

Texas SAR Arlington Chapter Meeting Minutes Nov 9, 2024

The meeting on November 9, 2024, was held at Skillet & Grill, 1801 W Division Street, Arlington, Texas. Members and guests gathered at 08:30 am for fellowship and breakfast.

- I. President Joe Kohn welcomed attendees and open the meeting for Chapter business at approximately 9:30 am.
- II. Compatriot Roger Wehr gave the invocation.
- III. Sargent of Arms Richard Martin led the pledges to the U.S. Flag, the Texas Flag, and the Sons of the American Revolution Flag.
- IV. President Joe Kohn recognized past Chapter Presidents and greeted our guests.
- V. Compatriot Hubler provided the Comment of the Day.
- VI. President Kohn recognized NSSAR former awards to members:
 - a. Joe Kohn received the Liberty Medal for his performance as Chapter Registrar.
 - b. Bill Goodman for his work with Military Veterans.

He also noted the Patriot medal has been in years past to John Anderson and Ron Carter and informed us that Compatriot Bill Covington will be honored with the Patriot Medal at the next Texas State Convention in March 2025.

- VII. Compatriot John Anderson provided reports on the SAR State Convention and the hosting of the National Convention in 2029 in San Antonio.
 - The National dues invoices will come out in Mid-to Late November and must be paid by December 31, 2024 to avoid a break in service if not paid.
 - Anderson provided the Chapter Historian Report.
 - The SAR Arlington Chapter 7 holds 87 members.
- VIII. Compatriot Dan Hamilton provided the State Color Guard Report.
- IX. Compatriot Randy Bush from the Plano SAR Chapter provided a special presentation on the Whiskey Rebellion. Compatriot John Anderson presented the accompanying video.
- X. Compatriot John Anderson made a motion to adjourn which was seconded by several members.
- XI. Sergeant At Arms Richard Martin led the Chapter Admonition.
- XII. Compatriot Roger Wehr led the closing prayer.

The next Chapter Meeting will be held on January 11, 2025, at Skillet & Grill, 1801 West Division Street, Arlington, Texas, as the December meeting is cancelled in order to participate in the Wreaths Across America program. Members meet for breakfast at 8:30 am, or when the meeting room is available, and the Chapter meeting will commence at 9:30 am or as soon as practicable after members and guests are seated and have ordered their meal.

Attendance: 16 Members and 2 Guests

Respectfully Submitted, Bill Goodman, Secretary