



## November 22, 2021

### Meeting held via Zoom® teleconference

#### **Attendees**

There was no meeting on the regularly scheduled 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month which would have been Nov 18, as many of the McKinney SAR chapter members attended an event that evening with the DAR, An evening with "Society of the Honor Guard, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier", sponsored by the John Abston Chapter DAR, at Spring Creek Barbeque.

To conduct the normal monthly business including McKinney SAR chapter officer election, a Zoom call was conducted on November 22.

There were 11 SAR members and guests in attendance on the Zoom call. Attendees included: Tom Milson & wife Carol Milson, David Kinsey, Ralph Thompson, Ned Hoover, Blas Uribe, Bob Millwee, John Greer, Nathan White, George Bradford, and Bill Hurst.

### Call to Order

Tom Milson, Chapter President, called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm.

#### Invocation

- Tom Milson, Chapter President, gave the invocation through Zoom.

#### **Pledges**

- Tom Milson, led the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.
- Tom Milson, led the Pledge to the Texas Flag.
- Tom Milson, led the Pledge of the SAR.

### **Self-Introductions of Members and Guests**

None

## **Old Business and Announcements**





- We won't hold our normal 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month meeting in December as we will have our McKinney SAR chapter Christmas party on December 9<sup>th</sup>, though we may conduct some business as needed.







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- Wreaths Across America (see Below). Between the McKinney SAR chapter and the cemetery foundation we have 100 wreaths. Tom Milson thanks those who have contributed.

### McKinney SAR 11/23/21 Wreaths Across America Event Our Chapter is a Wreaths Across America Sponsor for **WREATHS** across AMERICA the Stoney Point Cemetery in Anna, Texas. For those of you who have purchased wreaths – STONEY POINT THANK YOU!! CEMETERY (TXSPCA) PLEASE HELP US REMEMBER, HONOR, A • Because of your generosity, every veteran at Stoney TEACH ON DECEMBER 18, 2021 AT 11:00 AM Point will have a wreath placed on their grave. · The wreath placement ceremony will occur on December 18, 2021 at 11:00. WREATHS across AMERICA I need some Chapter members to volunteer to place wreaths on the graves. Please contact me if your are MCKINNEY CHAPTER, SONS OF THE AMERICAN interested in honor our veterans in this way. REVOLUTION (TX1073) Please help us Remember, Honor TEACH ON DECEMBER 18, 2021 AT 11:00 AM All Chapter members with family are welcome Y SPONSORING A WREATH, VOL to attend this event honoring our veterans.

- Future Meetings and Events

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• Mar 2-5 Spring 2022 Leadership. Louisville, KY

## **New Member Induction Ceremony**

None

## **Program**

- None





## **Awards**

- None

#### **New Business**

- Nathan White, head of the 2022 Chapter Officers Nominating Committee, made a motion to accept the slate of nominations for the McKinney SAR officers positions. (See Below). The motion was seconded by Bill Hurst, no discussion, motion approved by voice vote.

Nathan White, also indicated there were still opportunities for other Chapter Members not on the nominations list to still step up and fill some of the positions of the nominated officers who are holding multiple officer positions.

McKinney SAR 11/23/21  2022 Recommended Slate of Off	ficers
President	Tom Milson
Vice President Membership	Nathan White Tom Mison
Vice President Programs	Mark McCraw
Vice President Awards	Louie Juarez
Secretary	Blas Uribe
Treasurer	Ralph Thompson
Registrar	Bill Hurst
Sergeant at Arms	Peter McLellan
Chaplain	Don Babbs
Webmaster	Blas Uribe
Color Guard Commander	Bob Millwee
Veteran Affairs	John Greer
Historian	Tom Milson (acting)
Genealogist	Ned Hoover
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- Minutes from last meeting have been published on the website by David Kinsey. Bob Millwee made a motion to accept the meeting minutes, motion seconded by Mark Hanson, no discussion, motion approved by voice vote.
- Treasurer's Report: Ralph Thompson, Treasurer read report, "11/22/21, The bank balance as of October's report was \$4961.19. We have since received \$60.00 in Dual Chapter Membership dues. The current balance in the bank account is \$5021.19. There is an outstanding \$250 check that was presented a check to the Matthew Bolton CAR Chapter that will bring our balance to \$4771.19"

Bob Millwee made a motion to accept the Treasures report, motion seconded by Nathan White, no discussion, motion approved by voice vote.

#### **Other Announcements**

- Bill Hurst states he is in the process of getting new membership application processed on an individual. Tom Milson states he too has a couple prospects.
- John Greer, Veterans Affairs, let John and Tom know about veteran encounters and interactions, including attending veteran funerals. These will be documented and are part of the chapter reporting requirements. More information to come.
- Bill Hurst will be doing a program for the Plano SAR Chapter 1/4/2022 if the meeting goes on as planned for that date, which he states will be interesting and the McKinney Chapter is welcome to attend.
- Comments from Texas Society officers, main takeaways include:
  - David Kinsey, TXSSAR State Treasurer
     – Tom Milson and David will be meeting and working
     on the McKinney chapter hosting BOM next year

**Benediction:** Tom Milson gave the benediction.

Recessional: Lead by Tom Milson

**Adjournment:** President Tom Milson adjourned the meeting at 7:33 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Blas Uribe, Secretary