



Eagle DECEMBER 2016 SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION (SAR) Eagle Chapter Newsletter

The Eagle Chapter typically meets the 1st Saturday of every month at 11:00 AM at the Lawrence Welk Resort, 8860 Lawrence Welk Dr. Escondido, California at Patio 2 of the Canyon Grill Restaurant. Call Wayne Rogers if you are interested in joining the Eagle Chapter of the SAR at **951-795-8704** or email roger-wayne1@hotmail.com Our Next Meeting: will be December 3rd, at 11:00 PM . Nomination of Officers for 2017. Welcome to come. Don't miss it.

Tentative EAGLE CHAPTER OFFICERS FOR 2016

President: Frank Kebelman

VP Programs: Wayne Rogers

VP Membership: Ed Morris

VP Americanism: David Ott

Secretary: Bill Bishop

Treasurer: Robert Martin

Registrar: Wayne Rogers

Chaplain Wayne Rogers

Other:

Boy Scouts/Jrotc: Frank Kebelman, Wayne Rogers

Newsletter Co editors: Wayne Rogers and Ray Raser

WHO WILL BE OUR OFFICERS and WORKERS FOR 2017?



Everything must be what its own qualities determine; so please determine your what your qualities are



The Eagle stands for great strength and long life. With the Romans it was a symbol of power, and per Egyptian history the Eagle represented eternal Life. For Officers of the Revolutionary Service, it symbolized within, they gave up all to serve the republic

THE EAGLE NEWSLETTER IS PUBLISHED MONTHLY AND IS VERY INFORMATIVE, AS FOLLOWS:

The American Revolution (1775-83) is also recognized as the American Revolutionary War and the United States. War of Independence. The conflict arose from growing tensions between residents of Great Britain's 13 North American colonies and the colonial government, which

represented the British crown. Skirmishes between British troops and colonial militiamen in Lexington and Concord in April 1775 kicked off the armed conflict, and by the following summer, the rebels were waging a full-scale war for their independence. France entered the American Revolution on the side of the colonists in 1778, turning what had essentially been a civil war into an international conflict. After French assistance helped the Continental Army force the British surrender at Yorktown, Virginia, in 1781, the Americans had effectively won their independence, though fighting would not formally end until 1783.

Each Month I look forward to an article or bio from our members to input into our newsletter. While many of us have submitted articles about our ancestors in the revolutionary war, it is suggested, for a refresher to the Eagle, newsletter, that we begin submitting an article or bio about our parents (our mothers and fathers), who started us.

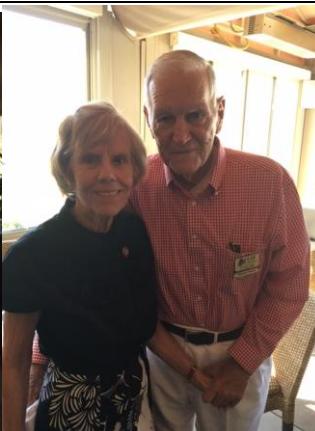
Many of them went through World War II. Let's remember in writing and publishing them before it is too late. Honor your mother and father by submitting an article of bio about them to Wayne Rogers: roger-wayne1@hotmail.com ; or 28482 Scenic Bay Cove Menifee, California 92585; or call me 951-795-8704.

Each month I look forward to genealogy and SAR applications for new members and supplemental for existing members. Currently we have A FEW INQUIRIES, three (3) prospective members, and two (2)submitted members for approval

Honor your patriots, submit some supplements!

Remember genealogy is not fatal, but it is a grave disease.

Our Eagle Chapter Meeting in November2016 SAR EAGLE CHAPTER



Bob and Carol Anderson Sue and George Holt Ernie and Mary Anne McCullough



The prestigious Distinguished Service Medal and Certificate is presented to Our Secretary Bill Bishop by President Jerry Sayre on behalf of the Eagle SAR Chapter for services. Bill also was a member of the Eagle and Riverside SAR Chapters Color Guards for a number of years and has been our photographer. Thankyou Bill.



Faye Bishop with Martha Washington

Certificate. Jerry had presented previously the Martha Washington medal to Faye Bishop earlier at the 50 th anniversary of the Luiseno DAR Chapter.



Ed Morris and George Holt

Treasurer Robert Martin & prospective Gene Plummer

CASSAR EAGLE CHAPTER
MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING HELD ON
Saturday, 5 November 2016

The regular meeting of the CASSAR Eagle Chapter was held at the Welk Resort on Saturday, 5 November 2016, with 20 attendees, including two prospective members who are working on their applications.

President Jerry Sayre opened the meeting and Wayne Rogers, in the absence of Chaplain Dave Sanders, gave the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and the SAR Pledge were recited by the attendees.

The President introduced himself and then asked each member to introduce himself and his guest. Some members chose to talk about their ancestors.

The minutes were approved as published in the newsletter.

Officers Reports:

President Sayre reported on the Color Guard's presentation at the DAR Luiseño Chapter's 50th Anniversary Celebration.

Registrar Wayne Rogers reported there were two pending applications for the two sons of John Huegel, Gerard and Warren; also that Bruce Plummer, Bill Fredricks, and Gene Gwyn are still working on their applications.

Wayne reported on some difficulty with the SAR online application but that was being improved as they gain experience.

He stated several people were working on musket kits and other Color Guard items.

Vice Presiden - Membership Ed Morris didn't have anything further to report.

Treasurer Bob Martin gave his report with an October 31 balance of \$3,313.67.

Secretary Bill Bishop gave a report on current status of collection of membership dues.

President Sayre presented Bill Bishop with the Chapter's Distinguished Service Medal and Certificate. He had presented the Martha Washington Medal and Certificate to Fay Bishop at the Luiseño Chapter's 50th Anniversary Celebration, for which Fay thanked the Chapter.

New Business:

The President stated with the election of Officers coming up, a nominating committee should be established to come up with a slate of officers. Wayne Rogers and Ed Morris were proposed to be the Nominating Committee.

The President asked that everyone please be courteous and respond to any emails they may receive, whether or not your response would be positive or negative.

Wayne Rogers reported that the American Heritage Museum and Library in Glendale had changed hours but was still a wonderful place for research.

Upcoming Events:

November 10 - Wayne reported that there would be a presentation at the Freedom Crest School in Menifee, and he had asked Steve Clugston to come as George Washington.

November 17 - Menifee would be giving a big push on financing for Boy Scouts.

November 11 - The Color Guard will be participating in the Murrieta Veterans Day Parade, which begins at 10:00 a.m. Those who plan to participate in uniform are Jerry Sayre, Wayne Rogers, Steve Clugston and John Huegel.

November 19 - Jerry Sayre invited everyone to the Day of Remembrance in Fallbrook Cemetery, on Saturday, at 10:30 a.m. Even though it is a Civil War event, everyone would enjoy it.

February 17, 2017 - the Color Guard will participate in the Massing of the Colors at Hollywood Forest Lawn Cemetery

At this point the meeting was recessed for the meal. Upon reconvening, Carol Anderson introduced Laurice Johnson from the Temecula Valley Genealogical Society who gave her presentation on "Passing your Genealogy on to your Heirs". This was a very interesting program and everyone seemed interested.

The SAR Recessional was recited, and Wayne Rogers gave the Benediction. The meeting was adjourned at 11:20 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Bill Bishop, Secretary

Those present:

Jerry Sayre

Wayne Rogers

Bob and Carol Anderson

Bill and Fay Bishop

John and Karen Huegel

Robert Martin

Ernie and Mary Anne McCullough

Ed Morris

David Ott

George and Sue Holt

Bruce Plummer and Ann Kessler

Bill Fredricks and Helen Murphy

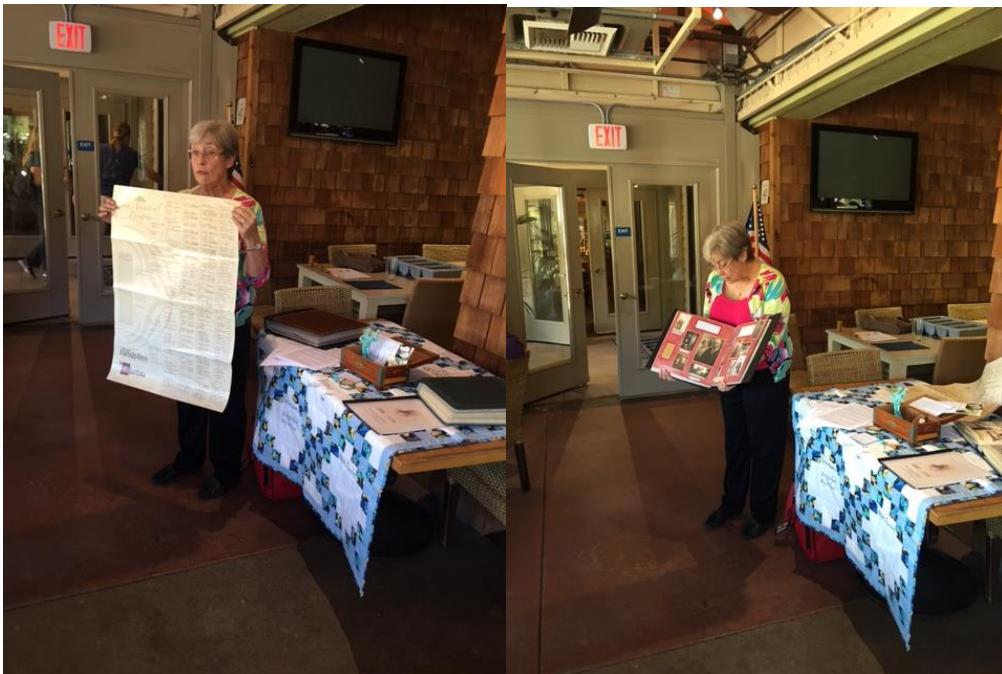
Speaker, Laurice Johnson

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Our November Chapter speaker was *Loucrice Johnson* from Menifee California



Carol Anderson introduced our speaker. It was a very interesting presentation.



Lucrice presenting "Passing our Genealogy on to the Next Generation..

Lourice Johnson grew up in a family that loved talking about 'the folks' around the dinner table.
At her grandfather's dinner table she heard lots of stories about her ancestors. She knew all
about her grt grandpaents and gtheir grandparents. Her parents actively researched their
famil history for many years. After her son was born and she was fillign out the family in his
baby book, she asked her husband what his grnd mother's name was. Image her surprise when
he resonded 'Grandma Schutt" and knew nothing else abou t her. That was thirty years ago and
she has been actively researching since then-not only her own families but also many others.
Laurice has been an active member of the Temecula Valley Genealogical Society (TVGS) since
its inception and lives in Meniee.

Revised Eagle Chapter Calendar

The following list of events and activites is provided to assist Eagle Chapter compatriots & their family members in the planning of personal calendars for hereditary/patriotic events.

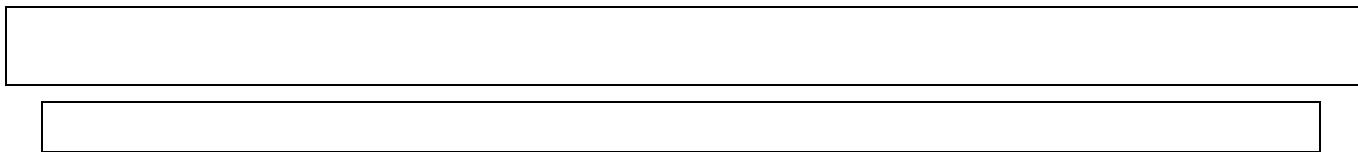
If you have an activity you would like added to this list, please email me the contact information at kebelman@gmail.com. Feel free to share this list with other hereditary socieities and let them know they

are always welcome to participate in Eagle Chapter events or have their events listed here.

MONTH	DATE/DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY
December	3rd/Sat.	11:00 A.M.	Dec. Chapter Mtg.
December	3rd or 10th	Before 4 PM	Christmas Parade
December	7th	TBD	Pearl Harbor Day
December	25th/Sun.	All Day	Christmas
Jan. 2017	1st/Sun.	All Day	New Year's Day
Jan. 2017	7th/Sat.	11:00 A.M.	Jan. Chapter Mtg.

New and Revised Web Site

Eagle Chapter member David Ott is making good progress with the new rebuilt Eagle Chapter website. If there is anything specific you would like him to include please communicate. **The website is SAR Eagle.org . Dave attended the 50th anniversary of Luiseno DAR Chapter.**



VETERAN'S DAY AT FREEDOM CREST -ELEMENTARY S CHOOOL IN MENIFEE, CALIF. -NOV. 10TH

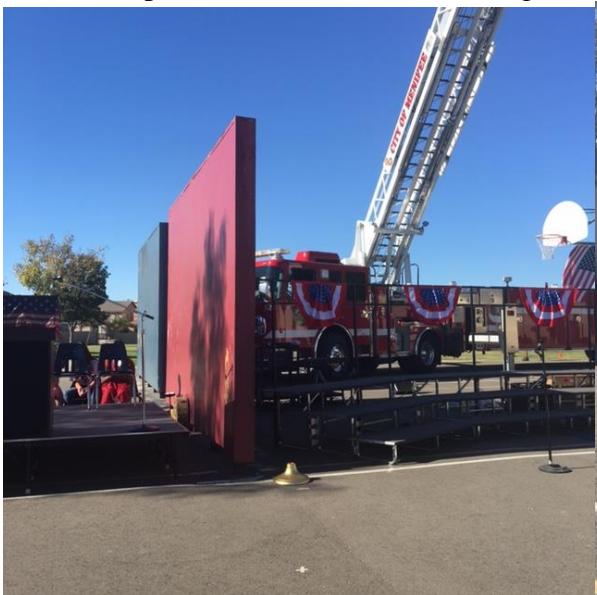
Veteran's day is celebrated every year at Freedom Crest Elementary school in Menifee.



Wayne Rogers as Capt. Stephen Buckland, WWII Herbert (age 95), Menifee City Councilwoman Lesa Sobek, And school library



Each class presented to veterans Kindergarten Class and Third Grade(they sang Yankee Doodle)



Fire State 76 Menifee, participated as well as Cub Pack 444 posted the colors, we heard the Star Spangled Banner

This year I was invited by city council woman Lesa Sobek to attend and participate in my Revolutionary Uniform as Captain Stephen Buckland.

-Capt Stephen Buckland 1742-1782



Biography of *Captain Stephen Buckland* that Wayne Rogers reenacted at Freedom Crest Elementery School

Birth: August 1742, Connecticut, (American Ancestors, New England Genealogical Society, hereinafter "AA", Volume 3 page 23).

Death: 7 May 1782, died at 39 years of age aboard the Jersey Prison Ship, New York, as a Privateer. (Goodwin, Joseph, East Hartford and its

History and Traditions" Raymond Library Co. East Hartford, Conn 1976, pg. 85); [AA, 3:23].

Marriage: Married Mary Olmsted of E. Hartford, Ct., 29 November 1767 [AA, 3:23].

Children: Mary, born 18 April 1769 ; Hannah b. 28 April 1771; Stephen, b. 21 May 1773;died September 1776; Stephen b. 4 September 1776, d. 7 September 1777; Elizabeth, b. 19 September 1778; Ralph 28 b. July 1781 [AA, 3:23].

Education: Unknown, but clearly was well educated, as shown by his letters and poetry to his wife, while on board the Jersey prison ship and the fact that his father was a commissioner of schools in East Hartford, CT.

Military: Commissioned 23 January 1776 as Captain-Lieutenant of Bigelow's Independent Co., Connecticut Artillery (the first artillery company raised in Connecticut); promoted to Captain of Stevens Battalion Continental Artillery, 9th November 1776; the battalion became part of 3rd Continental Artillery in 1778. Captain, Crane's Artillery Reg. 1 January 1777; detached to serve under General Gates against General Burgoyne (Saratoga). Subsequently stationed at Ticonderoga in 1776; Farmington in the winter of 1777-78; and Ft Arnold, West Point in 1779, at the time of the betrayal by Gen. Benedict Arnold. Resigned 12th April 1780 after having served four years [Francis Heitman, "Historical Register of Officers of the Continental Army during the Revolution, Washington, D.C. W.H. Lowdermilk & Co. 1893 pg. 105; Connecticut

Adjutant-General's Office; Record of service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution (Hartford , The Case, Lockwood, Bainard, Printers and Binders 1899) pp. 124, 288. Not long after his resignation from the Continental Army, he was began service as a privateer, engaging in such naval service until being captured by the British 8 April 1782 and imprisoned in New York Harbor until his death scarcely a month later. (Middlebrook, Louis F. History of Maritime Connecticut during the American Revolution 1775-1783, Volume II, Salem, MA the Essex Institute 1925, hereinafter "Middlebrook", p.191)

Cincinnati: Died in Service prior to the formation of the Society of the Cincinnati; first represented by a current
Hereditary Member who joined in 2005.

Occupation: Likely a Ship Captain, as he knew ship and cannons and was commissioned to various privateer vessels [Naval Records of the American Revolution 1775-1788" Washington D.C Government Printing Office 1906; Middlebrook, p. 191].

Discussion: Steven Buckland was both as an Artillery Officer (4 years) and a Ship Captain as a Privateer (2

Years), serving for a combined period of 6 years! He resigned from the Continental Army 12 April 1780, after 4 years of service, but soon thereafter he was commissioned by Gov. Trumbull as Captain of a Connecticut privateer vessel. He captured the British Legion 19 August 1780. During the winter months, privateers typically returned to their homes, but when spring came, they resumed privateering. So on 19 March 1781 Stephen Buckland was commissioned again by Gov. Trumbull on the schooner Patty and captured large consignment of British goods on Long Island. Returning after a second winter period, he was commissioned with a Letter of Marque by the Continental Congress on the sloop Raven, 6 March 1782. However, he was captured 8 April 1782 by British Perseverance, Captain Ross and sent to New York, imprisoned aboard the infamous prison ship Jersey. Shortly after being imprisoned, he wrote 9 April 1782 to his wife (Mary Olmsted), telling her of his misfortunes and his hope that before long he would be patrolled:

*"Not among graves but letters, old and dim
Yellow and precious, rare, we touched the past,
Reverent and prayerful, as we chant the hymn
Among aisles, where saints their shadows cast"*

He wrote again 22 April 1782, "*there were on board this ship almost seven hundred prisoners and increasing almost every day.*" *The ship was built to hold no more than 500 during its operational days as a frigate, the Jersey and others like her routinely kept upwards of 700 to 1000 prisoners on board.* His younger cousin and crew member, Jonathan Chandler also of East Hartford Conn was on board the same captured ship Raven and was imprisoned with Capt. Buckland. He survived and provides a firsthand account of their ordeal aboard the Jersey. In Chandler's rejected pension (as a Privateer), the then Colonel Jonathan Chandler , a hero of the War of 1812 as well, indicated that "*with no change of linen the deponent was almost literally covered with lice and was sick and suffered everything but death* and after remaining there about 6 months was exchanged and carried to Hartford the next Spring. He was unable to labor at all in consequence of the sickness and hardship he endured which out of 92 prisoners taken,

only 21(survived)that left the prison ship, amongst those that died were the Captain (Stephen Buckland), the Lieutenant, and the sailing master himself was left cripple as consequence of sickness from falling and sitting". Capt. Stephen Buckland died May 7, 1782, having been able to survive the hellish conditions on the Jersey for barely a month; He left his wife with 4 living children.

Birth: 1742

Death: 1782

source:

usgwarchives

DAR patriot index

Military site index No.A-200, his burial stone says "Col. Crane's Regt, died on-board the prison ship "Jersey" in NY.

Capt Olmsted papers states Stephen died on the prison ship "Jersey" at NY, 07 May 1782 during the Revolutionary War. He carried title of Captain.

Family links:

Parents:

[William Buckland \(1701 - 1758\)](#)

Spouse:

[Mary Olmsted Buckland \(1744 - 1825\)*](#)

Siblings:

[Elisha Buckland \(____ - 1810\)*](#)

[William Buckland \(1727 - 1795\)*](#)

[Stephen Buckland \(1742 - 1782\)](#)

[Ezekiel Buckland \(1756 - 1782\)*](#)

*[Calculated relationship](#)

Burial:

[Center Cemetery](#)

East Hartford

Hartford County

Connecticut, USA

Find A Grave Memorial# 50916574

(188) MARY OLMPSTED. b. at E. Hartford, Conn., Sept. 27, 1744; d. July 8, 1825; m. Nov. 29, 1767, Stephen Buckland; b. Aug., 1742; son of Serg't William and Elizabeth Buckland. He died on the prison ship "Jersey," at New York, May 7, 1782.

486, MARY +, 487, HANNAH; b. Apr. 28, 1771; m. (1) J. Budington; (2) Thomas Lathrop, 488, STEPHEN; b. May 21, 1773; d. Sept. 12, 1776. 489, STEPHEN; b. Sept. 4, 1776; d. Sept. 7, 1777. 490, ELIZABETH; b. Sept. 19, 1778; d. 1856. 491, RALPH; b. July 28, 1781; m. Ann Kent.

Added by: njmomfour59



While there is a tombstone for him in Center Cemetery at East Hartford, CT, his real remains are



probably with other martyrs of prison ships buried in Fort Green, Brooklyn, NY. If he were to have survived, who knows what he may have become. However, after seven long years of service on both land and sea, Capt. Stephen Buckland made the ultimate sacrifice on behalf of his country. Although he remained unrepresented in the Society of the Cincinnati for 225 years after his death, his memory lives on. The Capt. Stephen Buckland Company of Artillery is reenacted regularly in Connecticut as an affiliate unit of the Nathan Hale Ancient Fifes & Drums.

“Courage is almost a contradiction in terms. It means a strong desire to live taking the readiness to die.” G.K. Chesterton

Veteran’s Day, Murietta Veteran’s Parade 11, 2016

“People sleep peacefully in their beds at night only because rough men stand ready to do violence on their behalf” George Orwell



President Jerry Sayre,

John Hugel, Ray Raser, Wayne Rogers and Steve Clugston all participated in color guard of the Eagle Chapter on Veteran's Day. WE were the **56th** Entry in the Murietta Veteran's parade. We had over 30 photo ops including one from the Press Enterprise.



Notice John Huegel (right) 's new uniform with a tomahawk, on his left side and Wampum bell about his left shoulder.

A Flag for Every Hero, Riverside National Cemetery

Riverside SAR had the following schedule at the Cemetery: Nov 10th 3:00 PM Riverside National Cemetery Place Flags.; Nov 11th Veterans Day, Nov 12th Board mtg; and Nov 13th 8:00 AM Remove Flags from Riverside National Cemetery graves.



200,000+ Graves At Riverside National Cemetery Get Flags

An ARMY of some 1,000 volunteers got a jump on Veterans Day memorials this weekend when they began placing American flags on every one of Riverside National Cemetery's 200,000 graves. The effort began Saturday. There was a momentary flash of panic when volunteers realized they were running about 300 to 400 flags short. But they quickly located some more and got back to work. They say they are confident they will have every grave adorned by Veterans Day on Monday. The Riverside Press-Enterprise reports the tradition began in 2007 when a handful of volunteers arrived at the **veterans** cemetery on Memorial Day with 1,000 flags. It has grown every year since

Photos at Riverside National Cemetery - A Flag For Every Hero





Bill
Bishop with Cub scout Pack at Veteran's Day Event at Riverside National Cemetery..

A Flag for Every Hero, Riverside National Cemetery WAS participated in By Bill and Faye Bishop, and Wayne Rogers. Wayne attends Riverside SAR Chapter, and writes their Newsletter, Rivulet

CASSAR State awards were given to both Eagle Chapter and /Riverside Chapter for bios on American Revolutionary Patriots (thanks to Jerry Sayre and Wayne we had the highest number of patriot bios in the state and nation.



President Gary Jensen and Editor of the Rivulet, Wayne Rogers

When doing some research on a Revolutionary War Patriot there is this branch of the Federal Archives Records in Perris, CA, virtually in our back yard.

The branch office has access to all the files housed in Washington DC and Maryland via microfilm going back to what is available for the Revolutionary War and who served and if a land grant was issued or a pension.

The address is:

NARA

Federal Archives

Federal Service Records

23123 Cajalco Road

Perris, CA 92570-7298

(951) 956-2000

Open Monday to Friday 8-4

Thursday there is a genealogist available to help with research.

Not open on weekends or Federal Holidays.

This might be something the general membership would interested in. So I am printing this in the newsletter.

On Line Registration

WAYNE ROGERS

As chapter Registrar I have been assigned Eagle Chapter Registrar permissions **on-line** to view, edit, save and print all started applications that designate the Eagle Chapter, SAR. After I login to the NSSAR Online System, on the left side of the computer screen, there is a "stacked paper" icon with the words "Chapter Dashboard" which I click. A new screen will display that shows five of the most recently saved Eagle Chapter applications and I can click the gray "View" button to the right of that list of applications to access any of those applications for viewing, editing and printing. Also, I can click on the "Applications" tab above the list of most currently saved Eagle Chapter applications and then click on "Regular," "Supplemental," "Junior" or "Memorial" lists of started Eagle applications, click the blue "Edit/View" button to the right of the application that you want to view, edit, save or print.

Sometimes when I change from "Regular" to "Supplemental" or from "Regular" to "Junior" there are no applications displayed and to refresh the list of applications I need to click the "Chapter Dashboard" icon again and then click "Applications" and then click the category of Eagle applications that I want to view.

Contact me if you need clarifications, on **how you too can get on line for new or supplemental applications.**

Wayne Rogers roger-wayne1@hotmail.com

What is now new and significant must be . connected with old roots, the truly vital roots that are chosen with great care come on; the ones that merely survived by Wayne Rogers,

The Eagle comes from ancient times; to the Egyptians it meant eternal life; to the Romans it was a symbol of power; to Americans it represents success and liberty.

President of the Month and Year : Jerry Sayre. Jerry Congratulations on a job well done!!

Our Next Meeting: Saturday will be 1ST Saturday in December – December 3rd, . Nomination of Officers for 2017.

If you have ancestor to be submitted, color guard, JROTC, Boy Scout, ancestor's bio, or other event, or genealogical article thT you would like to be presented in the **Eagle Newsletter** let me know

Cordially

Wayne Rogers

For those doing research on their patriot ancestors:



AMERICAN HERITAGE LIBRARY AND MUSEUM
ANNOUNCING NEW EXPANDED LIBRARY HOURS

We are pleased to announce that effective Monday, August 22, 2016 our hours will be:

Monday through Friday 10:00am – 4:00pm

The Library is staffed with volunteers and is subject to closure.

We encourage a phone call during posted hours to confirm status. **Phone: 818-240-1775.**

Mark your calendar for the Saratoga-Yorktown Luncheon, scheduled for October 15, 2016.
A flyer will be emailed.

600 South Central Avenue, Glendale, California

Library closed holidays and December to January 8th.

Roger-wayne1@hotmail.com MASSING OF THE COLORS

**Don't forger the MASSING OF THE COLORS -COMING FEBRUARY
17, 2017- IT IS AMAZING!**



Massing of the Colors & Salute to Our Armed Forces



The MASSING OF THE COLORS IS the largest celebration of its kind in the western United States, In 2017 it will be the 35th annual celebration of George Washington's birth sponsored by the Sons of Liberty Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution! This upcoming event will be held at 3:00 PM, Sunday, February 19, 2017, at Hall of Liberty, Forest Lawn Hollywood Hills, 6300 Forest Lawn Drive, Los Angeles. All participants are requested to arrive at least an hour early.

Previous Massings of the Colors have been a great success. Over 600 people and fifty color guards participate each year, including over ten of our brother SAR Chapters. Many greater Los Angeles area high school and

college color guards take part in this celebration. If you would like to be part of this event, contact us for details on how you can participate.

Forest Lawn might initially seem a strange place for our event, but it offers an area that showcases a collection of American architecture and artworks that honor our country. There's the world's largest historical mosaic, *The Birth of Liberty*, a faithful reproduction of Boston's Old North Church, and larger-than-life-sized bronze statues of Washington and Jefferson. You can watch a free 26-minute movie about the American Revolution as well.