



*Texas SAR Arlington Chapter
Meeting Minutes
September 14, 2024*

The September 14, 2024, meeting 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. Chaplain Bob Wehr gave the invocation.
- III. Sargent of Arms Assistant Brent Houser 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. President Joe Kohn Recognized Compatriot David Hubler for 50 years and Compatriot David Friels for 25 years of service to our Chapter of the SAR.
- VI. Compatriot John Anderson presented a very informative video illustrating that Lancaster, Pennsylvania was the United States Capitol for one day.
- VII. Compatriot John Anderson presented a very enlightening video of the SAR Congress. The SAR has 20,000+ members nationally. San Antonio, Texas may host he SAR National Congress in 2029.
- VIII. President Joe Kohn passed the microphone to each Compatriot for a Patriot Role Call where the member announces his Revolutionary Patriot's name and a short summary their service.
- IX. Compatriot John Anderson announced that are still many openings for our Chapter to man the booth at the Texas State Fair. There are many hours that no one is there to man the SAR booth.
- X. Compatriot David Hubler presented the Comment of the Day.
- XI. Compatriot John Anderson presented the following information:
 - Texas SAR State Announcements
 - Nov. 1 will be the Texas SAR Fall BOM in Austin. Committees are always looking for statewide member participation. Registration is available soon. Let me know if you have any questions.
 - Members are needed to support the Texas State Fair at Jane Douglas House in 3-hour shifts.
 - Texas SAR Historian Report
 - To prepare for the Nov. 1 zoom Texas SAR Fall BOM, the Archives/History/Yearbook committee will meet via zoom on Thurs. Oct. 17 at 7pm to prepare. Let me know if you wish to attend.
 - Texas SAR History Volume 1 books are available on the table for \$20 each. PDF versions of Volume 1 & 2 are also available for \$5.

Arlington Chapter Membership Chair

- 87 as 2023 Ending Membership.
- 82 is our current 2024 Membership.
 - 62 Active/Current
 - 1 Dual Out of State Member
 - 14 Junior Members
 - 5 New Members
 - 5 Reinstated
- 7 unpaid Compatriots. A few attempts were made seeking for their dues renewal, success is doubtful.
- 1 deceased this year, James Newland. He was active back in the 2000s.
- Our Registrar will advise us of his new member activity.

DAR/C.A.R. Liaisons

- LCCC is back active after summer break.
- We are set to Post the Colors and present our DAR Finder Form speech to both Arlington and Quana Parker DAR chapters in Oct. Arlington is Oct. 9 and Quana Parker is Oct. 19.
- Will Deakyne is our Liaison to the Three Forks of Trinity C.A.R. chapter. We should continue donating towards their state project.

Web Admin

- Nothing to report other than updated members.

XII. Officer and Committee Reports:

- **Treasurer** Richard Coffey provided an update on the Chapter bank account bottom line balance (BLB).
- **Secretary** Bill Goodman stated the August 2024, Meeting Minutes have been posted to our website and asked for motion to accept the minutes as posted. Compatriot John Anderson made the motion and seconded by Compatriot Bob Pope.
- President Joe Kohn presented the Registrar Report:
Registrar Report for September 14, 2024
 - Pended approved for Joe Kohn, two years and five attempts
 - Three Supplementals for Frank Dawson, approved at TXSAR and received at NSSAR on 8/22
 - Supplemental for William McCoy completed and signing today and on to TXSAR
 - Working with State Registrar on Supplemental for Richard Coffey
 - New Member Application for David O'Rear started on 8/24
 - Supplementals are taking over a year to process and New Member in the range of two to three months

XIII. Old business

- a. None

XIV. New business

- a. None

XV. President Joe Kohn asked for a motion for adjournment. Compatriot John Anderson made the motion and Vice President Bob Pope seconded the motion.

XVI. Chaplain Bob Wehr gave the closing benediction.

XVII. Sargent at Arms Assistant Brent Houser led the Chapter Members in the closing admonition.

The next Chapter Meeting will be held on October 12, 2024, at Skillet & Grill, 1801 West Division Street, Arlington, Texas. Members meet for breakfast at 8:30 am, 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: 14 Members and 2 Guest
Respectfully Submitted, Bill Goodman, Secretary