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Spring 2013

Next VA OFPA Meeting

Saturday, October 19, 2013

The meeting will be in conjunction with Yorktown day. Something like this: Lay the wreath at Governor Nelson's grave, march in parade, hold membership meeting/luncheon, do a grave marking. Final details are being worked out.

Executive Board meeting: TBD

Pictured below—Associates at the March 23rd meeting were: (from left to right) Deputy Governor Walt Sheffield, Chaplain Russell Scott, Secretary/Treasurer Ross Grogg, Past Governor Mike Lyman, Governor Shane Newcombe, Historian Jerry Hubbard, Preston Adams, Registrar Doug Graves, Hugh Fraser, Past Governor Taylor Cowardin. The atmosphere was great, the food was great, the speaker was great and the company was distinguished. I believe all who attended enjoyed themselves. Several wives, guests and prospective members were also present.

General Court 2013

23 through 26 May 2013

If you changed your mind, and want to attend, contact Jerry Hubbard (contact info on last page). I will forward the required forms.

If you plan on attending, please contact Governor Shane Newcombe.





Above—Mr. Richard “Rich” Sliwoski, talking about the renovation of the VA Capital. The original capital building goes back to the time of Thomas Jefferson and has rock walls seven foot thick. The building was leaking, original foundation was crumbling, etc. The building was saved/restored to historical accuracy.





Left to right Associates Jerry Hubbard, Doug Graves, Joe Cannon, and Mike Lyman, honored President James Madison on his 262th Birthday, 16 March 2013 at his home, Montpelier.



The OFPA flag, and the VA OFPA parade banner.

On the fireplace mantel on the left is the Parrish Award, to the right is the VA OFPA Charter.



Left—Executive board meeting held in February 2013. Going around the table—Taylor Cowardin, Mike Lyman, Jerry Hubbard, Shane Newcombe, Bob Kendall, Vicki Kendall, Ross Grogg, Walt Sheffield and Doug Graves.

Below: Mike Lyman, Will Simpson, Shane Newcombe and Walt Sheffield represented the Virginia Society of the Order of Founders and Patriots of America at the Virginia Society Sons of the American Revolution annual meeting in February. Governor Shane Newcombe gave greetings on behalf of the VA OFPA



Ancestor Memorials

Associate-Robert B. Kendall
Founder-Francis Kendall
Patriot-Josiah Kendall

Associate-James M. Bayne
Founder-William Hatcher
Patriot-Edward Hatcher

Associate-A. Brian Cowardin
Founder-Peter Cowardine
Patriot-John Cowardine

Associate-L. Taylor Cowardin
Founder-Peter Cowardine
Patriot-John Cowardine

Associate-Asa Wesley Graves, VI
Founder-Thomas Graves
Patriot-Thomas Graves

Associate-Douglas M. Graves
Founder-Thomas Graves
Patriot-John Grave
Patriot-Thomas Graves

Associate-Russell C. Scott
Founder-Christopher Branch
Patriot-Capt. Benjamin Branch

Associate-Michael T. Halterman
Founder-Christopher Wadsworth
Patriot-Joseph Wadsworth

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

Associate-Roger P. Jones
Founder-Rev. Richard Jones
Patriot-Peter Jones

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

Associate-Myron "Mike" E. Lyman
Founder-Richard Lyman
Patriot-Ozias Lyman

Associate-Billy "Cowboy" Ogden Wadsworth
Founder-Christopher Wadsworth
Patriot-Joseph Wadsworth
Founder-John Ogden S-1
Patriot-Abraham Ogden S-1

Associate-Eugene A. Walker
Founder-Capt. Samuel Walker
Patriot-Sgt. Timothy Walker

Associate-Cranston Williams, Jr.
Founder-Ambrose Cobbs
Founder-Robert Cobbs
Patriot-Capt. Robert Lewis Cobbs

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

Associate-Zachary N. Hall
Founder-Thomas Graves
Patriot-John Graves
Patriot-Thomas Graves

Associate-David Warren Lyman
Founder-Richard Lyman
Patriot-Ozias Lyman

Associate-Christopher L. Hubbard
Founder-George Hubbard
Patriot-Peter Hubbard

Associate-Donnel J. Hubbard
Founder-George Hubbard
Patriot-Peter Hubbard

Associate-Walter Jervis Sheffield
Founder-Col. Robert Wynne, II
Patriot-John Winn and son Peter Winn

Associate-Dwight David Lyman
Founder-Richard Lyman
Patriot-Ozias Lyman

Associate-Hugh Erskine Fraser, III
Founder-John Barker, Sr
Patriot-Henry Barker

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Associate-Asa Wesley Graves, VII

Founder-Thomas Graves

Patriot-Thomas Graves

Associate-James Lewis Wheeler

Founder-George Wheeler and son William

Patriot-Sgt. Timothy Wheeler, Sr.

Associate-Charles E. Phebus

Founder-Sir George Calvert, 1st

Patriot-Lord Baltimore

Associate-Wade H.O. Kirby

Founder-Thomas Kirby

Patriot-Captain William Kirby

Associate- Charles Adams Roberts

Founder- William Lane

Founder-Andrew Lane

Patriot- Daniel Lane, Sr.

Please Remember

VA OFPA has several wreaths, a parade banner and an OFPA flag which can be used by any VA OFPA Associate at an event. It is a good way to let people know you are an OFPA member.

If you participate in an activity where you are identified as an OFPA Associate, please let the Governor know. Save a copy of the program. If you write an article, save a copy and send to Governor Newcombe to be included in the annual Governor's report.

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The VA OFPA web site is www.vaofpa.org. Donald Moore is our webmaster and recently updated it. Take a look at a great web site!