



The Florida Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

Fort Lauderdale Chapter Newsletter



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President's Message

Fellow Compatriots,

It's time to come together again to accept nominations and elect for Chapter Officers for 2017. We need Candidates that are willing to serve as officers for next year. Vacant positions will be presented and we could use your help assuming a leadership role in our chapter and serving our community.

The Chapter will be awarding the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal with Certificate this month to Capt. Edward Sileo of DLE's Criminal Investigation Division. The award wasn't issued to him last month due to not being informed by the Dept. of Community Services because of Hurricane Matthew.

Our Guest Speaker last month was Marco A. Arboleda US Army Special Forces Retired.

This months Guest Speaker will be Captain Edward Sileo.

Joe Motes attended the Fall Board Of Management meeting on October 14-15 held in Orlando, FL.

I look forward to seeing you all there.

Fraternally, Allen Manning

September Minutes

Meeting called to order by President Allen Manning.

Invocation, Pledge of Allegiance and Pledge to SAR lead by Ted Duay

Guests: Mrs. Zimmer and Retired Master Sgt. Marco Arboleda.

Attendance: David Nash, Michael Dye, John Dye, Allen Manning Ted Duay, Robert Dooley, and Jim Lohmeyer.

Officer Reports:

President Allen Manning will look into FDLE, not being in attendance to receive Certificate.

Treasurer: Joe Motes request us to send in our dues.

Secretary: Jim Lohmeyer Moved we purchase Wreaths for December meeting. Ted Duay added we limit to the number and cost of last year. This was passed.

David Kramer, Robert Dooley, and David Nash collected 56 hardback, 46 paperback books and 75 magazines for the Veterans. We have receipt and thank you from the VA.

Trustee Ted Duay reported trust fund acct. \$14,176.00 which \$3,441.05 is available for chapter expenses.

Guest Speaker

President Allen Manning presented our guest speaker.

Sgt. Arboleda attended Miami Springs Senior High School. Shortly after graduation he joined the U.S. Army. He had many assignments before getting into Special Forces: jump school (he's had 182 jumps) a medic, and language schooling. Most of his tours were covert and in South America. Its was very interesting how years ahead they are preparing for any future eventually. M/Sgt is a Green Beret. Special happening were told about his activities.

President Manning presented M/Sgt. with a certification of Appreciation and thanked him for his Service.

Motion to adjourn approved by standing and reciting the SAR Recessional.

Ted Duay gave the Benediction.

Next Meeting Nov. 19th.

Law Enforcement Commendation Medal Award

Captain Edward Sileo was promoted to Captain of the Criminal Investigations Division in August 2015.

Captain Sileo was born and raised in Fort Lauderdale and began his military law enforcement career in 1981 with the US Air Force. After his active service he became law enforcement Officer for the City of Boca Raton Police Department in 1987 where he served as a patrolman and a detective assigned to the Burglary Apprehension Team. In 1990, Captain Sileo joined the Broward Sheriff's Office serving as a Road Patrol Deputy, Burglary Detective and Selective Enforcement Team detective. In 1998, he was promoted to Sergeant and served in Criminal Investigations as the supervisor of the Career Criminal Unit for eight years.

He was promoted t Lieutenant in 2006 and was assigned as the Executive Lieutenant in the City of North Lauderdale, until his deployment with the US Air Force Reserves to Iraq where he was awarded the Purple Heart. Upon his return, he was assigned as the Administrative Lieutenant in the Criminal Investigations Division, overseeing the Crime Lab, Crime Scene, Evidence Control and District Detectives among other duties.

Captain Sileo Is a graduate of the University of Louisville's Southern Police Institute Command Officer Development Course and the Nova Southeastern University Criminal Justice Institute Executive Leadership Program.

NEXT MEETING - OCTOBER 15, 2016

Colony West Golf Club
6800 NW 88th Ave, Tamarac, FL 33321

Future Dates:

Saturday, 11/19/16

Saturday, 01/21/17

Saturday, 02/18/17

Time: 11:30 AM social gathering; Lunch at noon

FOR RESERVATIONS CALL: 954-559-3202
or e-mail Joe Motes at: joemotes@aol.com

**FORT LAUDERDALE CHAPTER
TRUST FUND REPORT
OCTOBER 15, 2016**

VALUE OF TRUST FUND AT MARCH 22, 2015	18,121.19
2015 EARNINGS	53.38
2016 EARNINGS	52.48
2015 CONTRIBUTIONS	390.00
2015 DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME TO CHAPTER	(1,000.00)

TOTAL VALUE OF TRUST FUND AT OCTOBER 15, 2016 **17,617.05**

CONTRIBUTIONS PRIOR TO 1993	2,225.00
1993 CONTRIBUTIONS	230.00
1994 CONTRIBUTIONS	130.00
1995 CONTRIBUTIONS	76.00
1996 CONTRIBUTIONS	247.00
1997 CONTRIBUTIONS	1,883.00
1998 CONTRIBUTIONS	610.00
1999 CONTRIBUTIONS	845.00
2000 CONTRIBUTIONS	511.00
2001 CONTRIBUTIONS	586.00
2002 CONTRIBUTIONS	325.00
2003 CONTRIBUTIONS	745.00
2004 CONTRIBUTIONS	255.00
2005 CONTRIBUTIONS	385.00
2006 CONTRIBUTIONS	460.00
2007 CONTRIBUTIONS	455.00
2008 CONTRIBUTIONS	405.00
2009 CONTRIBUTIONS	568.00
2010 CONTRIBUTIONS	840.00
2011 CONTRIBUTIONS	345.00
2012 CONTRIBUTIONS	585.00
2013 CONTRIBUTIONS	550.00
2014 CONTRIBUTIONS	525.00
2015 CONTRIBUTIONS	390.00

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO TRUST FUND (PRINCIPAL) **14,176.00**

AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR CHAPTER EXPENSES (INCOME) **3,441.05**





Fort Lauderdale Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution presented two Certificate of Recognition to two Eagle Scouts from Troop 224 Southwest Ranches.

[1] Washington's expense notebook for the beginning of the Revolutionary War can be read online at the George Washington Papers at the Library of Congress, 1741-1799, part of the American Memory project. The specific page is: <http://memory.loc.gov/cgi-bin/ampage?collId=mgw5&fileName=gwpage022.db&recNum=2>. The text has been published in *George Washington's Accounts of Expenses While Commander-in-Chief of the Continental Army 1775-1783*, John C. Fitzpatrick, editor (Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1917), and page images in George Washington and Marvin Kitman. *George Washington's Expense Account* (New York: Simon & Schuster, 1970).

[2] *American Archives*, Peter Force, compiler (Washington, D.C.: U.S. Congress, 1837-53), series 4, 2:1748. The original letter is at the Massachusetts Historical Society, filed in its Miscellaneous Bound Manuscripts collection by the date July 28, 1775.

[3] Clifford K. Shipton wrote about Carnes in *Sibley's Harvard Graduates* (Boston: Massachusetts Historical Society, 1873-), 11:137-42, focusing on his well-documented ministerial career. The only thing that profile says about Carnes's espionage activity is that his descendants' recollection of it was "an unsubstantiated family tradition."

[4] *Sibley's Harvard Graduates*, 11:139. Carnes published his side of the dispute in the August 22, 1757, *Boston Gazette*.

[5] *Sibley's Harvard Graduates*, 11:140.

[6] Boston Town Records, formally titled *Reports of the Record Commissioners of the City of Boston* (Boston: Rockwell & Churchill, 1876-

1905), 20:222, 304. On May 22, 1771, the selectmen granted Carnes a new license to retail from "the House he has lately removed to the South part of Boston, lately improved [i.e., used] by Mr. Joseph Ballard"; Boston Town Records, 23:87.

[7] *Boston Gazette*, March 20 and April 13, 1769. The March 23, 1769, *Boston News-Letter* also mentioned the theft.

[8] *Boston News-Letter*, January 25, 1770.

[9] William Bentley, *The Diary of William Bentley, D.D.* (Salem, Mass.: Essex Institute, 1905-14), 2:454.

[10] *Papers of George Washington, Revolutionary War Series*, Philander D. Chase, Dorothy Twohig, Frank E. Grizzard, Edward G. Lengel, et al., editors (Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 1985-), 1:311.

[11] *Papers of George Washington, Revolutionary War Series*, 1:312-3.

[12] "Diary of Ezekiel Price, 1775-6," *Massachusetts Historical Society Proceedings*, 7 (1863-64), 204-5. That night the Continentals were "ordered to lie on their arms" to be ready for a British attack that never came; Richard Frothingham, *History of the Siege of Boston*, 4th edition (Boston: Little, Brown, 1873), 232-3.

[13] Allen French, *General Gage's Informers: New Material Upon Lexington and Concord, Benjamin Thompson as Loyalist and the Treachery of Benjamin Church, Jr.* (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 1932), 188.

[14] *Massachusetts Historical Society Proceedings*, 7:214.

[15] *American Ancestry*, 11:134. The same statement appears in George Harlan Lewis, *Edmund Lewis, of Lynn, Massachusetts: and Some of His Descendants* (Salem: Essex Institute, 1908), 32-3.

[16] The most complete examination of Church's activities available is John A. Nagy, *Dr. Benjamin Church, Spy: A Case of Espionage on the Eve of the American Revolution* (Yardley, Pa.: Westholme, 2013).

[17] This page of Washington's expense notebook can be viewed at <http://memory.loc.gov/cgi-bin/ampage?collId=mgw5&fileName=gwpage022.db&recNum=10>.

[18] *Sibley's Harvard Graduates*, 11:142.

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2017 Dues Notice

Greetings Compatriot !

Your SAR dues notice and membership card for 2016 are enclosed. Please mail your check no later than December 14th. This timing is required to meet the new deadlines established by the state and national organizations. If circumstances may delay your payment, call or e-mail the Treasurer (954-559-3202 or joemotes@aol.com

NOTE: Anyone who has not been heard from by 12/14/16 must be reported as dropped from Membership.

Reinstatement can be made at a later date but this will require processing a special application and the payment of \$5 in addition to the regular dues. These delays also may cause some issues of the newsletter and magazine to be missed. – Of course, it is hoped that everyone will renew but it also is very important that your response be timely.

CHAPTER TRUST FUND

The Fort Lauderdale Chapter SAR Trust Fund was established in 1991 and has grown to its current balance of approx \$16,297.45. The stated purpose of this fund is to assist in the operation of the Chapter, including its projects and expenses. Only the earnings of the Trust may be utilized, never the principal.

Including extra dollars in your check for the trust fund will be very helpful and appreciated.

Thank you and have a happy holiday season.....



President Allen Manning presented a Certificate of Appreciation to last months guest speaker Master Sgt. Marco Arboleda.



President Allen Manning presented a Past President certificate to Past President William Zimmer.

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James Lohmeyer volunteering at the V.A. C.B.O.C in Sunrise, working very hard as you can see.