats with proof either pre or post event (include copies of the newspaper, magazine, electronic submissions).	Media Outreach to 3 media formats with proof either pre or post event	Media Outreach to 2 media formats with proof either pre or post event (include copies of the newspaper, magazine, electronic submissions).	Media Outreach to 1 media format with proof either pre or post event (include copies of the newspaper, magazine, electronic submissions).	No media outreach was done
Total Score	/25					
*All consideration should given where special circumstances, unique opportunities, and extra efforts apply.						