

Bernardo de Gálvez Chapter #1
Meeting Minutes
19 July 2014



Attendance:

Bill Adriance
Zachary Adriance
Bill Whatley
Robert E. O'Bryan
E.J. de la Houssaye
John Loper
Bill Hall
Gene Shaner
Sue Lenes
Pete Lenes
George Dersheimer
Guy Taylor
Guy Taylor Jr.
Leslie J. (Jerry) Hawkins
Ronald Whatley
Joe Machol
John "Bart" Adriance
Clark P. Wright
John Hamlin
Andy Shaner

Meeting was called to order by President Bill Whatley

Invocation and Flag Pledges led by Chaplain Gordon Robinson

Everyone present introduced themselves

Announcements

President Bill Whatley commended the chapter on doing well with brining on new members

President Bill Whatley gave a 4th of July Parade report

Pete Lenes addressed a concern that Galveston 4th of July parade not featured in Galveston Daily News. Bill Whatley suggested we have a dedicated photographer at

all events. Others also suggested finding people who took pictures and submitting them.

John Gulley is at MD Anderson undergoing radiation treatment & therapy; a greeting card went around for all to sign.

Presentations

New Member – John Adriance, brother of compatriot Bill Adriance

Certificate of Appreciation to Drake Peddie of the Plano Chapter for presentation on privateering during the American Revolution

TX Society Bronze Medal to Andy Shaner for work since joining chapter

Drake Peddie Presentation – American Privateering During the Revolutionary War

Registrar Report – Pete Lenos

Status	Name	Comments
Application	John Loper	Check Cashed
Application	Doug Fullilove	Have Certificate
Application	Chris Fullilove	Have Certificate
Application	James Clifford	Have Certificate
Application	Guy Taylor	Check Cashed
Application	Guy Taylor Son	Check Cashed
Application	John Adriance	Have Certificate
Application	John Hamlin	Application Submitted
Application	Merlin Shaner Grandson (Junior)	Application Problem
Application	Max Kahlmier Sr	Problem with Application
Application	Max Kahlmier Jr	Problem with Application
Application	Dalton Redman (Ralph Stenzel Grandson)	About Ready to Submit
Application	Victor Lane	Working Application
Application	Huey Seaforth	About Ready to Submit

Flag Certificates – Pete Lenos

We have presented a total of 122 certificates so far this year; surpassing our goal of 100

Eagle Scout Report

Have not presented any awards lately; should have some more by the end of the year.

JROTC/ROTC Medals

All medals have been presented this year

Treasurer Report – Gordon Robinson

End of June 2014 balance: \$2,363.37

Statue Report – Bill Adriance

Bill met with landscape architect at statue site; architect will design lighting, pedestal, flora, etc.

We need drawings of landscape/engineering for statue & pedestal before grant applications can be submitted

Bernardo de Gálvez Honorary Citizenship Status

HR 105 may be considered for a vote by the House this week

Recessional

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