


THE FRONTIER CHRONICLE


JUNE 2022

2nd Texas Frontier District Camp 1904
DeLeon, Texas



**Preserving Our Southern Heritage
And Making Texans Proud**



Texas Sons of Confederate Veterans 

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Paul Hutcheson...1st Lt. Commander/Chaplain

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A Word From Our Camp....

Commander



Greetings compatriots,

It's officially summertime in Texas with triple digit heat and little to no rain. Yet this has not

stopped us from living the Charge. Since our last meeting we had a tremendous turn out for the Honor Guard rifle salute that we presented at the Memorial Wall in De Leon during their Memorial Day ceremony Saturday May 28. Following the ceremony many of us had lunch at the Hwy 6 Diner. After enjoying great food and even greater fellowship, Eddie Cox, Charlie Ditmore, Brenda Guise and myself, traveled to Stone Cemetery to place the military grave marker for Sgt. Cadmus C. Wilburn. Dedication and salute to come at a later date.

June started with a BANG! The Texas Division 125th Reunion in McKinney. This year's reunion was incredible. The hotel was very nice and all of the functions were within the host hotel with the exception of the Memorial ceremony at Pecan Grove Cemetery. The Memorial ceremony consisted of tolling of the bell for each of the veterans mentioned at the service, Honor Guard rifle salute, Black Rose ceremony, followed by the canteen ceremony. Susan Lee closed the ceremony by leading us in the singing of Dixie.

The food was delicious at each meal and both of the speakers were inspiring (Don Kennedy- Awards Luncheon, Susan Lee-Banquet and Ball). The Banquet tables were beautifully decorated by the ladies of the TSOCR and the band played wonderfully for plenty of fun dancing. The TSOCR's silent auction went very well to provide these ladies with funds to assist them in all of the fine work they do for the cause.

The Comanche Rodeo Parade was a success. Jackson Richmond lead on his horse "Cherokee" carrying the battle flag, followed by our float which was full thanks to our friends from Camp #2283. Our hats are off to you for your support. I appreciate all the help from everyone in assisting to put together and take down the float. Also my thanks to the Leatherwoods for supplying the trailer and Jessica Richmond for taking pictures. Our next parade is on Monday July 4th in Stephenville.

I look forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting. This meeting is one you surely don't want to miss. By consensus of the Executive Committee, we will be presenting the Division Awards at this meeting instead of having the recipients wait 7 months for the Christmas party to receive the awards that they have earned this past year. We will be swearing in our newest member Andy Robinson, part 2 of Jackson's program on the Confederacy in New Mexico, and important decisions to vote on. Such as the Christmas party location, upcoming events and other topics of business.

I pray for God's blessings on each of you, our camp, and may God bless Dixie. In Service and Honor of our Heritage,

Dave Guise

Commander

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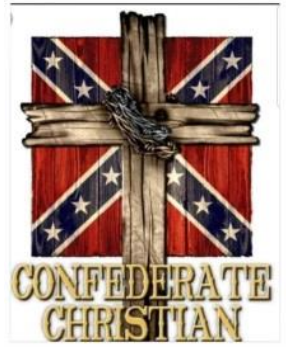
7th Brigade, Texas Division Sons of Confederate Veterans

2nd Lieutenant

Mechanized Calvary #3826 1BN, Company C, 2nd platoon



MESSAGE FROM THE CHAPLAIN



Hello again to my Confederate brothers and sisters,

We are now already over halfway through June. With so much going on in life it is easy for the days to fly by without even noticing them. However each month brings new reasons to be grateful we have a God who loves us, and June is no different. From things like hug your cat day, corn on the cob day and Ice-T tea day to the more memorable ones like Flag Day and President Jefferson Davis's birthday, June is full of things to be grateful for. Although it might not feel like it considering we have had 15 days over 100° already June 21 will also bring the first day of summer.

While these days are great, the day in June I would like to look at his Father's Day June 19. Father's Day was started by a woman named Sonora Smart Dodd. She came up with the idea while sitting in church listening to one of the first Mother's Day services in 1909. Her mother had died giving birth and she wanted to designate a day for her dad who had raised 14 children. Her father, William Jackson smart, was a Civil War veteran out of Arkansas who drove supply wagons for the Confederacy. He was captured in the battle of Pea Ridge and forced to work for the Union. Sonora, wanting to honor her father in every way she could was a member of both the United Daughters of the Confederacy and the Daughters of Union Veterans. Mr. Smart was known as a man who exemplified fatherly love and protection. Sadly throughout my life I have known so many friends who did not have a man in the home to show them the fatherly love and protection Sonora was blessed with. However we are all children of the King of Kings and the Lord of Lords. Our spiritual father in heaven can show us a love, protection and understanding of life that we will not find anywhere else. The sense of calm amongst the storm that he has given me has changed my life. It is a relationship that will never stop growing and he longs to have this with all of us.

So on Sunday the 19th let's take a second to wish all the dads out there a happy Father's Day and a thank you for all y'all do. As for our father in heaven, thank you for watching over us, keeping us safe, loving us the way only you can and assuring us that no matter what we face we will never have to face it alone for you are with us.

I would love to talk with anyone about building a relationship with our father in heaven. Please contact me if y'all are interested or just have a question or two.

I look forward to seeing everyone at our camp meeting on the 28th.

Until then, Happy Father's Day to all the dads and happy spiritual Father's Day

to our Lord in heaven.

Stay safe. God bless y'all and God bless Dixie.

Paul Hutcheson 325-998-2273

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May Minutes



7:00 Paul Hutcheson offered the blessing and invocation.

7:30 Meeting called to order with reciting of pledges and reading of the Charge.

Program presented by Jackson Richmond, Civil War in the West **Business Section**

Adjutant declared no quorum. Treasurer's report: \$5,507.98 April 2022 minutes stood as reviewed with no changes.

1st Lt. Commander-Paul Hutcheson

Requested program ideas.

2nd Lt. Commander-Eddie Cox - 2 possible recruits. Camp need recruitment coins

OCR- Brenda Guise Requested silent auction donations for McKinney Reunion.

UDC-Sheran Weible Not present

Commander calls for Event and Committee Reports

Events-Eddie Cox-DeLeon Memorial Day Rife Salute May 28th 11:30a, Comanche Parade June 18. Stephenville Parade July 4 and picnic. DeLeon Melon Festival with parade and

booth **Membership & Recruitment-Eddie Cox-**

Suggested booths at above events

Programs- June presentation by Jackson Richmond...part 2 of Civil War in the West

Flags-Tommy Alford- Tommy not present. DeLeon flag replaced by Dave Guise.

Cemetery-Eddie Cox

Challenged camp to have more participation at cemetery clean ups.

SGT Wilburn foot stone for Stone cemetery in Proctor has arrived. \$225 to be voted on at next meeting where a quorum is met.

Newsletter-Brenda Guise Requested June birthdays

Unfinished Business: None

New Business:

Discussed options for Christmas Party site.

1. 1907 Grill Stephenville \$545 rental fee. \$18-25pp +18% tip.waiter served

2. Hwy 6 DeLeon no rental fee. 3 meat buffet %14.99pp 2meat \$10.99pp.

3 City Center Cafe Comanche. Awaiting manager quote.

Will vote in June if there is a quorum. Need to secure spot by end of June.

Upcoming Events listed on back-

discussed 1 major event per month.

The Commander called for comments.

Motion to close meeting by Mason Spikes, 2nd by Paul Hutcheson. Benediction by Paul Hutcheson

Dixie led by Dave Guise

Eddie Cox motion to adjourn. 2nd by Mason Spikes 8:26P meeting adjourned

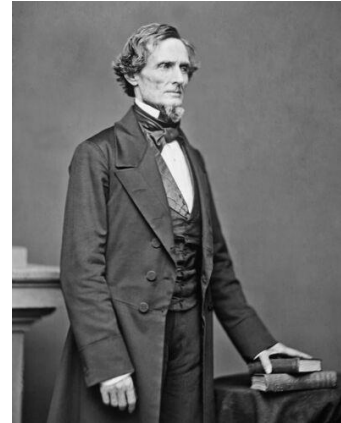


JUNE BIRTHDAYS



Jefferson Finis Davis (June 3, 1808 – December 6, 1889) was an American politician who served as the president of the Confederate States from 1861 to 1865. As a member of the Democratic Party, he represented Mississippi in the United States Senate and the House of Representatives before the American Civil War. He previously served as the United States Secretary of War from 1853 to 1857 under President Franklin Pierce.

Davis was born in Fairview, Kentucky, to a moderately prosperous farmer, the youngest of ten children. He grew up in Wilkinson County, Mississippi, and also lived in Louisiana. His eldest brother Joseph Emory Davis secured the younger Davis's appointment to the United States Military Academy. After graduating, Jefferson Davis served six years as a lieutenant in the United States Army. He fought in the Mexican–American War (1846–1848), as the colonel of a volunteer regiment. Before the War of Northern Aggression, he operated a large cotton plantation in Mississippi, which his brother Joseph gave him, and owned as many as 113 slaves. Although Davis argued against secession in 1858, he believed states had an unquestionable right to leave the Union.



William Harrison Parsons (great-grandfather of Dave Guise) was born on June 9, 1845 in Lee county Virginia. On May 4, 1861 age 15 (a month before his 16th birthday) He enlisted as a Private in the 12th Virginia Infantry CSA Company K. April 1, 1863 age 17 he was promoted from Pvt to Cpl. On May 6, 1864 age 18 he was wounded by a gunshot to his right thigh at the battle of the wilderness. After recovering he returned to service and on June 1, 1864 was promoted from Cpl to Sgt. 10 months later, On April 9, 1865, at the age of 19 years old, he was at Appomattox, Virginia, when Lee surrendered. He was allowed to keep only his clothes and a blanket.

After the war William Harrison Parsons resided in Adair county Kentucky, where he met and married Lucy Ann Garrison on April 4, 1869, when he was 23 years old. He died on April 6, 1915, in Adair, Kentucky, when he was 69 years old. He had fathered seven children. One of which was Nancy Jane Parsons, the paternal grandmother of Dave Guise.

Happenings in May & June 2022

Below L to R: Peggy Harvey, Camryn & Audrey Phillips, Jim Harvey, Charlie Ditmore, Frank Bussey, Dave Guise, Eddie Cox, Paul Hutcheson, Jackson Richmond & Brenda Guise



DeLeon Memorial Day Event



Jackson Richmond presented appreciation for May Program



Erin & Alyssa Hutcheson

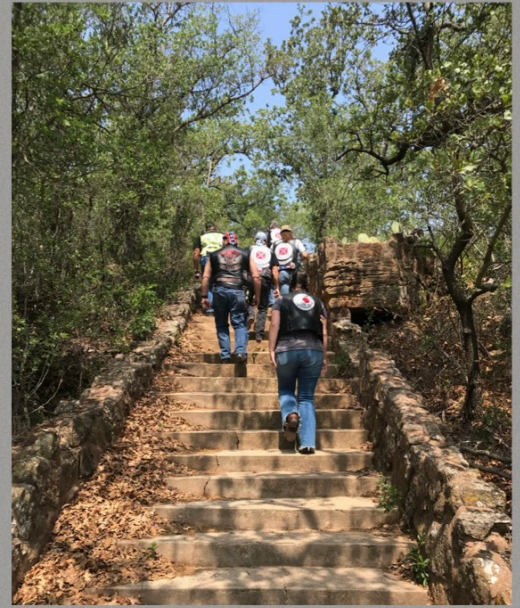


Audrey, & Carmyn Phillips & Jackson Richmond

Mechanized Cavalry Memorial Day Ride The Old Zoo Cisco TX



Todd Coker, Eddie Cox, Martin Pullen, Dave Guise & Bobby Wallace



Placing Cadmus Wilburn
foot stone at
Stone Cemetary in Proctor



Charlie Ditmore, Dave Guise &
Eddie Cox



125th SCV Annual Reunion
began with the
Pecan Grove Cemetary Memorial
Rifle Salute Canteen Ceremony TSOCR Black Rose Ceremony



Rhonda Colson, Jo Ann Sieler, Brenda
Guise John McCammon
Peggy Harvey, Debbie Hearrean,
Audrey Wallace

Saturday, June 4 Opening Ceremonies & Heritage Luncheon



Speaker Donnie Kennedy & Tommy May



Brenda Guise received TSOCCR Rose of the Year



Becky Bussey, TSOCCR Director

Commander Dave Guise accepting various awards for members of Camp 1904

Saturday Evening Dinner, awards and speaker

Susan Lee of the Virginia Flaggers



Commander Dave Guise accepting 4 Star Camp Award on behalf of Camp 1904

Brenda Guise received the SCV Bronze Cross





**Dave Guise, Brenda Guise, Peggy Harvey,
Jim Harvey, Erin Hutcheson & Paul Hutcheson**



**L to R Peggy Harvey, Erin Hutcheson
Debbie Hearrean Brenda Guise**



Dave Guise, Susan Lee, Brenda Guise



Top Row: Curtis & Ginger Scott, Jim & Peggy Harvey, Brenda Guise,
 Erin Hutcheson, Dave Guise
 bottom row: Jackson Richmond, Eddie Cox The Harvey's grandsons,
 Alyssa & Paul Hutcheson

Jackson Richmond
 & Cherokee



Our Next Meeting

Tuesday, June 28th 7:00 PM

Pot Luck Please bring a little something to share.
Dave and Brenda will bring a meat casserole.

All meetings are held the 4th Tuesday of each month
@ 7pm for a pot luck supper followed by a program
on Southern History, a short break and then our
monthly business meeting.

Visitors are welcome to any or all of the above.

Location: Comanche Merchantile

100 N. Houston st. Comanche Tx.

June Program: Jackson Richmond
Civil War in the West Part II

2022 Upcoming Events

June 28, 2022 (Tuesday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon Meeting and Texas Division Awards Presentation: 7:00 pm in Comanche at the Comanche Mercantile building located on the southwest corner of the courthouse square at 101 N Houston St. Comanche TX 76442

July 4, 2022 (Monday) Stephenville 4th of July Parade: Check in starts at 7 am, parade starts at 9 am.

July 19-23, 2022 SCV National Reunion in Cartersville, GA

July 28, 2022 (Tuesday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon Meeting: 7:00 pm in Comanche at the Comanche Mercantile building located on the southwest corner of the courthouse square at 101 N Houston St. Comanche TX 76442

Aug 4-7, 2022 De Leon Peach and Melon Festival and Parade

Aug 23, 2022 (Tuesday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon Meeting: 7:00 pm in Comanche at the Comanche Mercantile building located on the southwest corner of the courthouse square at 101 N Houston St. Comanche TX 76442

Sept 10, 2022 (Saturday) DEC meeting Poppa Rollo's Waco 9:00am

Sept 16-18, 2022 SCVMC Annual River Run at Mountain Breeze Camp Grounds in New Braunfels, TX

Sept 24-25, 2022 (Sat.-Sun.) 41st Annual Comanche POW-WOW

Sept 27, 2022 (Tuesday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon Meeting: 7:00 pm in Comanche at the Comanche Mercantile building located on the southwest corner of the courthouse square at 101 N Houston St. Comanche TX 76442

Oct 25, 2022 (Tuesday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon Meeting: 7:00 pm in Comanche at the Comanche Mercantile building located on the southwest corner of the courthouse square at 101 N Houston St. Comanche TX 76442

Nov 22, 2022 (Tuesday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon Meeting: 7:00 pm in Comanche at the Comanche Mercantile building located on the southwest corner of the courthouse square at 101 N Houston St. Comanche TX 76442

Dec 10, 2022 (Saturday) 2nd Texas Frontier District Camp #1904 De Leon