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PineyWoods Chapter 51
Texas Society
Sons of the American Revolution
November 21, 2026

The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution is a congressionally chartered organization, founded in 1889 and headquartered in Louisville, Kentucky.

The PineyWoods Chapter 51 was chartered on February 3, 1994, and is named for its geographic location in Texas. We draw members from Houston to Livingston and from The Woodlands to Liberty. PineyWoods meets on the third Saturday of each month except June and July at Los Cucos Mexican Restaurant in Kingwood, Texas.

\PineyWoods Newsletter Message

President's Message: Thank you to all our Veterans!

Dear Compatriots and friends,

I hope everyone was able to celebrate and salute our Veterans on November 11th and is getting ready for a happy season of Thanksgiving. The last few months, I have been traveling to Lafayette, Louisiana, to visit my daughter as she competes in track for the Ragin' Cajuns at the University of Louisiana, Lafayette! While visiting the town of Lafayette, it has given me a renewed appreciation for the meaning behind that city's name. The community began as Vermilionville and was renamed Lafayette in 1884 for the Marquis de Lafayette—the young Frenchman who crossed the Atlantic to join America's cause, served alongside General Washington, and helped secure the liberty of a new nation. The statues and memorials throughout the city, especially the figure of Lafayette near City Hall, are quiet reminders that courage, friendship, and sacrifice can shape history.



Lafayette's words still speak to us: "Humanity has won its battle. Liberty now has a country." He also declared, "I have always loved liberty with the enthusiasm which actuates the religious man with the passion of a lover, and with the conviction of a geometrician." Those convictions connect the patriots of the American Revolution with every generation of Americans who has answered the call to serve. As we honor our military veterans—from the Continental Army to today's Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force, Space Force, and Coast Guard—we thank them for defending the freedoms entrusted to us. Their service is a living continuation of the cause Lafayette embraced.

I hope you will join us for our upcoming program and new-inductee ceremony. It will be a meaningful opportunity to welcome new compatriots, honor our veterans, and celebrate the enduring spirit of liberty we are privileged to preserve.

In Patriotism and Service,

Abe Abdmoulaie

Piney Woods Chapter President

NOVEMBER 21 – LOS CUCOS, KINGWOOD – 11:30 A.M.
Luncheon Speaker: Ron Cutlip, Major, U.S. Army (Retired)

November–December 1776: American Revolution

November 20, 1776, Fort Lee

General William Howe ordered General Charles Cornwallis to capture Fort Lee before the weather changed. The plan was to trap the American army between the Hackensack River and the Hudson River. With a force of 4,000-6,000 British soldiers, Cornwallis crossed the Hudson River in a rainstorm and landed about six miles north of the fort and marched south.

Washington sent word of the British advance to the Continental Congress and suggested that Philadelphia would become the next target. The news came as a shock to many of the delegates, who had failed to grasp how badly the war was going.

When Cornwallis's forces arrived at Fort Lee, they encountered no opposition. Greene had led a hurried evacuation of the fort's 2,000-man garrison and marched them toward Hackensack, where Washington was waiting on them.

By deciding to leave everything else at the fort, Greene was able to march his men to safety before the British could seize the one bridge across the Hackensack River. Greene returned to the fort about two hours after the main body left and rounded up several hundred stragglers.

The British were delighted at what they found at the abandoned fort. They found fifty cannon, 1,000 barrels of flour, stores of ammunition, and vast quantities of other supplies left behind by the fleeing Americans. They captured twelve drunk American soldiers in the fort and about 150 other prisoners were taken in the vicinity. Believing he had to the opportunity to strike a decisive blow against the Americans, Cornwallis pursued Washington's army. The American soldiers then began a hasty retreat west, crossing the Hackensack River at New Bridge Landing and the Passaic River at Acquackanonk Bridge. It was during Washington's retreat that Thomas Paine composed his pamphlet, "The American Crisis", which began with the recognized phrase, "These are the times that try men's souls".



December 13, 1776 - Basking Ridge, New Jersey



On December 12, Maj. Gen. Charles Lee made camp a few miles south of Morristown. He was on his way to join Gen. George Washington's force. For reasons unknown, Lee did not stay at the camp but instead, he went to White's Tavern near Basking Ridge, about three miles from the American camp. Lee brought along a guard detachment of nineteen troops with him.

General Charles Cornwallis had learned that there was an American force close to his rear. He sent a cavalry detachment to patrol from his headquarters at Pennington, which was about thirty miles south of Lee's camp, to locate the American camp. Lt. Col. William Harcourt, with twenty-nine cavalrymen from the 16th Light Horse and Lt. Col. Banastre Tarleton, headed north that night.

On December 13, after a brief rest, the British patrol headed towards Morristown. When they were about five miles from Basking Ridge, a local Tory gave them information that stated where the location of the main American camp was. After capturing two American sentries' which told Harcourt that Lee and his guard detachment were located at the tavern. Not knowing if this information was correct, Harcourt sent Tarleton and two cavalrymen to a small hilltop nearby for some observation. Once Tarleton captured an American soldier and reported back to Harcourt, stating that the information was indeed correct.

American General Charles Lee was captured by British forces at Widow White's Tavern after leaving his troops in search of personal leisure, despite orders from General George Washington to expedite movements across New Jersey to reinforce the Continental Army. The British had opened fire on the tavern. Lee sent his Aide de Camp, Maj. William Bradford, to the door to give himself up.

The British gathered up the wounded and the prisoners and headed back to Pennington. They forgot to search the tavern and a few American soldiers escaped and returned to the American lines, informing Washington of Lee's capture. A search party was sent but by this time, the British forces had lee back at their headquarters.

FROM THE EDITOR
Larry G. Stevens



On Veterans Day, November 11, 2026, we joined the DAR at Texas Roadhouse, and the Texas Roadhouse staff greeting and thanking veterans and active service members. And about this time each year our local elementary schools have a Patriots Day, as close to Veterans' Day as they can and toward the end of their Social Studies Unit form about 1750 to 1800. Our chapter has participated in many of these for the past twenty-two years. Veterans Day was originally Armistice Day declared after WWI on November 11, 1919, President issued a message to his countrymen on the first Armistice Day celebrating cease fire.



A Congressional Act (52 Stat. 351; 5 U.S. Code, Sec. 87a) approved May 13, 1938, made November 11 in each year a legal holiday: "***a day to be dedicated to the cause of world peace and to be thereafter celebrated and known as 'Armistice Day***'"

Congress amended the bill on June 1, 1954, replacing "Armistice" with "Veterans", and it has been known as Veterans Day since.

The Holidays are up on us already, with Thanksgiving and then Christmas which are both a time of reflection. ….. visiting with family and remember those who passed before us. Pictures of the First Thanksgiving Feast, with the 'Pilgrams' and Native Americans makes one aware of the precarious predicament those that first arrived at what they named Plymouth faced. We are forever indebted to the 'Indians,' who not only provided foods but taught how the plant and prepare the foods. The hard flint corn could be ground into a meal or, as the Indians taught, to boil the kernels in water mixed with some wood ashes. This lye mixture removed the hard yellow surface, and without this, the kernels swelled up into what we know as hominy. Hominy could be eaten as is, my grandmother Sadie made hominy like this, or it could be dry, the ground, and used to make a corn bread or the famous Southern Corn Grits.



PineyWoods Chapter Officers
2025–2027

President - Abe Abdmoulaie
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Events Calendar

NSSAR
Galt House, Louisville, Kentucky — Spring Leadership TBA (Feb. 26–28, 2027)

TEXAS Convention
April 8–11, 2027 at the Hyatt Regency, Conroe

PINEYWOODS CHAPTER 51
December 12, 2026 — Annual Christmas Luncheon and Party at the home of Barbara & Larry Stevens, 1706 Chestnut Grove Lane, Kingwood 77345
January 16, 2027 — Chapter meeting at Los Cucos Mexican Café, Kingwood, Texas
February 20, 2027 — Chapter meeting at Los Cucos Mexican Café, Kingwood, Texas

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PineyWoods Chapter News

Help the Sons of the American Revolution PineyWoods #51 honor local heroes. Sponsor a wreath today to be placed on a Veterans Grave this December at Houston National Cemetery.

GO TO www.wearthsacrossamerica.org/TX1448

National Wreaths Across America Day is just around the corner on December 19, 2026 at 11:00 am (CST) (Wreath Placement Immediately Following Ceremony) at Houston National Cemetery. We're getting closer to our goal, and we need your help to make sure every veteran's grave at our local cemetery is honored with a wreath.

If you've already sponsored a wreath this year, thank you! This message is being shared with all volunteers and supporters as we work toward our mission of remembering every veteran. If you'd like to continue helping us reach our goal of placing a wreath for every veteran, we deeply appreciate your ongoing support.

Every December, National Wreaths Across America Day brings our mission—Remember, Honor, and Teach—to life. Volunteers coordinate wreath-laying ceremonies at Arlington National Cemetery and more than 6,000 locations across all 50 states, at sea, and abroad, honoring the service and sacrifice of our nation's veterans. Last year, more than 3.1 million veteran wreaths were placed nationwide!

At Houston National Cemetery, there are 100,000 veterans to honor. Our goal is to place 100,000 wreaths this year, and we're currently 15% of the way there.

Sponsor wreaths today by visiting TX1448 - Sons of the American Revolution Piney Woods #51 and clicking the Red Sponsor button. Every contribution helps us get closer to placing 100,000 wreaths and ensuring no veteran is forgotten. Thank you for helping us honor every American hero—your support makes a meaningful difference!

Sincerely,

Scott DeMasi
TXHNCH - Houston National Cemetery



PineyWoods Chapter News

October – November

Jim Pinkerton – Patriot Medal 2026-2027

Past Chapter President Jim Pinkerton was selected by the State Patriot Medal Selection Committee to receive the Texas SAR Patriot Medal for his long and meaningful service to his chapter, serving as President, Vice President, Secretary, Chaplain, JROTC Youth Coordinator and is always willing to step in and serve leading chapter meetings or serving another term as a Vice President. The Medal will be presented at the next Texas SAR Convention which is at the Hyatt Regency in Conroe next April 8–11, 2027.

The medal has a silver finish and bears the portrait of Compatriot General of the Army Douglas MacArthur on the obverse within the inscription, “The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.” The reverse is inscribed “Awarded to for Patriotic Service by the Society SAR, 20__. The medal is suspended from a chest ribbon of royal blue color. Compatriot MacArthur selected the design for the medal just prior to his death. He received the first medal, presented posthumously at his tomb in Norfolk, Virginia, on October 19, 1964, where it is on permanent display. The Patriot Medal is available in full and miniature sizes.





PineyWoods Chapter News — Continued

Texas Society Board of Managers Meeting or BOM - Dues and Fees Committee. A motion was made at the BOM in Arlington this past October making a change in Family Plan Applications as follows: Changes at the October 2026 BOM Subsequent family members, regular and supplemental applications: after the first family applicant pays the regular fee, subsequent family applicants are charged a $10 state application fee. Check the Fee Calculator (Public Site) for the total Fee for Subsequent Family Members submitted with a new membership application. Click on the tool bar About Texas SAR.

With the Dues Invoice for 2027 that PineyWoods Members should have just received, you may want to check into Life or Perpetual Membership especially if you are now seventy-five and older. You can do this using the Fee Calculator; just follow the instructions; again, click on the tool bar About Texas SAR.

There were other minor changes in the application fees but not as significant as the savings on subsequent family member applications.

Minutes of the April 22-24 Texas BOM have been posted on the Texas Website for members to review.

Education Programs

November 6, 2026, at Bear Branch Elementary – We all arrived around 7:30 am to help set up Revolution Education's Apothecary, Cooking Area, and Army Camp. Ray Cox, Skip Hawley, and Larry Stevens made presentations to about 115 fifth grade students on November 6, 2026. Ray on the Fife, Bill Meyers, Drum and Freedom Chapter and two young men on Fife and Drum; all were dressed in colonial and American Revolution Era clothing. The last group of kids finished at 2:30 pm.

November 13, 2026. at Willow Creek Elementary- Arrival for Skip, Merv Hartwick and Larry was about 7:00 am and Ray right after. Bill Meyers about the same time as Ray. Abe Abdmoulaie and Merv Hartwick helped break down and load the camp gear after 2:10 pm. The programs were about the same and there were again around 115 fifth grade students.

Veterans Day

November 11th Veterans Day Merv Hartwick, B Ray Mize, and I joined the DAR, Karen Dawson, Jeannie Hartwick, and Sharon Mize and other members of the Lady Washington DAR Chapter in the Kingwood Area, and the Management and Employees of The Texas Roadhouse honoring Veterans on the shopping center street just behind the Roadhouse. The Porter Fire Department had Ladder Truck on site to inspect. The restaurant was handing out dinner coupons, saying THANK YOU VETERANS & ACTIVE MILITARY, to Veterans. The DAR was handing out small bags of candies left over from Halloween to Veterans as they drove past. PineyWoods Chapter members helped! Veterans, and families, were lined up in cars and trucks both directions. More than 1500 Roadhouse Coupons were passed out between 10:30 am and 1:00 pm. The veterans I talked to thanked all of us for remembering their service in the US Military. This has been an annual event sponsored by the Texas Roadhouse each year and not just in Kingwood.



SAR Youth Awards Programs



YOUTH AWARDS PROGRAMS

- Promote character
- Increase confidence
- Foster civic responsibility
- Develop critical thinking skills

YOUTH AWARDS



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YOUTH AWARDS PROGRAMS

SAR Youth Awards Programs — Contests and Eligibility

DR. TOM & BETTY LAWRENCE AMERICAN HISTORY TEACHER AWARD

The Dr. Tom & Betty Lawrence American History Teacher Award winner will attend one of the following graduate summer seminars:

- Founding Forward at Valley Forge, Valley Forge, PA
- Colonial Williamsburg at Williamsburg, VA
- SAR Annual Conference on the American Revolution

Judges will choose one award winner each at the middle and high school levels. The teacher will represent classroom instruction that outperforms curriculum requirements for the Revolutionary War era 1750-1800. Winners qualify for a cash award upon the successful completion of the summer seminar.

SAR HIGH SCHOOL EAGLE SCOUT PROGRAM

(Eagle Scout prior to 19th birthday during year of application)

Competition is open to all Eagle Scouts registered in an active unit. The year that the scout received the Eagle rank is unrestricted. Application year is 01 January to 31 December and conducted in three phases, local (Chapter), State (Society), and National levels. Judging begins at the local Chapter with the submitted entry that includes an application form, four-generation ancestry chart, and a 500-word patriotic themed essay. First-place winner will receive recognition and presented either a cash award or scholarship to an educational institution at the SAR Annual Congress.

SAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL POSTER CONTEST

(Grades 3-6)

The contest is open to public, private, parochial, charter, and home-schooled students as well as C.A.R., Cub Scouts, and Girl Scouts at the grade level that includes the American Revolution curriculum. Permanent themes are "Revolutionary War Events" for even numbered school years, and "Revolutionary War Persons" for odd numbered years. Judging is based upon theme portrayal, originality, research evidence, neatness, artistic merit, and creativity. All competition begins at the local SAR Chapter level with National winners receiving a ribbon, certificate, and cash award.

SAR JROTC ENHANCED CADET CONTEST

(Nominated cadet must be a High School Junior)

This award fosters the principle of "citizen-soldier" as exemplified by the American Revolution's Minuteman. Selection process begins with the JROTC Unit's Senior Military Instructor (SMI). Selection criteria includes demonstrated leadership potential, military bearing, and scholastic achievement. Each cadet must submit an original essay on a topic designated by the SAR ROTC / JROTC & Services Academy Liaison Committee. The unit's JROTC Commanding Officer will select the winning Outstanding JROTC cadet.

SAR HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST

(Grades 9-12)

Competition is open to public, private, parochial, and home-school high school students interested in the American Revolution. Students must submit an original 800 to 1,200-word essay based on an event, person, philosophy or ideal associated with the American Revolution, Declaration of Independence, or the framing of the US Constitution. Student essays are judged based upon their historical accuracy, clarity, organization, grammar and spelling, and documentation. Competition begins at the local SAR Chapter level and progresses through the State Society and National levels. The winning essay will be submitted to the SAR Magazine for publication.

SAR YOUTH VIDEO CONTEST

(Grades 6-12)

The SAR Youth Video Contest is an exciting new program where you can share what you know about the American Revolution. Tell us about a person, battle, document, or event during the American struggle for independence and do it in video form. The key is to BE CREATIVE! Your project could be filmed or animated. It could look like a cable news broadcast or a pretend movie trailer. Perhaps you will create a music video or even a rap battle. Show the judges you can think outside of the box. Entries must contain ORIGINAL content and must be based on scholarly research of the presented topic. Content may not violate copyright laws. Emphasis on the 250th anniversary of the Revolution is recommended. The style, approach, and perspective are not limited. Video length: 3 - 5 minutes. Individual or group projects accepted. At least three research references are required. The contest will be administered at the Chapter, State, and National level. Contestants begin the process by applying to their local SAR Chapter coordinator.

SAR MIDDLE SCHOOL BROCHURE CONTEST

(Grades 6-8)

The contest is open to middle school students in public, private, parochial, charter and home-school at the grade level containing American Revolution or Government curriculum. C.A.R., Boy Scouts, and Girl Scouts in these grade levels are also eligible. The permanent theme is "The Founding Documents of the United States." They are: Articles of Confederation, Declaration of Independence, Federalist Papers, US Constitution, and Bill of Rights. All competition begins at the local SAR Chapter level with National winners receiving a ribbon, certificate, and cash award.

SAR HIGH SCHOOL ORATIONS CONTEST

(Grades 9-12)

Competition is open to all public, private, parochial, and home-school high school students to perpetuate the stories of patriotism, courage, tragedy, and triumph of the men and women who achieved America's independence. Students must write an original oration of not less than five minutes or more than six minutes. The student must present their oration to an audience without the use of notes or props. The oration's subject shall be an event, a personality, or a document pertaining to the Revolutionary War with an emphasis on our nation's 250th anniversary. Judging will be based on composition, delivery, significance, historical accuracy, and relevance to our 250th anniversary. Preliminary rounds begin at the Chapter level with winning entries advancing to the State Society and National levels where SAR awards scholarships and cash prizes.

THE CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION AWARD

(C.A.R. member)

This award is presented to C.A.R. members who have performed outstanding service in the furthering of the principles of freedom, and knowledge about and appreciation of the American Revolution, and in supporting C.A.R. goals at local Chapter, State Society, and National levels.

For additional information and application requirements, visit education.sar.org.

PineyWoods Chapter 51

October 17, 2026 Meeting Notes
Los Cucos, Kingwood, Texas

Skip Hawley called the meeting to order at 11:30 a.m., after he gave the invocation, he led the Pledges to the US and Texas Flags and the SAR Pledge

Attendance: Ben Baskin, Ray Cox, David Hamiker, Merv Hartwick, Skip Hawley, Bill King, B Ray Mize, Keith Schoonover, Larry Stevens. Guests: Dan and Samantha Ballard, Jeannie Hartwick, Sue King, Sharon Mize, Barbara Stevens, Bertha, and Charles Vincent, Jack and Jennifer, Jackson, Jacob, Jensen Vincent.

VP Skip Hawley asked about Kermit Breed and how he was doing. Larry Stevens reported that in a text from Kermit, October 16, 2026, he said, "I am healing slowly. After staying off my foot for three weeks, I am still weak. I am also experiencing breathing problems and will miss Saturday's meeting. I can still help with applications if applicants are willing to come to my home."

"Yes, I am using oxygen and receiving breathing treatments twice a day." Larry was asked to keep the chapter updated.

He then asked Larry Stevens to introduce our Vice President District 8 David Hamaker. David talked about his role in visiting and aiding the chapters in his area, PineyWoods, Freedom, Independence, and Capt. John McAdams.



New potential members of the Vincent Family, Jack, his sons Jackson, Jacob, and Jensen and his father, veteran, Charles, or Chuck, come forward and sign their membership applications. Registrar Larry Stevens and Ray Cox signed the applications as their sponsors. Pictures were taken after.

Larry Stevens and Ray Cox with new SAR applicants from the Vincent family. Left to right: Larry Stevens, Ray Cox, Jackson, Jacob, Jack and Charles Vincent. In front: Jensen Vincent.

Officer Reports:

2VP Youth Programs: Skip said now is the time for entering the contests, Essay, Eagle, Oration, JROTC, and Video, plus the Brochure and Poster Contests. All entries are due at the end of the year.

Secretary: Bill King stated the minutes to the last meeting were published in the newsletter.

Treasurer: B Ray Mize said there has been little activity to report and his report had been sent prior to the meeting. He said that the Chapter PO Box bill was about due and the cost per year is 250 dollars. He said we never receive any genuine business letters so he felt the chapter should discontinue renting the PO Box. He said the address could be changed to his and save the chapter money. When asked by Skip, he said this was a motion, Skip asked if there was a second, Ray Cox, the motion passed after no discussion.

Sergeant at Arms: Merv Hartwick said he had picked up the Wreaths Across America information from Sue Grumboski. He had cards Ski had made, last year, with a scan code for purchasing Wreaths. He said when you use the card scan code, the chapter is recognized for their of the Wreaths. David Hamiker concurred stating chapter members should use the card. In the next meeting, after discussion it was agreed that the chapter would purchase wreaths again this year and number to be determined in the November chapter meeting.

Webmaster Ray Cox said there was nothing to report.

Registrar: Larry Stevens said, first, he would like to make a motion. During a past meeting, Stevens made a motion to reduce the chapter fee on Memorial Memberships by fifty cents. Webmaster Ray Cox advises this week that this one change in our fee schedule would be a monstrous if not impossible task for him to undertake. I agreed that I would make a motion in the next chapter meeting to make a motion to withdraw my original motion.

I move to withdraw my original motion, effective immediately. A second by Ray Cox and the motion was approved.

Newsletter: The newsletter was distributed on Tuesday, October 13th, a little later than I had hoped. Please send me any articles or brief histories related to the Revolutionary War era. The newsletter includes Secretary Bill King's minutes from the previous meeting, as it does for all our meetings. Ray also added the newsletter to our chapter website.

Registrar:

Two applications remain on hold pending action from the applicants. One applicant must provide a death certificate for a recent death in the bloodline; the other needs only to review and sign the application. There is one application in Louisville awaiting approval for Rober McCulloch.

Kermit sent me the application status report, which lists four new members: Andrew Freeman Austin — Patriot: Jonthan Austin; Sponsor: Breed; Sean Patrick Carahan — Patriot: Adam Carahan; Sponsor: Stevens; Fletcher L. Gray Jr. Patriot: Joseph Johnson; Sponsor: Breed; Andrew Robert Witt — Patriot: John Roberts; Sponsor: Breed

Membership totals ninety-seven, including five members who have not yet been added to the Texas Chapter Membership List. The list was last updated on August 30, 2026.

New Business:

Youth Programs: Bear Branch Elementary Patriot Day, November 6th, Willow Creek Elementary Patriots Day is November 13th. Larry Skip and Ray will be presenting programs to the fifth graders. Larry said Greentree Patriot Day will be December 3, 2026.

With no more business, Skip gave the benediction and lead the SAR Closing. The meeting concluded at 12:40 pm.

PineyWoods Chapter Photographs

October 17, 2026 — Chapter Luncheon



The Vincent Family at the October 17, 2026, chapter luncheon.



Jacob Vincent, Jennifer Vincent, David Hamaker, Ben Baskin, Keith Schoonover, Dan and Samantha Ballard.



Bertha and Charles Vincent, Jacob, Jack and Jennifer Vincent, Ben Baskin, Ray Cox, Bill and Sue King, and Dan and Samantha Ballard.



Bill and Sue King, Jeannie Hartwick and Sharon Mize.



B. Ray Mize.

PineyWoods Chapter Photographs

November 11, 2026 — Veterans Day Activities



Veterans Day with the Porter Fire Department — Jeannie Hartwick, Larry Stevens, Sharon and B. Ray Mize, celebrating our veterans.



Merv Hartwick, Larry Stevens, B. Ray Mize, a DAR member and Sharon Mize celebrating Veterans Day.

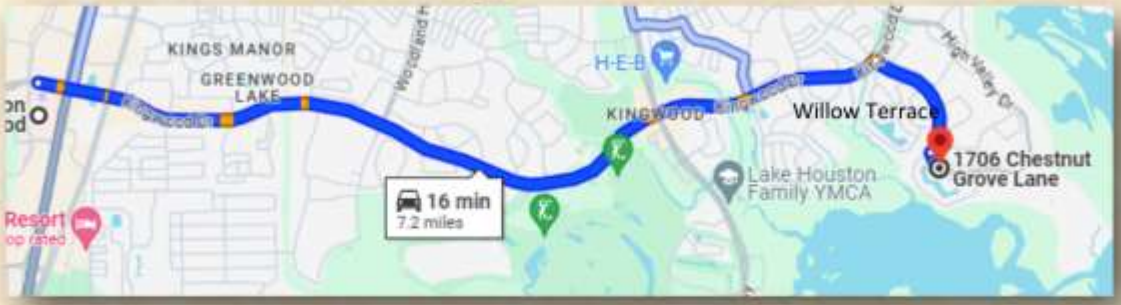
PineyWoods Texas SAR
Annual Christmas Party
December 12, 2026
At 1706 Chestnut Grove Ln
Kingwood, Texas
11:00 am Until 2:00 pm

The Christmas party is a pot-luck, with the chapter furnishing the ham. The host provides drinks. Members bring their favorite salad, vegetable, or dessert. Please RSVP indicating what you will be bringing, or your regrets.

This is a member-guest event so please bring your significant other or a friend. It is a seated event so the host must have a count of attendees.

We will enjoy the beautiful music of the Kingwood High School Madrigal Choir, so please be on time so you won't miss the Christmas Cheer from these Dickens clad youth.

A map is included for your convenience. RSVP to Larry Stevens @ 832-814-7132, by text or phone or wardtracker@aol.com with the number attending and your dish.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