

2024-2025 Louisiana State President Theme & Project
Remember Our Heroes - Share Their Story

Goal: Remember our heroes by interviewing veterans, active duty military members and family of veterans to collect stories to create an “L.S.C.A.R. Remembers Book”.

Members of each L.S.C.A.R. Society are asked to visit and interview local veterans. Veterans can be members of your family, residents in a local nursing or veterans’ homes, or just in your community.



Ways to “Remember Our Heroes and Let Them Be Heard”

- Collect stories and pictures from family members of veterans from past conflicts.
- Interview living veterans and submit your notes to be included in the L.S.C.A.R. Remembers Book.
- Partner with a veterans home, local veterans group, or active military member to visit regularly, collect wish list items or send care packages.
- Encourage members to write letters or draw pictures to send to veterans in their community, at an out of state base or even abroad.
- Volunteer during local Memorial Day, Veteran’s Day and/or Wreaths Across America Day events.
- Visit the National World War II Museum in New Orleans and pay it forward by purchasing tickets for someone else to attend.
- Remember the Greatest Generation during the 80th anniversary of D-Day and the Battle of Normandy which is June 6, 1944
- Remember forgotten veterans laid to rest in Louisiana cemeteries by sponsoring wreaths as part of your community Wreaths Across America ceremony.

What should you ask the veteran?

- First, obtain a signature from the veteran or family member allowing us to use their information and story (*see release form*)
- Ask for their name, rank and branch of service
- Where did they serve and/or where were they stationed?
- What years did they serve?
- Why did they join?
- Do they have a favorite story to share?
- What was their military history?
- Make sure to get a picture of the veteran with or without the C.A.R. member(s)

How do you share the information you collect?

- Once you have the release form, veteran’s information, and picture please do one of the following:
 - Email the release form , notes and picture(s) to LSCARSSP@gmail.com
 - Email only the release form and picture(s) to LSCARSSP@gmail.com then use the Google Form (<https://forms.gle/xhktatAyyiNPMDEk6>) to upload the Veteran’s interview information.

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Information Release Form

I, _____, hereby grant permission to the Louisiana Society Children of the American Revolution and the _____ Society to use my name, military information, photographs and/or video of me taken on _____ at _____ in publications, news releases, online including social media and in other communications related to the L.S.C.A.R. veterans' project.

Veteran Name (printed)

Veteran Signature

Date

Facility Representative Name (printed)

Facility Representative Signature

Date



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Veteran's Interview Sheet

First and Last Name of L.S.C.A.R. Member(s) conducting the interview: _____

L.S.C.A.R. Society: _____

First and Last Name of Veteran being interviewed: _____

Rank at Retirement/Discharge: _____

Military Branch of Service (circle all that apply) Army Marines Navy Air Force
Coast Guard Army National Guard Air National Guard Other _____

What year(s) did they serve? Where did they serve and/or where were they stationed? _____

Why did they join the military? (use additional pages if necessary) _____

Share any stories from your veteran and/or their military service history? (use additional pages if necessary)

Be sure to email at least one picture of the veteran and/or the C.A.R. member conducting the interview.