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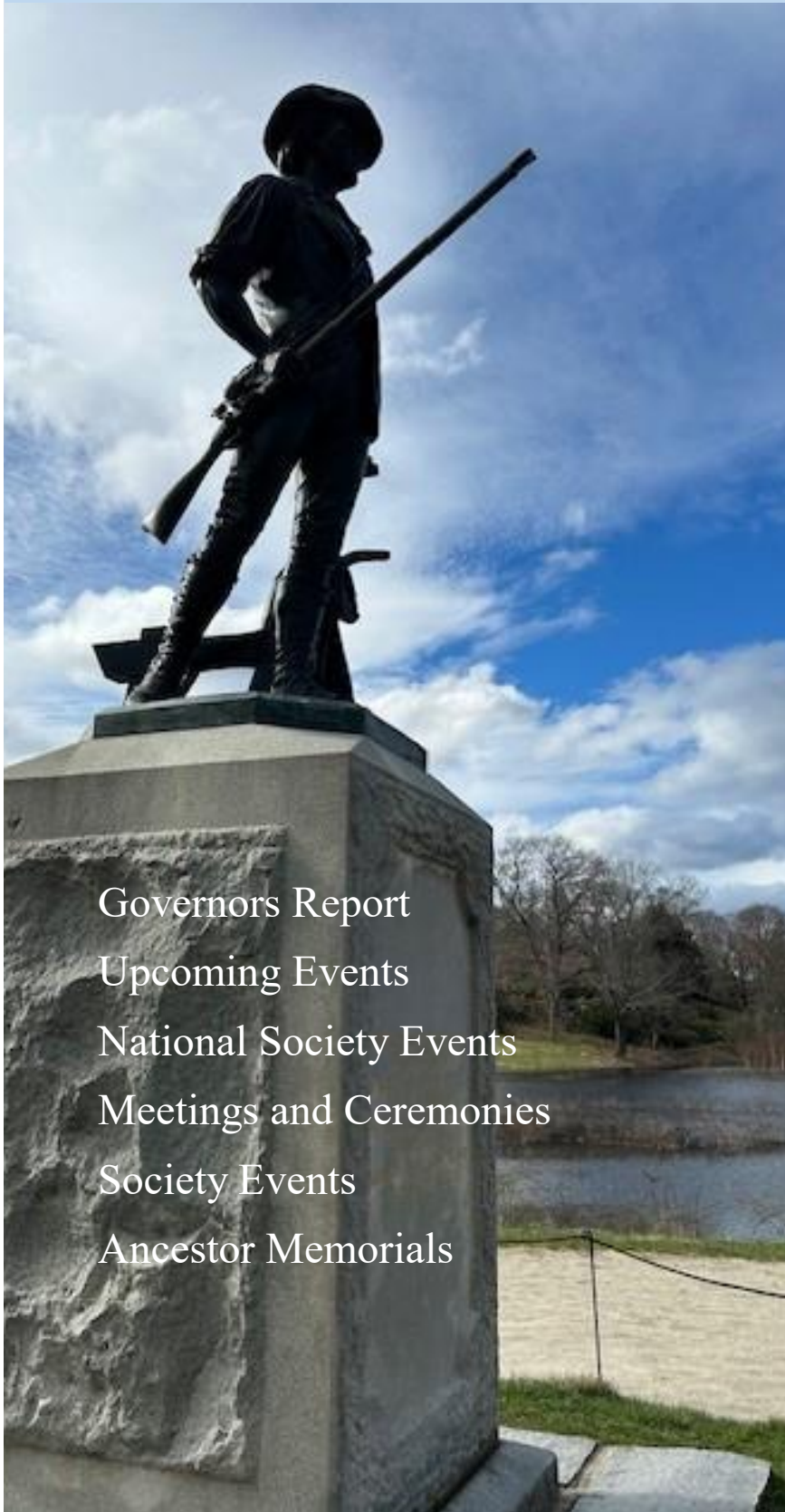
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*Input or comments are welcome at any time.*

## Governor's Report on the Second Quarter of 2024



Spring quarter has been another great success story for the Virginia Society OFPA. More importantly, it was made so by the efforts of many of our members. There were many opportunities for us to participate throughout the state and our members stepped up to represent us honorably.

These included historical events, grave markings, ROTC and JROTC awards ceremonies. Among these, a few deserve special recognition. Credit goes to our Registrar/Genealogist, Rich Rattan for planning the Spring General Membership meeting and subsequent grave marking of Edmund Scarborough on the Eastern Shore. The necessary Founder identification, genealogical research, coordination with property (s), grave preparation and marker installation required a large time commitment on his part. He accomplished all of these with great enthusiasm and determination. Kudos to Rich.

At this year's General Court, Treasurer General Newcombe was presented with the volume set of *The Adventures of Purse & Person* for his service in helping Florida plan and orchestrate the Court's events. Historian General Michael Weyler was presented with the Meritorious Service Award for his service to the Order for overseeing the archiving process of the Order's

application with the New England Genealogical Society.

And last, but not least, the Commonwealth received the Parrish Award for 2023. This marks the 16<sup>th</sup> consecutive year the Virginia Society has received this honor.

The third quarter promises to be equally rewarding as there are many patriot grave markings and historical events for our participation. One of the last for the quarter will be the Battle of the Capes to be held at Ft. Story in Virginia Beach on September 7th. It will truly be an international event as it is jointly sponsored with the French military. Attending this event demonstrates our deep appreciation for their alliance and gallantry which ensured our Colonies the chance to be the great Nation it is today. This is also the first year that it is a nationally recognized SAR event.

Many of you will be representing our Society at events throughout Virginia in the coming months. Please remember to document with photos and a brief summary which should be submitted in a timely manner to the editor of our newsletter, Tim Ahlgrim. Let's continue to lead by example.

Steadfast for God and Country,  
Kenneth L Hawkins, Ed.D.



## Upcoming Events

The following is a compilation of observances and ceremonies being held statewide by many of the Societies that the Virginia OFPA interacts with. Please check with the the local Society chapter or entity before making any travel plans.

July 1st, 2023: Reading of the Declaration of Independence and Wreath Presentation, Front Royal, VA at the Warren Heritage Society, 101 Chester St., Front Royal, VA. Hosted by the Col. James Wood II Chapter VASSAR and Warren Heritage Society.

July 2, 2024, at 7:00pm: Purcellville Cannons baseball teams Salute To Veterans at Fireman's Field, 250 S. Nursery Street, Purcellville, Virginia and hosted by the Sgt.Maj. John Champe Chapter. Contact Barry Schwoerer (bschwoerer@comcast.net) for more information.

July 3rd, 2024, from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm: Rockin' Independence Eve, Winchester, VA  
Event Level: Chapter at the Walking Mall in Winchester. Hosted by the Col. James Wood II Chapter VASSAR and the City of Winchester.

July 4th, 2024, Independence Day. The following are only a few of the many events planned across the State:

- In celebration of our Nation's birth, The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation is offering free admission to the Historic Area and the Art Museums on July 4th from 9 am to 5 pm. Check their website for additional information.
- Reading of the Declaration of Independence, Winchester, VA hosted by the Col. James Wood II Chapter VASSAR at the Walking Mall, Winchester, VA.
- Fourth of July Celebration, Abingdon, VA hosted by Gen. William Campbell Chapter VASSAR at the Abingdon Muster Grounds 1780 Muster Place, Abingdon, VA.
- Independence Day Parade in Leesburg, VA down Market Street from Ida Lee Park to King Street down Market. Hosted by the Sgt Maj John Champe Chapter with DAR and C.A.R. participation. Location: Parade goes down Market Street from Ida Lee Park to King Street down Market for about 1 mile.
- Independence Day at Yorktown. A full day of activities of every kind is sponsored by the City. Go to their website for more information and details.
- Fourth of July Parade, Middletown, VA. Hosted by the Col. James Wood II Chapter VASSAR and City of Middletown beginning at Laurel Ridge Community College, going south on Main Street.
- Independence Day and March to the Tomb, Mount Vernon, VA and hosted by the George Washington Chapter at George Washington's Mount Vernon, VA.
- Reading of the Declaration of Independence. Hosted by the Culpeper Minutemen Chapter at Yowell Meadows Park, Charters of Freedom, N. Blue Ridge Ave, Culpeper, VA.

July 6th, 2024, at 10:00 am: Commemoration of the Battle of Green Spring, Williamsburg at the Church on the Main, 4644 Yardley Loop, Williamsburg, Virginia and is hosted by the Williamsburg Chapter. For more information, contact Gary Dunaway, ormazd72@gmail.com.

July 9th, 2024, 11:00 am: The 248th Anniversary of the Battle of Cricket Hill at the Morningstar Marinas, 249 Mill Point Road, Hudgins, Virginia and hosted by the Richard Henry Lee Chapter. For more information, contact Michael Rhodes at [airsllc@gmail.com](mailto:airsllc@gmail.com).

From July 10th through the 17th, the 134th Annual NSSAR Congress will be held at the Marriott Hotel, 25 South Queen St., Lancaster, PA, 17603. Details can be found at: <https://passar.org/2024%20Congress/2024%20SAR%20National%20Congress.html>

July 13th, 2:00 pm: The 250th Commemoration of the 1774 Essex Resolutions at the Essex County Museum & Historical Society, Max Silver Memorial Courtyard, 218 S. Water Lane, Tappahannock, Virginia. The Rappahannock Chapter is hosting. Contact Wright Andrews at [wandrews@andrewsdclaw.com](mailto:wandrews@andrewsdclaw.com) for more information.

July 18th, 9:30 am: The 250th Anniversary of the Signing of the Fairfax Resolves at George Mason's Grave, 10709 Gunston Road, Lorton, VA. Hosted by Fairfax Resolves Chapter & George Mason Chapter.

July 18th, 6:00 pm: The 250th Anniversary of the Signing of the Fairfax Resolves, at Market Square, 300 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Co-hosted by the City of Alexandria and the Fairfax Resolves Chapter.

July 19th, 3:00 pm: The Fairfax Resolves Plaque listing the original signers will be dedicated at the historic Christ Church, 118 N. Washington Street, Alexandria, VA.

August 2nd, 11:30 am: DAR Sign Dedication at the Joint Expeditionary Base, Fort Story, VA and hosted by the Lynnhaven Parish Chapter, NSDAR. Please contact Carolyn Guenveur, [carolynng04@gmail.com](mailto:carolynng04@gmail.com) for more information.

August 9th and 10th: The Atlantic Middle States Association will meet at the Williamsburg Lodge, 310 South England St., Williamsburg, VA. Hosts and POC's are Bill Greaf; Ken Hawkins. Compatriots and guests can book their hotel rooms online at: <https://book.passkey.com/e/50775027>.

August 10th, 11:00am: the 248th Anniversary Commemoration of the First Reading of the Declaration of Independence at the Spirit of Loudoun Revolutionary War Monument on the green at the Loudoun County Courthouse, 18 E Market St., Leesburg, VA. Hosted by the Sgt Maj John Champe Chapter. For more information, please contact Barry Schwoerer ([bschwoerer@comcast.net](mailto:bschwoerer@comcast.net)).

August 11th, 2024, 3:00 pm: Daughters and Sons of the American Revolution Night with the Norfolk Tides. Co-hosted by the DAR and SAR. Tickets available at: <https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/Sonsdaughters3>.

August 13th. 7:00 pm: Norfolk Chapter Board of Managers Meeting.

August 17th, 2024, Noon: Opening Ceremony of the Nansemond Indian Nation Annual Pow Wow, 1001 Pembroke Lane, Suffolk, VA and hosted by the Nansemond Indian Patriot Chapter.

August 24th, 2024, 10:00 am: Patriot Monument Dedication to George Flohr, Royal Deux Ponts Regt., St. John's Cemetery 1650 N 4th St., Wytheville, Wytheville, VA. Hosted by the Lt. David Cox Chapter. Contact Rollie Ney at [crlnye@embarqmail.com](mailto:crlnye@embarqmail.com) or Bruce Meyer at [esr-sar@charter.net](mailto:esr-sar@charter.net) for more information.

September 7th, 11:00 am: Commemoration of the Battle of the Capes, hosted by the Norfolk Chapter at the Vice Admiral Francois Joseph Paul de Grasse Statue, Fort Story, Virginia Beach, VA.

September 13th, 10:00 am: Grave marking for LtCol William Langborn, Aide de Camp to Marquis de Lafayette at 8400 St Peter's Lane, New Kent, Va. Hosted by the Williamsburg Chapter. For more information, contact Gary Dunaway at gdunaway4sar@gmail.com.

September 13th and 14th: The VASSAR Semi-Annual Meeting, at the Woodlands Hotel and Conference Center, Williamsburg, VA

September 14th, 2024, 8:00 am: Vigil at Washington's Tomb, Mount Vernon, VA

September 15th, 2024, President General's Wreath Laying at the Tomb of the Unknowns, Arlington, Va. hosted by the George Washington Chapter VASSAR

September 15th, 2024, 2:00 pm: Wreath Laying at the grave of Pvt. John Broddy, VA by the General William Campbell Chapter. Contact John Gullion for more information.

September 15th, 2024, 4:00 pm: Wreath Laying at the grave of Brig. Gen. William Campbell, VA by the General William Campbell Chapter at 303 Seven Mile Ford Rd, Marion, VA.

September 17th, 10:30 am: Constitution Day Commemoration, at the Mount Hebron Cemetery, Winchester, VA and hosted by the Col. James Wood II Chapter. Contact Dale Corey for more information.

September 21st, 4:00 pm: Franco-American Alliance Commemoration, at Location: Worden Field, US Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD and co-hosted by the US Naval Academy and the John Paul Jones Chapter MDSSAR (Glenn Moss at hawkeyemoss24@gmail.com) and the Peggy Stewart Tea Party Chapter NSDAR.

September 22nd, 10:00 am: Abington Muster Commemoration, 1780 Muster Place, Abingdon, VA, hosted by the Overmountain Victory Trail Association (OVTA), with support from the Gen. William Campbell Chapter.

September 22nd, 1:00 pm: Commemoration of Robert Carter III, at 220 Judicial Place, Heathsville, VA and hosted by the James Monroe Chapter. Contact Jim Russell at jimrussell1948@yahoo.com. For more information.

September 28th, 11:00am: Commemoration of John Champe's assignment to Capture Benedict Arnold at the Champe Grave Site, Cemetery adjacent to Prickett's Fort Historic Site, 88 State Park Road, Fairmont, WV. The Sgt Maj John Champe Chapter is hosting the event. Contact Barry Schwoerer (bschwoerer@comcast.net) for more information.

## From the Registrar's Desk

By Rich Rattan

In recent months, the VA OFPA has welcomed in four new members: Michael Wilson (OPFA #6528/VA Soc 291), Stuart Whitehead (OPFA #6530/VA Soc 292), Kory Krebs (OPFA #6534/VA Soc 293), and Kyle Krebs (OPFA #6535/VA Soc 294).

Of particular significance is the application of Michael Wilson. Michael successfully proved a couple of lines in his lineage based on DNA evidence using the Y-DNA chromosome (male). This is the first

known OFPA use of DNA as authoritative sourcing for an applicant's lineage. Our congratulations to Michael, Stuart, Kory, and Kyle. New applicant interest in the VA Society, OFPA, continues to be brisk for 2024.

One of our youth members, Wesley Graves, has asked and been accepted as a full associate. Along with our four new members, this brings the Virginia Society up to eight new full associates and one new youth associate for 2024.

# National Society Events

## 128th General Court

By: Shane Newcombe

The Virginia Society was well represented at the 128th General Court of the Order, which was held from May 30 – June 1, 2024, in historic St. August-



tine, Florida.

Nearly, 60 Associates and their guests attended the event which included guided tours of the oldest continuously occupied European settlement in the county, a Governor's Welcome Reception, the business assembly of the 128th General Court, the Friday Night Banquet, and the Saturday Night Gala.

St. Augustine was formed in 1565 by Spanish Explorers and the tours included the Oldest House Museum, St. George Street and the Historic District that is home to Spanish-British Colonial landmarks, the 1600s Castillo de San Marcos (fort), and the Fountain of Youth. The Ladies/Guest Tour covered the St. Augustine Jail, St. Sebastian Winery, Potter's Wax Museum & Pharmacy, and Ripley's Believe-It-Or-Not. Several local eateries welcomed the group and local cuisine was enjoyed by all.

The business meeting of the Order included reviews of Society Constitutions and By-Laws, information about the John Quincy Adams (JQA) Foundation's newest award to the Coast Guard, the JQA endowment (which broke \$1 million), and other accomplishments during Governor Ed Horton's administration.

The Order's applications are being digitized by the New England Genealogical Society, plans for Lineage Book #8 were discussed, establishing a presence on social media will be put on the agenda for

Governor General Tom Smart's incoming administration, and the 2025 Budget was approved. More highlights from the 128th General Court will be distributed to all Associates via email.

The Friday Night Banquet at Castillo's Restaurant at the Renaissance was enjoyed and the night featured keynote speaker Dr. Peggy McDonald, who presented an engaging and entertaining talk on the history of Florida from St. Augustine to Walt Disney. The associates and guests in attendance remarked how Dr. McDonald captured the attention of her audience, is a gifted professor, and all of her students come out of her classes highly educated with Floridian history and its impact on the forming of the United States.

Governor Horton opened the Saturday Night Gala with the traditional flag ceremony, where each State represented at the General Court is carried and posted. Attorney General Walt Sheffield (Past-Governor Virginia Society) gave the invocation. The Jacksonville Chapter SAR and Honor Guard posted the Colors and delegates from other genealogical societies



were present.

Following the dinner, Governor Order extended his appreciation to the Florida Society for organizing and hosting the 128th General Court and began the Awards Ceremony of the program. The Florida Society presented their first-ever Outstanding National Guard Unit Award to the Ocala Rifles, Company C, 2nd Battalion, 124th Infantry.

Deputy Governor General Thomas Smart was sworn in by Governor General Ed Horton as the new Governor General for 2024-2026 and Ed was presented with an engraved sterling silver Past Governor General's plaque and neck ribbon.



Historian General Mike Weyler (Past-Governor Virginia Society) was presented with a Meritorious Service Award for his service to the Order in overseeing the archiving process of the Order's applications with the New England Genealogical Society.



The New York Society, the first in the Order, was presented with an official Charter. As the first-organizing Society, the New York Society (and several others) was never granted a Charter. Governor Horton, and Secretary General Duncan Berry with the assistance of Deputy Governor General Smart and Past Governor General Bill Allerton worked to develop, design, print, calligraphy and implement the presentation of this Charter. The New York Society is alive and well under the guidance of its new Governor Michael Hernandez, who was presented with the Charter.

Long-time General Court attendee and 94-year-old Carlen Booth of Rhode Island was recognized and presented with a certificate commemorating his attendance at General Courts and the Rhode Island Society for more than 40 years. Carlen proudly, without the aid of his cane, came forward and was greeted by Governor Horton. Florida Governor Maurice

Hitt was presented with a framed display of the official announcements and invitations for the St. Augustine General Court.

Treasurer General Shane Newcombe (Past-Governor Virginia Society) was presented with the volume set of Adventures of Purse & Person for his service in helping the Florida Society plan and orchestrate the events for the St. Augustine General Court.



Deputy Secretary General Sean Redmond presented the Virginia Society with the coveted Parrish Award for the 16th consecutive year! Grave marking ceremonies, genealogical research, publishing informative newsletters, attracting new and retaining current Associates, conducting highly attended meetings/events, and more go into calculating the recipients of the Order's highest award presented to Societies. The Commonwealth was humbled to learn of its award for the 16th straight year.



# Meetings and Ceremonies



The Virginia Society the Order of Founders and Patriots of America held their spring general membership meeting at the Oyster Farm Seafood Eatery in Cape Charles, VA located on Virginia's Eastern Shore on Saturday, May 11, 2024.

The venue was perfect with outstanding entrees and service as well as beautiful weather. Business discussed included last year's annual report, determining location of Society's assets following death of a member, appointment of nominating committee for the fall election, information regarding planned grave marking later this year or next spring, and the induction of new members Michael Kiser and Robert Bruce.



Members in attendance were Governor Kenneth Hawkins, Deputy Governor Phillip Barnard, Registrar Richard Rattan, Treasurer General J. Shane Newcombe, Historian General Michael Weyler, Councilor Timothy Ahlgrim, Michael Wilson, Robert Bruce, Wes Graves, John Beranek, Craig Weaver, Michael Kiser and seven guests of the members.

Following the meeting, we held a grave marking cer-

emony honoring Founder Edmund Scarborough. The event took place on wooded private property located on Hedra Cottage near Belle Haven, Virginia, a short



drive from the luncheon.

Society Registrar and Genealogist Richard Rattan spoke of Scarborough's place in the early years of colonization, and the role that he played. Afterwards, Historian General Michael Weyler unveiled the marker.



## Society Events

### Presentation at Luncheon



Governor Ken Hawkins and Counselor Tim Ahlgrim represented the State Society at the Virginia SAR's Richard Henry Lee Chapter's luncheon meeting on April 9th at the Historic Christ Church, in Weems, Virginia. The guest speaker was Philip Barnard, Deputy Governor of the Virginia Society of Order of the Founders and Patriots of America and 1st Vice President, Richmond Chapter, Virginia SAR, who gave a colorful and educational presentation on the lives of two of his ancestors and patriots who played very different roles in their service to the American Revolution during its earliest days in Massachusetts.

### Norfolk & Great Bridge dedications



Counselor Tim Ahlgrim presented the Virginia Soci-

ety's wreath on Saturday April 13th at the dedication of two Revolutionary War patriots, Willis Wilkins, and William West. Co-hosted by the SAR's Virginia Society Chapters, Norfolk and Great Bridge, the two ceremonies were attended by over twenty-five individuals representing a variety of patriotic organizations as well as the Chesapeake City Government and the local community. Patriot Willis Wilkins was honored at a ceremony at a small plot in the Deer Run community at 2019 Coral Ivy Lane and William West was honored at a ceremony at the Good Hope Methodist Church Cemetery, 1633 Benefit Road.

Great Bridge Chapter President Don Ferguson served as the master of ceremonies for both events.

### Patriots Day



Virginia Society's Counselor Douglas Hall presented the Society's wreath at two events held on April 13th, at the Wayside Inn in Middletown, Virginia. The first was in recognition of "Patriots Day", which recognizes the battles of Lexington and Concord, as well as the aftermath of "the shot heard round the world". The second event was to celebrate the birthday of Thomas Jefferson, April 13th, 1743, who was the author of the Declaration of Independence and

the third President of the United States.

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## ROTC



On May 1st, at the James Madison University ROTC awards ceremony, Councilor Douglas M. Graves of the Virginia Society OFPA, presented our “Superior Achievement” award to Cadet Alyssa Gray. Cadet Gray hails from Northern Virginia and is in her senior year with JMU-ROTC. Her plans are to be commissioned in the United States Army upon graduation. At the ceremony,



Lieutenant Colonel Michael “Graham” Davidson, the Commander for Military Science at James Madison University’s Army ROTC program, also led 5 cadets in their “Oath of Enlistment”.

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## Nickerson Award

On May 22, Counselor General Dr. Micheal Weyler presented the Society’s Nickerson award to



Midshipman 1/C Anna Hornick, who will be graduating from the U.S. Naval Academy and be sworn in to the U.S. Marine Corps as a Second Lieutenant. In receiving this award, Midshipman Hornick has demonstrated superior leadership, integrity, and potential as a future Marine Corps officer. The Order of the Founders and Patriots of America presented this award to her in honor of Lt. General Herman Nickerson, Jr., recipient of the Army Distinguished Service Cross for his extraordinary heroism in Korea.

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## Gold Good Citizenship Medal Award

On Sunday, May 26, 2024, Counselor General Dr. Micheal Weyler, Jeff Thomas and newest member to the Order of the Founders and Patriots of America, Michael Wilson attended the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution Gold Good Citizenship Medal Award Ceremony for Enes Canter Freedom, an American professional basketball player, hu-



man rights activist, and Nobel Peace Prize nominee at Gunston Hall in Lorton, Virginia.

Enes Kanter became an American Citizen in 2021 and changed his surname to FREEDOM, because "freedom is the greatest thing a human being can have."

He was born in Zurich, Switzerland to his parents Dr. Hehmet Kanter and Gulsum Kanter, and received one of the highest awards from the SAR on the 26th of May. During the reception, Mr. Freedom kindly shared with the audience how at the age of 17 he moved to the United States with a dream to play in the National Basketball Associate (NBA); and in 2011, he was selected to play for Utah Jazz.

However, his professional basketball career would end with the Boston Celtics in 2022 due to political pressure and internal influence for his courageous stance in wearing 1) "Free Tibet" sneakers and 2) his support to stop the Uyghurs' forced labor and urging the U.S. Congress to pass the Uyghur Forced Labor Prevention Act.

Mr. Freedom's character and acts of heroism in the face of Tyranny embraces the essence of the Latin phrase "de oppressor liber" and is deserving of an award for outstanding and unusual patriotic achievement and service of national importance.

NSSAR President General, John Dodd, was quoted as saying, "We were pleased Mr. Freedom accepted this award and joined us for the afternoon. He is a thoughtful and gracious man. Just as our Patriot Ancestors pledged their 'lives, fortunes and sacred honor' in the Declaration of Independence, so too, Mr. Freedom has sacrificed much for his principles. We are lucky to have him as a Naturalized Citizen and wish him well in his important charitable endeavors."

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## Gunston Hall

Virginia Society Registrar and Genealogist Richard Ratan presented the Virginia Society's respects Gunston Hall on June 8th at the Virginia SAR's commemoration of the Virginia Declaration of Rights. Counselor General Dr. Micheal Weyler also present-



ed greetings from the National OFPA. Also attending were Mike Wilson, part of the color guard, and Jeff Thomas, photographer for the event.

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## Flag Day

The Great Bridge Chapter of the DAR hosted their 53rd Annual Flag Day Ceremony today, June 14th, at the MacArthur Memorial Museum in Norfolk VA. Major General Fred Prochaska of the U.S. Army National Guard (ANG) spoke on "Celebrating the Past, Present, and Future of the Stars and Stripes." Governor Kenneth Hawkins presented the Society's wreath. Other OFPA members present were Councilor Timothy Ahlgrim and Associate Robert Bruce.



## John Marshall Ceremony

On Sunday June 23rd, Counselor General and Past Governor Dr. Michael Weyler, Virginia OFPA Deputy Governor, Philip Barnard, and new members, Bob Bruce and Michael Wilson, of the Order of the Founders and Patriots of America attended the Virginia Society Sons of the American Revolution special Grave Marking Ceremony in honor of John Marshall, a patriot of the Revolutionary War who later became the greatest Chief Justice of the Supreme Court in American history. The setting was the gravesite for Marshall and his family at Historic Shockoe Hill Cemetery in Richmond, Virginia. The



current President of the Virginia SAR has mandated that, during the 2024 year, the Society honor each of the four great contributions given to all Americans by our forefathers. They are the Constitution, our Bill of Rights, an independent Supreme Court, and a nation of free men. This ceremony was designated to honor our independent Supreme Court. As the man most responsible for establishing our independent Supreme Court, John Marshall was chosen for the honor. And given the location of the ceremony, the Richmond Chapter of the Virginia Society SAR was selected to host the event.

Philip Barnard, First Vice President of the Richmond SAR, and a scholar of the American Founding period, delivered the Biographical Address on John Marshall for the ceremony. Despite the intense heat of the day, the event was attended by twenty chapters

representing the SAR, DAR and CAR from across the state, as well as historical organizations associated with Richmond history and the legacy of John Marshall. The SAR Color Guard posted a full presentation of colors. which contributed to an outstanding presentation for the public.

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## Pomeroy Roadside Marker

Phillip Barnard, Deputy Governor of the Virginia OFPA and Vice President, Richmond Chapter SAR and Associate Bob Bruce attended the dedication of the new roadside marker informing travelers they are passing the burial site of Revolutionary War Major Joseph Eggleston and pointing them to his graveside marker nearby.

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## James City County Resolves

On Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>, The Williamsburg Chapter of SAR commemorated the 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the James City County Resolves at Freedom Park in Williamsburg. The actual signing of these Resolves occurred on July 1, 1774 at Allen's Ordinary. They resolved to support Boston by sending the city supplies and to cease all trade – both importation and exportation of goods – with the United Kingdom. This was the first ever commemoration of this event. Dr. Kenneth Hawkins, Governor of the Virginia Society OFPA presented a wreath.



# Ancestor Memorials

Associate - Timothy Francis Ahlgrim  
Founder - William Story  
Patriot - Solomon Story

Associate - Col. Carl Franklin Bess, Jr.  
Founder - Dr. Patrick Napier  
Patriot - Ashford Napier

Associate - Peter Edwin Broadbent, Jr.  
Founder - Richard Talbott  
Patriot - Richard Talbott

Associate - Arthur Brian Cowardin  
Founder - Peter Carwardine  
Patriot - John Cowardin

Associate - Lewis Taylor Cowardin  
Founder - Peter Carwardine  
Patriot - John Cowardin

Associate - Lewis Turner Cowardin, II  
Founder - Peter Carwardine  
Patriot - John Cowardin

Associate - Donald Lee Crossman  
Founder - Robert Crossman  
Patriot - Theophilus Crossman

Associate - German Pierce Culver, Jr.  
Founder - John Tompkins  
Patriot - Nathaniel Tompkins

Associate - George B. Elder  
Founder - Robert Abernathy  
Patriot - John Abernathy

Associate - Charles Benjamin Fegan  
Founder - Robert Moulton, and son, Robert Moulton  
Patriot - Cpt. Freeborn Moulton, & son, Elijah Moulton

Associate - Hugh ErskineFraser, III  
Founder - John Barker  
Patriot - Henry Barker, Jr

Associate - Thomas A. Gibson  
Founder - William Hartwell  
Patriot - Daniel Hartwell

Associate - Douglas M. "Doug" Graves  
Founder - Capt. Thomas Graves  
Patriot - Thomas Graves & son John Graves

Associate - Asa Wesley Graves, VI  
Founder - Thomas Graves  
Patriot - Thomas Graves & son John Graves

Associate - Asa Wesley Graves, VII  
Founder - Thomas Graves  
Patriot - Thomas Graves & son John Graves

Associate - Asa Wesley Graves, VIII  
Founder - Thomas Graves  
Patriot - Thomas Graves & son John Graves

Associate - Douglass R. Hall  
Founder - Richard Sawtell  
Patriot - Johnathan Sawtell, Sr

Associate - Zachary Nolan Hall  
Founder - Capt. Thomas Graves  
Patriot - Thomas Graves & son John Graves

Associate - John Sterling Harris  
Founder - William Tuttle  
Patriot - Sylvanus Tuttle

Associate - Kenneth Levon Hawkins  
Founder - William Hawkins  
Patriot - Benoni Hawkins

Associate - Christopher Lee Hubbard  
Founder - George Hubbard  
Patriot - Petter Hubbard

Associate - Donnel J. "Jerry" Hubbard  
Founder - George Hubbard  
Patriot - Petter Hubbard

Associate - Liam Jackson Hubbard  
Founder - George Hubbard  
Patriot - Petter Hubbard

Associate - Nicholas John "Nick" Jewett  
Founder - Maximilian Jewett  
Patriot - Ezekiel Jewett

Associate - Croft Moundeford Randolph Kirby  
Founder - Thomas Kirby  
Patriot - Capt. William Kirby

Associate - James Calvert Everall Kirby  
Founder - Thomas Kirby  
Patriot - Capt. William Kirby

Associate - Reade Bradbury Hazzard Kirby  
Founder - Thomas Kirby  
Patriot - Capt. William Kirby

Associate - Roger H. W. Kirby  
Founder - Thomas Kirby  
Patriot - Capt. William Kirby

# Ancestor Memorials

Associate - Taylor Thoroughgood Lawson Kirby  
Founder - Thomas Kirby  
Patriot - Capt. William Kirby

Associate - Wade H.O. Kirby  
Founder - Thomas Kirby  
Patriot - Capt. William Kirby

Associate - Terry Robert Krebs  
Founder - John Benson & son, John  
Patriot - Job Benson, and son, Elihu

Associate - John "Jake" Carbery Lay, II  
Founder - Robert Lay  
Patriot - Asa Lay

Associate - Brian Allen Lyman  
Founder - Richard Lyman  
Patriot - Ozias Lyman

Associate - Kevin Lee Lyman  
Founder - Richard Lyman  
Patriot - Ozias Lyman

Associate - Col. Judson P. Mason, Jr.  
Founder - Sampson Mason  
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