

Sons of the American Revolution East Fork-Trinity Chapter No. 47 Texas Society

Chapter Mailing Address:

**East Fork Trinity SAR
3330 N. Galloway Ave., Suite 304-37
Mesquite, TX 75150**

Meeting Minutes for: April 9, 2026

Meeting Location: Soulman's Bar-B-Que, 691 I-30 Rockwall, Texas

Attendees: (See signup sheet)

Meeting Called to Order by President Bob Kubin at: 7:01 p.m.

Invocation – Walt Thomas

Pledge to the American Flag – Bob Vickers

Pledge to the Texas Flag – Guy Sargent

Affirmation to the SAR – Reagan van Heyst

SAR Mission Statement – Bob Kubin

Welcome and Introduction of Guests – Bob Kubin

Program – Susan Lanning presented a virtual tour of the Audie Murphy/American Cotton Museum in Greenville, Texas. Susan was presented with Certificate of Appreciation from the chapter.

Karalynn van Heyst presented an excellent oration on the topic of Benjamin Franklin's life and various achievements.

Approval of the Minutes from the March 12, 2026 meeting.

Motion to accept made by David Jackson

Seconded by Bob Vickers

Motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report by Gary Lovell: Beginning checking account balance for March was \$4,740.90.

Deposits included \$25 in Application Fees and \$1015.00 ACH Credit TXSSAR. Disbursements totaled \$111.84 leaving the ending balance of \$5,669.06. Our CD account had an beginning balance of \$6,604.51 with interest paid of \$13.17 for ending balance of \$6,617.68. April 9, 2026 Grand Total is \$12,286.74

EFT Color Guard Report was presented by Michael Goode.

Texas 2026 State Convention to be held in Austin, Texas, on April 15-19.

Medal of Honor Parade will be held on April 18 in Gainesville, Texas.

District VP Moment by Michael Goode. Michael announced that he will soon be relinquishing his positions as District V.P. and Chaplin.

Cynthia Goode was recognized for her outstanding recruiting efforts for the EFT chapter. She was awarded the SAR Medal of Appreciation and The Daughters of Liberty Medal. Michael also requested that we bring items for the veterans to the May meeting.

Registrar's Report-Jeff Witt. Jeff reported that membership fees will be reduced in July in honor of the 250th Anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. New member fees that are normally \$269.00 will be reduced to \$145.00.

Randall van Heyst reported that the Audie Murphy Parade will be June 19-20 in Farmersville, Texas. He also informed that he will be leaving the following day to take daughter Karalynn to West Point to begin her military training.

No Birthdays were reported for April

Door Prize Drawing – Jason Gray

Closing Remarks – Bob Kubin

SAR Closing – Jason Gray

Benediction – Walt Thomas

Declaration of Adjournment – 8:16 pm by Bob Kubin



April 10, 2026

Guy Sargent, Secretary, East Fork-Trinity Chapter #47, TXSSAR

**East Fork Trinity Chapter 47
Sons of the American Revolution
Monthly Report April 9, 2026**

Checking Account	
March 2026 Balance	4740.90
Deposits:	
Application Fee Jowell Peden	25.00
ACH Credit TXSSAR	1015.00
Withdrawals:	
#1756 Randall van Heyst (Speaker's Meal)	22.19
#1757 Jeff Witt (Mailing)	7.45
#1758 Jeff Witt (Printing)	82.20
April 2026 Balance:	5669.06

**Certificate of Deposit
Inwood Bank
Matures Jan 27, 2027; Currently 2.6%**

March Balance	6604.51
Interest	13.17
April Balance	6617.68
April 9, 2026 Grand Total	12,286.74



**G.W. Lovell, Treasurer
East Fork Trinity**

East Fork Trinity Chapter, NSSAR

Date: April 9, 2026

#	Name	Member	Guest
1	Walt Thomas	✓	
2	Barbara Thomas		✓
3	Bob Howard	✓	
4	Connie Howard		✓
5	David Jackson	✓	
6	Lonnie Jackson		✓
7	Aaron Nelson	✓	
8	Michael Nelson	✓	
9	Jeffrey Witt	✓	
10	OTTO BENTH	✓	
11	Larry Foell	✓	
12	Mindy Foell		✓
13	Michael Goode	✓	
14	Cynthia Goode		✓
15	Jason Gray	✓	
16	Paul Bideman	✓	
17	Karalynn van Heyst		✓
18	O'Anna van Heyst		✓
19	Randall van Heyst	✓	
20	Reagan van Heyst	✓	
21	Guy Sargent	✓	
22	Bob Kulin	✓	
23	Darlene Kulin		✓
24	BOB VICKERS	✓	
25	DELLA VICKERS		✓
26	Ken Perryberry		✓
27	RANDAU VAN HEYST		
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