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President's Message

Assuming the presidency of the Kentucky Society of the Sons of the American Revolution ends a personal journey that began August 6, 1973, the day I was accepted into the

organization. Sometime later that year, I attended my first meeting of the George Mason Chapter and was promptly named president! I have served in that capacity for the last 36 years, sometimes

as a committee of one, but always with the help of our local DAR and CAR chapters, who are always eager to help with our annual functions.

My interest in the Revolutionary War began at an early age. My father was SAR and we continue to farm land grant farms in Mason County. I grew up 17 miles from Blue Licks Battlefield, one of Kentucky's most important Revolutionary War sites and later attended school less than a mile from Washington's winter encampment of 1777 at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania. We would bivouac and hold ROTC maneuvers at the park. I recently visited the battlefield and am happy to report that much is unchanged since my school days.

Since becoming an officer in the Kentucky Chapter, I have traveled to numerous reenactments and patriotic ceremonies and have been impressed by the organized participation of our local chapters in bringing our mission to the forefront of public awareness.

Already as president, I attended a working lunch with President General Wilcox in Louisville to address campaign activities for the Center for Advancing American's Heritage.

As mayor of Maysville, I know what the value of having the SAR National Headquarters means to Louisville. The excitement is palpable amongst public officials at the mention of another museum in their

I have spoken with Vice-President Michael Colegrove of the University of Cumberlands, and he is eager to host our July 26th meeting. Compatriot Jesse Mountjoy has facilitated our visit to Williamsburg, and we hope to see many of you there.

In the mean time, I hope to visit with chapters across the Commonwealth in hopes of increasing awareness of the SAR, and the benefits of membership.



KYSSAR: Report on the Maysville, Ky. Spring Meeting 28 March 2008 at the Maysville Country Club



President Tom Payne congratulated Charles Grissett for his six years as service as KYSSAR Treasurer. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal.

President Tom Payne called the meeting to order, Chaplain Jim Lewis gave the Invocation and the colors were posted by the Gov. Isaac Shelby Color Guard with the assistance of some of the Dr. V. Edward Masters Memorial Color Guard from the Louisville Thruston Chapter. The Pledge of Allegiance and the SAR Pledge were

Attending were representatives of four KYS-SAR chapters, Central District VPG R. D. Barn-

hart and his lady, KYSSAR State Officers Pres. Tom Payne and his lady, Pres.-Elect D.W.H. Cartmell, National Trustee and IPP Steve Emery, Treas. C.W. Grissett, V.P. P.T. Higgins, Chaplain Jim Lewis, Sec. W.C.Schrader; Also, youth award winners Christy Culbreth, James Mathews, and Austin Major; Pres. F.B. Chilton of GISC, Past Pres. F. Jernigan, and other guests. (see Chapter News for color guards).

Minutes were read & approved. KY.S.C.A.R.



Eagle Scout essay winner James Mathews receives award from Central District VPG Stephen Emery Continued on page 4

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Chapter officers need to report In Memoriams, New Members, Patriot Ancestor grave markings and other special events for publication.

To help on the newsletter. Please contact Don Perkins.

Become a
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Fellow or Patriot Today!

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Dr. V. Edward Masters Memorial Color Guard.

The Louisville Thruston Chapter's (LTC) color guard celebrates its 13th year. Commander: Dan Klinck. It has a fife and drum corps under Hayden Fuller. Every year the color guard meets usually in January to plan out the year's events, which include Immigration Ceremonies, grave dedications, Little League Baseball, National Memorial and Veterans Day ceremonies, Elementary and High Schools, DAR & SAR events, and Kentucky Rev. War Memorials; averaging 40 to 50 events a year.



LTC Memorial Color Guard:Henry Head, John Frazee, Dan Klinck (Cmdr.), Wm. Carrell III, F.B. Chilton (now GISC) Hayden Fuller (I-r).



LTC Memorial Color Guard: Dick Bierman, Will Schrader, J. David Sympson, Terry Brown, J.B. Hitt, II. (I-r).

Reserve Officers Training Corps

The LTC memorial color guard also is the LTC primary presenting group to award SAR's Bronze (JROTC) & Silver (ROTC) Outstanding Cadet of the year medals and certificates. The schools are usually visited by our color guard uniformed "1st Virginia Regiment Rev. War. Soldiers" where possible to remind the cadets of their heritage. However, not all SAR presenters are color guard members, but willing to contribute their services as will be seen. It is noted that several KYSSAR chapters participate every year and photos of those award events are shown herein as availability permits. Notably we congratulate also, the excellent contribution of the Governor Isaac Shelby Chapter (GISC), and the newly restarted Capt. Charles Duncan Chapter (CCDC).



LTC: Southern H.S. Army JROTC Cadet Joshua Gentry is awarded the SAR Bronze medal and certificate of achievement (COA) by Norb Rawart, with AROTC unit director Lt. Col. Paul Dunlap (background).



LTC: Seneca H.S. Marine Corps JROTC. Cadet SGT. Major Johnathon Graves shown with his Cmdr. Col. Richard Maloney. Bronze medal and CoA awarded by SAR Bob Shuck.



LTC: Univ. of Louisville Air Force ROTC. LTC Pres. Don Perkins awards Cadet Eric LaPrada the Silver medal and COA.



LTC: Jeffersontown H.S. Marine Corps. JROTC Cadet Dell Summers receives the Bronze medal and COA from SAR Bob Shuck (r) shown here with his unit Cmdr. Lt. Col. M. F. Dobbs.

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LTC: University of Louisville Army ROTC Cadet Colin Davis receives Silver Medal and COA from SAR Dan Klinck



LTC: Valley H.S. Navy JROTC. Cadet Eric Daugherty receives Bronze medal and COA from SAR presenter Will Schrader.



CCDC& GISC: The newly reconstituted Capt. Charles Duncan Chapter's president James T. Moore presents the Silver medal and COA award to Western Kentucky University Cadet Jeremy Lockhart in a joint awards program with the Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapter with GISC's Tom Higgins and Charles Scott.



LTC: Louisville Male H.S. Army JROTC. Bronze medal and COA from SAR presenter Francis Wortham.



Cadet Andrew Muccugrosso receives GISC: Ft. Knox H.S. Army JROTC. Governor Isaac Shelby' SAR Charles Scott presents Cadet Charles F. Davidson with the Bronze medal and COA. Shown with Instructor SFC Elfren Padilla.



LTC: Central H.S. Navy JROTC. Cadet Anthony Edmunds receives Bronze medal and COA from SAR presenter Will Schrader.



GISC: Nelson County H.S. Air Force JROTC. Cadet Eza T. Reece is presented the Bronze medal and COA from the Gov. Isaac Shelby's Dennis Scott. Shown with Cmdr. Col. Donna J. Lucchese.

Outreach Kentucky

Youth Programs:

Joseph S. Rumbaugh Historical Oration Contest

George & Stella Knight Historical Essay Contest

Eagle Scout of the Year Award **ROTC/JROTC Awards** Americanism Poster Contest Children of the American Revolution (CAR)

Color Guard:

National, State & Chapter growth since initiated in 1989. Chapters are especially urged to develop color guard elements that can be combined to show SAR presence in local communities. Commemorations and Celebrations:

Participate in commemorating events and historical sites relative to the Revolutionary War. **Education Support:**

Teacher of the year program History Fair

CD teaching aid (free from NSSAR.. Give to your local school counselors and history teachers)

Valley Forge Teacher Seminar History Web Site: rsar.org

Public service spots for radio & TV Veterans:

Partnership with the American Legion Visits to the Veterans hospitals Present war service medals to our members Archive compatriot military service records

Community Support:

Law Enforcement Award Fire and Emergency Response Award Good Citizenship Medals

Grave Marking

Participate in the registration and marking of the graves of our Revolutionary War Ancestors.

KYSSAR Spring Meeting 28 March 2008 Maysville, Ky.

Condensed from Wm. Schrader Report Continued from page1

President Meridith Clouse's Greeting was read by Sec. Schrader.

Treas, C.W. Grissett presented the Treasurer's Report: Net Worth was improved by Life Members'contributions and the principal fund of the Life Members Trust was reduced in order to pay the dues of Life Members as approved in the Fall 2007 meeting. The total of the Life Member Trust fund remaining is \$78,055. Grissett reminded Chapters of the IRS requirement for nonprofits to file so that none will lose their tax exempt status.

Chairman Floyd L. Jernigan of the Audit Committee reported audit of the KYSSAR accounts during Grissett's tenure as Treasurer showed accounts to be in excellent order. Report accepted (Grissett is retiring from the position).

Officer Reports: Pres. Tom Payne reported attending seven chapter meetings. The Williamsburg National Congress, the Central District meeting in Fort Wayne, the 225th anniversary of the Battle of Blue Licks (he presented a program speech).

At the State Board of Governors meeting in January, he gave instructions to our National Trustee, Stephen Emery on the new National Headquarters Building issue and also raised the issue of increasing State dues. After some discussion, the issue was tabled to the July meeting). Tom was elected alternate to the Council of Presidents at the National Congress in Williamsburg and was able to vote at the February Trustees

Pres.-Elect D.W.H. Cartmell reported that Maysville (founded as Limestone) was a major transit place for movement west back when Daniel Boone and Simon Kenton were associated with it. His KYSSAR chapter is working with the City of Maysville to acquire ownership of historic Newdigate Tavern to make it an important historic center there. (Cartmell is the Mayor).

Trustee S.C. Emery reported in the Trustee Spring meeting on the proposed move of NSSAR headquarters: Three motions were passed viz. 1) to purchase the Fulton-Conway building, 2) to delay the buildout until funds become available (NS-SAR has hired a Fund Raising Director), 3) when the new site is occupied, to sell the present property and place the income in an endowment. Report accepted per motion of F.L. Jernigan.

Chapter Reports: Lt. Robert Moseby: As given by Pres. Tom Payne, the chapter remains inactive, although he presented 5 JROTC medals and accepted two new members during the past year.

Gov. Isaac Shelby Ch.: Pres. F. B. Chilton reported that the chapter won the Stark award and now has 31 members. Members of the chapter color guard took part in commemorations at Cowpens, Guilford Ct.



National Trustee Stephen Emery presents a Certificate of Apreciation to outgoing president Tom Payne for his service to KYSSAR and his appointment as the next National Trustee.

Hse., Martin's Station (Va. not Ky.), Blue Licks, Lochrey's Defeat, Point Pleasant and Bryan's Station. They also engaged in twenty grave marking ceremonies. The chapter will present eight JROTC medals and participated in the 106th birthday celebration of

the WWI and WW2 veteran Robley Rex and also the Flag Retirement ceremony at National Headquarters on Flag Day. The chapter was the Baron Von Steuben award winner for color guard activities (National).

George Mason Ch.: Pres. D.W. H. Cartmell reported that his chapter meets with the local DAR chapter and has added one new member this past year.

Louisville Thruston Ch: Pres. Don Perkins unable to attend. Past President Jim Lewis reported 5 dinner meetings each year with patriotic Outgoing president Tom Payne congratulates Chaplain program events. The chapter presented 2 (college) ROTC outstand-

ing Cadet medals, and 10 (High School) JROTC medals; Also, to Metro-Louisville, the outstanding Fire & Safety award, and the outstanding Law Enforcement Award



VPG R. D. Barnhart of Central District congratulates incoming KYSSAR

and participated in many color guard activities. Editor's note: Add the following up-

Through its Dr. V. Edward Masters Memorial Color Guard, some 40 memorial events ported including the Zachary Taylor and

were sup-Pres.

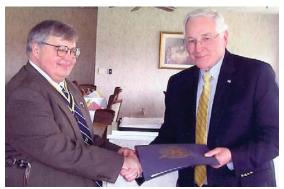
Veteran's Day City programs.

It also sponsors a strong Youth Awards program in Essay, Oratory and Eagle Scouts competitions (including last year's national Essay winner). Louisville Thruston Ch. also works closely with KY.S.C.A.R. through chairmen Don Perkins and W.C.Schrader. The highlight Dinner meeting of last year was the Remember Pearl Harbor dinner dance honoring WW 2 veterans held on Dec. 7th, 2007

MAYSVILLE

After lunch, KYSSAR Youth Awards were presented: (see page 8):

The Arthur M. King Eagle Scout contest winner was James Mathews. Eagle Scout Chairman S.C. Emery presented James Mathews who then read his essay on the McCracken Brothers which included his ancestor from the Revolutionary Era.



Jim Lewis on his service to KYSSAR.

The KYSSAR George S. and Stella M. Knight winner was Christy Culbreth, an at large entry (no chapter sponsor), whose subject was Phyllis Wheatley. This award was presented by Pres. Tom Payne.

The KYSSAR Joseph S. Rumbaugh Historical Orations contest winner was Austin Major. Austin Major expected to present his speech at the National Congress in Sacramento. The award was presented by Pres. Tom Pavne.

Committee Reports: Website Development: No report given due to absence of Comp. Don Perkins (Editor: KYSSAR.org is the purchased domain name: Also, the Web Host has been contracted. Hope to finish by end of May. N.S.C.A.R. will maintain it).



Austin Major, Rumbaugh Oration c ontest winner

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Outgoing president Tom Payne turns over the gavel to incoming president David W.H. Cartmell who in turn presented Tom with the President's Medallion and a Certificate of Appreciation for his services as President of KYSSAR.

Veterans Affairs & Patriotic Markings: Chairman F.B. Chilton reported on the needs of veterans, especially items of personal hygiene. KYSSAR has 97,202 points amassed, most from the GIS chapter. Contact Chilton to find out how to turn your donations into points and make sure your chapter gets credit for its good work.. (see grave marking p.10 this issue).

Old Business: Item one, IRS reporting. See Treas.' Report. Item 2. Support for SJR

President Tom Payne awards the Patriot Medal and Certificate of Appreciation to Rev. Forrest B. Chilton for his services to the Veterans and the Veterans Hospital.



New KYSSA president David W.H. Cartmell presents the Patriot Medal and a Certificate of appreciation to to outgoing president Tom Payne.

182 calling for collection and preservation of flags. Organizer is Billy Newkirk. Housing expected at appropriate State site.

New Business: Registration of KYSSAR with the Commonwealth of Kentucky lapsed in 1986 but has now been reinstated. This issue now handled by Chancellor, Michael A. Richardson.

State Dues increase is being considered but tabled 'til July meeting.

State and Special Awards, Certificates of Appreciation:

Gradie R. Rowntree Award: Louisville Thruston Ch. for largest number of new members.

J. Colgan Norman Award: George Mason Ch. for greatest % increase in membership.

Thomas J. Lyne, Jr. Award: Jessie L. Hagan, for largest no. new members first sponsor.

Secretary's Award: John Scott Ch. for largest no. of reinstated members.

Robert D. Short Americanism Award: Louisville Thruston Ch., sponsor of KYS-SAR Joseph H. Rumbaugh Oration Contest winner.

John S. Herrick Award: Louisville Thrus-



Outgoing president Tom Payne presents a Certificate of Appreciation to KYSSAR Secretary Will Schrader.

ton Ch., sponsor of the Eagle Scout Compitition Winner.

Certificates of Appreciation went to the 2007-2008 KYSSAR officers.

Color Guard miniature medals presented to P.T. Higgins, J. T. Moore, E. Myles, A. Probus, N. L. Roberts and P. Yenowine for service at KYSSAR meetings.

Color Guard Oak Leaf Clusters were announced for R. B. Bierman, Don Perkins, W.C.Schrader, and C.E. Scott (will be presented when available).

Distinguished Service Medal presented to Charles W. Grissett for his 6 years as KYSSAR Treasurer.

Patriot Medal presented to F.B. Chilton for his outstanding work with veterans, patriot grave markings and the Blue Licks commemoration.

Oath of Office to Install the 2008-09 KYS-SAR Officers: Administered by R.D. Barnhart, VPG Central District to those present: Pres. D.W.H. Cartmell, VP P.T.Higgins,II, Sec. W.C. Schrader, Treas. R.B. Bierman, Chaplain J.B. Lewis, and National Trustee Designate S.C. Emery. Absent but elected. Pres.-Elect D. Perkins, Reg. J.L. Hagan, Chanc.M. A. Richardson, and Hist. D. Perkins.

After installation, Tom Payne symbolically turned over the gavel to new president David W.H. Cartmell, who presented Payne with the President's Medallion. Cartmell then presented Payne the Patriot Medal for his services as KYSSAR president. Cartmell later presented Mrs. Caroline Payne with the Martha Washington medal . SAR Reccesional was led by Compatriot Payne, with the Benediction by Chaplain Lewis. President Cartmell then declared the meeting adjourned.



Govenor Isaac Shelby Color Guard posted the colors at Maysville. KYSSAR Pres.Tom Payne and GIS Chapter President Forrest Chilton on right



Incoming KYSSAR president David W. H. Cartmell presents the Martha Washington Medal and a Certificate of Appreciation to the wife of Outgoing President Tom Payne, Caroline.

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CHAPTER NEWS

Capt. Charles Gatliff Chapter

SAR MEETING



PHOTO SUBMITTED

Those present are shown front row from left, Clifford Jones, Donnie Rains, Tom Dowling, Dr. Michael Colegrove and David Moore. Back row from left, J.B.Mountjoy, Ernie Siler, Bill Mayne, Wesley Jones, Arthur Jeffries, Gene Siler III and Gillis Wilder.

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES-TRIBUNE

The Capt. Charles Gatliff Chapter of the SAR met Feb. 14 at Hannah's Southern Cuisine. Tom Dowling, of Corbin, was the guest of Arthur Jeffries. He spoke about the patriots of the Revolutionary

War and the deserved pride of their descendants. The patriots won freedom for the young country and great accomplishments have been made by those who followed. These include putting a man on the moon, the space station and the electronic age.

Gov. Isaac Shelby Chapter



Governor Isaac Shelby Chapter, KYSSAR (I-r) First Row: Tom Higgins, Charles Scott, Forrest B. Chilton (Pres. GISC), Back Row: David Myles, Will Schrader (KYSSAR Secretary), Phillip Yenowine, Alex Probus, Noble Roberts, Dick Bierman (LTC CG); taken at the KYSSAR Spring meeting at Maysville, 29 March, 2008.

Announcement: Governor Isaac Shelby Chapter wins the prestigious General von Steuben Award from the National SAR Guardsman Magazine. The SAR Guardsman National Color Guard Committee selected GISC for the extra-ordinary effort made by this small, relatively new chapter. This two year

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old chapter, with its 29 compatriots, participated in an incredible 49 events in 2007. This included 33 wreath laying events and turning out as many as 10 uniformed compatriots at a time, about a third of the membership. They are to be congratulated, and also their leaders, CG Cmdr. Tom Higgins and GISC President Forrest B. Chilton.

Capt. Charles Duncan Chapter



NSSAR Historian-General J. David Sympson installs the new CCDC Officers (I-r) Frank M. Melton (Sec-Treas.), James T. Moore (Pres.), and Tom P. Petznick (Registrar) April 7, 2008 at Bowling Green, KY.



SAR Officials attending (I-r) Will Schrader, KYS-SAR Secretary, J. David Sympson, NSSAR Historian-General and KYSSAR Pres. Tom Payne.

On April 07, 2008 Will Schrader notified KYSSAR Officers that he, J. David Sympson NSSAR Historian-General, and KYSSAR President Tom Payne attended a reorganization meeting of the Capt. Charles Duncan Chapter in Bowling Green, Ky. New officers were installed by J. David Sympson, as witnessed by Will Schrader and Tom Payne. The new chapter president is James Moore, as noted in the KYSSAR Chapter listing below. Thomas Petznick is Registrar, & Frank Melton is Secretary-Treasurer.

Besides the KYSSAR, NSSAR and officers, other members of the Duncan chapter present were John B. Moore, Larry Herrin, Alan Logsdon, and Dr. Richard Clouse.

John B. Moore presented a history of the Capt. Charles Duncan Chapter and told about past activities that made it one of the most active chapters of the KYSSAR. President Payne talked about KYSSAR and mentioned the different activity levels practiced today. Will Schrader suggested that the chapter maintain a vigorous recruiting activity and to maintain a high level of activity to keep new members involved. James Moore discussed the Revolutionary War uniforms and wore one that he had researched. Historian-

General Sympson gave a presentation on the history of SAR in the United States, tracing it from the beginning to the present with future plans. Considerable discussion was also devoted to the benefits of keeping SAR before the public. The photographs herein are from the meeting.



(I-r) Scott Logsden, Dr. Richard M. Clause, Thomas P. Petznick (Registrar), James T. Moore (Pres.), Frank M. Melton (Sec.-Treas.), Larry R. Herrin.



Fire Safety Commendation Award presented to Andrew R. Smith by SAR Rev. Paul Smith



Police Officer of the Year Award presented to Mark Brown by SAR Rev. Paul Smith.



David Head, J.B. Hitt II.



Joe Shields, Henry Head (I-r).



Will Schrader, David Head (I-r).



Hayden Fuller



Clarese Fuller: Reading of Hayden Fuller's WWII Poem about the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor.



Dick Bierman, Scott Giltner, Henry Head (I-r).



LTC 2008-2009 Officers (I-r) P. Smith, J. Huffman, W. Schrader, J. Shields, H. Head, J. Barr, D. Perkins, S. Emery.

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PROFILE: Merl McBee - Youth Award Program, Oration and Essay

Merl McBee is in his 38th year of teaching, all spent in the Oldham County School System.

He is presently retired, but continues to coach the School Debate team and the oration contests in the afternoons after school.

His teams have won seven national championships and twenty-six state championships or titles over the years.

He has actively worked with the Louisville Thruston Chapter of KYSSAR for about 10 years. In his first year, his student, Andrew Green, won the SAR National Rumbaugh Oration contest, and last year, his student, Derek McMahan, won the SAR National Knight Essay contest.

He has received the highly prestigious Donus D. Roberts Quad Ruby Coaching Award from the National Forensic League, which is the national honor society for speech and debate.

In recognition of his accomplishments and his service to the community and to KYSSAR and the NSSAR, President Don Perkins of the Louisville Thruston Chapter presents to Merl McBee our Good Citizenship Medal and Certificate, and we thank you for your dedication. (See Photo)



President Don Perkins presents the Good Citizenship Medal and COA to Oldham Co. Coach Merle McBee for 10 years of providing Youth Program candidates and winners in both oration and essay categories.

PROFILE: Austin G. Major

Home: Prospect, KY

Age: 15

Grade: 10th, Sophmore, North Oldham HS. Debate Coach/Sponsor: Merl McBee Parents: Michael and Renee' Major

Siblings: Jordan, 13

Religion: Roman Catholic, Transfiguration of Our Lord, Goshen,

Extracurricular activities: Novice Debate Team as a freshman, Varsity Debate Team, Academic Team, Student Government Officer, BETA Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Kentucky United Nations Assembly, Freshman and Junior Varsity Baseball Team, Varsity Lacrosse Team, Louisville Storm Travel Ice Hockey Club, National Youth Leadership Forum.

I am a young man very focused on being the best I can be in order to contribute as much as I can to my school, my church, my family and someday the organization I work for. My desire for the future is to become either a corporate attorney or a military pilot. I believe the best way for me to pursue my goals is to be as well rounded as possible now.

I thoroughly enjoy any and every academic, athletic or vocational challenge placed before me and always pursue new opportunities to improve. I am heavily involved in Student Government

and my school's Debate Team, as well as Academic Team. I also love sports of all kinds, especially ice hockey.

I recently was selected, then attended the National Youth Leadership Forum on National Security in Washington, D.C., and learned a great deal about our governmental decision making process.



State winner oration award given by Henry Head

Currently, I have a

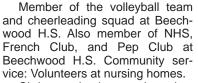
4.2 GPA and was academically ranked 2nd out of 203 students in my freshman class. In my free time, I enjoy relaxing with friends, golf and water sports. I am a political conservative and whole-heartedly believe we are the greatest nation on earth. I will do my part to make sure we stay that way.

February 2008

PROFILE: Christy Culbreth

Knight Essay Contestant: Entry from Ft. Mitchell, Ky, Christy Culbreth sponsored by Teacher Jack J. Johnson. Born Macon, Ga. 1991. Siblings, sisters Jennifer and

Caroline.



Christy maintains good grades, mostly A's throughout High School, even in Advanced Placement classes. She plans on attending either University of Florida or Kentucky, majoring in physical therapy and expects to continue her education through higher levels.

PROFILE: Eagle Scout James Mathews

James
Mathews in
Scouting 7
years. Troop
308, chartered
by Mother of
God Counsel Catholic
Church.

He held several leadership positions, including Senior Patrol Leader. Attended National Jambo-



James Mathews and Stephen Emery

ree 2000; completed Order of the Arrow ordeal 2004.

Direct descendant of Rev. War . Patriot ancestor, Cyrus McCracken. Essay on McCracken.

Children of the American Revolution

If you are looking for young drummers and fifers for your future chapter color guard, then C.A.R. members may be a good source. SAR seniors could act as mentors, if asked.

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Nelson County Society

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Troublesome Creek Society

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The Logan Brothers Society

Stanford, Ky. sunshine @kycom.net

Nominating & Election Committee Report 2008-2009 KYSSAR Officers

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KYSSAR SUMMER MEETING

JULY 26, 2008

WILLIAMSBURG, KY

Announcing the Summer State meeting to be held on the campus of the College of the Cumberlands in Williamsburg, KY. (see map). Proceed to Williamsburg, KY, I-75, Exit 11 just 11 miles north of the Ky-Tn State line. Turn east on Briar Creek (13th St.) and turn north at the first stoplight onto South 10th St.. The Cumberland Inn (Building 14) is on your left as you drive north about a block. That is where most will stay (make reservations www. cumberlandinn.com or 606-529-4100). In the morning, continue north on South 10th St. to Main St. and turn right (east) onto Main St. and the college is on your right. Go to 9th St. and turn south onto it. Proceed south to the Hutton School of Business (19) on the map. Be sure to make you lodging reservations early for best choices.

Registration is at 10:30 AM EDT and the business meeting will start at 11 AM. We will recess at 12 PM for lunch in the Hutton School which will be catered in. A special ceremony for SAR is planned. After lunch, the business meeting will continue. For the ladies a special tour is planned.

- 7. Bock Building

Send Registration To: Dick Bierman, 9302 Springbrooke Circle, Louisville, KY 40242

- 8. Boswell Campus Center
- 9. Browning Annex (ROTC)
- 10. Browning Building
- 16. Gillespie Hall (women)
- 17. Hutton Hall (women) 18. Hutton Outreach Center
- 19. Hutton School of Business
- 26. T.J. Roberts Dining Hall
- 27. Robinson Hall (men)
- 28 Roburn Hall (men)
- 29. Grace Crum Rollins Fine Arts Center

36. Hutton Townhouses (Faculty - Staff)

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Angel-Dale House Archer Hall (women)	12. Cook Hall (men) 13. Cordell House	22. McGaw Music Building 23. Nicholson-Jones Building	 Siler Hall (men) J. Charles Smiddy Learning Resource Center
5. Asher Hall (women)	14. Cumberland Inn	24. Perkins House (Admissions)	34. Smiddy Campus Entrance Building
6. Bennett Building	15. Gatliff Administration Building	25. President's Home	35. James H. Taylor II Stadium
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(Media Relations) **RESERVATION FORM:** KYSSAR Summer State Meeting - Please make your reservation by July 14, 2008

Registration from 10:30 to 11 am. Remember, meeting will begin promptly at 11 am.

COMPATRIOT'S NAME	_TELEPHONE ()			
ADDRESS	_E-MAIL			
CHAPTER	OFFICE HELD			
GUEST NAME(s)				
Luncheon is a buffet featuring beef and fish with vegatables and desert.				
NUMBER of PERSONS X COST OF MEETING AND LUNCH \$ 15.00 (each = \$			
Make your check payable to KYSSAR	MY CHECK IS ENCLOSED FOR \$ TOTAL			

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PATRIOTIC GRAVE MARKING, Glendale, KY, by the Governor Isaac Shelby Chapter



Grave Marking Service for Revolutionary War Patriot Capt. Jacob Van Meter

SFC William H. Linnell, recently returned from Iraq/Afganistan, presents our Nation's Tribute to Dennis R. Scott, descendant of Rev. War Patriot Capt. Jacob Van Meter.



The final salute to Capt. Jacob Van Meter is fired by the Shelbyville rifle/musket team. Performed by (I-r) Aaron Adams, Bill Dykstra (from Tn.), Cecil C. Murdock, Brian Cushing (Logan's Co., Stanford, KY), Joe MacGruder, Ernie Higdon (Logan's Co., Stanford, Ky), Terry A. Mattingly, and Dennis Scott.

Reverend Forrest B. Chilton delivers the eulogy for Captain Jacob Van Meter.



For information on Patriot Grave Marking and the Veterans Hospital contact Rev. Forrest B. Chilton at 906 North Pope Lick Road Louisville, KY 40299 502-245-8718. Forrest is also the KYSSAR Representative to Louisville VA Medical Center. Chapters are asked to track and send in news of grave markings, memorial services, or obituaries of SAR members for listing in this publication. email: fchilton@insightbb.com

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