



THE ROSE CITY STAR

Newsletter of the Sons of Confederate Veterans - Walker's Greyhounds Camp #2338, Tyler TX

Next Meeting...

Tuesday,

August 1, 2023

6:00 P.M. ~ Eat

7:00 P.M. ~ Meet

Spring Creek BBQ

5810 Broadway Tyler

TX 75703

(903) 561-5695

**SUBJECT:
"Music of the
Confederacy"**

By



Tami Hurley

**3rd Vice President General
United Daughters of the Confederacy ®**

Notes From The Editors Quill,



Compatriots,

It is hard to believe it is meeting time again! Returning just a few days ago from the 128th National Reunion of the Son of Confederate Veterans, coupled with the fact that we moved out meeting date last month due to the 4th of July holiday, made this past month just fly by!

We have an excellent agenda lined up for our August meeting. We will have a report on the business and latest news from the National Reunion, will be planning an exciting trip to Ft Worth, TX to visit the Texas Civil War Museum, calendaring our next iron cross dedication, and will have an opportunity to hear our own Tami Hurley discuss the music of the 1861-1865 era.

Reminder that the annual dues notices from the Texas Division SCV have gone out. We ask that you please pay promptly by mail or bring your dues payment to our meeting. Dues are late as of August 1, 2023 and lapse on September 1, 2023. One of the goals of a growing and active camp is to make sure that we have 100% retention on our existing membership. Every member is important to the Greyhounds! Your dues go to fund the various works of the Texas Division and the National Sons of Confederate Veterans. When you examine the notice please note that our camp has not chosen to require any camp dues. We simply pass the hat or pay out of our pockets as the need may arise. You will also notice that the statement contains the opportunity to give additional funds to various works and projects of the Texas Division to include the Sam Davis Youth Camp, The Texas Division Heritage Defense Fund, The Flags Across Texas Project, and the Texas Memorial Fund. All are good works and worthy of your support and consideration.

I look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday, August 1, 2023 at your usual meeting place.

W. Michael Hurley, Editor



Greyhound's Attend Reunion!



Camp Flag Takes It's Place At First National Reunion Since Our Charter!

(From L-R) Monty Williams and Michael Hurley

Compatriot Monty Williams and wife Patty enjoy a dance at the Grand Ball!



TEXAS DELEGATION in Attendance

128th Annual National Reunion of the Sons of Confederate Veterans

Reunion Pictures Continued

128th National Reunion

Hot Springs, Ark July 19-22, 2023



Hurley family picture at the Reunion
(with Grandchildren Lucas and Lilly Hurley)



Camp flag takes place among other camps at the Reunion!



Red Diamond Camp from Texarkana, TX provided the color guard for the opening ceremony



As Texas Division Commander, Michael Hurley presented Commander in Chief Jason Boshears a \$10,000 donation from Texas to the National Museum of the Confederacy



Red Diamond Camp of Texarkana, TX will be hosting:

The Army of Trans-Mississippi

**Recruiting, Retention, & Heritage Operations
Symposium**

★ August 12, 2023 ★

Texarkana, Texas

9:00 AM

With Featured Presenters:

- ♦ **SCV Commander in Chief: Jason Boshers**
- ♦ **SCV Lieutenant Commander in Chief: Walter D. (Donnie) Kennedy**
- ♦ **SCV Chief of Heritage Operations: James Ronald Kennedy**
- ♦ **National Membership Coordinator: Eric Previti**

Early Registration - \$40.00 per Attendee ~ \$50.00 Per Attendee At the Door

**Fee includes: Symposium materials, Name Badge, Continental
Breakfast & Symposium Luncheon.**

Send Name, Address, Phone and Email to:

Red Diamond Camp #2193, P. O. Box 825 Nash, TX 75569-0825

Make checks payable to: Red Diamond Camp

In Memory of the Confederate Companies from Smith County, Texas

1st Texas Infantry Hood's Texas Division "The Ragged Old First" - Colonel Louis T. Wigfall

3rd Texas Infantry Walker's Texas Division, Scurry's Brigade - General William R Scurry

11th Texas Infantry Walker's Texas Division, Randal's Brigade - Major Nathaniel J. Caraway

14th Texas Infantry Walker's Texas Division, Randal's Brigade - Colonel Edward Clark

14th Texas Cavalry "Johnson's Mounted Volunteers", Ector's Brigade - General Matthew Ector

15th Texas Infantry Polignac's Brigade, Speight's Regiment - Lt Colonel James E. Harrison

17th Texas Infantry Walker's Texas Division, Scurry's Brigade - Colonel Robert T. P. Allen

22nd Texas Infantry Walker's Texas Division, Hubbard's Regiment - Colonel Richard B. Hubbard

28th Texas Cavalry (dismount) Walker's Texas Division, Randal's Brigade - Colonel Horace Randal

Douglas Texas Battery of Artillery, Army of the Tennessee - Captain James P. Douglas



15th Texas Infantry



11th Texas Infantry



3rd Texas Infantry



14th Texas Infantry



17th Texas Infantry.



1st Texas Infantry





- ◆ **August 12, 2023** - ATM Training in Texarkana, TX. Training begins at 9AM.
- ◆ **August 19, 2023** - Possible Trip to Civil War Museum. To be discussed at out meeting August 1, 2023
- ◆ **September 5, 2023** - Next Camp Meeting
- ◆ **September 20, 2023** - Quarterly Division Executive Council Meeting in Waco, TX. All members welcome to attend
- ◆ **February 10, 2024** - Heritage Defense Training, Waco, TX
- ◆ **April 20, 2024** - Texas Division Wide Confederate Heritage Month Celebration at location TBA.
- ◆ **June 7 - 9, 2024** - Texas Division Annual Reunion in San Antonio, TX
- ◆ **July 17 - 21, 2024** - SCV National Reunion in Charleston SC

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How Do I Join The Sons of Confederate Veterans?

The SCV is the direct heir of the United Confederate Veterans. Organized at Richmond, Virginia in 1896, the SCV continues to serve as a historical, patriotic, and non-political organization dedicated to ensuring that a true history of the 1861-1865 period is preserved. Membership in the Sons of Confederate Veterans is open to all male descendants of any veteran who served honorably in the Confederate armed forces. Membership can be obtained through either lineal or collateral family lines and kinship to a veteran must be documented genealogically. The minimum age for full membership is 12, but there is no minimum for Cadet membership.