

The Florida Society of the
Sons of the American Revolution

Fort Lauderdale Chapter Newsletter

Next Meeting – Tower Club, 28th Floor of the Nations Bank Building

1 Financial Tower, SE Third Avenue & Broward Blvd. (Parking inside building is \$ 2.00)

DATE : THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 1993

TIME : SOCIAL - 11: 30 am LUNCH - 12:00 Noon

COST : \$ 12.00 per PERSON

For RESERVATIONS : Call Wally Floyd's secretary (California Federal)

by **11:00am TUESDAY**, August 10th, at **566-9705**.

(Late reservations can be made until **11am, Wednesday**, by calling 564-2813)

PROGRAM : " Little Known Facts in History "

The speaker will be our own Harry L. Young, Jr.. He will share some of the highlights of four books that expound on: myths and fallacies in history, the private lives of past First Ladies, women in the Revolution and the people and life during the period of the Revolution. A list of the names and authors of these books will be provided, since it is hoped this experience will stimulate your interest in reading more about some of these subjects.

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A SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal will be presented to Officer Adam Yates at this meeting also. Your Chapter is awarding this metal in recognition of his performance in our community and the credit he brings to his chosen profession. A letter of commendation from his Chief of Police is shown on the reverse side of this newsletter.

+++ Come !! Bring your friends !! +++

NEWS :

+ **Hooray !!** Our local and state winner of the Joseph S. Rumbaugh Oration Contest, Regina Gumm, won second place in the national competition. She was only 2 points behind the winner. Regina, her family and her coach are to be commended. She represented our chapter with charm and enthusiasm and was very appreciative of the support and opportunity given her by the SAR . --

+ THERE WILL BE NO REGULAR CHAPTER MEETING IN SEPTEMBER. Instead, all members have been invited to attend the DAR Constitution Week Luncheon Meeting, Thursday, September 16, 1993.

Wives and guests are welcome too. Location: Riverside Hotel, 620 Las Olas Blvd.

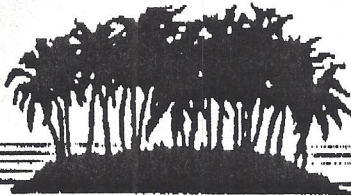
Time: 11:30 am; lunch will be served promptly at Noon

Cost: \$12.50 per person.

Make reservations by Sept. 10, by sending a check, payable to "Maj. William Lauderdale Chap., NSDAR", to: Cathy L. Green, Treasurer

20 NE 45th Court, Pompano Beach, FL 33064

NOTE: This is the only notice you will receive about this September meeting. No Chapter Newsletter will be mailed for that month.



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OFFICER OF THE QUARTER

ADAM YATES

During the past three months changes have occurred on the shift worked by Officer Yates. These changes reflected a change in philosophy, accountability and type of work product. Prior to these changes, emphasis was placed on monthly statistics comprised of numbers and types of arrests and traffic citations. Policing standards were restructured to accommodate community policing tenets.

Change is not always easy but Officer Yates has excelled. Officer Yates has greatly assisted this evolution with his imagination, work ethics and his desire to better his profession and the community. Officer Yates has blended aspects of traditional policing with that of community policing. In the traditional standards based on monthly statistics he has maintained an even "par" with his peers. In the arena of community policing Officer Yates has designed a goal format and activity report.

In his reporting area he has developed and implemented remedies to problems which he identified. Through contact with businesses in his reporting zone he has established a nightly task with Publix Market where bread, deli meats, etc. are donated to Kids in Distress.

Also, a joint meeting with apartment building owners/managers and the Wilton Manors Police was initiated to discuss mutual problems. Loitering by vagrants and panhandlers in front of local businesses has also been addressed. Arrests have been made for trespass after persons had been warned not to loiter in front of the businesses. A trespass sign is being developed with the assistance of his peers but the idea was Officer Yates'.

On February 27, 1993 Officer Yates responded to a call for service involving a domestic related aggravated battery. The victim was pregnant and had been subjected to numerous hours of physical abuse. Officer Yates conducted a thorough investigation leading to the arrest of the suspect for Kidnapping, Aggravated Battery and Aggravated Assault.

Officer Yates has held meetings with city recreation department personnel regarding the development of youth activities for lower income families. As a result a proposal was submitted by Daniel W. Keefe, Recreation Director, for a mobile recreation activity program, Mobile After School Hours (MASH).

I am proud to recognize all of Officer Yates' efforts and accomplishments and proud to select him as Officer of the Quarter.

STEPHEN P. KENNETH
Chief of Police