

Ambassador Fletcher Warren Chapter #43 Texas Society, Sons of the American Revolution



February 18, 2022 Minutes

The Ambassador Fletcher Warren SAR Chapter met on Friday February 18, 2022 via Zoom. The meeting was called to order by President James Owsley at 11:00AM.

Members in attendance were: President James Owsley, 1st Vice President Ted Wilson, Treasurer John Greer, Sgt. At Arms Bill Watts, Larry French, Mike Moorman, Chaplain Nick Funk, acting Secretary David Kinsey, and Dr. Ronald Weaks.

President Owsley provided the Invocation followed by the pledges led by David Kinsey, Bill Watts and President Owsley.

President Owsley welcomed everyone. Announcement of upcoming Texas SAR State Meeting in Richardson, TX March 31st – April 3rd.

The January Meeting Minutes have been posted to the Amb. Fletcher Warren website. Minutes were approved.

John Greer provided the Treasurer's report. Motion to accept as read made by David Kinsey, Seconded by Bill Watts. Motion passed.

Under Old Business:

Discussion for the grave marking of Chapter namesake, Ambassador Fletcher Warren was made. The grave marking has been tentatively set for May 1, 2022 at 14:00. John Greer has contacted the chapel at Mt. Carmel Cemetery in Wolf City, TX. John will also contact the newspaper.

Under New Business:

John Greer is working on the presentation of Public Service Awards.

Jim Owsley is working on obtaining recipients for the Bronze JROTC Medal & Certificates.

Jim Owsley is also working with Art Munford, Texas SAR Eagle Scout Chairman. Jim is hoping to expand the Eagle Scout award in the Amb. Fletcher Warren District.

The Amb. Fletcher Warren Chapter will sponsor Terry Kim in the Texas SAR Knight Essay. A motion was made to present Terry with a \$100 check by John Greer, and seconded by Bill Watts. Motion Passed.

On March 1, 2022, John Greer has set up for the Chapter to present Vietnam lapel pins at the Audie Murphy / Cotton Museum.

June 14, 2022 is Flag Day. The Chapter will once again attend the Ceremony at the Greenville Elks Lodge from 17:30 to 19:30. Program begins at 18:00 with moment of silence around the Nation.

Our original program speaker was unable to attend. In lieu, the chapter watched the Battle of Moore's Creek, presented by the American Battlefield Trust. The Battle occurred on February 27, 1776.



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Bill Watts brought to the attention of the Chapter about Genealogy and Roots Tech.

John Greer inquired of Larry French and Mike Moorman of military service. Secretary Kinsey will submit their application for the NSSAR Veteran Corps. Ted Wilson mentioned the marking of Patriot graves in Texas. He also mentioned there are some 1812 veterans that also need to be located and marked.

Closing remarks were offered by President Jim Owsley.

The Benediction was offered by Father Nick Funk followed by the recessional.

The meeting was adjourned by President Owsley.

Respectfully submitted,

David A. Kinsey, Secretary