



Wil Davis, National Vice President, Bruce Mueller, Senior National Vice President, and the Iowa State Society, invite you to the

**Thirty-Eighth Annual Meeting of the Great Plains Region  
National Society of the Children of the American Revolution**

**July 17-18, 2009**

**Sheraton West Des Moines**

**1800 50<sup>th</sup> Street, West Des Moines, Iowa 50322**

Explore this year's N.S.C.A.R. programs in presentations, skits, and workshops led by members of your National Board. Discover the role you can play in promoting this year's theme, *Reflections of Independence*. Take part in the business sessions and listen to reports of what your state and others in the region have planned for a fun-filled and productive year.

Friday night make new friends as you splash in the pool and snack on pizza. The cost of the kids-only party is \$10.00 per person. Adults are invited to meet the Senior National President and visit with other leaders in the after-session adult meeting. Saturday afternoon tour the Science Center of Iowa and experience the wonders of the world around you in hands-on exhibits, displays, and presentations. Both members and adults are welcome on the tour. Admission and transportation is \$15.00 per person.

Enjoy a Saturday lunch in the hotel atrium of a club croissant, chips, fruit, dessert, and beverage for \$25.00 per person. Dress in your finest for the Saturday evening banquet. Menu choices include a breaded pork tenderloin with mashed potatoes and gravy, traditional lasagna, or meatless lasagna for \$35.00 per person. Each of these dinner selections includes salad, vegetable, bread, dessert, and beverage. For children 12 and under a chicken strips meal with macaroni and cheese, applesauce, and milk is available for \$15.00 per person.

Following the banquet and Saturday evening meeting, a DJ will be playing your favorite songs at a kids-only dance. Adults are welcome to watch the grand march and then are invited to the reception planned just for them.

The regional meeting offers information, inspiration, and fun for members, seniors, parents, and guests, both young people and adults. A \$20.00 registration fee is required to take part in any session or activity.

Complete the included registration form and mail with payment to Mary Hoyt, Senior Regional Treasurer, 5815 SW 25th Street, Topeka, KS 66614. The registration deadline is July 3, 2009. Registrations submitted after the July 3, 2009, deadline will be subject to availability and a \$10.00 late fee.

**Make hotel reservations directly with the Sheraton West Des Moines by calling (515) 223-1800. Be sure to specify that you are with the Children of the American Revolution to receive the special rate of \$99.00 for regular rooms and \$119.00 for two-room suites. You may also make reservations online at <http://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/nsca>. The cut-off date for the special rate is June 25, 2009.**

For general questions about the meeting please contact Bruce Mueller, Senior National Vice President, (605) 272-5230 or [GreatPlainsRegionNSCAR@yahoo.com](mailto:GreatPlainsRegionNSCAR@yahoo.com). For questions about registration please contact Mary Hoyt, Senior Regional Treasurer, (785) 228-1978 or [geme@cox.net](mailto:geme@cox.net).

Don't miss out on everything the 2009 Great Plains Regional Meeting has to offer. Make plans to spend July 17-18, 2009, in West Des Moines, Iowa.

## Tentative Schedule 2009 Great Plains Regional Meeting

### Friday, July 17, 2009

4:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.	Registration (N.S.C.A.R. Dress Code in effect)
7:00 p.m.	Pages, Aides, and Color Bearers Report
7:15 p.m.	Procession Forms
7:30 p.m.	Meeting and National Program Presentations
9:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m.	Member Pool and Pizza Party Adult Meeting (ALL adults invited!)

### Saturday, July 18, 2009

8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.	Registration
8:45 a.m.	Procession Forms
9:00 a.m.	Meeting and National Program Presentations
11:30 a.m.	Luncheon
12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Tour of Science Center of Iowa
6:45 p.m.	Procession Forms
7:00 p.m.	Banquet and Meeting
9:30 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.	Member Dance Adult Reception (ALL adults invited!)



## NATIONAL DRESS CODE AND CODE OF BEHAVIOR WILL BE IN EFFECT

### N.S.C.A.R. Dress Code

<b>Sessions:</b>	Ladies/girls -Dresses or skirts and blouses or military uniform. Gentlemen/boys - Suits/sport jackets, slacks, shirts and ties or military uniform.
<b>Banquet:</b>	Ladies/girls - Formal or party dresses or military uniform. An evening wrap is suggested due to air conditioning. Gentlemen/boys - Tuxedo, coat and tie, or military uniform. Coats may not be removed during the banquet.
<b>Parties/Tour:</b>	Casual attire - Shorts in good taste, but NO faded, torn, patched, frayed etc. clothing of any kind is to be worn.

**FOOTWEAR MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES**

### Science Center of Iowa



Imagine. Experiment. Play! At the Science Center of Iowa, the experience is yours! From the inner workings of the human body to the outer reaches of the solar system, science surrounds you with dynamic live programs and hands-on interactive exhibits that will inspire the curiosity everyone. Be sure to visit the re-created Iowa landscape to explore climbing, caving, and digging, and engage in examining and testing minerals, finding and identifying fossils, and classifying plant and animal species. Interact, experiment and explore and see what you and science can do!

**Registration Form**  
**2009 Great Plains Regional Meeting**  
**July 17-18, 2009**

*Registration Deadline: July 3, 2009*

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*Space for additional registrations available on next page*

**Total additional registrations (if applicable) \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Grand Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

*Make checks payable to: **Great Plains Region, N.S.C.A.R.***

*Mail completed registration form and payment to:*

**Mary Hoyt, Senior Regional Treasurer, 5815 SW 25th Street, Topeka, KS 66614**  
**Phone: (785) 228-1978 Email: gemeh@cox.net**

*Registrations submitted after the July 3, 2009, deadline will be subject to availability and a \$10.00 late fee*

*Donations in any amount are greatly appreciated. Gifts of at least the following amounts will be recognized in the program: Individual: \$5.00, Family: \$10.00, Donor: \$25.00; Sponsor: \$50.00, Benefactor: \$100.00*

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**Total Additional Registrations** *(include amount on previous page)* \$ \_\_\_\_\_



Dear friend and supporter of C.A.R.,

The Great Plains Region of the National Society of the Children of the American Revolution will hold its thirty-eighth regional meeting July 17-18, 2009. Young people and adults from Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota (the states that make up the region), as well as from across the country will gather at the Sheraton West Des Moines, Iowa, for two fun-filled yet informative days. Attendees will learn about the current C.A.R. programs and be inspired to return home and put the information they gained into action in their local and state societies.

The expenses involved in hosting a regional meeting have grown to more than can be met by registration fees alone. I'm asking you to consider offering your financial assistance to help make this regional meeting successful.

Please complete the form below and mail it along with your donation. As an alternative, a line for your donation is included on the registration form. Acknowledgment of your gift will be included in the meeting program.

Thank you for your encouragement, interest, cooperation, and financial support.

Sincerely,

Bruce Mueller  
Senior National Vice President  
Great Plains Region

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Yes, I/we would like to offer a donation to help make the Thirty-Eighth Annual Great Plains Regional Meeting possible (please check level of support):

_____	\$5.00	Individual	_____	\$50.00	Sponsor
_____	\$10.00	Family	_____	\$100.00	Benefactor
_____	\$25.00	Donor	_____	\$ _____	Other (please indicate amount)

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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Name for program acknowledgment (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

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