

**Subject: 2013 Activity Report Summary**

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Highlighted activities for the year 2013 are listed below. The Chapter met at all scheduled meetings. This summary does not address housekeeping items but focuses on those activities addressing our mission.

New members inducted were Bob Huson, Rex Stickle, Rick Galer, Chris Fridley, Gary Gray, Alan Hancock, Benjamin Hancock, David Wilson and David O. Farrar. Compatriot Gary Baxter transferred in from Kentucky. Membership increased to 23 by years end.

In March DAR guests Ruth James-Allen and Susan Stickle were asked to be DAR liaisons for Snohomish and Island Counties respectively.

April and May meetings consisted of committee reports and generally reflected excitement and enthusiasm by Compatriots conducting GWC business. It was determined that another meeting location would offer better acoustics than the current location in Mt Vernon.

As the agreed to Chapter meeting schedule omits the months of June, July and August the Chapter resumed meetings September 21<sup>st</sup> at Bob's Burger and Brew in Burlington. In October Compatriots Gary Gray, Alan Hancock and Benjamin Hancock were inducted. Vice President Brian Bork displayed the Original Charter Document and asked newly inducted members to sign as only those members who were associated with the

Lt. James Blaney a B 17 pilot with 30 missions over Germany during WW II gave an exciting presentation.

Compatriot Harshman nominated Lynden Lions Club for a Flag Award.