

2024 DRAFT

2024 DSFC-DGRA Annual Board Meeting Agenda

29 May 2024

The annual board meeting of the Dunham-Singleton Family Connections – Dunham Genealogy Research Association is scheduled for Sunday, 5 May 2024 at 1:00 pm Pacific – 4:00 pm Eastern. If you would like to attend the Conference Call, please contact James Streeter at: james8313@sti.net

Item 1 - Secretarial Report: [SecReport-Mar2022.pdf \(dunham-singleton.org\)](#)

Item 2 - Treasurer Report: [FinReport-2023.pdf \(dunham-singleton.org\)](#)

Balances as 30 Apr 2023: General 9229.85 – DNA 215.55 – Memorial 100.00 -- Research 334.41 – Total 9879.81 plus 17.85 on PayPal – Total **9897.66** – plus a 25.00 check that needs to be deposited.

Item 3 – DGRA 2024 Budget

Item	Amount
Annual Corporation Reporting Fee	20.00
DGRA DBA Renewal Fee (every 5 yrs.)	20.00
National Genealogical Societies	50.00
Research Fees and Supplies –	1,200.00
Newsletter Expenses	600.00
Domain Registration - paid to 1 May 2024	76.96
New Server Expenses	300.00
Board Meeting Teleconference expense	30.00
Total	2220.00

Item 4 – Membership Report - James Streeter

In 2023 DGRA had a total of 44 members vs 57 in 2022.

The 2024 Membership as of 29 April we have 26 DGRA Members, 8 Bronze Members and 8 Gold Members for a total of 44. A 2nd notice has been sent to all who did not respond to the initial membership letter.

Item 5 – Board of Directors

JoAnn Dunham has resigned her position as a member of the Board of Directors due to an increase in the time needed for her employment requirements. With her resignation we now have 12 Members of the Board. If anyone knows of any member of DGRA that would make a good Board Member please let the Board of Directors know.

Item 6 - DNA Project Report - Jeff Dunham

Item 7 – Dunham's in America – Report from the Historian - Gratia Mahony

In preparation for writing the two articles in the July 2023 newsletter I visited the Harry Dunham park in Bernard Township, New Jersey. I also researched and wrote up the “Twelve Generation Descent of Harry Melville Dunham” the man the park was named to honor.

Writing the article “The Dilemma of Second Cousins named Joseph⁵ Dunham” for the October 2023 newsletter required a great deal of research by both co-authors Audrey Shields Hancock and Gratia Dunham Mahony. This important article was necessary to sort out the two cousins in the Dunham-Singletary line, both named Joseph and both having wives named Hannah. Now that this work has been done I can proceed with data entry on the Dunham web site. My thanks to Audrey Shields Hancock for her work on this problem.

For the January 2024 newsletter I provided some back ground material on the line of Rose Marie (Mushel) Ployhar who descends from Deacon John Dunham. The bulk of that article was written by James Streeter.

Continuing research on the Dunham-Singletary line allowed me to write the article for the April 2024 newsletter “The Big Picture: Nathaniel Dunham’s Family, Associates, Neighbors in Woodbridge, Scotch Plains, and Bernardstown, New Jersey”. Again this article required a major amount of time and research.

In addition I have answered several queries from other Dunham researchers and replied to some of the questions from the Dunham Facebook page.

Item 8 – DGRA Newsletter Status – James A Streeter for the Staff

The DGRA Newsletter continues in its search for a new Editor for the publication We also have a need for some writers to be added to the Staff, who will be willing to help provide a couple short articles each year.

If you know of a topic for an article or short story but do not know how to pull it all together, please let the staff know and we will provide someone to help you do the research or the write up.

Item 9 - Website Status – DGRA / DS-FC – James A Streeter

Domain Registration is Current and paid to May 2025

Item 10 – Facebook Update: by Trudy Dunham

Item 11 –

