



Ellis County Chapter #70 - Texas SAR
Sons of the American Revolution



August 24, 2024 Meeting Minutes

The first meeting at the Hamilton At Garden Valley was opened by the posting of colors. The Color Guard was made up of Commander Larry Kollie, US flag Philip Taylor, Texas Flag Bill Watts, SAR flag Tom Van Fossen, 250 flag Jack Haughton.

Call to Order - President Jack Haughton

Opening Pledges

Invocation - Mike Tull

Introduction of New Applicants & Guests

Secretary & Treasurer Reports

Program - The Color Guard presented a Flag presentation. Compatriot Tom Whitelock spoke on the Bedford flag. Other flags described were the Fort Moultrie, Monmouth, Cowpens, Brandywine, and Betsy Ross. Bill Watts gave us a "lecture" on the spiral courting candle.

Business meeting – Discussions were Student Contest, Americanism and Stark Reports.

Recessional

Benediction – Mike Tull