## Northeastern Ohio Chapter #12 Sons of the American Revolution

## September 22nd, 2018

**Call to Order:** President Steve Hinson called the meeting to order at 1:13 PM. The meeting was held at the Library in Geneva, OH. There were 12 members and 9 guests present

**Invocation:** Invocation was given by Compatriot Jim Pildner, Chaplin.

**Pledge of Allegiance/SAR:** Pledge of Allegiance to the United States Flag was recited by all present and the SAR Pledge was recited by all Compatriots present.

**Minutes Report:** Minutes of the previous meeting, April 21st, 2018 were posted online at the NEO#12 website and a copy was available at the meeting. Compatriot Jim Pildner made a motion to approve the minutes and Compatriot Kirk Bacon seconded. Motion the Minutes were approved.

**Presidents Report:** President Hinson introduced the guests present Including current VPG for the Central District Tim Ward and the OHSSAR President Shawn Cox. He discussed the activities of the upcoming months including the parades and upcoming State and National events.

**Secretary's Report:** Secretary Matheke discussed his trip to Blue Licks Kentucky for the memorial service and Kentucky state meeting. He discussed our 2017 standings in the three Americanism contest.

**Treasurer's Report:** Report was submitted in writing. We have a balance of \$2580.54.

**Registrar's Report:** We currently have 4 applications at National and 3 approved new members recently.

Unfinished Business: None.

## **New Business:**

Awards: The Chapter earned the following awards; Distinguished Chapter award, Partners in Patriotism, and Steamers from Blue Licks and Israel Hubbard grave marking. Kirk Bacon was presented his Silver Color Guard medal and Dan Matheke received his First Liberty medal.

Induction: Compatriots David English, Mark Sanzotta and Darryl Harper were inducted as new members.

A 50/50 raffle was held. \$62 was collected and \$31 went to the winner Gage Georgeff. He donated his winnings back to the Chapter.

**Program:** The program was presented by Compatriot Chuck Finley about the Electoral College. He presented some of the thoughts on our founders and the rational for many of their decisions on the drafting of the Constitution.

**Motion to Adjourn:** Motion was made by Compatriot Pildner and seconded by Compatriot Bacon. Motion to adjourn was approved at 2:54 PM.

**Closing Obligation:** Closing Obligation was recited by Compatriots present.

**Benediction:** Benediction was given by Chaplin Jim Pildner.

Submitted by Daniel M. Matheke Secretary NEO#12 OHSSAR