

# **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: February 12, 2026**

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

**Attendees: (See signup sheet)**

**Meeting Called to Order by President Bob Kubin at: 7:01 p.m.**

**Invocation – Walt Thomas**

**Pledge to the American Flag – Randall van Heyst**

**Pledge to the Texas Flag – Bob Kubin**

**Affirmation to the SAR – Jason Gray**

**SAR Mission Statement – Jeff Witt**

**Welcome and Introduction Guests – Bob Kubin**

**Americanism Moment by Randall van Heyst. Randall presented 2 events from the Revolution with February dates:**

**Feb 13, 1778 – John Adams and son John Quincy Adams sail to France to secure a treaty with France. Feb 14, 1779 Battle of Kettle Creek, Georgia.**

**Program – “Annie Get Your Gun”. Presented by Elizabeth Witt**

**Approval of the Minutes from the January 8, 2026 meeting.**

**Motion to accept made by Randall van Heyst**

**Seconded by Bob Vickers**

**Motion passed unanimously.**

**Treasurer's Report by Gary Lovell:**

**GARY LOVELL: *Our checking account has a beginning and ending balance of \$4,747.41. We had no activity on the checking account. Our CD was renewed on January 27<sup>th</sup> with a new rate of 2.6%. January balance was \$6,575.43. Interest received was \$14.52 for February balance of \$6,589.95. Grand Total is \$11,337.36.***

**Randall van Heyst presented the color guard report. Events related to George Washington's birthday are coming up. More information on [texassar.org](http://texassar.org)**

**03/24/26 Presentation of medals to JROTC members. Poteet High School Auditorium. 5:15 pm**

**03/28/26 Mesquite Rodeo Parade. 10:00am – 12:00pm in downtown Mesquite. A small trailer will be provided to ride on during the parade.**

**Texas 2026 State Convention to be held in Austin, Texas, on April 15-19, 2026.**

**President Bob Kubin also invited any interested members to attend a Naturalization Ceremony on March 12, 2026 at the DFW Hyatt Regency Hotel at 10:00am.**

**Jeff Witt gave us his Registrar's Report.**

**District VP report was rescheduled for the March meeting.**

**Medal Award Ceremony – Randall van Heyst. The following individuals were awarded various medals to show appreciation for their service to Sons of the American Revolution - East Fork Trinity Chapter:**

**D'Auna Nicole van Heyst  
Mindy Lovell  
Janet van Heyst  
Jason Gray  
Paul Ridenour  
Harmon Adair  
David Powell  
David Jackson**

**Darlene Kubin  
Barbara Thomas  
Reagan van Heyst  
Walt Thomas  
Gary Lovell  
Michael Goode  
David Routh**

**Birthday Recognition: James Lovell has a February Birthday**

**Bob Vickers updated the chapter on David Powell's condition. Please keep him in your prayers.**

**Door Prize Drawing – Paul Ridenour**

**Compatriot Death - Pro Gaddis went home be with the Lord on February 10, 2026. Pro was 99 years old and a veteran of WW2. He served in the Navy seeing action in the Pacific. Services will be held at Grove Hill Funeral Home and Memorial Park located at 3920 Samuell Blvd, Dallas, TX 75228. Visitation will be Monday, February 16<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Funeral on Tuesday, February 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am.**

**SAR Closing – Bob Kubin**

**Benediction – Walt Thomas**

**Declaration of Adjournment – Bob Kubin at 8:23 p.m.**



**February 16, 2025**

**Guy Sargent, Secretary, East Fork-Trinity Chapter #47, TXSSAR**

# East Fork Trinity Chapter

January 2026 Member Signin

Members	Guests
1 Walt Thomas	Barbara Thomas
2 Aaron Nelson	
3 Michael Nelson	
4 Bob Kubin	Darlene Kubin
5 David Jackson	Connie Jackson
6 Ryan Van Heyst	Janet van Heyst
7 Bob Harrod	CONNIE
8 Jason Gray	
9 David Routh	
10 Michael Goode	
11 <del>DAVID</del> ROUTH	
12 WALT NEWELL	Pat
13 Harmon Adair	Joyce
14 Randall Van Heyst	D'Auna Van Heyst
15 Jeff Witt	Elizabeth Witt
16 Roy Semmes	
17 Ben Derryberry	
18 JOE RICHESON	
19 Bob Vickers	Del/A Vickers
20 Ed Lovell	Mindy Lovell
21 Guy Sargent	
22 Paul Tidemour	
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**East Fork Trinity Chapter 47  
Sons of the American Revolution  
Monthly Report February 12, 2026**

**Checking Account**  
**January 2026 Balance** **4747.41**

**Deposits:**

**Withdrawals:**

**February 2026 Ending Balance:** **4747.41**

**Outstanding Check**  
**#1755 David Powell, Mailing Exp.** **6.51**

**Certificate of Deposit  
Inwood Bank**

**Renewed Jan. 27, 2025; Matures Jan 27, 2026; (2.6%)**

**January Balance** **6575.43**

**Interest** **14.52**

**February Balance** **6589.95**

**January 8, 2026** **Grand Total** **11,337.36**



**G.W. Lovell, Treasurer  
East Fork Trinity**