Minutes of the Meeting of the Mount Vernon Chapter

Georgia Society
THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

January 8, 2019

The meeting was held at Vintage Pizza located at 5510 Chamblee Dunwoody Road, Dunwoody, GA with 19 in attendance.

6:00 PM - Social Hour

Meeting called to Order
The meeting of the Mount Vernon Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution (SAR) was called to order by Chapter Vice President, Bill Floyd at 7:00 PM.

Invocation
The invocation was given by the Chapter Chaplain, David Wellons.

Presentation of Colors
The colors were presented by members of the Mount Vernon Chapter Color Guard.

Pledge of Allegiance & Pledge to the SAR
The Pledge of Allegiance and the Pledge to the SAR were led by Chapter Sergeant-At-Arms, Chuck Olson.

Recognition of Guests and Visitors
Our Chapter Vice President, Bill Floyd, introduced all guests.

Introduction of Guest Speaker
Bill Floyd, Chapter Vice President, informed everyone that our scheduled guest speaker, Jerry Hightower of the National Parks Service, was unable to attend. Chuck Olson, our Chapter Sergeant-At-Arms, pinched hit and spoke on why the colony of Georgia was not involved as heavily in the American Revolution as other colonies.
Old Business
The following reports can be viewed on the Chapter website:
• The Secretary’s Report (See Meeting Minutes PDF on the January Write-up on the 2019 Photos Gallery)
• The Registrar’s Report is updated as changes occur on our Welcome page.

Note: The Treasurer’s Report is eMailed to the membership when it is updated by the Chapter Treasurer. It is not publicly posted.

New Business and Announcements
Bill Floyd, Chapter Vice President presided over all new business and announcements.

1) The late of new officers was presented. A motion to accept them as recommended by our Chapter Nominating Committee (Shep Hammack, Jim McDonald, and Craig Honaman) was made by Chuck Olson and seconded by John Galt. The vote was unanimous in favor. The new officers for 2019 are as follows:
   President: Bill Floyd
   Vice President: David Wiley
   Secretary: David Wellons
   Corresponding Secretary: Chuck Rann
   Treasurer: Ted Fricke
   Registrar & Genealogist: Tom Chrisman
   Chancellor: Jim McDonald
   Sargeant-At-Arms: Chuck Olson
   Chaplain: John Galt
   Historian: Shep Hammack

2) Installation of a Charter Member, Zachary Cone, was conducted by Chapter Vice President, Bill Floyd and former Chapter President, Shep Hammack.

3) Dues status discussion was led by Chapter Treasurer, Ted Fricke.

4) Shep Hammack gave a report on our Chapter Traveling Trunk.
5) Bill Floyd, Chapter Vice President, announced our February Installation Banquet, which will on Feb. 12th, 2019 at Vintage Pizzeria in Dunwoody at **6:00 PM**. Scott Collins, our Georgia State President will install our new officers.

**PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS FOR THE BANQUET!**

6) The Mount Vernon Fellows program information was given by Shep Hammack.

7) The Georgia Society SAR Annual Conference will be January 25-26, 2019 at the Sonesta Gwinnett Place Hotel.

**SAR Recessional**
The SAR Recessional was led by Chapter Sargeant-At-Arms, Chuck Olson.

**Benediction**
The Benediction was given by Chapter Chaplain, David Wellons.

**Adjournment**
The meeting was adjourned at 7:47 PM by Chapter Vice President, Bill Floyd.

**Respectfully Submitted,**
David Wiley,
Chapter Secretary