

Sons of the American Revolution

East Fork-Trinity Chapter No. 47

Texas Society

Chapter Mailing Address:

East Fork Trinity SAR

3330 N. Galloway Ave., Suite 304-37

Mesquite, TX 75150

Meeting Minutes for: July 10th, 2025

Meeting Location: Soulman's Bar-B-Que, 691 I-30 Rockwall, Texas

Attendees: (See signup sheets)

Meeting Called to Order by President Randall van Heyst at: 7:03 p.m.

Invocation – Bob Kubin

Pledge to the American Flag – Robert Braley

Pledge to the Texas Flag – Ephrim Braley

Affirmation to the SAR – David Routh

SAR Mission Statement – Jason Gray

Welcome and Introduction of Guests – Randall van Heyst

Americanism Moment – Randall and Reagan van Heyst made a presentation on the Bunker Hill Flag.

Program – Drake Peddie made a presentation on the Texas Navy and its importance in the war with Mexico.

Drake Peddie Presented Brian Paul Ridenour with an Appointment of Honorary Admiral to the Texas Navy signed by Governor Greg Abbott.

Randall van Heyst presented a Certificate of Appreciation to Drake Peddie for his presentation.

Approval of the Minutes from the June 11th, 2025 meeting.

Motion to accept made by Tom Van Fossen

Seconded by David Powell

Motion passed unanimously.

Tom Van Fossen announced a Lapel Pin in Honor of Bill Watts that is to be issued to qualifying Patriots and went over the requirements to receive a pin.

Bill Watt's Memorial Service is scheduled to be held Saturday July 26th at 2:00 p.m., grave side at 3:00 p.m. at Rest Haven in Rockwall, Texas.

Treasurer's Report by Gary Lovell:

(See attached Treasurer's Report)

Randall van Heyst presented the color guard report. He told us about the Heath 4th of July Parade and announced that our next big event is Bill Watt's funeral on July 26th at 2:00 p.m. at Rest Haven and that we would like to get as many people there as possible, hopefully in uniform. There will be a live musket presentation.

David Powell gave his Registrar's Report. And announced that we have 25 applications with 3 additional prospects.

New Inductees: Guy Sargent, Robert Braley, Ephrim Braley, Nathaniel Braley.

Birthdays for July – Della Vickers

Door Prize Drawing – David Powell

SAR Closing – Guy Sargent

Benediction – Walter Thomas

Declaration of Adjournment – Randall van Heyst at 8:24 p.m.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David B. Jackson", is written over a horizontal line.

July 12, 2025

David B. Jackson, Secretary, East Fork-Trinity Chapter #47, TXSSAR

East Fork Trinity Chapter Regular Meeting July 10, 2025

Name	Guest Name	Phone Number	E-mail
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Jason Gray	Mary Ann		
Guy Sargent			
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**East Fork Trinity Chapter 47
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Monthly Report July 2025**

Checking Account Balance	
June 2024	6005.77

Deposits:

June 13, 2025

Application Fees : Vickers, West, Ranspot, Woodard, Dresher, Vickers, Dowdle	175.00
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Withdrawals:

June 12, 2025

Van Heyst: Poster contest winner	100.00
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June 2025 Ending Balance:	6080.77
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Certificate of Deposit

June Balance	6476.07
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Interest	14.30
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July 2025 Balance	6490.37
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July 10, 2025 Grand Total	12,571.14
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**G.W. Lovell, Treasurer
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