



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



February 11, 2023 Minutes

The Ambassador Fletcher Warren SAR Chapter met on Saturday, February 11, 2023 at St Paul's Episcopal Church and via Zoom.

The meeting was called to order by President James Owsley at 10:01 AM.

Members in attendance were:

President James Owsley, Chaplain Nick Funk, Anthony Abbott; Bryan Crittenden, and Kirk Chambers. Special Guest, District 11 VP Gary Barker

Nick Funk provided the Invocation followed by the pledges led by James Owsley, Kirk Chambers and James Owsley.

Anthony Abbott provided the Treasurer's report.

Under Old Business:

No Old Business discussed

Under New Business:

James Owsley displayed the Emergency/First Responder medals purchased for both Hopkins and Hunt County First Responder events. 5 Rosettes were ordered to award to the next new members. Nick contacted Greenville PD/EMS and expect a March event. Reminder that Awards for Elementary/Middle/High school History Teachers are available with a 31-December deadline. Awards for 4H Oration and Veteran Corps Medal are also available.

Two applications are in process for membership.

The Banking Account was moved to Alliance Bank with Anthony Abbott, Nick Funk, and James Owsley signers for the account.

Two posters submitted for Poster Contest. Motion to award a cash price to entrants. Awards of \$50 for 1st place and if 2nd place is unable to be submitted by a different SAR chapter a price of \$25 will be awarded. Motion passed unanimous.

Flag Day event with Elks Club is set for 14 June. Working to get representation in Independence Day and Memorial Day parades and events. 3/19 in Lancaster there will be a Patriot Grave Marking. Wreaths Across America. James Owsley is investigating a cemetery in Merit which may be taking part.

The following Officers were sworn-in for 2023 by Gary Barker: President: James Owsley; Vice President: Bryan Crittenden; Secretary: Kirk Chambers; Registrar; James Owsley; Treasurer: Anthony Abbott; Chaplain: Father Nick Funk



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Voting for Poster submission. 1st place awarded to Caleb Hein with his poster for John Adams from the Hein Family Home School. James Owsley believes he has a second chapter to sponsor the 2nd place poster.

The next meeting will be held on March 11 at 10 AM St Paul's Episcopal Church and via Zoom.

The Benediction was offered by Chaplain Nick Funk followed by the recessional. The meeting was adjourned by President James Owsley at 10:59 AM.

Respectfully submitted,
Kirk Chambers, Secretary