

SAR Sentinel

Oklahoma City Chapter Sons of the American Revolution



May, 2015

Heading by Megan Sanford

Next Meeting: Monday, May 11th, 6:00 dinner, 7:00 meeting, Rococo's, 122nd & N. May

110th OSSAR CONGRESS, A HUGE SUCCESS!

The Oklahoma City chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution hosted the 110th Oklahoma Society of the Sons of the American Revolution on Saturday, May 2nd at Quail Creek Golf & Country Club. The meeting started at 8:30 am with opening ceremonies beginning with the OSSAR Color Guard led by State Commander Glenn K. Fast, of the OKC/SAR. As the business session began, the ladies were dismissed to their program presented by Lt.Col. Russell Smith (Ret. USMC) with a superb presentation on "The Purple Heart". After the business meeting, the key note speaker was Representative Dan Fisher of Yukon, who presented "Bring Back the Black Robe Regiment." Many of the OSSAR delegates commented it was the very best program they have ever seen! Representative Fisher finished his program to a standing ovation.



Howard Hines, OKC chapter, (front) observes VGeneral George Thompson,(left) administering the oath of office to incoming OSSAR officers, (from l/r) 2nd VP, Dr. Joe Hamill, Ardmore; 1st VP, Ron Painter, Tulsa; President Martin Reynolds, OKC; Secretary/Treasurer Dennis Byford, OKC; Historian & Color Guard Commander Glenn K. Fast, OKC; Registrar Randy Scott, Ardmore; Alternate Trustee Frank Appl, Norman; Not pictured is National Trustee Darrell Hefley, Ardmore; Chancellor Bill Gaddis, Tulsa; and Chaplin Dallas Fournety, Tulsa. Host Oklahoma City chapter was well represented with 17 members and wives. Thanks to OKC members for attending.

Chapter President's Message



Greetings fellow Compatriots.

A well attended 110th OSSAR Congress on May 2nd at Quail Creek Country Club was treated to a fabulous presentation by Rep. Dan Fisher's on his book "Bring Back the Black Robe Regiment." For those of you who were unable to attend, program Chairman Ron Schrouf is attempting to secure Rep. Fisher for a program next fall.

I certainly encourage and welcome all members & their guests for a wonderful evening of patriotic camaraderie, great food, and a review of the 110th Congress. This will be our last meeting until next September. We will have a brainstorming session in mid-July.

With thankfulness of our Past and Faith in our Future. Hope to see you Monday evening.

In Patriotism,
Patrick Cowan

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**OKC-SAR Color Guard
Commander Henry Baer
III, invites all fellow
Compatriots to join the
Color Guard: OSSAR
110th Congress,
Saturday, May 2nd; For
more information
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New member inducted during the April meeting was Hall F. Duncan, (center) with his sponsor, Registrar Bob Thomas (right) and President Patrick Cowan. Hall Duncan's patriot ancestor is George Duncan.



New member James Monroe Cowan (center, left) is inducted during the April meeting. Also pictured is his wife Dawn, & his son John Austin; and his brother, chapter President Patrick Cowan, and his wife Elaine. Jim Cowan's patriot ancestor is James Largent.

HELP YOUR CHAPTER GROW: Do you have a son, grandson, brother or male family member or friend who may be interested in making application for membership in SAR? Contact Robert Thomas, Chapter Registrar (405-737-6181) rbjthomas@sbcglobal.net; and Wayne Nash (405-844-4740) pnwnash@sbcglobal.net, who are available to assist in the genealogy, research and locating necessary documents.

DON'T FORGET OUR VETERANS, BRING A PAIR OF SOCKS etc...to our next meeting. Call 405-755-7200 for more information.

Please join your fellow Compatriots in attending the next OKC/SAR dinner meeting next Monday, May 11th: 6:00 dinner, 7:00 meeting; Rococo's @ 122nd & N. May; North side of North Park Mall.