



**Next Meeting Tuesday, September 28, 2021, at 6:30 PM
at the Denny's Restaurant on Coach Lane in Cameron Park**

Mother Lode Chapter

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To: Members and Friends of the Mother Lode Chapter SAR

NO MEETING in JULY & AUGUST

**Mother Lode Chapter
Meeting Minutes, June 22, 2021
Denny's Restaurant, Cameron Park, CA**

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by President Mike Muetz. Compatriot Bob Conover gave the Invocation, Compatriot Tom Douglas led the Pledge of Allegiance, and Compatriot Tom Adams led the SAR Pledge.

There were nine regular members, **Tom Adams, Matt Adams, Bob Conover, Tom Douglas, Doug Drake, John Krahn, Mike Muetz, Nick Adams,** and **Connor Hall**, three newly inducted members, **Jeffrey Hart, Ryan Hart, and Nolan Hall**, Duel Member **Tom Chilton** (of the Sacramento Chapter) and eight guests **Marilyn Chilton, Joy Krahn**, prospective member **Steve Belden**, members of the Hart, Hall, Adams families, **Zak Hall, Anne Adams, Bettina Hart, Sabine Adams Hall,** and **Katie Hart** in attendance.

President Muetz welcomed the guests and asked if there were minutes from the previous meeting (ZOOM) to be approved. The minutes of the previous meeting included in the June edition of the Dispatch were approved.

Treasurer Bob Conover gave the Treasurer's report. There is a balance of \$3,312.95 in the Chapter's account.

Old business: Awards Banquet, Doug Drake gave his report on the progression of the ongoing duties of the members of the Chapter working on the banquet. It was agreed there should be a meeting of the "committee" to try to finalize the details of the banquet.

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It was the pleasure of the Chapter to accept into membership three new members, **JT** (Jeffrey Thomas) **Hart**, **Ryan Hart** and **Nolan Hall**. There were a number of Chapter members and guest from the families of the three new members in attendance to see the induction into membership (see attendees list).

President **Mike Muetz** presented the questions of induction into the SAR and Mother Lode Chapter to the three new members while Compatriot (and Grandfather) **Tom Adams** presented the SAR member rosettes and Chapter pins.

President **Mike Muetz** presented the **Bronze C.A.R.-SAR Medal of Appreciation** to **Sabine Adams Hall**, for her over ten (10) years of service as a Senior Leader in the local C.A.R. Society in El Dorado County – **The Sacramento C.A.R. Society**.

Compatriot **Bob Conover** gave the Benediction; Compatriot **Tom Adams** led the SAR Recessional and after the singing of **"God Bless America"** led by Compatriot **Tom Chilton** the meeting was adjourned by President Muetz at 7:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted
Tom Douglas, Secretary

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The award lists three purposes for which the Medal can be awarded, and Sabine meets all three. A local Chapter, may present the **Bronze C.A.R.-SAR Medal of Appreciation** to a member of the C.A.R in good standing in recognition of and in appreciation for:

#1 ... for outstanding services rendered to a local C.A.R. Society

The Sacramento Society of the C.A.R. was re-activated by Jeannette Barrett, of Placerville, in September 2007 with the understanding the society would serve the children of El Dorado County. In 2008 Sabine brought her four (4) children, along with eight (8) of her nieces and nephews, from her three sibling's families, into the C.A.R. Sabine immediately began to serve as a Senior Leader and eventually Jeanette passed the baton as Senior President to Sabine. In 2020 Sabine was informed by the C.A.R. State President that she had served the maximum number of years allowed as President, and so she has stepped aside.

SAR Mother Lode Chapter Recognizes C.A.R. Senior Leader *(continue)*

#2 ... assistance in promoting C.A.R. members to SAR memberships



Sabine's three son have become SAR members, along with three nephews. In all, Sabine has brought six (6) young men, from her C.A.R. Sacramento Society, into the Mother Lode SAR Chapter and the California Society. Sabine's oldest son, **Mason**, also a Chapter member, is working in Texas. [The picture depicts five of the six young men Sabine brought into SAR standing with their grandfather. From left to right: **Nolan Hall, Connor Hall, (Tom Adams), JT Hart, Nick Adams, Ryan Hart**]

#3 ... significantly aided SAR programs, or SAR members

Sabine has promoted participation in the SAR Contest to her Sacramento C.A.R. Society's young members. Several were able to participate in the Poster Contest and the Brochure Contest through their school. One nephew, whose school did not participate in the poster contest, was able to enter the SAR Contest by being a member of a C.A.R. Society, as the National SAR rules permit. Sabine, who personally feels strongly about patriotic service, has found opportunities for her C.A.R. young members to participate in patriotic programs, like Wreath Across American. Also, several Mother Lode members will recall Sabine and her C.A.R. young members, joining other veteran groups, planting flags along US 50 in Placerville on Memorial Day.

Besides being a C.A.R. Senior Member, Sabine, and also former C.A.R. daughter **Eden Grace Hall**, are both members of the El Dorado Chapter, NSDAR in Placerville.

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Folsom 4th of July Parade - Sacramento Chapter



Doug Drake and Don Littlefield acknowledge their admirers.



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Status of Annual Banquet Planning

By Douglas Drake

Following the June Meeting, Compatriot Drake contacted the **Texas BBQ** caterer. The meal cost is \$17 per person. For 55 people, this works out to slightly over \$1,000 for the caterer. Her contract provides for 15% gratuity, but since we're providing the service, plates, utensils, I'll negotiate a smaller tip for the delivery. That tip should go to the CAP servers and since the CAP will work from start to finish, we should feed them also.

- The food will arrive in thermos containers, hot food hot, salad crisp and cold.
- We'll try the ice cream bars for dessert so that still has to be added.
- The menu will be a choice of BBQ Texas Beef Brisket and BBQ chicken breasts, green salad with dressing, steamed vegetables, and garlic mashed potatoes.
- This dinner will cost about \$500 less than the 2018 caterer Spaghetti Factory.

Douglas Drake, Chancellor

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Status of Annual Banquet Planning - June

Item	Item	Person Responsible	(Initial when done)	Followup
1	Arrange Venue	Mike	Done	
2	Arrange Date	Oct 9, 2021	Done	
3	Agency 1 Sheriff	Tommy D	Letter sent	
	Agency 2 Placerv Police	Tommy D	Letter sent	
	Agency 3 Hiway Patrol	Tommy D	Letter sent	
	Agency 4 Sheriff 911	Tommy D	Letter sent	
	Agency 5 Reg. Nurse	Russ	Nurse informed per Tom Adams	
4	Meal Chairperson	Doug	Selected OSF	
6	Venue Chairperson	Mike	Done	
8	Maitre'D	Russ	Russ Absent	
9	Servers Sheriff's Explorers	Mike	Unavailable	
10	Colorguard Chair Civil Air Patrol	Mike	Available, will serve and clean up	
11	Ticket designer/orderer	Tom Adams	Will be handled	
12	Invitor of Agencies*	Tommy D	Done	
13	Gatherer of photos and bios of awardees	Tom Adams	Will be handled	
14	Table Decorations/pre-seating cards	Doug	Will be handled	
15	Hall Setup	Mike	Will be handled	
16	Soliciting donations	Bob C, Sam	Bob has \$100 already	
17	Ticket collector at door	Diane	Will be handled	
18	COVID vaccination checker	Tabled	Possibly not needed	
19	Master of Ceremonies	Russ	Not present; Sheriff can be speaker if no other	

* Soliciting First Responders over supervisors

COVID restrictions eased in California; But need signs advising masks if desired; restrict 6 to a table; 6 feet between families. Means around 10 tables.

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Date/Time	Event
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