

J. M. "Matt" Barton 441 Sons of Confederate Veterans Camp Newsletter



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April 11th, 2019 Time: 7:00
Senior Citizen Building Sulphur
Springs, TX Take Oak Ave.
BEFORE crossing the tracks turn
right. Meeting is one block on the
right. Dinner will be served by the
ladies. Come and enjoy.

Next Meeting

STATE REUNION

http://scvtexas.org/State_Convention_6YY5. html 2019 TEXAS DIVISION REUNION May 31, 2019 - June 2, 2019 We will be using the same facilities as in 2015 The Frank W. Mayborn Civic & Convention Center, 3303 N 3rd St, Temple, TX 76501 and the Hilton Garden Inn Hotel, 1749 Scott Blvd, Temple, TX 76504. They are conveniently located near each other and major access roads in Temple. The hotel is offering a special rate of \$108.00 per room until MAY 01, 2019. Please contact the hotel directly for reservations at 254-773-0200.

Events

Congressional Medal of Honor Parade Saturday April 13th, 2019 Gainesville, TX Line up is at 10:00 Just Find a Place on the Parade Route Downtown, you will enjoy this event!! Just hope it is not snowing this year



SAVE THE DATE!!!

On Sunday, April 28, 2019, the Emma Sansom Chapter 2701 UDC; Mollie Moore Davis Chapter 217 UDC; Capt. James P. Douglas Camp 124 SCV; and Col. Richard B. Hubbard Chapter 261, MOSB will be hosting a joint event on Sunday, April 28, 2019, at 2:00 p.m. at Oakwood Cemetery in Tyler.

There will be Memorial Services for Capt. Douglas and Col. Hubbard. A marker dedication will be held for Col. Broughton, and an Iron Cross will be dedicated. A UDC Medallion will be placed on the stone of Mary Douglas Broughton as a Charter Member of Mollie Moore Davis, and Iron Crosses will be placed on the graves of Marc Fleishel and John Douglas. It will be a great afternoon, so please plan to join us.

IF YOU ARE A MEMBER OF THE "MATT" BARTON CAMP PLEASE TRY TO ATTEND THE NEXT MEETING WE WILL BE DISCUSSING THIS PROPOSAL AND DECIDE WHAT THE MEMBERSHIP WISHES TO DO



There has been a proposal made for the camp to utilize some of its funds to purchase challenge coins. Many of our brothers, who are former military members, will recall that challenge coins have commonly been used within the military for members of particular units or squadrons to identify themselves. The coins depict artwork and symbolism specific to that particular military unit and are a great source of pride for the unit's members. Over the years, challenge coins have entered the civilian world and now many corporations, police departments, fire stations, and educational institutions have adopted them as a way to build esprit de corp and market the organization.