

KDS Attends ASDAR State Conference

The Alabama Society Daughters of the American Revolution continues to champion the cause of patriotic education with its avid support of KDS DAR School and its students. During the 123rd Alabama Society DAR Conference in Auburn on March 12-14, that tradition of support certainly showed. This historic conference was held utilizing a hybrid format, with a limited number of members on-site at the conference hotel and the remainder of the attendees participating from home via electronic means.

KDS Senior Emily McBee was awarded an ASDAR Scholarship during the Awards Ceremony on Friday. During the Saturday morning DAR Schools session, Juniors Cole Edwards and Lizzie Hammett provided video greetings and spoke about what makes KDS such a special place, and KDS Executive Director Heather Green shared her presentation "The KDS DAR School Response to the Pandemic." Following the presentation, State Regent Tammy Clemons presented KDS with a check for \$15,000 for her project to establish a historic properties endowment at the school, bringing the three-year total to nearly \$52,000.

But the true success of the school during the Alabama Society DAR State Conference is in the sharing of the KDS story with long-time and new DAR members. It is a time to celebrate the unique privilege of having a DAR School in Alabama and to show appreciation for KDS's most devoted supporters – Alabama Daughters!



Alabama State Regent Tammy Clemons presenting a \$15,000 contribution for her project to KDS Executive Director Heather Green



Heather Green enjoyed catching up with fellow Auburn alumnae Kay Yarbrough, State Regent of Florida.



KDS Development Director Beth Cagle visiting with ASDAR Honorary Regent Jean Vaughan