

Minutes
Sacramento Chapter Planning Meeting
February 1st, 2025

Call the Meeting to Order (Stand): **Mr Gauthier**

Invocation: **Mr Goodwin**

Pledge of Allegiance: **Mr Gauthier**

SAR Mission Statement Reading: **Mr Gauthier**

Pledge to the SAR:

“We descendants of the heroes of the American Revolution, who by their sacrifices, established the United States of America, reaffirm our faith in the principles of liberty and our Constitutional Republic, and solemnly pledge ourselves to defend them against every foe.”

Welcome Statement (**Mr Gauthier**)

Introductions Roundtable: (**Mr Gauthier**)

Induction of New Members (**Jim Faulkinbury**)

- ◆ Any new incoming members? 1 new member just approved
- ◆ Report of people in process? 1 more coming soon, 1 more in about a month, and 2 recent submissions (four month turn around currently), plus 3 recently approached with interest.

Present America 250 minute: (**Mr Gauthier**)

Guest Speakers for coming meetings, where are we?

- Feb Scott Elliot on Patrick Henry, Mar Alex Vassar on California Statehood, Apr Jay Dickey on Paul Revere, May has Youth Awards, June has the picnic.

250th anniversaries, any local connections or celebrations?

- Trying to get a state resolution, combine with west steps presentation
- DAR activities?
- Get cities, Folsom/Rocklin/Roseville/Lincoln/Placer and Sac Counties to do Resolutions
- Rancho Cordova Parade 1.5 mile walk possibly do next year
- Carmichael Parade 2.25 mile walk possibly lead
- Need to look into a special banner with DAR/SAR/CAR for 250th celebration

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State is focusing on next year. Select Committee engagement?

- Noted above

American Heritage Partners update from Don Littlefield

- Motion and passed \$200 sponsorship for the May 10th meeting in Tahoe (\$35 to enjoy) Publishing in March email for members.

Sacramento Rivercats DAR/SAR ticket selling from Don Littlefield

- Motion and passed on helping commit to selling tickets. July 3rd event, if we sell enough tickets we get a table at the entrance for visibility.

Absolving and Absorbing George Washington Chapter, Craig Anderson

- State is emailing out the notices to the members of those chapters, plus most are already on our mailing list. Waiting on state report.

Rocklin JROTC Recognition Medal, Major Pearl. Do we have contact with them?

Teacher Program for Founding Forward

- Motion and passed sending 1 teacher and 2 students to Spirit of America Conference.

Recessional: Mr Gauthier

Until we meet again, let us remember our obligations to our forefathers, who gave us our Constitution, the Bill of Rights, an independent Supreme Court, and a Nation of Free Men.

Benediction: Mr Goodwin

Lead the singing of "God Bless America" Mr Gauthier

Adjourn