CONSTITUTION WEEK COMMITTEE



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September 17-23 is Constitution Week. In 1955, the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution the petitioned Congress with a resolution; this week observance for the foundation of the American form of government was signed into law by President Dwight D. Eisenhower on August 2, 1956. The commitment of NSDAR is to encourage study and educate the public about the Constitution, which was adopted by the American Congress of the Confederation on September 17, 1787.

Goals of the Committee:

- Recite the Preamble to the Constitution at meeting and events.
- Adopt a classroom to teach children about the founding of our Nation.
- Make an effort to learn about our Constitution (online study, books, videos and classes).
- Organize Bells Across America to be rung September 17th 3pm CST.
- Celebrate the 67th Anniversary of the first Constitution Week with events, programs and displays.
- Encourage community member to protect and defend the Constitution.

Let's celebrate A Legacy of Liberty by visiting The Constitution Week webpage at

www.dar.org/members/committees

Resources available include:

- History of Constitution Week
- Preamble
- Constitution Week Toolbox
- Working With Schools
- Suggested Activities & Calendar
- Awards & Contests
- Additional Resources
- Contact the Constitution Week Committee

Celebrate Stars & Stripes Forever and record your activities on the Chapter Master Report.