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New member Greg Flowers is inducted at our March chapter meeting by area six vice president Gary Lovell.



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Leslie Anderson

President's Comments

March has gone and Easter is here how time flies by. By the time everyone reads our newsletter the Texas SAR Conference has started and information on the National Congress will be talked about. The color guard will have several EFT members that will participate in the Medal of Honor Parade at Gainesville, TX on Saturday, April 7.

EFT Meeting is on April 12 where we will have the EFT Scholarship Recipient, Blake Rowney, giving a talk on his essay. Blake's selection is in conjunction with Rock Wall DAR.

Walt Thomas or Dennis Vierling may give a short report on the Rowlett Fire Department Awards Presentation and how the two men were completely caught off guard. Mark your calendar for the McLendon-Chisholm Veterans Dedication will be held on May 28 Memorial Day. The EFT color guard has been asked to be present. Walt, Paul, Stephen and others have been working on a grave marking in Summerville.

We may have a recap of the different state conference discussions that pertains to such things as filling out genealogy application, cleaning head stone, and grave marking this year.

I will have Roland Flowers paperwork with me this time to give to him.

See everyone at the meeting April 12.





Gary Snowden

Upcoming Programs

Our scholarship recipient Blake Ryan Romney will be our program for our April chapter meeting and our May chapter meeting will feature a program brought to us by our registrar. His topic will be the Southern Strategy. Still looking for our program for June so if you have any ideas that you would like for me to work on for future programs drop me an email and let me know.



New member Greg Flowers receives his rosette during his induction ceremony from his wife Yvonne.



Chapter members presented the Fire Safety Commendation Award to Brett Grant (below right) and the Emergency Medical Services Award to Greg Deere (below left). Both are members of the Rowlett Fire Department.



April Birthdays



- 11 Greg Flowers
- 27 Brady Pidgeon
- 27 Andrew Thomas
- 30 John Permenter



Dave Powell

The Registrar's Corner

NEW MEMBER APPLICATIONS

1. New Member Greg Flowers' application made it through State review and was approved at National on 12/31/2017. Greg's Patriot is Rowland Flowers. Application Approved. National #: 205851
2. New Member Forrest Shields' application made it through State review and his genealogy was approved at National on 2/2/2018. His Patriot is John Gibbs. Application Approved. National #: 206236
3. New Member Zach Morrow's application made it through State review and was approved at National on 2/2/18. Zach's Patriot is Stephen Peabody. Application Approved. National #: 206241
4. New Member Tim Durrett's application made it through State review and was approved at National on 2/9/18. Tim's Patriot is William Durrett. Application Approved. National #: 206343
5. New Member Michael Goode's application made it through State review and was approved at National on 2/9/18. Michael's Patriot is Charles Hutchins. Application Approved. National #: 206345
6. Member James Pharr's application made it through State, arrived at National on 2/1/18. Genealogy approved at National on 3/16/2018. James' Patriot is Edward Farr. Awaiting National Registration.
7. Prospective Member James Hayes has completed his application and it was mailed to State. James' Patriot is Solomon Leet Jr. Awaiting State Review.
8. Prospective Member Chris Millican has completed his application. Chris' Patriot is David Whitehill. Awaiting Signatures.
9. Prospective Member Dustin Durrett's Application is nearing completion and should be ready for signatures this week. Dustin is the son of Recently Approved member Tim Durrett. Dustin's Patriot is William Durrett. Awaiting Application Completion and Signatures.
10. Prospective Member Truett Durrett's Application is nearing completion and should be ready for signatures this week. Truett is the brother of Recently Approved member Tim Durrett. Truett's Patriot is William Durrett. . Awaiting Application Completion and Signatures.
11. Prospective Member Tommy Wornick was referred to EFT by the State Communications Secretary Sam Massey. Working on lineage and documents.

12. Prospective Member Robin Holden is working on his application. Robin's Patriot is Thomas Holden. Awaiting Documents.
13. Prospective Member Jamison Forer was referred to EFT by the State Communications Secretary Sam Massey. Working on lineage and documents.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATIONS

1. Member Larry Jordan is working on a new Supplemental



Dennis Vierling

Color Guard Report

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- April 5 – 8, 2018 Thursday – Sunday – Texas Society State Convention in Richardson, TX
- April 7, 2018 Saturday – Medal of Honor Parade in Gainesville, TX We are carpooling from the State Convention.
- June 16, 2018 – Saturday Audie Murphy Parade in Farmersville, TX
- July 4, 2018 Wednesday – Parade in Rockwall, TX
- July 12 – 19, 2018 Thursday – Thursday – National Sons of the American Revolution Congress in Houston, TX



Veterans committee chairman John Greer presents chapter Secretary Gary Lovell with the Veterans Service Medal.



Veterans committee chairman John Greer presents chapter chaplain Father Loyd Morris with the military service medal.





Our March program was presented by Chris and Christine Davis representing Patriot Paws

