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Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapter

Sons of the American Revolution



Chapter Monthly Newsletter

DAR State Meeting

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Scott and Andrew Giltner, John Clay Barnett, Chuck Scott, Junior Murdock and Tom Higgins seem to be having too much fun! Where are our senior leaders when we need them?



Tom Higgins and Susan Lewis



Leslie Miller, Tom Higgins, Marcy and Junior Murdock.



Laura and Tommy Jones

DAR Nathaniel Burrus House Marking



Laura Jones, who organized the house marking event, in front of the Nathaniel Burrus house.



The Jones Family: Jason, Lisa, Tommy and Laura.



Ann Franklin, Rev. Forrest Chilton and Jeanette Wortham



Mary David and Ed Myles



Marshall Wilkins, Charlie Scott and Tommy Jones



Al Coleman and Chuck Scott

Pictures by: John Clay Barnett

Special Presentation & Wounded Warrior Turkey Hunt--Fredonia, KY



Scott Giltner presents certificate to Mrs. Pauline Parrent.

Mrs. Pauline Parrent of Princeton, KY began crocheting American flags in the style of the Betsy Ross flag just after 11 September, 2001. The Betsy Ross flag is well recognized by its circle of 13 stars representing the original 13 colonies. Mrs. Parrent's first flag was made for her granddaughter, but she soon started making more flags and got the idea to put photos of veterans in a frame along with the flag. She soon received requests from veterans and relatives of veterans who wanted a special memento to show their patriotism. Mrs. Parrent has made her flag displays with veteran's photos and service records for veterans of World War II, Korea, Vietnam, and Iraq.



Charlie Scott, Forrest Chilton, Scott Giltner and Chuck Scott pose with Mrs. Parrent, her son Charles and his wife.

Her flags have found their way all across the United States and the world. Some of the places where her flags can be found are a military base in Alaska, a U.S. Navy warship, a Marine Attack helicopter in Afghanistan and former New York Governor Mario Cuomo's office in New York.

Recently she provided one of her flags to the Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution so that it could be given to a serviceman. Shortly after receiving the flag, the Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapter learned that the Marine Light Attack Helicopter Squadron 169 out of Georgia was preparing for deployment to Afghanistan. While preparing for deployment, the squadron was looking for American flags to display in their helicopters when they went on missions. Thinking this was a worthy use of Mrs. Parrent's flag, it was forwarded on with other flags to the Marine Helicopter Squadron 169.

As the wife of a World War II combat medic and the mother of sons who have served their country, Mrs. Parrent believes her flags are the least she can do for our veterans.

The residents and surrounding community of Fredonia, KY recently hosted American servicemen participating in the [Wounded Warriors Outdoors](#) program. During the five days the servicemen were in their area, the Fredonia Valley residents made sure the servicemen were welcomed and well fed. The number of individuals who volunteered their time and service are too numerous to name. Several land owners made their property available for hunting. The Fredonia Cumberland Presbyterian Church opened its facilities while its congregants provided and prepared meals. In addition, the Kuttawa American Legion Post 68 and the Willow Pond Restaurant in Eddyville both made contributions towards meals. The service the community provided to the Wounded Warriors was summed up when one serviceman, amazed at the quantity of food (and desserts), asked "Do you always eat like this?" Known as "A Small Valley with a Big Heart", the community of Fredonia displayed its patriotic spirit by serving those who have faithfully served our nation.



Wounded Warrior Coins were presented to eight of our servicemen.

On the left, Rev. Chilton shakes hands with one of the Wounded Warriors.

The picture of the right shows Scott Giltner and Chuck Scott presenting a Wounded Warrior coin.



Wounded Warrior Turkey Hunt--Fredonia, KY (continued)



Group picture of the Wounded Warriors that took part in the turkey hunt at Fredonia, Kentucky. SAR Wounded Warrior coins and certificates were presented by members of the Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapter.



Kneeling on his artificial leg, the above Marine shows the turkey that he and his local partner bagged.



Wounded Warrior and event leader.

William Greathouse--War of 1812 Soldier



Tom Higgins and War of 1812 soldier "William Greathouse" hold the Kentucky Militia Flag.

This event was sponsored by the Painted Stone Settlers and was attended by the following GIS members: Vic Bitter, Charlie Scott, Tom Higgins, Ed Myles, Rev. Forrest Chilton and Chuck Scott.

Memorial for Patriot John Hardin



In the War of Independence, John Hardin was a 2nd Lieutenant in the 8th Pennsylvania Regiment, better known as "The Provisional Rifle Corps" (or Morgan's Rifles), and fought at Saratoga, while serving directly under Colonel Morgan.

In April 1792, President George Washington sent word to now Colonel Hardin asking him to negotiate a peace with the Shawnee. Soon thereafter, in the area that is now Shelby County, Ohio, John Hardin met with a party of the Shawnee, who offered to escort him to their village. Instead, they attacked him and murdered him as he slept. Also killed was a servant of Hardin's, identified simply by his last name, Trueman. Another of the party, a guide named John Flinn - who had lived among the Indians after being captured by them as a boy - survived, later settling in Miami County, Ohio.

Hardin County, KY is named after this Patriot

Join us as we mark this memorial site at 11am on May 3rd, Shelbyville, KY

**Check out future events at our Chapter Website
<http://gissar.org>**

April

- 30th - **Chapter Meeting** *Location: Middletown Fire Department, 108 Urton Lane, Middletown, KY Time: 7:00 p.m.*

MAY 2nd - Pegasus Parade *Location: (Muster at SAR Headquarters), Louisville, KY Time: 12:00 p.m. to ???*

- 3rd - **John Hardin Grave Marking** *Location: Shelbyville Cemetery, Shelbyville, KY Time: 11:00 a.m.*
- 11th - **Raid at Martin's Station** *Location: Wilderness Road State Park, Ewing, VA Time: TBA*
- 18th - **VA Volunteers Award Program** *Location: Olmsted, Louisville, KY Time: TBA*
- 18th - **Jeremiah Philips & John Cardwell Grave Marking** *Location: Hebron Cemetery, Hebron, KY Time: 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.*
- 19th - **Cox's Station Marking** *Location: Bardstown, KY Time: TBA*
- 25th - **Flags Across America Memorial Day Vigil** *Location: Great Lawn at Waterfront Park, Louisville, KY Time: 11:00 p.m.*
- 25th - **George Rogers Clark Memorial Service (National SAR event) 37th Annual Spirit of Vincennes Rendezvous** *Location: Vincennes, IN Time: 10:00 a.m. Patriot Grave Marking to follow.*
- 26th - **37th Annual Spirit of Vincennes Rendezvous** *Location: Vincennes, IN Time: All Day*
- 27th - **Memorial Day Service** *Location: Veterans Park, Jeffersontown, KY Time: TBA*
- 30th **Charter for City of Louisville celebration--Courthouse (Fifth & Jefferson streets) 11 a.m. and Western Cemetery (17th & Jefferson Streets)**