



**Tisbury Manor
Chapter NSDAR
Monson, Maine**

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Guidance Department
Foxcroft Academy
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Dear Guidance Counselor,

The National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR or DAR) has introduced a new online scholarship application program. To help spread the word, I have created tear-off sheets for your bulletin board.

The information your students will need include:

- A personal statement of career objectives
- A recent copy of their high school high school transcript
- Proof of United States citizenship
- A listing of extra-curricular activities, honors received, and scholastic achievements
- A statement of why they would be a worthy candidate to receive a DAR Scholarship
- Contact information for letters of recommendation

This site will provide more information:

<https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships>

Specific instructions on how to submit an application can be found here:

<https://dar.academicworks.com/>

If you have any questions please feel free to get in touch with me.

Sincerely,

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Dear Guidance Officers,

Maine State Organization Daughters of the American Revolution wants to make sure that you are aware of the scholarship opportunities offered by DAR and the new requirements this year. As State Chair of the Maine Scholarship Committee, I have communicated with each of our Chapter Regents. They are available to help with the application process and communication to students and their families. Education is one of the primary goals of DAR.

Since 1923, our National Society has been awarding scholarships to help students attain higher education and achieve their career aspirations. Information about our 28 scholarships is provided on both the DAR public and member websites. There are a variety of scholarships for students pursuing different areas of study such as history, education, nursing, medicine, science, math and law. Our scholarships are funded by endowments from wills and gifts—not member dues. DAR's scholarships are awarded and judged without regard to gender, race, religion, national origin, or disability. The total number of applications received for the 2019 – 2020 scholarships was 6,434—an astounding 54-percent increase over the prior year's applications. The dollar amount awarded was more than \$250,000!

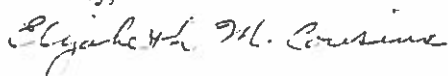
Students and members can ask specific questions about our varied scholarships or the application process by contacting National Vice Chairs via scholarship-specific emails found on our public and member Scholarship webpages. State and chapter chairs are also available to help! Please note, the online application system includes scholarships offered by the DAR Scholarship and American Indians committee only. The DAR Good Citizen Award and Scholarship Contest selection process remains unchanged and will not use the online portal.

Important Scholarship Application Information:

- **Scholarship applications for the 2020 academic year will be accepted Thursday, August 1, 2019, through Saturday, February 15, 2020, at midnight (Eastern Standard Time).**
- Students will enter and upload all of the required scholarship application information using the online application process (e.g. personal statement, transcripts, activities, proof of citizenship, and if required—their financial-need information).
- Individuals providing letters of recommendation will be able to submit their information confidentially through the new online application process.

This is truly a wonderful time for our National Society as we *Rise and Shine for America!* Our President General Denise Doring VanBuren has encouraged us all to connect and become involved with our local communities. Please consider spreading the word about our scholarships and our new application process in your community!

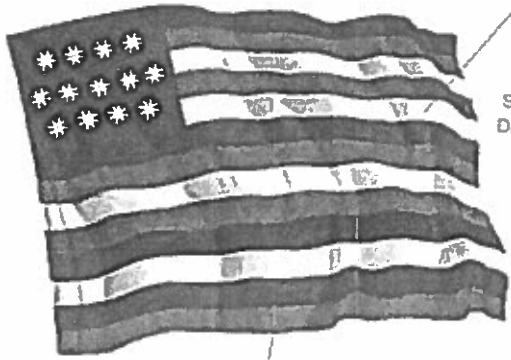
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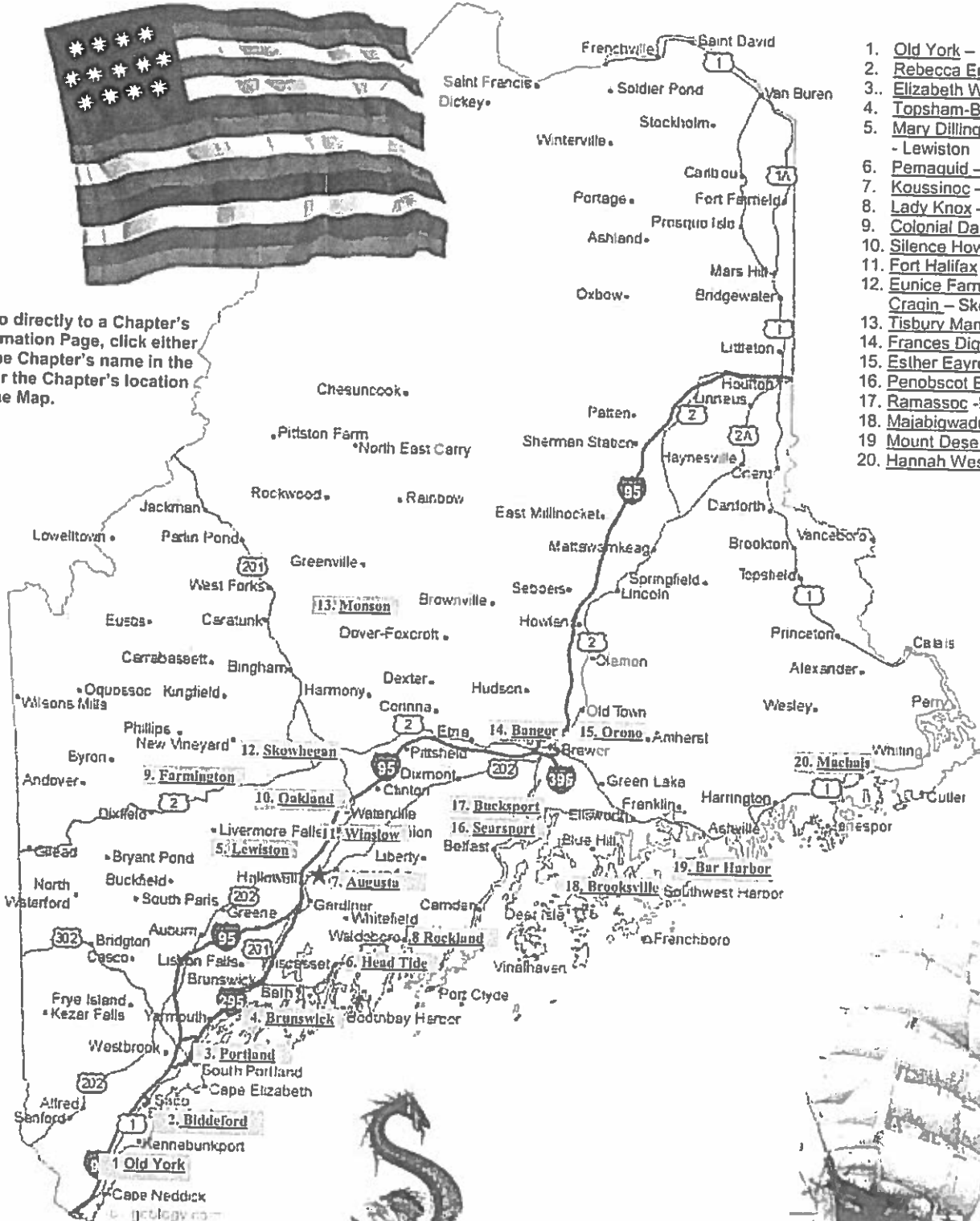
Elizabeth M. Cousins

State Chair NSDAR Scholarship Committee

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