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## Mt. Vernon's President, CEO Joins SAR



James C. Rees

On May 12, 2012, the George Washington Chapter will welcome as its newest member James C. Rees, President and CEO of George Washington's Mount Vernon. Treasurer General Joseph W. Dooley, a dual member of the chapter, sponsored the application, which was recently approved at NSSAR Headquarters.

Rees joined Mt. Vernon as director of development in 1983. He became president in 1994. During his tenure, the story of George Washington was brought alive for new generations of visitors with a series of changes, including the Ford Orientation and Donald W. Reynolds Museum & Education Center, which opened in 2006,

and the restoration of the Grist Mill. The endowment at Mount Vernon grew from \$4 million in 1983 to \$125 million today, all of which came from private donations as Mt. Vernon does not accept government funding.

Ground has been broken for Fred W. Smith National Library for the Study of George Washington, which will ensure that Washington's priceless book and manuscript collection will be saved for scholars and students of the future. Rees has already raised \$82 million of the \$100 million goal for the library. Perhaps Ann Bookout, Regent of the Mount Vernon Ladies Association, best summed up his life's work: "No one has done more for George Washington's legacy than Jim Rees."

Rees has also been a tremendous friend to the SAR in general and the George Washington Chapter in particular. Among other things, he has consistently supported our annual events at Mt. Vernon, and he facilitated the first Gold Good Citizen Award Gala in 2010, which was held at Mt. Vernon. Rees himself is a recipient of the SAR Gold Good Citizenship Award.

In February, Rees, 59, announced his retirement due to health considerations. Please plan to join us on May 12 as we honor his achievements and welcome him into the SAR.

### Upcoming Chapter Meetings

#### May 12, 2012

Featuring the Honorable Brian D. Miller, Inspector General of the General Services Administration (GSA).

11:30 AM, Belle Haven Country Club

#### June – August 2012

Summer Recess

#### September 8, 2012

11:30 AM, Belle Haven Country Club

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# President's Message



Dear Compatriots,

Last month, immediate past president Bob Carr and I represented the chapter at the commemoration of Thomas Jefferson's birthday on April 13<sup>th</sup> at the Jefferson Memorial, along with representatives from VASSAR, the DC Society hosts, other SAR chapters, the

DAR, CAR and numerous other lineage societies. Honors were given Mr. Jefferson, the drafter of the Declaration of Independence and the nation's third President. The weather was exceptional and the event lasted about thirty minutes. It featured introductions of the Military District of Washington Commander and the Superintendent of the Park Service and honors by the National Capitol Joint Services Honor Guard and the music of a brass quintet of the U.S. Army Band.

If you missed last month's luncheon, it included an engaging and enlightening presentation by author Stephen Budianski on his book "Perilous Fight: America's Intrepid War with Britain on the High Seas, 1812-15." On the two hundredth anniversary, this was a succinct overview of a misunderstood, yet important conflict, "one of the most important wars in our history." A major theme of Budianski's book underscores the success of then-Secretary of the Navy William Jones employing a strategy of asymmetric warfare, using commerce raiding and seaborne guerilla tactics to overcome Britain's overwhelming superiority in naval strength. He also highlighted the impact of the U.S. surprising naval successes on the Great Lakes as a major diversion that, among other things, contributed to wearing down British public support for the war. This resulted in the British dropping many of their non-negotiable demands in the eventual Treaty of Ghent. As an outcome of the War of 1812, the British would never again interfere with U.S. rights as a sovereign nation.

**May 12, 2012** is our final chapter meeting before summer recess. The Honorable Brian D. Miller, Inspector General of the General Services Administration (GSA) has accepted our invitation to speak. Mr. Miller is responsible for bringing to light the GSA Western Region Conference scandal currently unfolding in the news and under Congressional review. We are in for a rare treat, and we will honor Mr. Miller with the SAR Law Enforcement Award for his long and distinguished career. For additional information, see the associated article in this newsletter. I recommend you make reservations so you do not miss this unique and exceptional opportunity.

Additionally at the May luncheon, we are planning a special induction for new compatriot James Rees, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Mount Vernon Ladies Association. Jim is a past recipient of the SAR Gold Good Citizen Medal for Patriotism, and he has been instrumental in the transformation of George Washington's Mount Vernon, including the addition of the Education Center and the ongoing construction of the Washington Presidential Library. Americans owe Mr. Rees a great debt of gratitude for his tireless efforts on behalf of advancing public awareness of General Washington's indispensable role in the history of the nation's founding. It is our great honor and privilege to have him as our newest compatriot. See the associated article in this newsletter, and plan on attending to express respect and gratitude for all Jim has done for the Washington legacy.

**May 28, 2012** is the National Memorial Day Parade. This has become a signature nationally televised event. Muster near 7<sup>th</sup> Ave and Independence Ave on the Washington Mall before 1:30 PM for a 2 PM step off.

**June 22-24, 2012** The 2012 SAR Annual Conference on the American Revolution "Thomas Jefferson's Lives: Biography as a Construction of History"

*Holiday Inn University Area*

*1901 Emmet Street*

*Charlottesville, Virginia 22901*

In addition to prospective attendees, we are seeking donations of any amount to the GW Chapter SAR (note National History Conference) to:

Scott Wagoner, Treasurer  
9606 Pemberly Lane  
Fairfax Station, VA 22309-2913

**July 4, 2012** is a Mount Vernon Wreath Laying and Program. This is the 51<sup>st</sup> annual showcasing of our chapter in this event. Muster at the Cunningham Administration Building before 9:30 AM for a 9:45 AM step off and a 10AM program.

**September 8, 2012** is our first chapter meeting, followed by a 4:15 PM wreath-laying at Arlington National Cemetery. As we return to regular monthly meetings we later present honors at the Tomb of the Unknowns.

**Next year, January 26, 2013** at 6:30 PM, Belle Haven Country Club, mark your calendars for the Gold Good Citizenship Medal event.

Check out this newsletter and our web site for a more detailed schedule of upcoming events you can be part of, at gwsar.org.

We'll see you Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 AM for social gathering and a 12 PM meeting.

Respectfully,

Paul

F. Paul Briggs, Col. USMC Ret.  
Chapter President 2012

*The George Washington Chapter was chartered in its present form on April 2, 1954. With over 200 members, it is Virginia's largest SAR chapter. Meetings are held at 11:30a.m. on the second Saturday of each month (June, July & August excepted) at the Belle Haven Country Club, 6023 Fort Hunt Road, Alexandria, Virginia.*

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## **GW Chapter Renews Its Commitment to the CAR, Makes an Impact**

By any measure, the 2011-12 Children of the American Revolution (CAR) year was an extraordinary one for the George Washington Chapter, and it witnessed a renewed commitment to our responsibilities as one of the CAR's parent organizations. Despite the difficult times in which we live, no one can come away from a CAR event without a good feeling about the next generation of America's leaders. It may be one of the last places where kids sing patriotic songs with gusto, learn leadership skills along with manners and etiquette, and share in good, clean family fun. In many ways, it is a throwback to a simpler time when patriotism and family values were not controversial. (When was the last time you heard a youth chorus publicly perform "Yankee Doodle?") In short, as my daughter would say, "It's awesome."

For those of you who are not familiar with the CAR, it was organized by the DAR in 1895 "for the training of young people in true patriotism and love of country." The DAR, the SAR and the Sons of the Revolution (SR) are the parent organizations. Like the SAR, the CAR is organized at the local, state and national levels. The membership criteria for the CAR is essentially the same as the SAR, but you can only join if you are under the age of 21. Members of the parent organizations -- known as "seniors" -- shadow the CAR leaders and offer guidance and advice, but the children vote and have a significant say in what they do and who their leaders are. The CAR year is organized around state and national projects chosen by the state and national president. Members participate in contests, raise money, and do other activities to support the chosen projects. As of February 29, the CAR had 9,938 members nationwide.

In April 2011, Mary Lib Schmidt, the daughter of GW Chapter member Rodney Schmidt and granddaughter of former chapter president the late Wesley H. Schmidt, Sr., was elected National President of the CAR. Her father was national president, and Mary Lib's election marked the first time a father and daughter had both served as national president. Our chapter was honored to have Ms. Schmidt bring greetings and describe her project shortly after her election. Her project was

perfect: the Fisher House, which provides a home away from home for families of wounded veterans being treated in military and VA hospitals. CAR members would raise money for a new Fisher House, volunteer at existing Fisher Houses, and donate supplies to Fisher Houses in their areas. She chose as her theme "Living the American Dream."

Ms. Schmidt's presidency was extraordinarily successful in many ways, not least of all in her effort to raise funds for the Fisher House Foundation. At our chapter meeting, she raised her first \$1,750 along with another \$1,000 donated directly to the foundation. She and the CAR went on to raise over \$30,000 for the foundation. At the CAR's recent national convention, the members voted on which new Fisher House it would sponsor, and Ms. Schmidt announced that it would be the new Fisher House at Fort Belvoir, which is squarely within the GW Chapter's geographic area.

On a smaller scale, my involvement with my daughter's local society -- named for George Washington's friend and eulogist "Light Horse Harry" Lee -- has provided the GW Chapter with new opportunities to become involved with the CAR. In January, my daughter, Emily, and her favorite "older girl," Elyse Hawley, participated in our Gold Good Citizenship Award Gala by handing out programs and showing guests to their seats. For their efforts, they both received SAR certificates of appreciation.

In early March, I had the honor of representing VASSAR President Henry P. "Phil" Williams III at the state CAR conference in Richmond. I brought the SAR's greetings to the conference attendees, presented the state society with a check for \$500 from VASSAR in support of the CAR's general operations, and presented Virginia state president Josh Wilson with the CAR Bronze Good Citizenship Medal. Emily's drawing of a flag retirement ceremony won one of the state-wide contests in the pee-wee (10 and under) division. Following the conference, I was asked to serve as the senior state conference chairman, which should make next year's conference interesting.

In April, the "Light Horse Harry" Lee Society held its elections, and Emily was elected society president. Don't tell her, but she now outranks her dad in the SAR-DAR-CAR world! I was elected senior vice president of the society, and my primary

duties will be to drive the society president to meetings and events. Shortly after that, the Virginia C.A.R. president asked Emily to serve as state chair of the DAR/SAR/SR Relations Committee. So I am looking forward to attending lots of CAR events with Emily in the years ahead.

Later in April, over 600 people (including 240 members who served as voting delegates) attended the CAR's national convention at the Crystal Gateway Marriott in Arlington, Virginia. Mary Lib Schmidt presided, and Emily attended as a member of Virginia's 22-member delegation. She cast her votes for the next national president and the other officers, and three Virginians were among the new national officers elected for 2012-13. One of the three was "Light Horse Harry" Lee's Elyse Hawley, who many of you met at the Gala in January. She will serve as National Librarian for 2012-13. Additionally, Heather Simpson, the daughter of former VASSAR President and GW Chapter dual member Bill Simpson, was confirmed as Senior State President for Virginia for 2012-14. Heather grew up as a member of the "Light Horse Harry" Lee society.

On June 16, 2012, the GW Chapter is leading the SAR's participation in one of the Virginia CAR's two State Workshops, which will be held at Pohick Church, the colonial parish of George Washington and George Mason. All GW Chapter members are invited to participate in a joint CAR-DAR-SAR-SR wreath laying to honor the patriots buried in the church yard at 1 p.m. If you want your faith in the next generation renewed, come see a great group of kids who will spend the day learning about the new state and national projects and then stop to pay tribute to a few of the men who made our country possible.

The GW Chapter has a long history of CAR involvement, thanks to the efforts of the Schmidt family and former chapter and state president Don Reynolds and his wife, Suzanne, who has served as Senior National President of the CAR. Emily and I honor that history and will do our best to extend it. I encourage any of you who have children or grandchildren, nieces or nephews, under the age of 21 to get them involved in the CAR. You won't regret it.

Mike Elston  
Vice President



## **GSA Inspector General to Address Chapter**



At our May 12 meeting, the Honorable Brian D. Miller, Inspector General of the General Services Administration (GSA), will be our guest speaker. The U.S. Senate confirmed Miller as the Inspector General on July 22, 2005, after he was nominated to the post by President George W. Bush.

Prior to becoming Inspector General, he worked for the U.S. Department of Justice for 15 years, beginning in the Office of Policy Development. Attorney General Janet Reno appointed him as an Assistant U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Virginia, where he concentrated on procurement, grant, and health care fraud cases. In 2001, he served as the Senior Counsel to the Deputy Attorney General and Special Counsel for Health Care Fraud for the U.S. Department of Justice. In 2002, he returned to the U.S. Attorney's Office to serve as Counsel to the United States Attorney.

As Inspector General, Miller leads over 300 auditors, special agents, lawyers, and support staff in conducting nationwide audits and investigations. As a leader in the fight against procurement fraud, Miller participates in the U.S. Attorney General's Financial Fraud Enforcement Task Force and partners with federal, state, and local officials to share information to detect, investigate, and prevent procurement and grant fraud. Miller is a frequent speaker at conferences, task force meetings, and regional working groups, and he testifies regularly before Congress.

Miller has served as Vice-Chair of the National Procurement Fraud Task Force, a task force of the Department of Justice, law enforcement offices, and several inspectors general. As co-chair of the Legislation Committee, he played a key role in amending the Federal Acquisition Regulation to require contractors to report overpayments and crimes. He also was a principal author of a legislative and regulatory reform white paper, which resulted in legislation, regulation, and a

national debate on important issues related to procurement fraud.

His recent report regarding GSA's 2010 Western Regions Conference resulted in at least three congressional committees holding hearings in April 2012 along with widespread media attention and the resignation of GSA Administrator Martha Johnson, an appointee of President Barack Obama. This is the second GSA Administrator to resign under fire after an investigation by Miller's office. In April 2008, GSA Administrator Lurita Doan, an appointee of President George W. Bush, was asked to resign by the White House after allegations that she failed to follow proper procedures for awarding federal contracts, attempted to intervene in contract negotiations, and engaged in partisan political activities on federal property.

As a Navy brat, Miller grew up in various locations around the country. He attended Temple University. He earned his Juris Doctor degree from the University of Texas Law School at Austin.

The George Washington Chapter will present Miller with the SAR Law Enforcement Medal to recognize his decades of service in the cause of justice as a prosecutor and now as an inspector general.

## **New Members**

### **Rodney Hayes Lovdal**



Compatriot Rodney Hayes Lovdal was born in Superior, Wisconsin and raised in Minnesota and Indiana. In 1948 he enlisted in the US Navy and spent his enlisted service in the Submarine Force. Rod was commissioned in the Regular Navy in 1956 and served on several ships, overseas assignments, and shore stations until his retirement in 1975. After Navy retirement he worked in the private sector and the Federal Government. Rod lives in Falls Church. Compatriot Rod Lovdals' membership in the SAR is based on his bloodline descent from Patriot Moses Hayes. During the Revolution Moses Hayes provided supplies and waggonage in Augusta County, Virginia.

## Spencer Cresswell



Compatriot                      Spencer

Cresswell was born and raised in Alexandria, VA. In 2003, Spencer moved to Mason Neck, VA and attended South County Secondary School; graduating in 2008. Following high school Spencer attended the University of Mississippi for a year, and then moved on to attend the Texas Maritime Academy in Galveston, for Merchant Marine Officer training. Finally, Spencer settled on George Mason University and will graduate in the fall of 2012 with a degree in Global Affairs, concentrating on Europe.

During high school Spencer worked for the Potomac Riverboat Company in Alexandria as a Mate, ferrying passengers to and from Mount Vernon. In addition he served as a US Senate page, and attained the rank of Eagle Scout. This past summer he had the opportunity to study and work in London. He took courses on British history and culture, while simultaneously working on writing international and European agriculture policy briefings.

Spencer is currently an Operations Manager for Social Venture Consulting (SVC), a small pro bono consulting firm comprised of undergraduate and graduate students. He has been with SVC for one year. In his spare time he enjoys sailing, fishing, and waterfowl hunting. Additionally, Spencer is an avid football fan, and is praying the Redskins will turn it around this year!

Spencer is the son of William "Bill" Cresswell, Jr. and Dr. Mary E. Cutting. Both his parents cultivated his interest in history and genealogy at a young age. His mother Mary is a member of both the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Colonial Dames.

Compatriot Spencer's membership in the Sons of the American Revolution is based on his bloodline descent from Patriot Nathan Field (1755-1792), who served as a Private in the Continental Army. Pvt. Field was sworn in by Capt. Elisha Hunt on 4 April 1779 in Hampshire County, Massachusetts. He then joined the 2<sup>nd</sup> Continental Artillery Regiment, and served for a year under Colonel John Lamb. During this time the regiment had the unique distinction of serving the guns at West Point.

## Registrar's Report

Since the last Registrar's Report four New Member Applications and two Supplemental Applications were approved by NSSAR. One New Member Applications and five Supplemental Applications have been submitted to VASSAR.

There are two applications at VSSAR awaiting review, eleven applications at NSSAR awaiting review, and nine new members awaiting induction. Below is a summary of the applications that were submitted and approved since the last Registrar's Report.

### **New Member Applications Approved**

Andrew M. Hale (Anc: Ezekiel Hale)  
Paul G. Hale, Jr. (Anc: Ezekiel Hale)  
James C. Rees (Anc: Philip Taliaferro)  
Rodney H. Lovdal (Anc: Moses Hayes)

### **Supplemental Applications Approved**

Robert A. Whitehead (Anc: Uriah Lipscomb)  
Benjamin B. Rudisill (Anc: Thomas Ried)

### **New Member Applications Submitted**

Charles G. Flinn (Anc: William Flynn)

### **Supplemental Applications Submitted**

John P. Felt (Anc: Eliphalet Seely)  
Paul A. Walden (Anc: Thomas Cromwell)  
Robert A. Whitehead (Anc: John Fowlkes)  
Michael J. Elston (Anc: Robert Kirkham)  
Michael J. Elston (Anc: John Beale)

Jim Mobley  
Registrar

## **Secretary's New Member Corner**

Summer Events. Since this will be the final newsletter before the summer break, I want to emphasize two important chapter events having special interest to new members and their families.

The **National Memorial Day Parade** on May 28 offers a very special chance for involvement by all SAR members. Our chapter will be joined by other SAR members and color guards from around the nation to display the SAR colors and remind all others of those who fought and died for our independence.

My attendance last year as a new member was a memorable experience. Having taken many a Rolling Thunder ride on the Sunday before Memorial Day over the last twenty years, I was hardly aware of the national parade. But I was surprised to learn that last year was only the seventh national parade. I can't believe how fun it was to (a) actually be in a parade (not something on my Bucket List) and (b) enjoy the attention of kids, tourists and foreign visitors delighted to be in our nation's capital on such a special occasion. I was not surprised, however, at the sense of pride in representing the SAR and being a part of an important remembrance so dear to our citizenry. You really should come out for this one; and have your family and neighbors come out to see you, too!

The chapter will conduct its annual **Wreath Laying Ceremony at George Washington's Tomb** on July 4th. This is an important event for us, and a wonderful opportunity to bring the family to celebrate Independence Day on the historic grounds of Mt. Vernon.

At 9:30 a.m. we will march in procession to the glade near the tomb, attracting many visitors to come and join our ceremony. Then prior to the wreath laying we will get to hear a high school orator give a short talk on a topic relating to the Revolutionary War. I've been twice now and am impressed by the skill and attitude of these young people. It is also impressive the number of Mt. Vernon visitors who attend and want to be a part of the ceremony. Immediately after our ceremony there will be a special Independence Day naturalization ceremony for America's 100 newest citizens with the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services. This is something you will

also want to see and share in the joy of so many becoming new Americans.

These are just two opportunities to stay engaged in the SAR over the summer. Remember to keep a check on the *Events* page of our web site for other events. As always, I am interested in getting news of your participation and experiences in SAR related activities. Have a great summer!

Dwight Whitney  
Secretary



Compatriots Greg Bodge and Dwight Whitney prepare to step out at the 2011 National Memorial Day Parade.



Compatriots Bob Wineland and Don Baldwin present the chapter's wreath at General Washington's tomb at Mt. Vernon.

## Upcoming 2012 Events

**May 12** - Chapter Meeting at 11:30 a.m. at the Belle Haven Country Club, Alexandria, VA

**May 12-14** - Raid on Martin's Station in Ewing, VA @ @

**May 28** - National Memorial Day Parade 1 p.m. marshal, 2 p.m. step off in Washington, DC (7th and Independence St.) \*\*

**June 16** - SAR-DAR-CAR Pohick Church Cemetery wreath laying \*\*

**June 18** – Society of the War of 1812 “Salute to President Madison,” 10:30 a.m. James Madison Memorial in the James Madison Building of the Library of Congress, 101 Independence Ave. SE, Washington, DC. @ @

**June 22-24** - The 2012 SAR Annual Conference on the American Revolution “Thomas Jefferson’s Lives: Biography as a Construction of History” Holiday Inn University Area 1901 Emmet Street Charlottesville, Virginia 22901 @ @

**July 4** - Mount Vernon wreath laying at George Washington’s Tomb, 9:30 a.m. step off ##

**July 6-11** - 2012 National Congress in Phoenix, AZ

**Aug 10-11** - Atlantic Middle States Conference, Hilton Christiana, Newark, Delaware

**Sept 8** - Chapter Meeting at 11:30 a.m. at the Belle Haven Country Club, Alexandria, VA. Scheduled guest speakers are Sir Peter Westmacott, KCMG, LVO, the British Ambassador to the United States (invited); and Eric Grundset, Director of the D.A.R. Library (nominated for the SAR Silver Good Citizenship Award).

**Sept 8** - Wreath Laying Ceremony at Arlington National Cemetery, 4:15 p.m. ##

**Sept 14-15** - State Semi-annual meeting Charlottesville, VA @ @

**Sept 17** - Constitution Day – 225th Anniversary @ @

**Oct 13** - Chapter Meeting at 11:30 a.m. at the Belle Haven Country Club, Alexandria, VA. Guest speaker will be Daniel Piazza, Curator of Philately at the Smithsonian's National Postal Museum

**Oct 19** - Battle of Yorktown in Yorktown, VA @ @

**Nov 10** - Chapter Meeting at 11:30 a.m. at the Belle Haven Country Club, Alexandria, VA. Guest speaker will be Michael Pope, author of *"Hidden History of Alexandria."*

**Nov 11** - Mount Vernon wreath laying at George Washington’s Tomb with Kate Waller Barrett Chapter, DAR ##

**Oct 5-7** - Point Pleasant Battle Days at Tu-Endie-Wei State Park in Fort Randolph, WV @ @

**Oct** - Battle of Kings Mountain in Blacksburg, SC @ @

**Dec 1** - Battle of Great Bridge Wreath Ceremony and Reenactments @ @

**Dec 8** - Chapter Meeting at 11:30 a.m. at the Belle Haven Country Club, Alexandria, VA. Our guest speaker will be Henry P. "Phil" Williams III, President of the Virginia Society, SAR.

### Legend

\*\* Chapter sponsored state or national event

## Chapter event where other chapters may participate

@ @ Non-Chapter event of significance that GW members should consider attending



**May 12, 2012**  
**Lunch Meeting Reservation Form**

Please make your reservation by e-mail to **swagoner@X4-LLC.com**. This is the preferred way to make a reservation. The lunch costs are \$35.00 per person pre-registered and \$37.00 per person for walk-ins. Check in and social time begins at 11:30 a.m. The meeting will be called to order at 12:00 noon.

For call in reservations, you can call Scott at **571 239-3221**.

For e-mail and phone reservations, please include the following:

Compatriot Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_

For mail-in reservations, please include the following information:

Compatriot Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_

A check for \_\_\_\_ persons in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ payable to G.W. Chapter SAR is enclosed.

Mail this reservation form with your check to:

Scott Wagoner, Treasurer

G.W. Chapter SAR

P.O. Box 75

Occoquan, VA 22125

It is important to provide the first and last name of all guests.

It is also important to provide advance notice of attendance to be sure you get a seat.

Valet parking is available.

Thank you.