



# Texas Sons of the American Revolution

## Cradle of Texas Crier

Cradle of Texas Chapter # 33

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**May**

### Next Meeting

Cradle of Texas Chapter # 33  
Sons of the American Revolution  
May 11 , 2024  
11:30 a.m.  
Fat Grass  
1717 7th Street  
Bay City, TX 77414

### Program: Ancestor Profiles

### Meeting Minutes

Sons of the American Revolution  
Cradle of Texas Chapter 33  
April 13, 2024

The Sons of the American Revolution met April 13, 2024 at Wharton County Jr. College

**Call to Order:** Vice President David Garza called the meeting to order.

**Invocation:** The invocation was given by Chaplain Jim Leach.

**Pledges:** Vice President Weems led the pledges to the flags of the United States, Texas, and the Sons of the American Revolution.

**Introduction of Guests:** Members and guests introduced themselves.

**Induction:** Vice President David Garza inducted Jr. member Everett Humber. Photos were taken.

**Program: "Active Shooter"**

**Vice President Garza** introduced the speaker, Sheriff Lt. Ben Guanajuato, who spoke on the problem of public mass shootings and the attempts to mitigate their effects. Official police response times to these shootings is usually less than 5 minutes, but many are over before law enforcement arrives. Lt. Ben presented a program outlining immediate actions civilians must be prepared to take to save their own lives before law enforcement arrives.

**Minutes:** The minutes from the March meeting were approved on a motion and second.

### Treasurer's Report: Chris Wendel General Fund (Free checking-working account)

Beginning Statement	
Balance 3/01/2024	\$2255.49
Income:	
ACH Deposit-TXSSAR applications & supplementals	\$54.00
ACH Deposit-TXSSAR paid member dues	\$797.50
ACH Deposit-TXSSAR perpetual member dues	\$95.00
Interest	\$00.08
Total Income	\$946.58
Expense:	
<b>Cleared</b>	
Ck.# 1082 R. Weems (supplies and ROTC)	\$205.00
Ck.# 1083 Beau Morgan (Knight Essay)	\$100.00

ACH Harlan checks	\$25.86
Total Expenses	\$330.86
Ending Free Checking Account Statement Balance:	
3/31/2024	\$2871.21
Uncleared checks to account for working balance:	
Ck.# 1084 Everett Humber (Poster Contest)	\$100.00
Ck.# 1085 Fat Grass	\$68.60
Ck.#1096 R. Weems (certificates & folders)	\$680.00
Total Uncleared Checks	\$848.60

Working Account Balance Available	\$2022.61
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**JROTC (restricted use account)**

Beginning Statement Balance	
3/01/2024	\$2566.67
Income:	
Deposits	\$00.00
Expense:	\$00.00
Ending Account Balance	\$2566.67

**McAlexander Fund (main share)l**

Beginning Balance	
3/01/2024	\$904.61
Income:	
Deposits-Interest	
3/31/2024	\$00.08
Total Income	\$00.08
Ending Main Share Account Statement Balance	
3/31/2024	\$904.61
<b>Total Combined Statement Balance - 3/31/2024</b>	<b>\$6342.26</b>

**Awards/Recognitions: Garza, Weems, Avera**

- New Jr. Member Induction : Everett Humber (Weems)

- Poster Contest Certificate: Everett Humber (Weems)
- Good Citizenship Award: David Hayward, Damon ISD Superintendent (Avera)

**Reports of Officers and Committees:**

**Registrar: Garza/Sanders:** No new Inductions

**Webmaster: Wiggins:** No Report

**Community Outreach/Education:**

**Weems:** Rodney outlined the JROTC units in our 3 county area.

**Old Business:** Facebook page briefly discussed

**New Business:** None

**Correspondence:** None

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**SAR Recessional: Led by Garza Motion for Adjournment made, seconded and carried.**

**Benediction: Chaplain Jim Leach**

**Next Meeting**

**11 May, 2024**

**Fat Grass**

**1717 7th Street**

**Bay City, TX 77414**

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