

Ohio Society SAR Marietta Chapter Newsletter

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The next scheduled regular meeting for the Marietta Chapter Sons of the American Revolution will be held on Sep 8, 2016 at 12:00 noon. At Shoney's Restaurant, 44 Acme Street, Marietta, OH Ph.# 740-374-6834

June 14, 2016: The Marietta Chapter Sons of the American Revolution awarded Walt Kubala Operations Manager of the Lakeside Golf Course a Certificate of Commendation in Recognition of Exemplary Patriotism in the Display of the Flag of the United States of America.



July 29-30, 2016: The Marietta Chapter SAR was represented at the Ohio Society Executive Committee Meeting and the Summer Board of Management Meeting at the Fort Laurens Memorial Service that was held midmorning on July 30, Bolivar, Ohio. Compatriot Daniel Beebe carried the Marietta Chapter Flag and Chapter President Steve Frash presented a wreath at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier.



Notice

At the September 8th meeting a nominating committee will be appointed to nominate and hopefully elect new officers for the 2017 year. The Chapter by-laws that were adopted on April 2016 states:

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Article IV: Officers

The elective officers of the Chapter shall be a President, First Vice President, Second Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Registrar, Genealogist, Chaplain and Sergeant-at-Arms. The elective officers shall be chosen by the ballots of a majority of members present at the November meeting. The elected officers will be installed at the December meeting or banquet and take office immediately. The elected officers and Chapter Past Presidents, who are active members, shall constitute the Board of Officers and shall have charge of the affairs of the Chapter.



Ohio Compatriots, led by Ohio State Society President Don McGraw, traveled to the Battle of Blue Licks Memorial in Kentucky to join SAR Central District members from Kentucky, Indiana, and West Virginia Societies at the memorial service which was part of the 234th anniversary remembrance. The Battle of Blue Licks occurred after the British surrender at Yorktown, and although it directly caused the loss of many American lives and supplies, the defeat focused attention on the frontier settlements and resulted in strengthening the defenses in the west.

Ohio Compatriots included President Don McGraw (Cincinnati Chapter), Steve Frash (Marietta), Tony Robinson (Camp Charlotte), Robert Davis (Hocking Valley), Mike Gunn (Cincinnati), and Kevin Riley and Elwin Spray (Richard Montgomery). There were about 150 present, mostly from Kentucky with Virginia, West Virginia, Indiana and Ohio sending delegations.

Beech Spring Cemetery* Proposed Restoration & Memorial Ceremony for Revolutionary War Patriots

**Hopedale, Green Township,
Harrison County Ohio**

**Project initiated: Dr. James
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The 234th Anniversary of the Battle of Blue Licks Memorial Service was sponsored by the Blue Licks Resort State Park and the Kentucky Society Sons of the American Revolution.

President, Steve Frash. He is the grandson & son of Wanda Frash and Jami King, OHDAR members of the Elizabeth Sherman Reese Chapter, Lancaster, OH.



OHSSAR Marietta Chapter Compatriot and Junior member, Airman Christopher Upton graduated from seven weeks of Basic Training at Lackland AFB, TX, on Aug 27, 2016. Chris is enrolled in Tech School for another 16 weeks of training for installing and repairing oil and gas lines before he will be sent to his permanent base. He is the grandson of Marietta Chapter

Notice:

Marietta Chapter Registrar Jean Yost will be sending out dues notice's for the 2017 Dues. The dues should be received by the Marietta Chapter before November 30, 2016, then paperwork will be sent to the State Registrar so he can have all of his paperwork sent into National before January 1, 2017

Up and Coming events

29 Sep – 1 Oct 2016 2016 Fall Leadership Meeting, Louisville, KY
7-8 Oct 2016 OHSSAR 2016 Fall Meeting, Gallipolis, OH.
7-8-9 Oct. 2016 WVSSAR Battle Days, Point Pleasant, WV

1 Dec 2016: NSSAR Reconciliation Report Due to OHSSAR (Chapter Membership Dues for 2017)

4 Dec 2016 Regional Holiday Luncheon, Parkersburg Country Club.