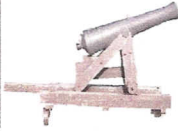




The Whig

The monthly newsletter and source of information
for the St. Lucie River Chapter,
Florida Society Sons of the American Revolution
August 2010

President's Salvo



Gentlemen,

I would like to thank you for the honor to serve as President of our Chapter and ask for your support. Please give me any suggestions you may have to improve our Chapter and help by serving on a committee.

We will start our 2010-2011 year with a joint meeting with the DAR Chapters to celebrate Constitution Week on September 11 at the Monarch Country Club. Please make your reservations as soon as possible. We would like a good turnout.

On October 9th, we will be back for our regular lunch meeting at Manero's at 11:30 AM. We will be honoring two Martin County Fire Fighters and EMS Personnel.

As we begin a new year, I would like to welcome back all our members and also our new members.

We also appreciate the support of our ladies. In the last year our attendance was down. At each meeting starting in October, there will be a drawing and a small gift will be given to a SAR member. You must be present to win.

Finally I would like to thank those compatriots, who have volunteered to serve on Committees.

Jay Wise is as always looking for more members to serve on the St. Lucie River Colorguard.

Please volunteer if you are interested in becoming more active in the chapter.

God bless our Troops, wherever they may be serving.

Robert W. Donnahoo
President

Leo Reilly Inducted as New Member

It is always a pleasure to all of us in the Chapter when we have the opportunity to induct a new member. Leo is a relative of Rick Pattison the Chapter Secretary. Leo we are delighted to have you join us.



In the Photo above Leo receives his members rosette from Rich Pattison, Hall Riediger in the background. To the photo on the left from left to right Rich Pattison, Leo Riley and Hall Riediger.

Please Remember to Bring an Item

When you come to the first meeting of the year, please remember to bring a non perishable food item, such as granola bars, single wrapped packages of crackers, Slim Jim's, beef jerky and any other prepared preserved food. We will after the meeting send the items collected down to the Veteran's Hospital in West Palm Beach to be used by them for the disabled and homeless veterans that come into the hospital for occasional care. Also in the Fall, if you are going through your closets please put aside any clothes, jackets, blankets for collection so that we can donate these items there also, the Chapter uses the items to gain points for the Stark award, run each year by National. This will be our third year.

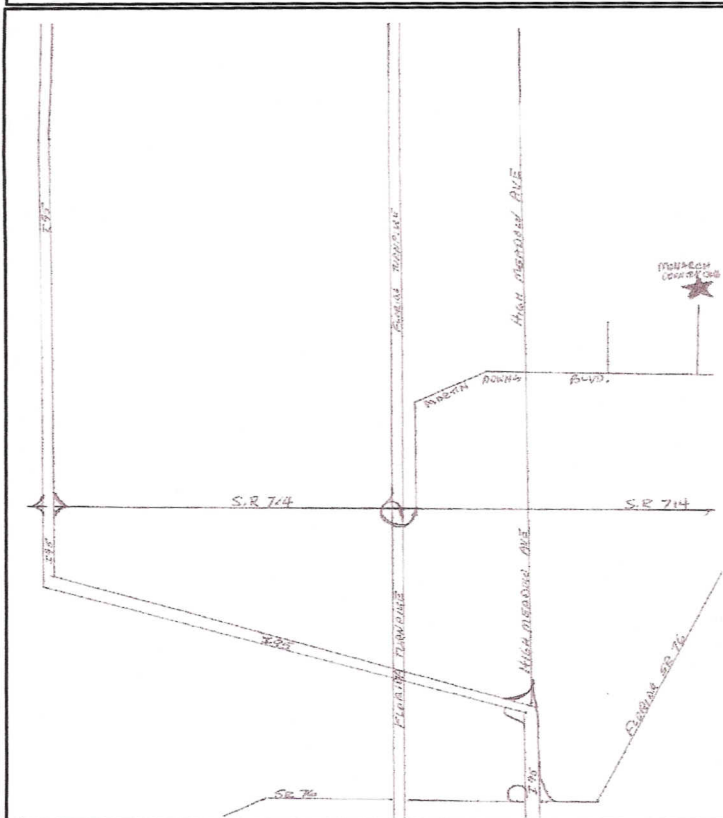
Phil Carr National Trustee

Compatriot Phil Carr was chosen National Trustee for the Florida Society at the Annual Meeting in Kissimmee. We are proud of Phil's efforts on the Florida Society's behalf over the years, and we are especially proud that Phil is a member of St. Lucie River Chapter. Congratulations Phil on your election to the Trustees.

St. Lucie River Chapter Wins at the BOM

Just a note to inform you all that the St. Lucie River Chapter had a wonderful year in the annual contests that we participate in over the year. The "Whig" received an Honorable Mention ribbon in the Richard Q. Fowler Newsletter competition, we received a second place ribbon in the Chapter Challenge and we received a second place ribbon and a check for \$75 in the Earl Marlin Publicity Contest. This is one of our better years and everyone should be proud of our efforts.

Map to Monarch C. C.



Martin County Lifeguard Daniel Lund Honored

St. Lucie River Chapter at the May meeting honored Daniel Lund a Lifeguard with the Martin County Emergency Medical Services. Daniel was presented with the SAR Heroism Medal for his efforts in trying to save the life of Steven Shafer, during a shark attack last



February. Daniel swam out a quarter of a mile to get Shafer and then with the victim bleeding badly returned to shore. Lund tried everything he could to save Shafer's life. In the photo above from left to right Captain Ray Szeffinski, Daniel Lund and St. Lucie River President Bob Donnahoo

YOU ARE INVITED
TO ATTEND OUR

CONSTITUTION WEEK LUNCHEON
SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 11, 2010

MONARCH COUNTRY CLUB
MARTIN DOWNS BLVD , PALM CITY, FLORIDA 34990

11:15 AM	PLAN YOUR ARRIVAL TIME
11:30 AM	LUNCHEON SEATING AND COLOR GUARD
12:00 NOON	LUNCHEON SERVED AND PROGRAM FOLLOWING

GUEST SPEAKER

**United States Magistrate Judge
Linnea R Johnson**

" The Constitution, Then and Now "

HOSTS: HALPATIOKEE, SAINT LUCIE RIVER and
CORA STICKNEY HARPER CHAPTERS, DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
AND
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(RESERVATIONS REQUIRED BY CUT OFF DATE OF FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2010)

MENU
MONARCH CLUB GOURMET SALAD
CHICKEN AL LA VODKA
(CHICKEN BREAST TOSSED WITH PENNE PASTA TOPPED WITH A VODKA INFUSED BLUSH SAUCE)
ROLLS AND BUTTER COFFEE / TEA
DESSERT - PATRIOTIC SUNDAE

(please cut off bottom portion and return this reservation form with your check)

MR/MRS/MS _____ WILL ATTEND LUNCHEON

CHAPTER OFFICE HELD _____ DAR _____ SAR _____

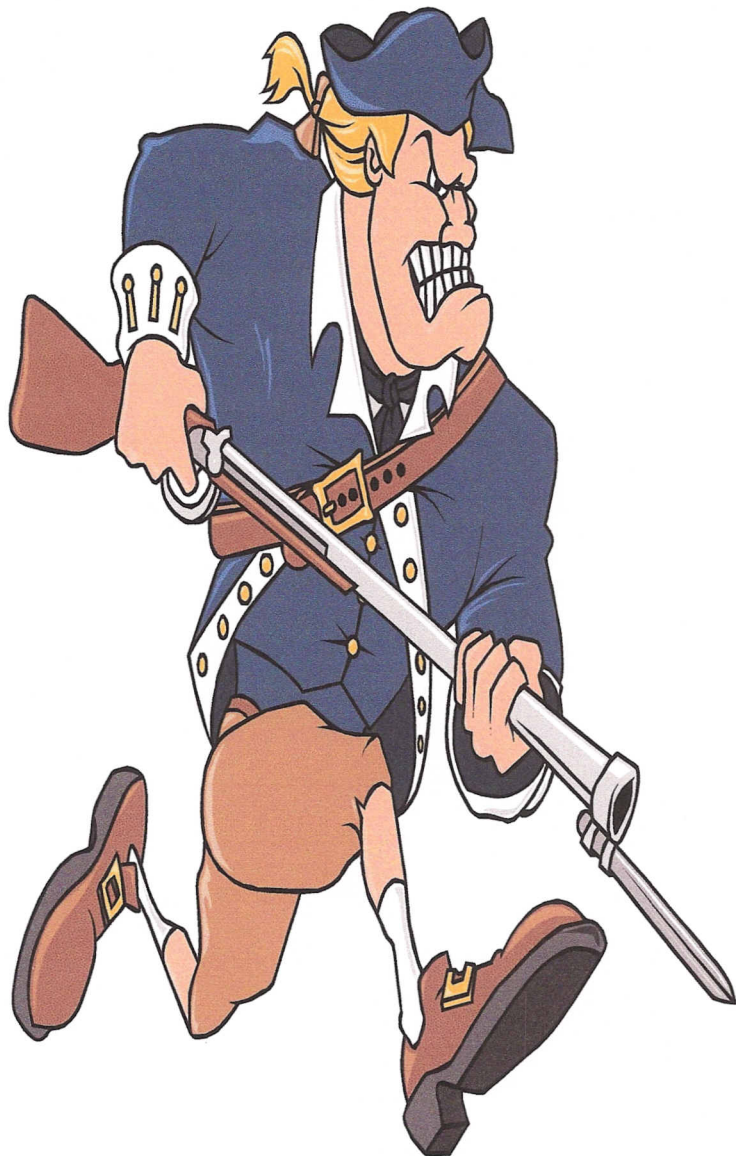
NAME OF DAR CHAPTER _____ # OF RESERVATIONS _____

AMOUNT OF CHECK ENCLOSED \$ _____ TELEPHONE # _____

IF PAYING FOR MORE THAN ONE PERSON: PLEASE LIST THE NAMES (BELOW OR ON THE
REVERSE SIDE) AND ALSO THEIR CHAPTER/STATE OFFICE POSITION HELD)

Dues

It is that time again, we are looking for the 2011 dues. All dues must be submitted to state by Dec 15th so we are looking to get them in by Dec 1, 2010. In this manner we can get this covered so that the work load on the State Secretary and Treasurer, doesn't fall on them all at one time. It is always a big job to collect dues so please try and mail them early.



Regular Member	\$65
Life Member	\$35
Dual Member	\$35
Junior Member	\$10

Please cut on dotted line and submit with your check

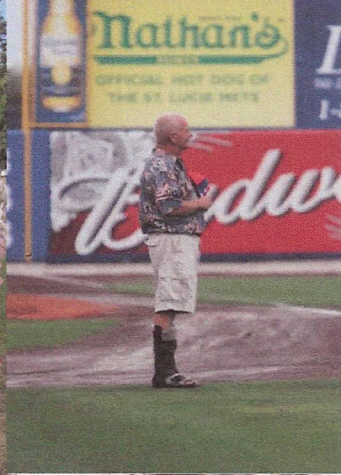
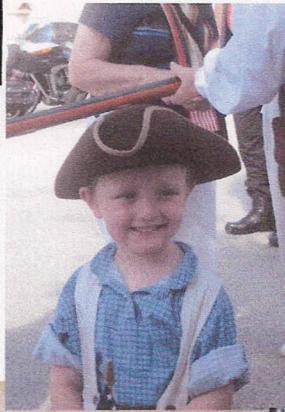
Name _____

Address _____

If you are a regular member please submit \$65,
Would you like to join the President Brigade? If so \$ _____
Are you are Veteran? _____
Did you serve in combat? _____

Photos

A montage of photos that were taken in May and over the summer, BOM Meeting May 7,8,9, Kissimmee; Memorial Day in Stuart; Officer Awards May 15 Meeting; Fourth of July at Digitaldomain Stadium in Port St. Lucie, where we presented the colors and enjoyed a baseball game



MINUTES May 15, 2010

Call to Order, noon: Hall Riediger
Invocation: Richard Moser
Pledge of Allegiance: James Currie
Pledge to S.A.R.: Oscar Kraehenbuehl

Minutes of previous meeting approved by Phil Carr and seconded by Jay Wise. There being a quorum; the meeting proceeded.

Guests present: Penny Donnahoo, Debbie Reilly, Grace Pattison, Helen Pattison, Alice Rockhill, Ray Szeffinski, Dan Lund, Sheila Carr, Shirley Massey and Grace Woodburn.

Members present: Bob Donnahoo, Hall Riediger, Rich Pattison, Jay Wise, Bud Rockhill, James Currie, Phil Carr, Carl Dennis, Oscar Kraehenbuehl, Richard Moser, Raymond Moser, Dick Massey, and Joe Leinbach

1215 hours: meeting recessed for lunch.

1255 hours: meeting back to order.

New member Leo Reilly was inducted into the SAR and presented with a certificate and rosette; we now have 60 members with 3 in process.

Two members have taken state positions; Phil Carr is a National Trustee, and Hall Riediger is State Treasurer.

New officers were installed by Phil Carr, President Robert Donnahoo, 1st. Vice President Dick Massey, Secretary Richard Pattison, Treasurer Hall Riediger, and Director's at Large Jay Wise and Neil Royce. This is now a two year appointment. In addition the Board met and made the decision to leave Jay Wise, Hall Riediger and Bob Eisenhardt on the checking account for the present. Additional changes can be made in the future, at a more convenient time.

Dates to note: May 15 National Peace Officer memorial day, May 30 Memorial day, June 14 Flag Day, and 4th of July Independence day

Our Chapter won 3 awards at the BOM last week. We came in seconded place for Chapter Challenge, seconded place for Publicity, and Honorable Mention for the Dick Fowler Newsletter.

Committee Reports: Good Citizens awards to 55 schools within three different Counties.

ROTC programs doing well all High Schools in the three county area have participated. Hall made the report.

We honored Dan Lund. Mr. Lund is the lifeguard who swam out to save a kite surfer, who was in trouble. When Mr. Lund got to the surfer; he realizes that this was a shark attack. Mr. Lund did all he could to save the person, but it was too late. None the less Mr. Lund showed incredible heroism in doing his duty. A special thanks goes out to all those who serve us. Most of the time they go un-noticed. Thank God they are there.

50/50 won by Oscar Kraehenbuehl

Guy Duck \$26.00.

Benediction: Richard Moser
SAR Recessional: Dick Massey

Richard Pattison, Secretary

Compatriot Matthew Dillemath Inducted into NROTC

The Chapter has had some good news Compatriot Matthew Dillemath took the oath of service to the United States of America, August 21 at the Jacksonville Naval Air Station and is now a Midshipman in the U.S. Navy. The photo below is Matthew center with his very proud parents, Stephen and Donna. Matthew is a freshman at the University of Florida



studying Pharmacology, we along with his parents are very proud of Mathew and his commitment of service to our Country.



Calendar of Events

August 27/28 Board of Management Meeting Kissimmee, all members are invited to attend.

September 11th, joint meeting SAR/DAR Constitution Week. Monarch Country Club, 11:15 AM, United States Magistrate Judge Linnea R. Johnson will be the guest speaker.

Sept 17th Colorguard in Fort Pierce with Cora Steckney Harper Chapter DAR Constitution Week Ceremonies.

October 9 Regular meeting Manero's, Palm City, Fire Safety Month. the Chapter will honor Martin County Fire Fighters and EMS personnel.

Nov. 11th Veteran's Day activities, color guard at Veteran's Park in Port St. Lucie and the Stuart Parade and Ceremonies at Veteran's Park in Stuart.

Nov 13th Regular Meeting Veteran Day Meeting we honor our veterans and a couple of special veterans from the local community.

November 19/20 Board of Management Meeting for Florida Society, Kissimmee, all members are invited to attend.

First Week in December- Fort Pierce Christmas Parade color guard please mark this on your calendar.

December 11- Regular Meeting- Manero's, Palm City, 11:30 AM.

January 8- Regular Meeting. Manero's, Palm City, 11:30 AM.

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All submissions appreciated

President's Brigade

As we usually do, those members who wish to become members of the President's Brigade can do so by adding an extra donation to their dues payment. A \$50 plus will put you in the Gold Medal level, \$25 to \$49 will put you in the Silver Medal and a donation of \$24 or less will enter you into the Bronze Medal level. All moneys go toward our youth programs and awards to the deserving.

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