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Arizona Society Sons of the American Revolution



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Happy New Year to all Barry M. Goldwater Compatriots

Wreaths Across America at the National Cemetery

On Saturday, December 15, 2012, Barry M. Goldwater Compatriots Mike Jones, David Swanson, Bob Rearley, and Ladies Auxiliary member Jan Swanson attended the Wreaths Across America event and helped distribute the wreaths on the graves of veterans and their wives.

The weather was cold and rainy but the ceremony was a warm heartfelt one.

Below are some pictures of the event.



(L-R) David Swanson, Jan Swanson & Mike Jones

Wreaths Across America—continued



Compatriot Bob Rearley



Annual BMG Christmas party at Compatriot Rob Bohannon's house

On Sunday, December 16, 2012, Compatriots & wives gathered for an outstanding Christmas party—with good food and good friends—what can be better?

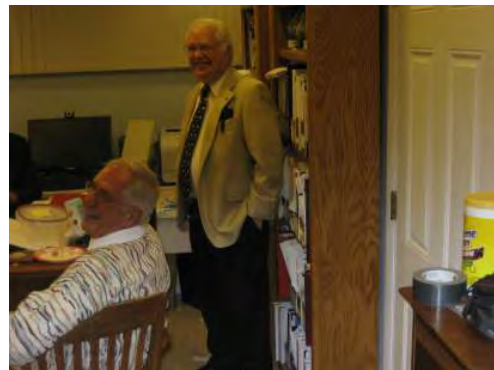
Below is just a sampling of pictures of some the compatriots and wives who attended this fun party.

Rob, on behalf of the Chapter, thanks for another great one!!!



Master of ceremonies—Rob Bohannon

Now, you can't have a birthday at Rob's without music--



Dr. Denny Weiland--seated (the birthday boy) and Bob Moore



Rob on the trumpet serenading Denny—it brought tears to your eyes!

Christmas party—continued



Mike Jones (L) and Ed Karr



(L) Earl Atwood, Beth Bugbee—wife of Compatriot Jim Bugbee—Win Orr & wife Marilyn

There were many more attendees but the photographer spent more time talking than he did shooting—you get what you pay for!



A little bit of AZSSAR, SAR, and Arizona history—continued


By David A. Swanson

This column will be continued in the February issue.



Chapter meeting information for January 17, 2013

This is our next regularly scheduled meeting which will take place at Coco's at 6:30 pm. Our speaker will be Robert Flores, AZ State Museum project coordinator—topic Arizona History Project, **Also this is our annual officer installation ceremony—be there!**

 **Fly the Arizona state flag and encourage others to do the same. It's a beautiful flag that represents a beautiful state!**

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Chapter Meeting Notice

The next regular meeting of the BMG Chapter will be held on **Thursday, January 17, 2013**

Location: Coco's Restaurant
4514 E Cactus Road
Phoenix, AZ (602) 953-9155

Compatriots, wives, prospective members, and guests are cordially invited to attend this and all meetings.

Dinner will be ordered from a menu specially prepared for us. There will be a choice of several different entrees, so there will be something for everyone. The cost is \$15.50 per person, which includes: dinner, soft drinks, tea, coffee, tax and gratuity.

(Please bring your check made out to BMG Chapter AZSSAR or have correct change and please give it to me before the beginning of the meeting or at the latest, the dinner portion of it.)

The meeting agenda is contained on the following page. (Please copy and bring it).

If you plan on attending, please notify me at Swanson1854@Yahoo.com or telephone (480) 515-2798 on or before January 15, 2013.

Just a reminder, we have chapter meetings on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Please mark your calendars. (No meetings during June—August and December)

Thanks. See you at the meeting!

David A. Swanson, Secretary/Treasurer
Barry M. Goldwater Chapter AZSSAR



Barry M. Goldwater Chapter Arizona Society, SAR

Agenda January 17, 2013

Call to Order 6:30 p.m.

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance

SAR Pledge

We the descendants of the heroes of the American Revolution, who by their sacrifices, established the United States of America, reaffirm our faith in the principles of liberty and our Constitutional Republic and solemnly pledge ourselves to defend them against every foe.

Business Session

Treasurer's Report
Other officer reports or remarks
New member inductions (if any)
Officer Installation

Dinner

50/50 Raffle

Program

Our speaker will be Robert Flores, AZ State Museum project coordinator—topic the Arizona History Project.

Benediction

God Bless America

SAR Recessional

Until we meet again, let us remember our obligations to our forefathers, who gave us our Constitution, the Bill of Rights, an independent Supreme Court and a Nation of Free Men.

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