

St Lucie River Chapter – Sons of the American Revolution

November 4, 2018 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order by President Chuck Berger 11:10 AM. The meeting was held at the Pig and Cattle in Stuart, FL; our second meeting at this location. The meeting opened with the Invocation, the SAR Pledge, and the Pledge of Allegiance.

A moment of silence was held for our recently deceased compatriot, Phil Carr.

Minutes of the last meeting were discussed and accepted by a voice vote.

New Business: Members were reminded that the annual food drive will be at our next meeting on December 1st.

There were no committee reports:

(Registrar Steve Laster was unable to attend.)

Treasurer James Winn gave the Treasurer's Report. The report was accepted by the members present.

Presentation of the Sons of the American Revolution Law Enforcement Awards was made by Vice President Robert Beasley, Sr to one officer each from Sewall's Point Police Department and the Stuart Police Department. MCSO did not participate.

The Sewall's Point LEO Award was presented to Sergeant Kitrick Downham. A representative from the Sewall's Point Police Department read a letter from Chief Tina Ciechanowski detailing why Sergeant Downham was selected; she was unable to attend due to a prior commitment.

The Stuart LEO Award was presented to Officer Jack Pecci. Acting Stuart Police Chief Joseph Tumminelli read a letter indicating why Officer Pecci was selected.

President Chuck Berger gave a brief and informative presentation on his Patriot Ancestor.

Compatriot Hall Reidiger gave a brief presentation on one of his Patriot Ancestors and volunteered to give an additional presentation at the December meeting.

Meeting Attendance – 12 members were present

Robert Eisenhardt	Hall Reidiger	Robert Beasley, Sr.	Charles Berger
George Bartley	Bill Sander	Jack Irvin	Carl Wade
Oscar Kraehenbuehl	Stephen Trinkle	Mike Linn	James Linn

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Guest were:

Kitrick Downham	Ross Wade	Zack Pecci	Kristen Pecci
Joseph Tumminelli	Matt Cernuto	Michael Gerwin	Andy Studhoff

The 50/50 drawing (\$18.00) was held and won by George Bartley.

Guy's Duck \$41.00 (Interim Police Chief Joseph Tumminelli placed \$20.00 in the Duck on the condition that Hall Riediger blow the "Quacker" 20 times)

THE SAR Color Guard will participate in Veterans Day activities at Veterans Memorial Park ion Port St Lucie.

Next meeting is on December 1st at 11:00 AM Pig and Cattle in Stuart. A Firefighter and an EMT from Martin County will be recognized.

Steve Trinkle led the Recessional.