

Minutes for TXSSAR Chapter #7 Arlington Meeting
Division Street Diner, Dec. 10, 2011

Approximately 9:05 AM, President Ron Carter called the meeting to order and led the pledge to the flag of the United States of America, the pledge to the Texas flag and the pledge to the SAR flag. Ray Bommer gave the Invocation.

Officer and Committee Reports:

- President & Secretary Ron Carter requested the Nov. 12, 2011 minutes be considered. They were approved as emailed.
- Treasurer Ray Bommer reported the operating fund is reconciled with a balance of \$402.88 and the Treasury Bill value is \$1600.00, subject to interest.

Unfinished and New business:

- John Anderson reviewed the results of the phone survey split between him and Ron Carter and conducted in the recent weeks. All local members where contact numbers were known were phoned. Only a few were unanswered or left messages. Discussions were centered on how's it going, announcing officers, confirming each member is receiving email or obtaining the correct contact information, and seeking their interest in participating in a membership group picture at our upcoming December meeting. To the compatriot, each were talkative, glad we called, and will try to be in attendance in December.

Announcements & Discussions:

- The Chapter membership photo is delayed.
- Ron Carter stated he attended an "Order of the Arrow" scout meeting in uniform at the Elks Club discussing the SAR and it's Eagle Scout opportunities. On Veteran's Day he visited the Grace Lutheran Church where he discussed important Lutheran leaders in the American Revolution and announced the Poster Contests and its subject. That school is likely to have several entrants.
- Ron Carter and Ray Bommer discussed pending opportunities to meet at two other schools, Williams and Hale, about the Poster Contest.
- Everyone in attendance discussed the upcoming ROTC/JROTC schedule. Medals and certificates are on hand and ready for next spring. Ray Bommer agreed to advance contact the local commanders reminding them of his contact information and seek their schedule expectations.

President Ron Carter called for a motion to adjourn and led the SAR Closing Admonition & Benediction. Approximately 10:05 AM the meeting was closed.

In attendance per the signup sheet were 4 members and 0 guests.
All members should advise the secretary of revisions to phone, mail, and email addresses.

Ron Carter
Secretary

See you at our next meeting, Saturday Jan. 14th, 2011.
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