



Chapter Minutes: 15 May 2021

- **CALL TO ORDER**

By Chapter President Ron Turner at 9:00 A.M. This month's meeting was held at Bacon's Bistro & Café in Hurst.

- **INVOCATION**

By Chapter Chaplain Roger Tate

- **PLEDGES**

- **US Flag**
- **Texas Flag**
- **S.A.R.**

The pledges were led by Color Guard Commander Bobby Gresham.

- **WELCOME GUESTS / VISITORS**

Chapter President Ron Turner welcomed everyone. We had a large group of guests at the meeting. The group included Preston Davis and his parents, Allen and Stephine. Israel Cartagena along with his parents, Sandra and Israel Cartagena Sr. Also gracing our meeting was Sarah Connelley and Sherrye Woodworth, all were welcomed guests at our meeting.

- **PRESENTATIONS**

- **New Member Induction**

Chapter President introduced our newest members, Michael Edward Fussell and William Stanley Taylor. Chapter President Ron Turner, assisted by Chapter Registrar Gerry Gieger, inducted Compatriot Taylor. President Turner will induct Mike Fussell once his certificate is received.

- Awards

○ S.A.R. Eagle Scout Medal

Chapter President Ron Turner, along with compatriot Art Munford, presented Preston Davis with the S.A.R. Eagle Scout Medal, a certificate, and a \$300.00 check for winning the SAR Eagle Scout contest. Israel Cartagena was awarded the SAR/BSA patch and certificate as the runner-up in the contest.

○ Certificate of Appreciation

Art Munford was presented a Certificate of Appreciation by Chapter President Ron Turner on behalf of Texas Society President Drake Peddie for all his hard work with the S.A.R. Eagle Scout Program.

• SPEAKER

This month we had the two SAR Eagle scout contestants as our speakers. First, Preston Davis gave a presentation on the Federalist Papers. Then, Israel Cartagena spoke to us about the meaning of Patriotism.

• OLD BUSINESS

- Officers Reports

➤ Secretary's Minutes

Aprils' Meeting Minutes were reviewed and approved.

Moved/Second/Passed

➤ Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report informed us of the following;

Operating Funds – Beginning Balance of \$9,672.42 / No Expenses / Deposits of \$3,212.90, resulting in a Balance of \$11,278.87.

Pray TCU Awards Fund – Beginning Balance of \$2,964.34 / No Expenses / Interest of \$0.05 resulting in a Balance of \$2,964.35.

Goodman Youth Fund – Beginning Balance of \$1,812.70 / No Expenses /Deposits of \$30.00 / Interest of \$0.04 / resulting in a balance of \$1,842.74. Giving the Chapter a Grand Total of \$16,086.00. Moved/Second/Passed

➤ **Registrars Report**

Gerry Gieger and Ron Turner updated us on the status of the six applications and Supplemental for the S.A.R. Three are under review at the state level and the other three are at National awaiting final approval.

➤ **Color Guard Report**

Color Guard Commander Bobby Gresham let us know about the Color Guard event that is coming up on Memorial Day at Mt. Gilead Cemetery. He also reminded us about the Color Guard Event on Flag Day, 14 June, at Memorial Park.

• **NEW BUSINESS**

➤ **ROTC/JROTC/Sea Cadets school division project**

Compatriot Mike Connelley discussed with us the reasoning and scope of this program.

➤ **The Texas Compatriot**

Chapter President Ron Turner has been appointed the State Editor for *The Texas Compatriot* Newsletter.

- **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- **Chapter Meeting**

The next chapter meeting will be held on June 19th at Bacon's Bistro & Café in Hurst, Texas.

- **Final Notes**

This month we had very active attendance. We had 13 members and 9 guests. Giving us a total of 22 attendees for this month's meeting.

- **ADJOURNMENT**

- **Recessional**

Color Guard Commander Bobby Gresham led the recessional.

- **Benediction**

Chapter Chaplain Roger Tate led the benediction. With the Benediction being concluded, the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 A.M.

