

Texas SAR Arlington Chapter – Meeting Minutes

Southern Recipes Grill; July 13, 2019

Call to Order

President Roger Wehr called the meeting to order approximately 9:18 am.

Invocation

In Chaplain Bob Wehr' absence, Roger Wehr gave the invocation.

Pledges

New Sergeant-At-Arms Ned Myers led the reciting of pledges to the American Flag, Texas Flag and SAR Flag by all Compatriots.

Introduction of Past Presidents and Guests

President Roger Wehr introduced Past Chapter Presidents Ron Carter, David Friels and John Anderson. Guests were Leonard McCarty, Michael Davis, Nick Lyman and Bob Gresham

Welcome

Dick Lee gave the morning comments about the Betsy Ross Flag and asked various flag questions.

This Month during the American Revolution

Historian Allan Husch reported on some happenings in July during the American Revolution.

Treasurer's Report

David Friels reported that all accounts are in order and gave the account balances. There was minimal banking activity this past month/

Secretary's Report

Last month's chapter meeting minutes were approved as posted online.

John Anderson reported Don Billings may attend later this year. Also, Arlington is a co-finalist in the National Medal of Honor Museum move from Mt. Pleasant, S. Carolina. The decision is expected in September.

1st V.P. & Registrar's Report

Kevin Jorrey reported we are now 78 members, 3 new applications at NSSAR for review and more underway.

2nd V.P. Report

Grant Hamilton had no report.

Chaplain's Report

Bob Wehr was not in attendance.

Sergeant-At-Arms

Ned Myers had no report.

Color Guard Commander's Report

Jerry Cope brought Bobby Gresham of the Ft. Worth Chapter to encourage uniforms to those interested and reminded us of the large Color Guard presence and Texas State Conventions and BOMs.

2019 Fall TX Society BOM Committee Report

John Anderson reported the next volunteer meeting is scheduled for July 20th at the Woodhaven Country Club at approx. 10:30 am. Registration and Raffle Tickets are now available. We have an event photographer, but we are in need of a Chapter photographer.

Meeting Program

In celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Apollo 11 Moon Landing, James Gibson presented some short video footage of the event.

Ongoing Chapter Business

Present

- Previous Challenge Coin winner John Pinkerton presented this month's coin to Bob Pope.

Future

- Oct. 4 - 6 is the TX Society SAR annual fall BOM in Arlington at the Hilton Hotel.
- Mid Dec. 2019 is the deadline for most Youth Award entries, see our website for Youth-Awards.

Admonition

Sergeant-at-Arms Ned Myers led the Admonition recited by all Compatriots.

Benediction

Roger Wehr gave the benediction.

Dismissal

President Roger Wehr adjourned the meeting at 10:30 am.

Attendance

Attending were 23 chapter members and 4 guests.

Next Meeting

Aug 10th, 2019 at 8:30 am for breakfast, meeting starts at 9:00 am.

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Respectfully Submitted,

John Anderson, Chapter Secretary

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