

## Completed Events Plano Chapter 2015

January 12, 2015 Monday; present Flag Program to Susannah Biggers Bibb DAR Meeting; muster 10:15 AM at the home of Kit Amos, 5014 Village Court, Dallas. Brenda Youngblood, Vice- Regent, SBB DAR Chapter is our contact at 214-418-4434. Volunteers: Alan Johnson, H. Roach, Melton, Sielert, Neisel, & Hughes. COMPLETE

January 21, 2015 Wednesday: Edmond Terrell SAR Denison, Texas; Dan Reed in militia uniform did the Firearms of the Revolution Program 12:30 PM

January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2015 Saturday at 10:30 AM, Marker dedication for War of 1812 Vet Benjamin Dye, Society of the War of 1812 invites SAR Color Guard to the Ceremony "Marker dedication for War of 1812 Veteran Benjamin Dye" At Ferris Cemetery - in White Rock Lake area across the street from Alex Sanger Elementary School at St. Francis and San Leandro 8410 San Leandro Dr, Dallas, TX 75218-4319. Wear Militia Uniforms only.

Jan.31, 2015 Tyler US Daughters 1812 (Tyler, TX) - 1812 {Privateer Speech} Drake Peddie

February 5, 2015 Thursday; present Flag Program to Air Force JROTC classes at Wylie East High School at 1:40 PM and 2:35 PM. Please muster at 1:15 PM. Located at 3000 Wylie East Drive, Wylie, TX (if coming via Hwy 78, exit at Ballard Street, take Ballard north to Brown Street, east on Brown all the way to the High School). We will have 40 – 45 minutes for our program. Contact is Col. Wayne Wilbanks & MSgt. Lisa Breuer. Volunteers: Watts, Greer, Reed, Roach, A. Johnson, Hughes, Sielerts, & Melton.

February 13, 2015 Friday: Valentine's Day at the VA in Bonham. Help Jack Hughes deliver Valentines, Cookies and Candy to the Hospital Veterans Facility. Starbucks has donated about 20#s of Coffee. Atria Senior Living Canyon Creek is making Valentines & collecting personal care items. Valentines, Cookies, and Candy are needed. John Greer & Bill Watts

February 16, 2015 Monday: Presidents Day Flag Program at Montessori School at Star Creek in Allen (near Stacy Rd & Watters); muster at 9:45 AM. Expect about 50 students. Our contact is Linda Starry, Teacher, at [starrynight512@sbcglobal.net](mailto:starrynight512@sbcglobal.net) or 214-796-1177. Volunteers: 2 Sielerts, Reed, H. Roach, Melton, Neisel, Alan Johnson,

February 17, 2015 Tuesday; Present the Colors at Plano Symphony Concert for Fifth graders at Eisemann Center in Richardson at 11:30 am; please muster at 11:00 AM. Free Parking at the Center parking garage. 2 Sielerts, Reed & H. Roach, Bill Neisel Rehearsal at 10 am Reed will be there!

February 18, 2015 Wednesday; Present the Colors at Plano Symphony Concert for Fifth graders at Eisemann Center in Richardson at 10:00 AM and 11:30 am; please muster at 9:30 AM. Free parking in the Center Parking garage <sup>volunteers:</sup> thus far Reed, H. Roach, and Melton & Alan Johnson.

2 Sielerts,

Feb. 18, 2015 Sarah Maples DAR George Washington Tea Speech (Seven Points, TX) - Preserving History Speech Peddie

February 19, 2015 Thursday; Present the Colors at Plano Symphony Concert for Fifth graders at Eisemann Center in Richardson at 10:00 AM and 11:30 AM ; please muster at 9:30 AM. Free Parking in the Center Parking garage: thus far 2 Sielerts, Reed, H. Roach, and Melton & Alan Johnson, Bill Watts.

Feb 27, 2015 Friday Memorial Service for Peter Rowley Christ United Methodist Church Plano Attending; Sielert, Peddie, Radcliff, Watts, Whitelock, Ridenour, Alan Johnson, Nathan White, Terry Holden, Pete McLellan

March 6, 2015 Friday; Present Poster Contest Winner Angelin Nguyen her \$200.00 cash award and certificate at Andrews Elementary School at 8:00 AM assembly. Please muster by 7:45 AM. Located at 2520 Scenic Drive, Plano, TX 75025 Teacher is Debbie Pilkinton. Volunteers: Reed, Sielerts, A. Johnson, & Roach.

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March 26 – 29, 2015 Thursday thru Sunday; TXSSAR State Convention in Houston. Located at 2015 Greenpoint Marriott hotel, See TXSSAR website for details. Volunteers: Rudy, Peddie, Reed.

March 26, 2015 Gulf Coast Rotary Club (Houston, TX) - Preserving History Speech Peddie

April 11, 2015 Saturday; Medal of Honor Parade, Gainesville TX at about 10:00 AM (TBD). Volunteers needed; thus far have Watts, Alan Johnson, Monzingo, Peddie, & Greer

April 11, 2015 Saturday; Memorial Service Col. Graham Martin, Pottsboro, TX 1 PM Watts, Alan Johnson, Monzingo, Peddie, & Greer+ Many TXSSAR 30 Guardsmen.

April 13, 2015 Monday; Burial Service Col. Graham Martin, DFW National Cemetery, TX 1 PM Watts, Alan Johnson, Monzingo, Peddie, & Greer+ Many TXSSAR Guardsmen.

April 16, 2015 Thursday; present Flag program/Patriot's Day celebration at the VA Hospital in Bonham at 10:00 AM. Muster at 9:30 AM. VOLUNTEERS Hughes, A. Johnson Greer, Ann Sielert, Neisel, & Roach.

April 23, 2015 Thursday – Support awarding JR ROTC Outstanding Cadet medal & certificate presentation to Cadet Captain Ross Edwards at Plano Senior High School at 7:00 PM. Please muster at 6:45 PM at the auditorium of Building "D". Volunteers; Roach.

April 25, 2015 Saturday – 1812 grave dedication for Private Benjamin Crown over at 2:00 PM at Long Creek Cemetery in Sunnyvale, TX. Musket firing line Volunteers Peddie, Watts.

April 29, 2015 Wednesday – Support awarding JR ROTC Outstanding Cadet medal & certificate presentation to Cadet 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant Matthew C. Detmer at Berkner High School at 6:00 PM. Please muster at 5:45 PM in the Professional Development Center. Located at 701 Beltline Road in Richardson in Room A104/A105. Volunteers Roach.

April 30, 2015 JROTC at R L Turner Support awarding JR ROTC Outstanding Cadet medal & certificate Roach

May 6, 2015 Wednesday – Support awarding JR ROTC Outstanding Cadet Medal to Cadet Corporal Christian Slack at 6:30 PM at Colony High School Performing Arts Building. Please muster by 6:15 PM. Volunteers: Alan Johnson & Sielerts.

May 7, 2015 Thursday – Support awarding JR ROTC Outstanding Cadet Medal to Cadet 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant Ramon Alvarez-Frias at Plano East Senior High School in the auditorium at 7:00 PM. Please muster by 6:45 PM. Volunteers; Roach and Sielerts.

May 8, 2015 Friday – Presented the Colors Legion of Honor at the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas on May 8 at 6 p.m. Marie-Laure Reed Assist ante du Consul general de France Legion of Honor event is the program of recognizing Americans who fought in France during WWII? Johnson, Reed, Thomas, Watts, Whitelock, Greer, Kittrell, Ramphrey

May 9, 2015 Saturday – Present the Colors at Plano Old City Cemetery at 9:00 AM. Located at 1111 "H" Avenue, Plano. Sponsored by Plano Conservancy for Historic Preservation. Food, drinks, & fun - - also help clean up the Cemetery. Our invitation came from Cheryl Smith of the Haggard Library Genealogy section; phone 972-769-4240. Volunteers needed, thus far have Roach, Neisel, Alan Johnson, Watts, & Reed.

May 12, 2015 Tuesday – Present Public Service Awards to Wylie Firefighter of the year John Hunt, EMT Provider of the year Andrew Johnson, 911 Dispatcher of the year Tristian Whittle, and the Policeman of the year (yet to be named) at 7:00 PM at the Wylie City Offices off FM 544. Please muster by 6:30 PM. Volunteers needed; thus far have Reed, SPRAGUE, RUDY, and Roach.

May 15, 2015 Friday – Present the Colors and a short Flag Program at a Naturalization Ceremony presided over by Judge Don Bush at 10:00 AM at the Immigration and Naturalization offices near the corner of Hwy 114 and George bush Turnpike in Irving. Please plan to muster by 9:30 AM with four to six of the Chapter's flags. Volunteers: Reed, Sielerts, Neisel, Melton, Whitelock, Holden, Watts, Edwards, Greer, Hughes, & Babbs.

May 15, 2015 Friday – Support awarding JR ROTC Outstanding Cadet medal & certificate presentation to Cadet 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant Jonathon S. Stritch at Plano West Senior High School at 7:00 PM. Please muster at 6:45 PM in the Auditorium. Volunteers; Roach. \_Melton and Hughes

May 16, 2015 Saturday – Support awarding JR ROTC Outstanding Cadet medal & certificate to (as yet unnamed cadet) of Wylie East High School at 6:00 PM at the Marriott/Allen. Volunteers; Reed.

May 18, 2015 Monday – Support awarding JR ROTC Outstanding Cadet medal & certificate to Cadet Master Sergeant Joseph Shreve of Wylie High School at their awards banquet and ceremony beginning at 7:00 PM at FiveStone Community Church, 1600 West Campbell Road, Garland, TX. 7:45 PM. Contact is Air Force Colonel Stephen Jones (Retired) at 972-429-3143. Jack Hughes Dan Reed

May 21, 2015 Thursday – Present the Colors (U S Flag, Texas Flag, and DAR flag) at annual awards Banquet of the Preston Trail NSDAR meeting at the Georgetown Baptist Church, 207 Georgetown Road, Pottsboro, TX 75076. . Contact is Lisa Lettie, Regent, at 817-360-6830. Volunteers Reed, Babbs, Hughes, Watts, Holden.

May 23, 2015 Saturday – March in the parade at the Ennis Polka Festival at 10:00 AM (TBD) in downtown Ennis, TX. Probably muster at 9:00 AM. Volunteers needed; thus far have Peddie, Watts, and Sprague, Rudy.

May 25, 2015 Monday – Memorial Day Present a Flag program at the Waterford Retirement Center at 10:45 AM (ending at 11:0 AM). Located at 3401 Premier Drive, Plano, TX 75023. Muster 10:30 AM. Kathy Lett 972-423-7400. Volunteers; J Johnson, Peddie, Neisel, Melton, Reed, Hughes, Babbs & Roach.

May 29, 2015 Friday – Present SAR Heroism Medal to Police Officer Michael Christon in Chief Greg Rushin's office at 10:00 AM. Plano Police building, located at 909 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Plano, Texas 75074. Our contact is Lee Collier at 972-941-2410. Volunteers: Melton, Hughes, Reed, Neisel.

May 29, 2015 Friday – Support Outstanding JR ROTC Cadet medal and certificate presentation to Cadet Dominic Muehlhausen of Hebron High School at 6:00 PM in the HHS Ninth Grade Center; refreshments follow the awards. Please muster by 5:45 PM. Contact is Naval Commander Jeff Williams (Retired).  
Volunteers Roach

June 1, 2015 Monday; decorate the display cases in the Genealogy Room of Haggard Library at 10:30 AM. Volunteers: Reed, A. Johnson, Hughes, & Roach.

June 8, 2015 Monday; Present the Colors at Plano City Council meeting and present Public Service Awards to Firefighter of the Year Nick Kalina, Fire Engineer; Paramedic of the Year Josh Clouse, Firefighter; Policeman of the year Bill Rollins and the 911 Operator of the year Alicia Armstrong at 7:00 PM. Please muster by 6:45 PM. Our contact is Alice Snyder at 972-941-7120. (Neisel, Reed, Alan Johnson, Watts, Sielerts, Melton, Hughes &, Roach)

June 13, 2015 Saturday – Present the Colors at Flag Day celebration at John Abston DAR Chapter in McKinney at 2:00 PM; please muster at 1:45 PM. Located at Pioneer Ridge Gracious Living

Center in McKinney. Contact is Dorcas Helms, Regent, at 972-231-8680. Volunteers needed; thus far have Neisel, Reed, Alan Johnson, Rudy, Watts, Sielerts, Melton, and Hughes & Roach.

June 14, 2015 Sunday; Flag retirement ceremony at Flag Pole Hill in Dallas, at 1:00 PM. Please muster by 12:30 PM. No polyester uniforms - - please wear only wool or linen. This is neither a SAR nor DAR Event, but is the invention of the "Dallas Flag Lady". Drake says that the Dallas Morning News and one or more TV stations will cover this event. Located near the corner of Northwest Highway and Audelia.

Volunteers needed; thus far have Peddie & Hughes

June 20, 2015 Saturday – Dedication of the Allen Christian SAR marker at 10:00 AM at the Rest Haven Cemetery, 2500 Texas Hwy 66, Rockwall, TX 75087. Will include honorary firing of flintlocks. Remember, some of the EFT guys went to Ector when we dedicated Robby Hall's SAR marker.

Volunteers needed, this far have Peddie, Reed.

June 27, 2015 Saturday; take part in the Audie Murphy Parade in Farmersville, Texas at 10:00 AM; muster at 9:30 AM. Howard will pull the cannon on a trailer and we hope to have one or two other vehicles in the parade. Commemorative Air Force Flyover scheduled. Volunteers needed; thus far have Reed, Rudy, Hughes, A. Johnson, Sielerts, Neisel, Monzingo, and Babbs w/ truck, Ramphrey, Watts, & Roach. 21 total

June 28, 2015 Sunday – Present the Colors at the 9:30 and 11:00 AM services at Hunters Glen Baptist Church located at 4001 Custer Road, Plano, TX. The Church has promised us a \$200.00 honorarium since it is on Sunday. Contact is Fred McNab, Music & Worship Pastor at 972-867-1610. Volunteers needed; thus far have Roach.

July 4, 2015 Saturday; Independence Day Lion's Club Parade in Plano. Time (TBD). Howard will pull the cannon on a trailer. Volunteers needed; thus far have Reed, Sielerts, A. Johnson, Hughes, Rudy, & Roach.

July 4, 2015 Saturday: Independence Day Patriotic Pops Concert at St. Andrews Methodist Church at 3:00 PM.

Volunteers: Reed Hughes, & Sielerts.

July 10, 2015 Friday - Present, post, and retrieve Colors at Immigration Service ceremony, swearing in new citizens, at 10:00 AM. Located near corner of George Bush Tollway and Highway 114 in Irving at INS building. Carpool from outback Steak House parking lot at 9:00 AM. Volunteers: Reed, Roach, Neisel, Hughes, & Sielerts.

July 31, 2015 Friday; remove items from display cases in Genealogy Room at Haggard Library at 10:30 AM. Volunteers: Reed, Hughes, A. Johnson, & Roach.

August 9, 2015 Sunday - Provide Color Guard back-up at memorial service for Com patriot Douglas Mc Donald at 12:00 Noon at the Relate Church, 1400 FM424, Cross Roads, TX (between Denton and Frisco). Representatives of the US Navy will provide a Color Guard and will present the Colors and fold the Flag prior to presenting it to his wife, Robin Mc Donald. She has requested us to be there to provide background "color". Volunteers Howard, Reed, Peddie, Watts, Ridenour, Greer, Holden, & Melton

August 18, 2015 Tuesday -Present, post, and retrieve Colors at Immigration Service ceremony, swearing in new citizens, at 9:30 AM. Located near corner of George Bush Tollway and Highway 114 in Irving at INS building. Carpool from Outback Steak House parking lot at 8:30 AM. Volunteers Roach, Melton, Whitelock, Kittrell, Holden, A. Johnson, Reed, A. Johnson, Geiger

August 28, 2015 Friday -Present, post, and retrieve Colors at Immigration Service ceremony, swearing in new citizens, at 10:00 AM. Judge Bush has asked us to do this ceremony. Located near corner of George Bush Tollway and Highway 114 in Irving at INS building. Carpool from Outback Steak House parking lot at 9:00 AM. Volunteers Roach, Reed, Babbs, Sielerts, Melton, Niesel, & Ridenour.

September 7, 2015 Monday – Present the Colors at Rough Riders baseball game at 6:05 PM at the ballpark in Frisco. Please muster by 5:30 PM. Free parking will be provided. Contact is Gina Pierce at GPierce@ridersbaseball.com or 972-334-1946. Volunteers Neisel, Reed, A. Johnson, Sielerts, Babbs, Monzingo, & Melton.

September 17, 2015 Thursday – Present the Colors at Mary Shirley McGuire DAR Chapter at 7:00 PM at Holy Nativity Episcopal Church at 2200 18th Street, Plano. Refreshments at 6:30 PM. Contact is Elisa Faye. Volunteers Sielerts, Watts, Ridenour, & Hughes.

September 18, 2015 Friday - Present, post, and retrieve Colors at Immigration Service ceremony, swearing in new citizens, at 10:00 AM. Located near corner of George Bush Tollway and Highway 114 in Irving at INS building. Roach, Sielerts, Hughes, Ridenour, Watts, & Holden.

October 17, 2015 Saturday – Plano International Festival at 11:00 AM in Haggard Park near downtown Plano. Please muster by 10 AM. We will participate in the Parade of Flags and then present the Colors at the Band Pavilion in the Haggard Park. There is also a Naturalization ceremony at this event! Volunteers needed; thus far have Reed, A. Johnson, JJ Johnson, and Melton

October 30, 2015 Friday - Present, post, and retrieve Colors at the Immigration Service ceremony, swearing in new citizens, at 10:00 AM. Located near corner of George Bush Tollway and Highway 114 in Irving at INS building. Plan to carpool from Outback Steak House parking lot at 9:00 AM. Volunteers needed; thus far have: Roach, Watts, Greer, & Melton.

November 5, 2015 Thursday – Annual Regional Veterans Day Program in Bonham, TX. We will hand out flyers and greet attendees. Starts at 9:30 AM at the football stadium. Generally the students commence arriving by 8:30 AM. Volunteers: Greer, Hughes, Melton, Jim Johnson, Sielerts, Alan Johnson, Babbs, Holden, Watts, & Roach.

November 6, 2015 Friday – Present a Flag program at Rose Haggard Elementary School at 1:00 PM. Located at 17820 Campbell Road, Dallas, TX 75252. (Located within Plano Independent School District, west of Preston Road). Please muster at 12:30 PM at the school Library. Contact is Ty Karl at 469-752-1473. Volunteers needed; thus far have Roach.

November 7, 2015 Saturday – March in Veterans Day parade in Grapevine to help out Dallas SAR Chapter from 10:00 AM - 12:00 noon; muster around 9:00 AM on East Hudgins Street. Parking – drop off area on East Dallas Road. Also off of West Hudgins Street. Parade staff wearing orange vests. Please plan to carpool from Outback Steakhouse at 9:00 AM. Volunteers needed; thus far have A. Johnson, Peddie, Neisel, & Holden.

November 11, 2015 Wednesday- Dallas Veterans Day parade. More details later. Volunteers needed; thus far have A. Johnson & Watts.

November 11, 2015 Wednesday – Present Flag Program at Waterford Retirement Community from 11:30 AM – 12:15 PM; welcome to stay for lunch afterwards. Located at 3401 Premier Drive, Plano, TX 75023. Contact is Kathy Lett at 972-423-7406. Volunteers needed; thus far have Neisel, Reed, Sielerts, & Roach.

November 11, 2015 Wednesday; Veterans Day Heritage Ranch Celebration at 7pm in Fairview at Heritage Ranch Community Center, 465 Scenic Ranch Cr. (David Naehring is our Contact), 937 Scenic Ranch Circle, Fairview, TX 75069. Volunteers needed; thus far have Alan Johnson, Melton, Sielerts, and Reed

November 12, 2015 Thursday; present a Veterans program, at Atria Senior Living Center at 9:00 AM. Located at 440 Independence Parkway in Plano. SOS breakfast available at 8:00 AM. Please muster at 8:30 AM. Contact is Jane Ault at 469-467-2262. Volunteers needed; thus far have Roach, Reed, Sielerts, Alan Johnson, Diane Johnson, Melton, Holden, & Hughes.