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**Chadwick Stokes Inducted** 



**Kirk Drake Inducted** 



Cordell Avery Receives 10 Year Award

# Hetivity Report

A fresh start to the New Year, reports are all submitted and if we all work together, we can set our goals to do better and have the satisfaction that our ancestors would be proud. If you have a suggestion to make your experience with our Chapter more rewarding, please let us know. At our last meeting on the 16<sup>th</sup>, we inducted Chadwick Stokes and Kirk Drake into our Chapter and presented Cordell Avery his 10 Year Membership Certificate and pin.

We still have members who have not paid their dues for 2025 and will continue to receive checks or money orders for those who would like to remain active members and continue to honor and celebrate the sacrifices that were made for our country. It is especially important as we approach the milestone year of 2026 and the many commemorations and activities that will be available to participate in. Dues is \$50 (National), \$20 (State), and \$20 (Chapter) for a total of \$90. Youth dues is still \$5 (Younger than 18 - National only). Please make your check out to "GGWC NCSAR" and mail them to Kenny Smith, 146 Slaney Loop, Winterville, NC 28590.

Our next meeting will be on Thursday, the 16<sup>th</sup> of January, at Greenville Church of God, 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC, at 7 PM, (Note: the church has had an increase in activity and we were asked to meet in the smaller classroom, to accommodate a larger group. It is the second door to the right of the church main entrance doors.) A Zoom link will be sent, though if we are in the smaller classroom there is not enough bandwidth to work well. We will have a program, and I look forward to seeing everyone there,

George

## Meeting Agenda - February 20, 2025

Call to Order: George Strunk Invocation: George Strunk

Pledge of Allegiance: Broughton Goodson

SAR Pledge: Chadwick Stokes

Program: TBD

Possible Inductions of new members

Presentation of Awards

Treasurer Report: Kenny Smith (\$1,352.27)

Business: Upcoming events and any other concerns for the group.

SAR Recessional: Stephen Elliott Benediction: George Strunk

### Last Meeting Minutes - 21 January 2025

The Chapter met on January 16<sup>th</sup> and the following were present: George Strunk, Doug Williams, Gerald Wilcox, Dave Hance, Broughton Goodson, Don Bonham, Cordell Avery, Chadwick Stokes, and Kirk Drake. Guest: Jay Martin. George opened the meeting, gave the Invocation and the pledges were recited. Our Bank Balance was \$ 1352.27. We discussed the activities of last year and upcoming events. It is not necessary to wear a colonial uniform or coat and tie to attend events. Every participant is counted toward Americanism or Stark Award points at each event. The SAR Recessional and Benediction ended the meeting.

#### Upcoming SAR events that might be of interest

Feb 7 Heroes of the Hornet's Nest – Washington, Georgia

Feb 8 Battle of Kettle Creek – Washington, Georgia

Feb 15 Crossing of the Dan- 10AM – 700 Bruce St., South Boston, VA

Feb 20 General George Washington Chapter Meeting - 7PM — 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Feb 22 247th Anniversary of the Battle of Moore's Creek – 10AM – Currie, NC

Feb 27-Mar 1 NSSAR Spring Leadership – Louisville, KY

Mar 14 245th Anniversary of the Battle of Guilford Courthouse – Greensboro, NC

Mar 20 General George Washington Chapter Meeting, Greenville 7 PM – 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Apr 4-5 NC State Annual Meeting - TBD, Greensboro, NC

Apr 12 Halifax Resolves – Halifax, NC

Apr 17 General George Washington Chapter Meeting - 7 PM 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

May 15 General George Washington Chapter Meeting - 7 PM 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

May 17 Patriots Day in Alamance County - Alamance Battleground, Burlington, NC

May 20 246th Anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration – Charlotte, NC

May 26 Memorial Day

Jun 14 Flag Day

Jun 14 Liberty Point Resolves – Fayetteville, NC

Jun 19 General George Washington Chapter Meeting- 7 PM 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Jun 21 244th Anniversary of the Battle of Ramsour's Mill – Lincolnton, NC

Jun 22 Liberty Point Resolves – Fayetteville, NC

July 4th Independence Day

Jul 11-18th SAR National Congress – Uncasville, CT

Jul 24 General George Washington Chapter Meeting - 7 PM 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Jul 26 Battle of Colson's Mill – Norwood, NC

Aug 2 Battle of Rockfish – Wallace, NC

Aug 9 Battle of House in the Horseshoe – Sanford, NC

Aug 9 Battle of Blue Licks Memorial Ceremony - Carlisle, KY

Aug 16 NC SAR Summer BOM – UNC Club, 4200 Hillsborough St., Raleigh, NC

Aug 21 General George Washington Chapter Meeting-7 PM 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Aug 23 New Bern Resolves, Christ Episcopal Church, New Bern 10 AM

Aug 27 Battle of Elizabethtown -

Sep 20 Washington's Tomb Vigil – Mt. Vernon, VA

Sep 18 General George Washington Chapter Meeting-7 PM 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Oct 2 Fall Leadership – Louisville, KY

Oct 4 Anniversary of the Crossing of the Catawba River – Greenlee Ford, NC

Oct 7 244th Anniversary of the Battle of Kings Mountain - Gafney, SC

Oct 7 2-4 PM South Atlantic District Meeting - Gafney, SC

Oct 11 245th Anniversary of the Battle of Shallow Ford – Huntsville, NC

Oct 16 General George Washington Chapter Meeting- 7 PM 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Oct 17 Victory at Yorktown - Yorktown, VA

Nov 11 Veterans Day - Goldsboro Veterans Memorial Park, Goldsbooro, NC 11:00 AM

Nov 15 Caswell Commemoration – Kinston, NC 11:00 AM

Nov 21 General George Washington Annual Meeting - 6 PM 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Dec 14 Wreaths Across America 11 AM – Eastern Carolina State Veterans Cemetery, 164 Longs Plant Farm Road., Goldsboro.

Jan 15 General George Washington Chapter Meeting – 7 PM - 3105 S Memorial Dr., Greenville, NC

Jan 17 Battle of Cowpens – 12:30 – 4001 Chesnee Hwy, Gaffney, SC

Feb 1 245th Battle of Cowans Ford – 9:00 AM - 10500 Beattie's Ford Rd., Huntersville, NC

NC SAR Winter BOM - 11:30