Mary Chilton DAR Foundation welcomes applications for grants

SIoux FALLS, S.D. - The Mary Chilton DAR Foundation invites nonprofit organizations from across South Dakota to apply for grants to advance causes supported by DAR, which is short for the Daughters of the American Revolution.

“We want to provide funding for grants that impact and better the lives of others in the categories of education, patriotism and historic preservation,” said Judy Goetz, who chairs the foundation’s Grants Committee.

For application forms, as well as more information about grant criteria or the foundation, see www.DAR-MaryChiltonFoundation.org.

Proposals for regular grants of up to $15,000 will be considered. Grant application forms are available online, but completed forms must be printed and mailed. Applications must be postmarked by Sept. 5, 2017. The organization’s mailing address is: Mary Chilton DAR Foundation, PO Box 99716, Sioux Falls, S.D. 57109-0716.

The Mary Chilton DAR Foundation is affiliated with the Mary Chilton chapter, NSDAR. The National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution strives to perpetuate the memory and spirit of the men and women who gave their lives and fortunes for American Independence.

Regular grants are awarded by the foundation in amounts between $1,000 and $15,000. Grants will only be given to recipients in South Dakota for projects within the state.

After Sept. 5, the next filing deadline for grants will be Jan. 5, 2018. The foundation awards approximately $100,000 in grants each year.