



Minutes of the Meeting  
11 Oct 2018

William Hightower Sons of the American Revolution

**Date:** 11 Sep 18

**Opening time:** 7:00 pm

**Opening Statement:** President Polk

The passing of members, Kenneth Whitley and Milan Stonebreaker

**Invocation:** Don Chandler

**Old Business:**

**Committee Reports:**

***Secretary/Meeting Minutes:*** Compatriot Blauvelt

No Changes, accepted by acclamation

***Treasurer Report:*** Compatriot Trull

Operating Account: \$10,548.72.

Scholarship Account \$4,326.79.

***Registrar Report:*** Compatriot Pryor

2 new application at State level.

6 in process.

***Historian Report:*** Compatriot Hoyt

Still missing documents from 1984-2000. If you have anything please pass on to Compatriot Hoyt.

Please send in articles and pictures for scrapbook and newsletter. In addition, if you attend any SAR, DARF, CAR event please tell Compatriot Hoyt.



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***ROTC Report: Compatriot Jones***

No report.

***Essay/Oration Report: Compatriot Cox***

21 schools have material in a five county area.

***Eagle/Boy Scout Report: Compatriot Kreuger***

No report.

***Flag Awards Report: Compatriot Hoyt***

No report.

***Public Service Awards Report: Compatriot Colantoni***

Made arrangements with Fire and Police Departments for pending awardees, have five nominations for Public Service Awards.

***Newsletter/Public Events Report: Compatriot Hollis***

No report

***Color Guard Report: Compatriot Hoyt***

11 Nov Honor Guard at the Fredericksburg Veterans Day.

***Publicity- Media Report: Compatriot***

No report.

We do need a volunteer to head this committee.

***Grave Marking Report: Compatriot Caskey***

No report.

***Scholarship Report: Compatriot Hoyt***

No report.



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***Awards, Medals and Citations Report: Compatriot Blauvelt***

No report.

***Fundraising Report: Compatriot (Vacant)***

No report.

***George Washington Proclamation Report: Compatriot Cox***

No report.

***Host Committee: Compatriot Hoyt***

13-14 Oct Fall BOM. Please register and as many as possible please attend. Raffle items are Musket with a beaded drop, a Bowie knife, and a American Indian tomahawk with bead drop. Raffle tickets \$5.00 each. Also selling pens and bumper stickers at \$2.00 each.

**Presentations:**

None

**Inductions:**

Robert Hall III and Steven Hall (Stand-in by Ms. Barbara Hall and Ms. Karen Hall).

Ancestor Peter and Daniel Hall

**New Business:**

1. Pres. Polk has 100 flags for Veteran's graves.
2. Meeting for Fall BOM- German Theme.
  - a. Need people to volunteer to work booths
3. President Polk will speak at Steele High School



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4. Dickens on the Strand in Galveston Starts 30 Nov and run through 2 Dec
  - a. <http://www.galvestonhistory.org/events/dickens-on-the-strand/dickens-on-the-strand-3>
5. Fredericksburg Veterans parade 11 Nov @ 1400. Marks 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the end of World War I. See Compatriot Rudy Blair. Length of parade is 12 blocks. There will be about 35 SAR members in parade. Compatriot Caskey is providing trailer.
6. George Washington Parade in Laredo Feb 2019

**Guest Speaker:** Texas SAR President Tom Jackson. Presentation on the purpose and objectives of the SAR. Number one objective is membership and number two is education. Pres. Jackson then talked about how he using his multi-ethnicity to reach youths in high school about U.S. history and the diverse people who help established and sustain American

**Next Meeting:** 8 Nov 18

**Benediction:** Don Chandler

**Adjournment was at:** 8:00 pm

**Number of Members Present,** 18 (2 in Uniform)

**Guest:** 11

**Total Attendance:** 29