



Sons of the American Revolution Independence Chapter February 2013



Feb 26 Meeting - IHOP Restaurant, 758 Earl Rudder Freeway, Bryan. Arrive around 6:00 pm and place food order. Eat at 6:30 pm. Speaker and meeting following. Program - "Who's Getting Grandpa's Musket and the Sledge Hammer" by Joyce Cavanagh, Texas AgriLife Extension Family Economics Specialist, TAMU Assoc Prof. Business - 1) Bring donations for Patriots Fund Silent Auction at the State annual Conference. 2) Youth program entries are due this month.



Martin Ranck, Treas. receives Bronze Texas Service medal from Bob Cohen, Pres.



Texas SAR President Bob Clark presents Martha Washington award to Marcy Heathman.



Independence Chapter #40 Officers 2013, L-R: Chaplain James Boone, Treasurer Martin Ranck, President Bob Cohen, Vice President James T. Jones, Jr., Secretary - Open. Installed by Texas SAR President Bob Clark.

Calendar - February 2013

- 12 Abraham Lincoln's Birthday
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 18 President's Day
- 22 George Washington's Birthday

Thanks to Dianne Jones for the pictures.

Help Wanted - Independence Chapter needs your participation in meetings and activities. Help make the dream of our patriot ancestors a reality by joining and participating in our programs to sustain the system of representative government and participatory democracy that they fought to create.

- 1) Come to meetings, pay dues on time, read the newsletters
- 2) Recommend good people for awards, help present the awards
- 3) Encourage youth to enter contests, sponsor their awards
- 4) Help with an activity, join a committee, become an officer
- 5) Get information on patriot graves, mark a grave site
- 6) Learn about local historical markers, tell your friends
- 7) Volunteer to talk at a local school or civic association
- 8) Start a color guard with Rev. War uniforms
- 9) Support local historical research, get it published or on the Web
- 10) Fly the flag of our nation correctly and often at your home



SAR Membership Medal

As in any organization, you get out as much as or more than you put into it. We are an organization of people who make good things happen.

From http://www.sar.org/Membership/Why_Join