

Edmund Terrill Chapter No. 34 Sherman Texas Society Sons of The American Revolution



Meeting Minutes

The October 21st, 2020 meeting of Edmund Terrill Chapter No 34 was held outdoors at Pecan Grove Park-West in Sherman. The meeting was held under a large Pavilion in the open air to provide a healthy environment for the members in attendance. Mask were worn but were not mandatory.

President Ted Wilson called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM. A prayer was offered by Vice-President Gary Barker followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and Honor to the Texas Flag. The pledge to the Sons of the American Revolution was recited. President Wilson welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Attending were Compatriots, Ted Wilson, Gary Barker, John Greer, Ray Hargis, T.L. Holden, Paul Mattoon, Jerry Vaughan, Guest attending were Tom Milson, McKinney Chapter, Nick DeVincentis, new prospect member, and Sheryl Vaughn, DAR.

Other Business

President Wilson presented Compatriot John Greer a Certificate of Appreciation for speaking at the East Fork Trinity meeting.

Gary Barker presented Ted Wilson with the War Service Metal and certificate.

Sheryl Vaughn was presented the Martha Washington Metal for assisting with the recruitment of new members.

A motion was made by John Greer, seconded by Gary Barker to approve the September 2020 minutes as posted on the Edmund Terrill web site. Motion passed.

Due to the absence of the Treasure the treasure report was unavailable.

A New Member Manual was introduced by Ted Wilson and is available on the McKinney and Denton Chapter web sites. Secretary Ray Hargis will investigate and have a link provided on the Edmund Terrill web site.

Two entries have been received for an Edmund Terrill flag. After discussion concerning if permission must be received to have a flag design approved the subject was moved to the next meeting to allow time for investigation.

John Greer also discussed purchasing a 250 Year Flag.

Discussion by Gary Barker about supporting the request by a C.A.R. member to support an essay contest was also delayed until the January meeting.

The presentation of Sherman EMS awards is pending awaiting information.

The annual Eagle statue presentations to area Eagle Scouts was also delayed pending information for Wade Graves concerning the Boy Scout approval and presentation information. John Greer reported that 125 Year State Anniversary Metals are available from the American Committee. If anyone would like to volunteer at the VA contact John Greer.

New Business

President Wilson reported he was investigating Patrion Edmund Terrill's history. If anyone has information about him or his family contact Ted.

A new format of registration at the meeting will include sharing your Patriot's name. Be prepared with this information. Roll call at meetings may be by Patriot name.

The Benediction was offered by Ted Wilson and the Recessional recited. The meeting was closed at 1:00 PM.

The next meeting will be on November 18, 2020. Location and time TBD. Visit the Edmund Terrell web site at https://www.txssar.org/EdmundTerrill/ for information.

Ray Hargis – Secretary

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