

# TEXAS SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

## EAST TEXAS CHAPTER NUMBER 57

GREG GILLILAND – SECRETARY

### AUGUST 2023 MEETING MINUTES

The chapter met at Jason's on August 3, 2023, at 7PM. The meeting was called to order by Mickey Cole, President. Pledges to the United States, Texas and SAR flags were given. J D Denton gave the invocation. The minutes and treasurer's report were approved.

#### Old Business:

The chapter has received software to make the presentation certificates for veterans which go with the emblems presented last month by the State Historian. These were presented by Pres Cole to Dave Conner and Greg Gilliland. Off- site presentations of these awards were made to two other veterans by Mr Cole and one to Bob Harness, 90 years old (US Marine Corps vet). Presentation of all of these is reported to national in our annual report.

#### New Business:

The President introduced candidates who agreed to stand for election:

Chaplin:	J. D. Denton
Historian:	Mickey Cole
Registrar:	Richard Kuna
Treasurer:	Mickey Cole
Secretary:	Carl Hedges
Webmaster:	Mickey Cole
First Vice President:	Richard Kuna
President:	Greg Gilliland

#### Program:

Richard Kuna presented a historical overview of the Battle of Cowpens which was fought Jan 17, 1781 in South Carolina. At Cowpens, patriots routed Tarleton's force before reinforcements could arrive., The result was the loss of the British campaign in the South and ultimately defeat in the battle of Yorktown which ended the American Revolution.

The meeting was adjourned with the SAR Closing and the benediction by J D Denton. The next meeting will be held October 5, 2023.

*Greg Gilliland - Secretary*

## **Members and guests present at the August, 2023 meeting**

Mickey Cole

Carolyn Cole

J. D. Denton

Bill Cole

Carl Hedges

Greg Gilliland

Dave Conner

J R Kuna

Patti McElligott

George Pruett

Linda Pruett

Ken Blount

Jan Blount

# SAR Chapter 57 Treasurer's Report

July/Aug 2023

**Beginning Balance: 7/01/2023:**

**\$2101.56**

**Deposits: Dues**

**\$0.00**

**Total Deposits:**

**\$0.00**

**Checks:**

**\$0.00**

**Total Checks:**

**\$0.00**

**Ending Balance: 8/31/2023:**

**\$2101.56**

**Submitted: Treasurer**