



# The Courier



**MARCH 2022**

## **PRESIDENTS CORNER**



### **Greetings Compatriots & Friends**

I do hope this letter finds you well and in good spirits. Last month we met again at the Old Spaghetti Factory on the corner of Watt Avenue & Arden Way. We had fun celebrating the accomplishments of our members, installing new officers (and retaining some old ones), for the Sacramento Chapter. We definitely could use someone to step-up and serve as our Vice-President. If you have an interest in this position or have any questions regarding this position please feel free to contact me at (916) 317-7809.

The month of March will be “Youth Night” as we celebrate our JROTC essay contest winner as well as the Freedoms Foundation Valley Forge. Both of these programs have been highly successful and we look forward to hearing more from/about them. I strongly encourage you to attend this meeting... You definitely do not want to miss this one. Yes, we will meet at the Old Spaghetti Factory again.

The CASSAR 147<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting is fast approaching... We will be installing our very own, Craig Anderson, as President. This annual event is scheduled for April 23<sup>rd</sup> -24<sup>th</sup> at the Holiday Inn Sacramento Downtown. This is an excellent opportunity to learn more about the SAR, its history, meet like-minded individuals, etc. More details will be presented at our March chapter meeting. Please make time to attend some, if not all, the meetings.

I do hope you are having a great day & I look forward to seeing you soon.

Michael L. Hull - President

## **MEETING MINUTES**



### **Sacramento Chapter SAR Dinner Meeting**

**Wednesday, February 16, 2022**

**Old Spaghetti Factory**

## **President Hull Called the Meeting To Order at 7:09pm**

**Invocation:** President Michael Hull

**Pledge Allegiance:** Roy Adkins

**Pledge to the SAR:** Mark Mozdy

**Introduce National and State Officers, Past Presidents** – Jim Faulkinbury Past President, Sacramento Chapter, Past Genealogist General, National Society, Minuteman Class of 2019; Craig Anderson Vice President of North California Society, Past President Sacramento Chapter & president elect for California State President; Roy Adkins ROTC/JROTC Chairman; Carl Ahlberg School Guard Chairman; Larry Brasher VP of Meetings, Ron Hollis Editor of Courier, Mark Stevenson Past President, Sean Jones Boy Scouts of America.

Introduce Guests – Susan Broderick DAR State Regent and Emily Boiling Sr. President Capitol Society CAR.

**President Hull** Welcomed tonight's attendees.

**Scott Brooks:** Gave a great presentation on two Flags.

The first flag was the 1<sup>st</sup> Continental Regiment / 1<sup>st</sup> Pennsylvania Rifles Flag. The Regiment's flag is a deep green field with a crimson center square. In the square is a hunter with a spear, a lion in a snare and the regimental motto in Latin: "Domari Nolo", i.e., "I refuse to be subjugated".

The second flag was the Flag of Rhode Island. Flown by the Rhode Islanders who fought in the American Revolution, this flag was an important part of the colony's history. The Flag consists of a White Flag of the Commonwealth with a banner, an anchor, and a star field. The Rhode Islanders were among the first to join the Minutemen outside of Boston. ¾ of the regiment were Black soldiers.

**President Hull:** Made an announcement that the Chapter received a card & a \$1,000 gift donation from Tom & Marilyn Chilton plus a \$50 donation from a friend.

**Craig Anderson made a Special Announcement.** America will be celebrating the 250th anniversary of the ratification of the Declaration of Independence on July 4<sup>th</sup> 2026. Our mission for the next 4 years is to help educate the public on the sacrifices that our patriotic ancestors made to give us the freedoms we enjoy today. The America 250 SAR program awards points to SAR members and members of other organizations for presenting and attending these events.

Our chapter has two members who have qualified for the Bronze America 250 Medal. Jim Faulkinbury and Craig Anderson. Jim also qualified for the Silver Medal, which will be presented to him at the State Meeting in April.

## **DINNER**

**Carl Ahlberg:** Gave an update on School Guard Awards. Carl bought 6 used books on eBay for each classroom.

**Roy Adkins:** Update on the JROTC program. Next Month, we will have a student from Kennedy High School attend our meeting.

**President Hull: Bronze Medal Presentation** to Craig Anderson and Jim Faulkinbury.

**Craig Anderson Installed 2022 Chapter Officers:** Michael Hull (President), Mark Mozdy (Secretary), Larry Brasher (VP Chapter Programs), Don Littlefield (Treasurer), Jim Faulkinbury (Registrar).

**President Hull** presented Certificates of Appreciation to Joseph Michael Arledge, David Boyd Cofer and Ronald Irwin Hollis.

**President Hull** adjourned the meeting at 8:30pm

**Recessional :** Craig Anderson, **Benediction:** Michael Hull, **God Bless America:** Jim Faulkinbury.

## MARCH 2022 CHAPTER MEETING INFORMATION



### SACRAMENTO CHAPTER SAR MARCH MEETING

**WEDNESDAY MARCH 16, 2022  
OLD SPAGHETTI FACTORY, 1625 WATT AVE.**

**6:00 – 7:00 CHECK-IN AND SOCIAL HOUR  
MEETING BEGINS PROMPTLY AT 7:00PM**

Our March, 2022 Sacramento Chapter meeting will be held at 6:00 PM on **Wednesday March 16<sup>th</sup>** at the Old Spaghetti Factory, 1625 Watt Ave., Sacramento. (Near Arden) The Old Spaghetti Factory is offering us a great meeting facility, convenient parking, and competitive pricing.

Dinners include crisp salad, hot fresh baked bread, entrée, and spumoni ice cream for dessert. Entree choices are: Baked Lasagna, Fettuccine Alfredo, or Sicilian Meatballs. **Please contact Adam Morrill at [morrill.adam@gmail.com](mailto:morrill.adam@gmail.com) or Craig Anderson Phone (916)257-7892 or email [craigandersonsar@gmail.com](mailto:craigandersonsar@gmail.com) for reservations.**

Meal prices remain at \$30 per person, cash or check payable at the door. For those who wish to reserve and pay by credit card, **Click on the Button below to make your reservation online. Transaction fees apply.**

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### Our March Meeting Program

#### JROTC Outstanding Cadet 2021-2022

Our March meeting program will feature the Sacramento Chapter's JROTC Outstanding Cadet of the year, MCJROTC Cadet Levy Chang of



John F. Kennedy High School. Cadet Chang will talk to us about  
**How JROTC has prepared me to be a better citizen of the United States of America.**

### **Spirit of America Youth Leadership Program**

In addition, the student that we sponsored to Freedoms Foundation Spirit of America Youth Leadership Program long with her instructor MSgt Ryan Peterson (USAF Ret) will be attending our meeting to share their experiences at this year's program at Valley Forge, PA.

## **THANK YOU COMPATRIOTS**

In March, Kevin Highbaugh celebrates his 35th year anniversary as a member of the Sacramento Chapter of SAR. Also, Clair Allen, Alfred Babagelata, Ernest Owen, and Stanley VanVleck celebrate their 20th anniversary, Glen Fine his 15th, James Anderson his 10th and David Cofer his 5th. Thank you compatriots, for your support of the SAR.

## **THE TOP TWO JROTC ENHANCED 2021-2022 PROGRAM WINNERS**



Second Place Runner Up NAVY JROTC Cadet ENS  
Joseph Deards.



First Place Winner Marine Corp JROTC Cadet  
Gunnery Sgt. Levy Chang

The "JROTC ENHANCED" Program committee has chosen our winner for the 2021-2022 school year. The winning Cadet is MCJROTC Cadet Levy Chang of John F. Kennedy High School securing the Outstanding Cadet Medal., second place was NJROTC Cadet Joseph Deards of Yuba City High School. The review committee was Committee Chairman Roy Adkins, Mike Arledge, Chapter Registrar David Cofer, Larry Guile and Ronald Hollis, Courier Editor. The Enhanced JROTC award will be presented to Cadet Chang during our March 16, 2022 meeting.

Essay by MCJROTC Cadet Levy Chang: **"How JROTC has prepared me to be a better citizen of the United States of America."**



## Installation of Sacramento Chapter Officers at February 2022 Meeting

L to R: Craig Anderson( CASSAR Exec. VP) installing 2022 Chapter Officers: Michael Hull (President), Mark Mozdy (Secretary), Jim Faulkinbury (Registrar), Larry Brasher (VP Chapter Programs),



## Color Guard Calendar



## NO UPCOMING COLOR GUARD EVENTS

The latest issue of the SAR Colorguardsmen Magazine can be found here:  
[https://www.sar.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/32-colorguardsman\\_v9-i4.pdf](https://www.sar.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/32-colorguardsman_v9-i4.pdf)

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### COMING SAR EVENTS

#### Chapter

Chapter Meeting Wednesday,  
March 16, 2022  
Old Spaghetti Factory

#### State Society

147th Annual CASSAR Meeting  
April 22nd and 23rd  
Sacramento

#### National Society

NSSAR Spring Leadership  
Meeting  
March 3rd-5th

NSSAR Annual Congress  
July 10th-15th

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