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Sons of the American Revolution



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Rae Ann Sauer and Colleen Wilson in their new outfits.

Chapter Monthly Newsletter



Rod Smothers, with his gun and Scott Giltner with his fife leads the SAR decorated truck in the Middletown parade.



Preparing to post the Colors at the Painted Stone Settlers "Long Run Massacre." Vic Bitter, Tommy Jones, Dennis Scott, Marshall Wilkins, Tom Higgins and Charlie Scott.





School Day with the Painted Stone Settlers

Chapter meeting & Other



Richard Spencer receives a Military Service medal from Chapter President Scott Giltner.



J.C. and "Honest Abe"



New members James McGee and Thomas Shaw receive their membership rosettes from President Scott Giltner while Chapter Registrar Junior Murdock looks on.



K.S.C.A.R. President Jordan Hall made a presentation about her state project "Joy to the Woof". This effort will help buy supplies for dogs in military service. Grandmother Sharlene Cooper helps.



John Clay Barnett visited our brother chapter in Massachusetts. After showing a video about our chapter, he presented a Cowpens flag, some congress coins and some other goodies to the host chapter.

Patriot Adam Barr Grave Marking



Black-powder shooters (L-R) Dennis Scott, Joe Parish and Marshall Wilkins.



Chuck Scott and Scott Giltner fold the American Flag.



Event planners: Rev. Forrest Chilton and Pat Campbell, descendant of Patriot Adam Barr.



Gravestone and markers.



Flag presented to descendant.



That's my Dad! Scott Giltner playing taps.

200 Years on the River at Farnsley-Moreman House



200 years on the River: President Scott Giltner, J.C. Barnett, Rae Ann Sauer and Rod Smothers pose with students from Newcomers Academy. These are new students from other countries.



Rae Ann Sauer talks about the Betsy Ross Flag.





and Rod Smothers.

Vic Bitter and Rod Smothers demonstrating their craft to the students.



Patriot Thomas Stafford Grave Marking



Color Guard members Tom Higgins, Junior Murdock and Tommy Jones present Colors with Charlie Scott playing the fife.



John Marshall DAR member Sallie Cheatham Smith and Chuck Scott with decorations for the cemetery.



Junior Murdock salutes at the grave of Patriot Thomas Stafford.



John Marshall DAR Regent Cynthia Buttorff welcomes the attendees.



Sallie Cheatham Smith and Rev. Forrest Chilton planned the event.

For updated Chapter Schedule check website at: gissar.org

Chapter Activities & Events

OCTOBER

- 2nd <u>Honor Flight</u> *Location: Louisville Airport, Louisville, KY Time: 10:00 p.m.*
- 4th Squire Boone Day Location: Ampitheatre, Clear Creek Park, Shelbyville, KY Time: 11:00 a.m
- 5th John McGee Grave Marking Location Near Bardstown, KY, Time: 3 pm
- 6th 240th Anniversary of Point Pleasant Location: Point Pleasant, WV Time: 2:00 p.m.
- 6th Kings Mountain Reception Location: Gaffney, SC Time: TBA
- 7th <u>234th Anniversary of the Battle of Kings Mountain.</u> Location: Kings Mountain National Military Park, SC Time: muster @9:00 a.m. ceremony @11:00 a.m.
- 9th <u>GISSAR Chapter Meeting</u> Location: Middletown Fire Station #1, 108 Urton Lane, Middletown, KY Time: 7:00 p.m. (Pre-meeting gather at McAlisters, 12911 Shelbyville Road)
- 10th <u>Pioneer Day at Hite</u> Location: Hite Elementary School, 12408 Old Shelbyville Rd., Middletown, KY Time: 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- 11th <u>Presentation to KSCAR</u> Location: Frankfort, KY Time: TBA
- 15th <u>CAAH Adventures in Water</u> Location: Louisville Water Front Park, 129 E River Road, Louisville, KY Time: 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- 16th <u>CAAH Adventures in Water</u> Location: Louisville Water Front Park, 129 E River Road, Louisville, KY Time: 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- 17th <u>CAAH Adventures in Water</u> Location: Louisville Water Front Park, 129 E River Road, Louisville, KY Time: 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- 25th <u>Rededication Bland Ballard Memorial</u> *Location: Low Dutch Meeting House, Pleasureville, KY Time: 10:00 a.m.*
- 25th <u>Dedication Alvin Mountjoy Home</u> Location: Falmouth, KY Time: 3:00 p.m.
- 30th <u>Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon</u> Location: First Floor SAR HQ, Louisville, KY Time: 11:30 a.m.

NOVEMBER

- 1st <u>Robert Samuels Grave Marking</u> Location: New Salem Baptist Cemetery, 2775 Deatsville Rd, Cox's Creek, KY Time: 11am. Ceremony is for ancestor of Jessieanne Wells, past KSDAR Regent.
- 8th <u>Veterans Day Flag Ceremony</u> Location: Cave Hill Cemetery, Louisville, KY (entrance on Payne St. across from Breckenridge/Franklin Elem. School) Time: 11:00 a.m. (muster at 10:00 a.m.)
- 9th <u>Veterans Day Service</u> Location: Veterans Park, Jeffersontown, KY Time: 3:00 p.m.
- 11th Veterans Day Parade Location: muster near Brown Hotel, Louisville, KY Time: 11:11 a.m.
- 13th <u>GISSAR Chapter Meeting</u> Location: Middletown Fire Station #1, 108 Urton Lane, Middletown, KY Time: 7:00 p.m. (Pre-meeting gather at McAlisters, 12911 Shelbyville Road)
- 15th <u>Thomas Wilkins Grave Marking</u> Location: Little Mount Baptist Cemetery, 1525 Leafdale Rd, Larue Cty, KY Time: 1:00 p.m. (Ancestor of Marshall Wilkins)
- 15th <u>Anthony Crockett Grave Marking</u> Location: Frankfort Cemetery, Glenns Creek Road, Frankfort, KY Time: 2:00 p.m.

Be prepared at our chapter meeting to indicate which events you can attend!

Grave marking for ancestor of chapter member

The Governor Isaac Shelby Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution will conduct a formal grave marking Service for Patriot PVT Thomas Wilkins 1755-1836

The service will be held **Saturday November 15, 2014 at 1:00 PM** at Little Mount Cemetery located at 1525 Leafdale Road, South of Hodgenville, KY in Larue County, Kentucky.

Pvt. Thomas Wilkins, Patriot ancestor of chapter member Marshall Wilkins, served in the 14th Virginia Regiment of the Continental Army for three years 1776-1779. The 14th Virginia fought in major battles of the Revolution, Brandywine, Germantown and Monmouth. The Unit also spent the Winter of 1777-1778 at Valley Forge.

A reception will be held following the service at Ovesen Baptist Church located 2/10 mile South of the Hwy 31E – Hwy 1794 intersection. SAR, DAR, Historical Society Members and interested Public are invited to attend.

Directions: From Bardstown, KY take Hwy 31E 23 miles toward Hodgenville. Turn left onto Leafdale Rd. (HWY 1794). HIGGINS Rig Co. is located at that corner. Cemetery is located on the right 1 7/10 miles at 1525 Leafdale Rd. From Hodgenville toward Bardstown on Hwy 31E 1 8/10 miles turn right onto Leafdale Rd Hwy 1794. Cemetery is located on the right 1 7/10 miles at 1525 Leafdale Rd.

Please mark your calendar and make plans to attend. If you have questions contact Marshall Wilkins at 502-348-0915, cell 502-744-1957.

American Heritage Girls



President Scott Giltner, Charlie Scott and John Clay Barnett did a flag presentation for troop 2521 of the American Heritage Girls. All of the girls had an opportunity to learn how to fold the flag. On the right, our members posed for a picture with some of the younger girls.