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2nd Texas Frontier District Camp 1904
DeLeon, Texas



**Preserving Our Southern Heritage
And Making Texans Proud**



Texas Sons of Confederate Veterans



Camp Officers

Paul Hutcheson....Commander & Chaplain

Dave Guise...1st Lt. Commander

Steve Bondy....2nd Lt. Commander

Charlie Ditmore.....3rd Lt. Commander

Eddie Cox.... Adjutant

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Our Next Meeting

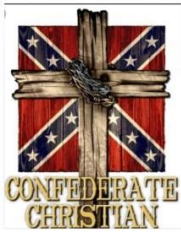
Tuesday, January 23, 2024 7:00 PM

Please bring a side dish or dessert,
and enjoy food and friends

All meetings are held the 4th Tuesday of each month
@ 7pm for a pot luck supper followed by a program
on Southern History, a short break and then
our monthly business meeting.

Visitors are welcome to any or all of the above.

Location: Comanche Merchantile
100 N. Houston st. Comanche Tx.



MESSAGE FROM THE COMMANDER/CHAPLAIN



Hello again my confederate brothers and sisters and welcome to a new year.

I hope everyone had a fantastic Christmas and a wonderful New Year's. I had to make an unexpected trip to Colorado that caused me to miss the New Year's breakfast and I apologize for that. I have enjoyed all the ones I have been to in the past and hated to miss it. A great way to start the year and all who were there had a good time.

As we are now already, two weeks into 2024 it is clear that time has no intention of slowing down. Between work life, home, life, SCV meetings and everything else that pulls us in different directions-It is hard to find time for ourselves. I believe 2024 should not only be the year we all make a point to set aside time for ourselves to enjoy a hobby or just relax and recharge, but it should be the year we all decide to make a little more time for our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Even reading one simple verse of God's word every morning can change your entire day. God loves spending time with us and the more we do, the more we see an improvement in our day-to-day lives. I would love to share growing with the Lord with all y'all.

I am ready to get this year started and I'm looking forward to this month's meeting so we can set forth our plans for this year.

Hope to see everyone there. Until then.,

God bless y'all and God bless Dixie.

Paul Hutcheson

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1st Lieutenant's Report



Happy New Year compatriots,

On January 6, I had the privilege to participate in a graveside ceremony for Col. George R. Reeves hosted by the camp named for him, Reeves 11th Texas Cavalry Camp #349 Commander Daniel Cirkles. Col. Reeves is buried in the Georgetown Cemetery, located at Pottsboro, Texas. Taylor Sheridan had him poorly portrayed in the series "Bass Reeves".

We honored him with a cannon and rifle salute and I did a canteen ceremony.

I look forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting.

My God bless Dixie,

Dave Guise

1st Lt and past Commander
2nd Texas Frontier District
Camp #1904 DeLeon
7th Brigade, Texas Division
Sons of Confederate Veterans

2nd Lieutenant Retired
Mechanized Calvary #3826
1BN, Company C, 2nd platoon





2nd Texas Frontier-Camp 1904



November 2023 Minutes

7PM Paul Hutcheson offered the blessing and invocation. Pot Luck served by TSOCR
7:30 Meeting called to order. Pledges US, Texas and CSA Reading of the Charge
Introduction of Guest: Dana Herod, Sheryl Rascher, & Steve Burnett

Program by Sheryl Reed "Cook Brothers of Chattanooga county Georgia"

Business Section

Current Adjutant Eddie Cox declared a quorum IS achieved.

Eddie Cox submits Treasurer 's report : \$3,472.89

October 2023 Minutes stand approved.

Commander calls for Officer reports:

1st Lt. Commander-Dave Guise - Nothing to report

2nd Lt. Commander-Steve Bondy Need more posters for store windows

3rd Lt. Commander-Charles Ditmore: Nothing to report

OCR-Becky Bussey - Not present. Brenda Guise. reports

January 6th next TSOCR General Business Meeting in Waco. Sang Happy Birthday to Painted Rose Ginger Ivy.

Events-Dave Guise: Christmas Party due to low ticket sales, unable to have buffet. all tickets to be refunded and everyone order food from menu. All else remains

Membership & Recruitment-Steve Bondy: no recruits at this time

Programs-January- Video "2024 in Review"

Flags-Tommy Alford- not present Not Present

Cemetary-Eddie Cox.- November 18 clean up canceled. Hazel Dale Cemetery clean up planned for January 20. 10am

Newsletter-Brenda Guise- \$164 paid for renewal of 1904 Website

Old Business: none

New Business: Alyssa H. requests help with Keyclub fund raiser. Many members donated. Dave Guise motion to retain present officers in each position for another year. Mason Spikes 2nd. Passes with a unanimous vote.

Mason Spikes motion to close meeting. Eddie Cox 2nd

Commander calls for comments and closes meeting.

Benediction & Dixie led by Commander 8:48P meeting adjourned



January in History



THE CONFEDERATE "PASSOVER FEAST"

Just as the Israelites remember what the Living God did for them in Egypt during the final plague when the Angel of Death struck down all the first born but passed over their houses with the lambs' blood on the door post. We too have a feast to remember how the Living God saved us from death. The Israelites still do the Passover Feast so future generations will never forget. We still do our feast for the same reason. So future generations will never forget.

You see, the foreigners and Yankees in the Union army were taking grain for their horses. Livestock and other crops to feed themselves, but they just could not take everything. So, they left the black-eyed peas in great quantities thinking then only livestock fodder, and assuming stores of them would be of no use to the survivors because all the stock that they could feed had either been taken, eaten, or left to rot on the lawns of civilians. And or tossed the rotting bodies in wells to poison the water.

Our people praised God for the stupidity of the invaders and had something to feed their starving children and themselves. In the face of massive, wide-spread starvation and ruin, God gave them the black-eyed pea to live on. And they were GRATEFUL. That is a foreign concept in our society today, but very well known in theirs.

Beginning on New Years Day in 1866, the Confederate Southern Custom of eating black-eyed peas flamed across the devastated Southland. We multi-generational Confederate Southerners eat black-eyed peas **EVEN IF WE DON'T LIKE THEM**. We do so to thank God for not allowing Sherman and the illegal invaders to wipe us out completely, and we do so to remember our starving families. We will Never forget. NEVER! Besides, only the truly hungry appreciate food.

Now, go eat your black-eyed peas with a skillet of cornbread and greens, or cabbage with ham or any kind of pork, for prosperity in the new year. Bow your head and thank the Living God for that Confederate DNA you possess.

This is our year. Our time now. Our people are vindicated, thank the Living God. DEO VINDICE!

Traditional New Years Day lunch.

BLACK-EYED PEAS

The tradition of eating black-eyed peas dates back to the Civil War. When General William T. Sherman led his Union troops on their destructive march through the South, the fields of black-eyed peas were left untouched because they were deemed fit for only animals. As a result, the humble yet nourishing black-eyed pea saved surviving Confederates from starvation. The peas are said to represent coins.

GREENS

Greens represent wealth and paper money, as they're flat and green like U.S. currency. Any greens will do, but in the South the most popular are collards, mustard greens, turnip greens, and cabbage.

CORNBREAD

Cornbread symbolizes gold and is used for soaking up the pot likker from the greens. When wheat was a rarity in the region, Southerners made cornbread as a regular meal staple.

PORK

Throughout history, owning pigs and livestock was a symbol of prosperity, so today pork is eaten in the hopes of prosperity and a bountiful harvest in the coming year. Pigs are also a symbol of progressing into the year ahead since they move forward using their snout to root for food.

“Every man should endeavor to understand the meaning of subjugation before it’s too late.... It means the history of this heroic struggle will be written by the enemy; that our youth will be trained by Northern schoolteachers; will learn from Northern school books their version of the war; will be impressed by the influences of history and education to regard our gallant dead as traitors, and our maimed veterans as fit objects for derision...

It is said slavery is all we are fighting for, and if we give it up we give up all. Even if this were true, which we deny, slavery is not all that our enemies are fighting for. It’s merely the pretense to establish superiority and a more centralized form of government, and to deprive us of our rights and liberties”

-General Patrick Cleburne, State of Arkansas, Confederate States of America, January 02, 1864



NOTHING HAS CHANGED A BIT IN OVER 150 YEARS, EXCEPT PERHAPS TO WORSEN

They said, “Move your monuments to cemeteries where they belong, and they will be safe.”

Then they remove monuments that were built in cemeteries.

They say, “We want to be ALL inclusive.” But exclude us.

“We’ll proudly display a Sodomite rainbow flag, but yours offends us.”

“We want to embrace everyone, But you’re not welcome.”

Rose Greenhow said it best,

“Instead of friends, I see in Washington only mortal enemies. Instead of loving the old flag of the stars and stripes, I see in it only the symbol of murder, oppression, and shame.”

- Rose O’Neal Greenhow, Beloved Confederate Spy



Ft Worth Stock Show Parade



above L to R
3rd Brigade Commander-Festus Allcock,
Texas Division Commander-Michael Hurley,
Texas Division Chief of Staff-Allen Hearrean



2024 Upcoming Events

———as of January 15, 2024 ——

Jan 18, 2024, (Thur.) Palo Pinto #2283 meeting: 7:00 pm in the Palo Pinto Fire Hall located at 620 Oak St. Palo Pinto

Jan. 19, 2024 (Fri) CONFEDERATE HEROS DAY

Jan. 20, 2024 (Sat.) Division Wide Cemetery Clean-up Day. Camp #1904 10a Hazel Dell Cemetery, intersection of FM 1702 & FM 591-17miles SE of Comanche.

Jan 23, 2024, (Tuesday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon Meeting: 7:00pm in Comanche at the Comanche Mercantile building located on the southwest corner of the courthouse square at 101 N Houston St. Comanche TX 76442

Feb 8, 2024 (Thur) Whitney #2313 meeting: 6:30p Steele Creek Acres VFD, 1334 FM1713 Morgan TX.

Feb 8, 2024 (Thur) Hico #1982 meeting: 7:00p Hico Community Center

Feb. 10, 2024 (Sat.) Division Heritage Defense Training: 9am-3pm at the Baylor Club in Waco.

Feb 12, 2024 (Mon) Cleburne #1937 meeting: 6:30p Pavilion at CTOM Cleburne

Feb 12, 2024 (Mon) Hudson Oaks #2255 meeting: 7:00p R&K Cafe, Weatherford

Feb 13, 2024 (Tue) Granbury #427 meeting: 6:00p Best Burger Barn, Granbury

Feb 15, 2024, (Thur.) Palo Pinto #2283 meeting: 7:00 pm in the Palo Pinto Fire Hall located at 620 Oak St. Palo Pinto

Feb 27, 2024, (Tuesday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon Meeting: 7:00pm in Comanche at the Comanche Mercantile building located on the southwest corner of the courthouse square at 101 N Houston St. Comanche TX 76442

BE SURE TO MARK YOUR CALENDARS