SAR Chapter Newsletter

Harris Ferry Chapter
HARRISBURG, PA

DECEMBER 1997 ☆ ☆ ☆ Sons of the American Revolution ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

An Invitation... TO YOU AND YOUR LADY

THE 57th ANNUAL MEETING

Of Harris Ferry Chapter of SAR

Saturday, December 6, at 12 Noon, at
The Arches Restaurant, 4125 N Front Street
(Front Street Just North of I-81's Exit #22)
Reception at 12 Noon Luncheon at 12:30
Dress Informal

(For Luncheon Reservations, Please Use Form Provided Below)

SAR State President to Speak

"The Paoli Battlefield" will be the topic of PASSAR President Joseph M. Shaffer, of Burgettstown, in addressing the 57th Annual Meeting of Harris Ferry Chapter on Saturday, December 6, at 12 noon, at The Arches Restaurant, Harrisburg.

The 40-acre site of the Paoli Massacre of September 51, 1777, a property long owned by the Malvern Prep School, is now being considered for purchase by the Paoli Memorial Association as a permanent addition to the grave site of the 50 colonial patriots who perished there.

President Shaffer will also officiate at the installation of the chapter's new officers elected for 1998.

Our Next Meeting will be the annual George Washington Luncheon, Sunday, Feb. 22, at 12:30, at the West Shore Country Club. It will be hosted this year by the Harrisburg Chapter of DAR.

Chapter Honors Area's 134 New Eagle Scouts

Harris Ferry Chapter awarded SAR Recognition Certificates to 134 new Eagle Scouts of the four-county area who attended the 23rd Annual Eagle Recognition Dinner of Keystone Area Council of BSA on November 25, at the Radisson Penn-Harris Convention Center, Camp Hill.

David E. Harman, chairman of the chapter's Eagle Scout Committee, said the scouts also received kits containing full details concerning the yearly scholarship contest sponsored by SAR nationally, in cooperation with BSA.

Hartman noted that this is the 13th year of Harris Ferry Chapter's local sponsorship of the Eagle Scout competition, in which scholarships totalling $6,000 are awarded by SAR nationally in addition to various state and local medals and prizes.

CHAPTER OFFICERS for 1997

Chapter President
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Hartman Slated to Become Chapter's 34th President

David E. Hartman, of 7556 Fishing Creek Valley Road, a past president of the West Haniver Township Historical Society, is slated to be installed as 34th president of Harris Ferry Chapter at the 57th Annual Meetin, on December 6. He succeeds Walker V. Hoak, who has served for the past two years.

John A. Pringle, of Camp Hill, will move up to the position of 1st vice president. New additions to the Chapter Board will be: Herbert H. Braden, of Lebanon; Willis R. Friese, Jr., of Annville; William S. Marshall, of Middletown; Samuel M. Sollenberger, of Gettysburg, and Walker V. Hoak, as immediate past president.

RESERVATION – The 57th Annual Meeting of Harris Ferry Chapter

Saturday Afternoon, December 6, 1997, at The Arches Restaurant, Harrisburg

TO: Harris Ferry Chapter of SAR, c/o George E. Reed, Treas. (717 / 545-7465)
3513 Hillcrest Road, Harrisburg, PA 17109-2034

Herewith is check in amount of $_____ for ___ reservations (at $12.50 per serving)
Check should be made payable to *"Harris Ferry Chapter, SAR"*

NAME_____ TELEPHONE_____

GUESTS_____

(No reservations or refunds after Wednesday, Dec. 3)