

Patrick Henry Texas Chapter #11 - Sons of the American Revolution

Monthly Meeting

Saturday June 15, 2019

Red Robin (5601 Brodie Ln)

Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company



The Sons of the American Revolution is the leading male lineage society that perpetuates the ideals of the War for Independence. As an historical, educational, and patriotic, non-profit corporation, we seek to maintain and expand the meaning of patriotism, respect for our national symbols, the value of American citizenship, and the unifying force of "E Pluribus Unum" that was created from the people of many nations-one nation and one people.

Patrick Henry Chapter – www.austinsar.org

Texas Society - www.txssar.org

National Society - www.sar.org

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Pledge to the U.S. Flag - "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all."

Pledge to the Texas Flag - "Honor the Texas Flag; I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible."

Pledge to the S.A.R. - "We, descendants of the heroes of the American Revolution, who by their sacrifices, established the United States of America, reaffirm our faith in the principles of liberty and our Constitutional Republic, and solemnly pledge ourselves to defend them against every foe."

Meeting Agenda

Call to Order – 11:00 – *Ken Tooke*

Invocation – *Chaplain Max Miller*

Pledge lead by - Shiidon B Hawley

Opening Ceremony – *Ken Tooke*

Treasure Report - *Jim Horton*

Guest Recognition – *Ken Tooke*

Guest Speaker – *Shiidon B Hawley.*

Shiidon will start with an overview of his Patriot Joseph Hawley. He will follow with a presentation on the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts is the oldest chartered military organization in North America and the third oldest chartered military organization in the world. Its charter was granted in March 1638 by the Great and General Court of Massachusetts Bay and signed by Governor John Winthrop as a volunteer militia company to train officers enrolled in the local militia companies across Massachusetts.

With the professionalization of the US Military preceding World War I including the creation of the National Guard of the United States and the federalization of officer training, the Company's mission changed to a supportive role in preserving the historic and patriotic traditions of Boston, Massachusetts, and the Nation.

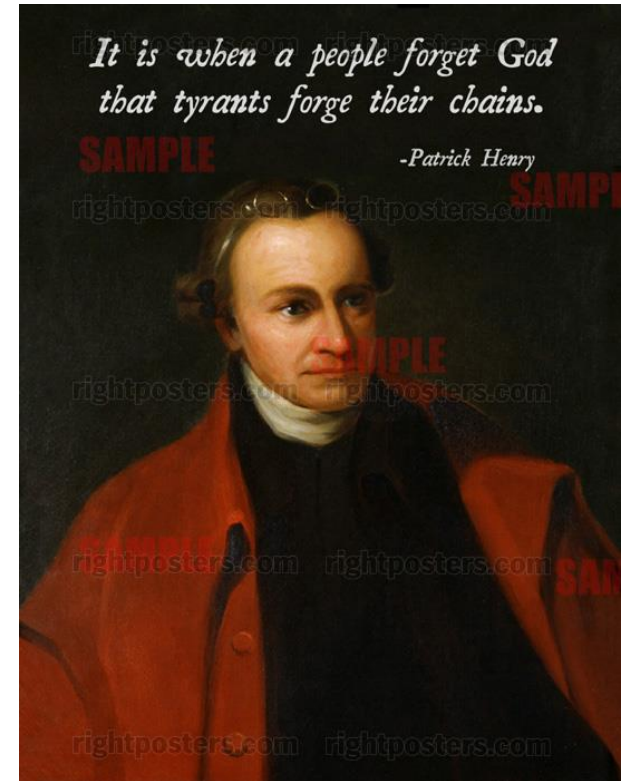
Today the Company serves as Honor Guard to the Governor of Massachusetts who is also its Commander in Chief. The headquarters is located on the 4th floor of Faneuil Hall and consists of an armory, library, offices, quartermaster department, commissary, and military museum with free admission.

Closing Remarks – *Ken Tooke*

Closing Prayer – *Chaplain M. Miller*

Recessional – *Ken Tooke*

Quote of the Month: Patrick Henry



Chapter Officers

President – Ken Tooke

Secretary – Ed Deshields

Treasurer – Jim Horton

Historian– Wayne A. Courreges, Jr

Registrar – John Fine

Chaplain - Max K Miller

Color Guard Commander – Shiidon B Hawley

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