



# The Texas Compatriot

*Texas Society  
Sons of the American Revolution*



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## **Texas State Society 2009 Awards Presentations March 2010**

### **PART ONE—AWARDS FROM VP—AMERICANISM, CONTESTS, MEDALS AND AWARDS**



*Stephen Rohrbough, VP  
Americanism, Contests,  
Medals and Awards*

- The Galveston Award
- The Frank Watkins Award
- The Karl E. Wallace Award
- The Adrian Drouilhet Award
- The Col. Joe M. Hill Patriot Fund Awards
- The Col. Joe M. Hill, Jr. Membership Award
- The John K. Harrell CAR Activities Award
- The John K. Harrell CAR Competition Award
- TXSSAR Flag Presentation Award
- The John Bruce Stuart, Jr., Memorial Award
- The Marshall Hunter Award
- The Hartsell O. Stephens Award
- The E. A. Limmer Award
- The Wilber S. Strong Award
- The Ross Shipman Award
- The TXSSAR Yearbook Award
- Robert Ritchie Oration Awards for the Joseph Rumbaugh Contest
- Outstanding American History Teacher Award
- The Eagle Scout Scholarship Award
- The JROTC Scholarship Award
- George S. & Stella M. Knight Scholarship Award
- TXSSAR CAR Scholarship Essay Awards
- The James M. Looney Elementary School Poster Contest Awards
- TXSSAR Americanism Awards
- TXSSAR Outstanding Chapter Award

### **PART TWO—TXSSAR — PRESIDENT'S MEDALS & AWARDS**



*Thomas Lawrence  
TXSSAR President  
2009-2010*

- Distinguished Service Medal
- Patriot Medal
- Meritorious Service Medal
- Bronze Good Citizenship
- Texas Silver Service
- Texas Bronze Service
- Alexander Hamilton Medal and Pin
- Service to Veterans Medal
- Martha Washington Medal
- SAR Medal of Appreciation
- Daughters of Liberty Medal
- Certificate of Appreciation



*William Marris  
Secretary  
2009-2010*



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### TXSSAR SOCIETY AWARDS FOR 2009 BY COMPATRIOT STEPHEN W. ROHRBOUGH, VP, AMERICANISM, CONTESTS, MEDALS, AND AWARDS

TXSSAR Society Awards were presented to individuals and chapters during the 115<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention in Houston, Texas, March 25-28, 2010. Although competition was tight, many compatriots and chapters diligently worked to complete the society's programs and achieve the goals set for 2009.

Everyone contributing their time and dedicating their skills to the programs and contests of the Texas Society are commended for their individual and chapter efforts leading to the continued success of the Society's contests for this year. Hundreds of individual compatriots in 48 Chapters of the Society reached out to schools, local organizations, the DAR and CAR, and other patriotic groups to participate in TXSSAR contests, programs, and events. Winners of the 2009 competitions are as follows:

#### FRIDAY COUNCIL OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS (8:00 AM)

**THE GALVESTON AWARD:** Established by Bernardo Galvez Chapter was presented to the chapter with the highest % of increase of donations to the TXSSAR Col. Joe Hill Patriots Fund. The Winner was the **Cradle of Texas Chapter # 33 (5,956%)** and an Honorable Mention was the **PineyWoods Chapter # 51 (955%)**.

*Ray Cox accepts Honorable Mention from Stephen Rohrbough*



**THE FRANK WATKINS AWARD:** Established by the Hill Country Chapter in Honor of Frank Watkins was presented to the chapter having the highest percentage of members contributing to the TXSSAR Col. Joe Hill Patriots Fund in the past year. The Winner was the **Ambassador Warren Fletcher Chapter # 43 (26.1%)** and an Honorable Mention was the **Arlington Chapter # 7 (20.6%)**.

*Wendell Edwards accepts first place award from Stephen Rohrbough*



**THE KARL E. WALLACE AWARD:** Given by TXSSAR Society in honor of Past President Karl E. Wallace to the Chapter having the highest percentage of membership increase during the past year. The Winner was the **Liberty Chapter # 42 (107.7%)** and Honorable Mention was the **Alexander Hamilton Chapter # 66 (100%)**.

*Bruce Barrett accepts first place award from Stephen Rohrbough*



**THE ADRIAN DROUILHET AWARD:** Named for Secretary Treasurer Emeritus Adrian Drouilhet was presented to the Chapter with the most new members less than 50 years of age. The Winner was a tie between the **San Antonio Chapter # 4 (12 members)** and the **Patrick Henry Chapter # 11 (12 members)**.

*Peter Baron accepts first place award from Stephen Rohrbough*



**FRIDAY OPENING SESSION (4:30 PM)**

**COL. JOE M. HILL PATRIOT FUND AWARDS:** Awarded annually to each Chapter that has total contributions that exceed the total of the previous year.

Galveston # 1	*Paul Revere # 19	*Amb Warren Fletcher #43
*Dallas #2	Daniel Woods #22	*Brazos Valley #45
*Paul Carrington #5	*Denton #23	*East Fork Trinity #47
*Edmund Terrill # 34	*Lt Nathan Gann #23	Alexander Hodge #49
*Col Turner Sharp #9	Hill Country #31	Victoria # 50
Pan handle Plains #10	*Cradle of Texas #33	Piney Woods #51
*Patrick Henry # 11	*Edmund Terrill #34	*Athens #54
*Corpus Christi # 14	High Tower #35	Live Oak #55
*Texas Tech #15	*Plano #37	*Aaron Burluson #59
*Big Country # 16	*Blue Bonnet #41	*McKinney #63
Major White #17	Liberty #42	*Red River #65
*Permian Basin		

- Repeat winners (White Stars)



**COL. JOE M. HILL JR. MEMBERSHIP AWARD:** Presented in honor of our past President Col. Joe. M. Hill, Jr. is given to each chapter that achieves the goal of 100% membership renewal in the past year. the winners are:

**Captain John McAdams Chapter #27**, District #8

**Aaron Burluson Chapter #59**, District #4

**Red River Valley Chapter #65**, District #11



**THE JOHN K. HARRELL CAR ACTIVITIES AWARD:** Recognizes *Mike Everheart, Ray Cox and Tom Lawrence* Compatriot John Harrell's of the San Antonio Chapter for dedication and support of the national, state, and local programs, activities, and recognition of the strong relationships the two societies of the Sons of the American Revolution and the Children of the American Revolution. Compatriot Harrell believed that supporting CAR Societies at all levels would help the common good of both the National Society SAR and National Society CAR and enhance the promise of new members to SAR and DAR. This award is presented to any chapter who participates in 7 of the 9 elements outlined by the NSSAR CAR Committee. The Winner this year was:

**Plano Chapter #37**, District 6

\***Robert Rankin Chapter #62**, District #8

\***San Antonio Chapter #4**, District #3.

**THE JOHN K. HARRELL CAR COMPETITION AWARDS:** The Award was established in memory of Compatriot John K. Harrell of the San Antonio Chapter for his outstanding work and active participation in CAR programs and activities at the Chapter, State, and National levels. Mrs. Barbara Harrell, wife of Compatriot John Harrell, donated \$5,000 in February 2008 to establish the John K, Harrell Fund to support this award. It was presented to Chapters that participate in the CAR activities outlined in the Chapter Annual Report submitted for the calendar year. This year we had 15 Chapter compared to 13 Chapters last year, an increase of 2 chapters, participate in CAR activities in 2009.

A Monetary award of \$50 goes to each of the three Group winners to further aid and assist Chapters to continue to help CAR Societies in their programs and activities:

Chapter winners were:

Group # 1 (10-25) **Laredo Chapter #61** with 190 points, District #9

Group # 2 (26-99) **\*Robert Rankin Chapter #62** with 712 points, District #8

Group # 3 (100+) **\* Plano Chapter #37** with 235 points, District #6

**TXSSAR FLAG PRESENTATION AWARDS:** Given to Chapters having recognized an Individual, Company, or Organization for the proper display, maintenance and care for flying the Flag of the United States during the past year. We had 22 Chapter participating versus 23 chapters last year. There were 121 Flag Presentation with 432 compatriots attending these ceremonies with 198 compatriots in uniform. Lacking 2 chapters for a majority of chapters presenting certificates, the Society did not receive the “Furlong Award” for the second time in a row from NSSAR. Below are 22 Chapters winners.

Chapter	#	District
*Alexander Hodge	# 49	7
*Abm Fletcher Warren	#43	11
*Athens	# 54	10
*Bernardo de Galvez (21 Flag Presentations)	# 1	7
*Capt William Barron	# 25	10
*Col. Turner R. Sharpe	# 9	1
*Cradle of Texas	# 33	7
*Denton	# 23	10
*East Fork Trinity	# 47	6
*East Texas	# 57	10
*Fredonia	# 58	10

Chapter	#	District
*Freedom	# 38	8
*Hill Country	# 31	3
*Major M. K. VanZandt	# 6	5
*McKinney	# 63	10
*Patrick Henry	# 11	4
*Piney Woods	# 51	8
*Plano	#37	6
*Red River	# 65	11
*Robert Rankin (52 flag presentations)	# 62	8
*San Antonio	# 4	3
*Victoria	# 50	3

\* Repeat winners (Wither Star)

**THE PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD:** This award is given to Chapters having awarded the four public service awards (Heroism, Fire Safety, Emergency Medical Services, and Law enforcement. TXSSAR had five chapters receiving this award for 2009:

- Amb. Fletcher Warren #43—District 11
- Dallas #2 —District 6
- Maj. K. M. Van Vandt # 6—District 6
- PineyWoods #51 —District 8
- Plano #37 —District 6

**FIRST GENERAL SESSION ON SATURDAY AT 9:00 AM**

**THE JOHN BRUCE STUART JR. MEMORIAL AWARD:**

Established by the Plano Chapter in memory of Compatriot John B. Stuart Jr. and was awarded to the Chapter based on Veterans activities in the past year. We had 12 chapters reporting Veterans Activities for 140,600 points compared to 9 Chapters with 39,000 points in 2008. This was a 3-fold increase in point value because of a concerted effort on the part of these 12 Chapters. Chapter winners were:

- Group 1 (10-39) **Freedom Chapter # 38**, District 8, with 22,200 points
- Group 2 (40-99) **Piney Woods Chapter #51**, District # 8, with 35,600 points
- Group 3 (100-199) **San Antonio Chapter # 4**, District # 3, with 13,000 points
- Group 4 (199+) **Dallas # 2**, District # 6, with 19,200 points



*Don Stone*



*Ray Cox*



*Peter Baron*



*David Temple*

**THE MARSHALL HUNTER AWARD:**

Sponsored by the Captain William Barron Chapter and presented in two categories, based on the chapter membership at the end of the TXSSAR year for the highest percentage of members attending their regular meetings. Chapter winners were:

- Group 1 (1-99) **Alexander Hodge # 49** with 71% for 11 meetings
- Group 2 (100+) **Plano # 37** with 23% for 12 meetings



*Drake Peddy*

**THE HARTSELL O. STEPHENS AWARD:**

Given in honor of Hartsell O. Stephens and awarded to the individual who sponsors the most new compatriots during the contest year. The winner was:

- Compatriot **Dan Stauffer, Alexander Hamilton Chapter # 66**, with 23 new applications Honorable Mention:
- Compatriot **Mike Everheart, Captain William Barron Chapter #25**, with 35 new applications
- Compatriot **Thomas B. Green, Alexander Hodge Chapter # 49**, with 18 new applications
- Compatriot **Gerald W. Irion, Hill Country Chapter # 31**, with 17 new applications



*Don Stauffer*



*Mike Everheart*



*Tom Green*



*Gerald Irions*

**THE E. A. LIMMER AWARD:**

Created by the Heart of Texas Chapter and given to the Chapter having the highest percentage of approved Supplemental Applications during the past year. Winners are:

- Group 1 (10-39) **Boerne Chapter # 64**, with 9 applications for 23.68 %
- Group 2 (40-99) **Captain William Barron Chapter # 25**, with 7 applications for 10.14%
- Group 3 (100-199) **Plano Chapter # 37**, 7 applications for 6.14%
- Group 4 (200+) There were no applications submitted in this group



*Peter Baron and Mike Everheart*

**THE WILBUR S. STRONG AWARD:**

Awarded to the Chapter formed during the past year having the highest score for the Outstanding Chapter Contest. Winner was the **Alexander Hamilton Chapter # 66**



*Harlan Green  
(Russell Dart in background)*

**THE ROSS SHIPMAN AWARD:** This award recognizes 5 chapters with the Best Newsletter published during the contest year in 3 categories including Multiple Sheet, Single Sheet, and Electronic formats. There were no winners this year as the Committee is preparing new Contest Rules and Instructions based on the guidelines for the NSSAR Contest.

**THE TXSSAR YEARBOOK AWARD:** Presented to the Chapter submitting the best Yearbook as judged by the Year Book Committee. The Year Book is the historical record of a chapter's activities for the past TXSSAR year. The contest was revised this year to include 3 winners in 3 new Group sizes. Winners were presented certificates.

Winners were:

**Group 1 (10-39)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: **Robert Rankin Chapter # 62**, District #

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: **Freedom Chapter # 38**, District # 8

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: **Denton Chapter # 23**, District # 11



*Pictured: Steven Tanner, Jim Johnson, Tom Lawrence  
and Don Stone*

**Group 2 (49-99)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: **Piney Woods # 51**, District # 8

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: **East Fork Trinity Chapter # 47**, District # 6

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: **Bernardo de Galvez Chapter # 1**, District # 7



*Pictured: Pete Lenes, Harlan Adair and Ray Cox*

**Group 3 (100 +)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: **Plano Chapter # 37**, District # 6

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: **Major KM Van Zandt Chapter # 6**, District 5

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: **San Antonio Chapter # 4**, District # 3



*Pictured: Peter Baron, James Alderman and Drake Peddy*

**SATURDAY YOUTH CONTEST AWARDS LUNCHEON (NOON)**

**ROBERT RITCHIE ORATION AWARDS FOR JOSEPH RUMBAUGH CONTEST:**

This Contest is open to students in the sophomore and Junior High School Classes in public, parochial, and private schools. The Oration is presented without script or props. The winner represents the Texas Society at the National SAR Oration's Contest. There were five Regions recommending contestants this year, the best in the past four years.

Chairman: Peter Rowley

Winner were:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Ms. Lydia M. Olson, Junior, Lindale High School  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Capt William Barron # 25**, District # 10
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Mr. Gibson Duncan Hatch, freshman, Jack Hayes High School  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Patrick Henry Chapter #11**, District # 4
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Benjamin Eugene Staton, Senior, Highland Park High School  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Pan Handle Plains Chapter # 10**, District # 2
- 4<sup>th</sup> Place: Ms. Jenny My Le, Senior, Clear Lake High School  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Bernardo de Galvez Chapter # 1**, District # 7
- 5<sup>th</sup> Place: Mr. Marvin Eugene Norman, IV, Sr, New Braunfels Christian Acad.  
Sponsoring Chapter: **William Hightower Chapter # 35**, District # 3



*Orators pictured in order they placed in competition.*

**OUTSTANDING AMERICAN HISTORY TEACHER AWARD:**

Award is presented to an American History Teacher based on an Essay and Recommendation letters from peers, students, and supervisors. We had 7 Chapter participating, contacting 56 schools with 22 contestants.

Chairman: David W. Jones

Winner: Mrs. Penny Rosas, Katy, TX

Sponsoring Chapter: **Robert Rankin Chapter # 62**, District # 8



*Penny Rosas with David Jones and S. Rohrbough*

**THE EAGLE SCOUT SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:**

Given to an Eagle Scout who has passed by the Boy Scout Board. The applicant submits a scholarship application, four (4) generation chart and a five hundred (500) Word Essay on the American Revolution.

Chairman: John Knox.

Winner: Eagle Scout Brendon Luke.

Sponsoring Chapter: **Major KM VanZandt Chapter # 6**, District # 5.

*Scout Luke pictured with Robert Truitt, Sr., at Van Zandt chapter meeting.*



**THE JR. R.O.T.C. SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:**

Outstanding Cadets are chosen by their respective Unit Commanding Officers. The Cadets are nominated based their Outstanding leadership, Military Bearing, and Good Citizenship; and, they must write an essay of five hundred (500) words explaining how ROTC has impacted their life and made them a better person.

Chairman: Ron Barker

Winner: Cadet Stephanie Aviles, Senior, Robert G. Cole High School, San Antonio, Texas Sponsoring Chapter: **San Antonio Chapter # 4**, District # 3



*Ron Barker, Cadet Stephanie Aviles, Mr. and Mrs. Aviles, Peter Baron (San Antonio Chapter/sponsor) and Stephen Rohrbough.*

**GEORGE S. & STELLA M. KNIGHT SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:**

The Award is given to a Junior or Senior High School Student who writes the best five hundred (500)-word essay on an event, topic, person or ideal associated with the American Revolution. There were 11 chapters, 50 participants, and 56 schools participating in this year's contest.

Chairman: Randoll Reagan

Winners were:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Joseph Choe, Mayde Creek High School, Houston, Texas  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Robert Rankin Chapter # 62**, District # 8
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Dana Dinsmore, Senior, Plano High School, Plano, Texas  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Plano Chapter # 37**, District # 6
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Jovan Abego, Coronado High School, El Paso, Texas  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Colonel Turner Sharp Chapter # 5**, District # 1

**THE TXSSAR C. A. R. SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY AWARDS:**

Given to male and female members of the Texas Society Children of the American Revolution who write the best five hundred (500)-word essay on an event, topic, person, or ideal on the Revolutionary Period as announced. The topic this year was "The Battle of Bunker Hill". We had 4 entries with 2 males and 2 females.

These awards were presented at the TSCAR State Convention. Vice-President Stephen Rohrbough extended greetings to the TSCAR on behalf of the TXSSAR, as President Tom Lawrence was at the Spring Leadership meeting in Louisville, KY, and made the award presentations during the Opening Ceremonies in Austin, Texas, on Friday March 5, 2010.

Winners were:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Nathaniel Ames, Senior, Cedar Hill, TX, Three Forks Trinity Society - TSCAR  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Dallas Chapter # 2**, District # 6  
As a note of interest, Nathaniel E. Ames, was our 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Winner in the 2007 CAR Essay Contest. We are privileged and fortunate he returned to compete another year.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Alexa Gibson, Damon, TX, sophomore, Fort Bend Society - TSCAR  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Alexander Hodge Chapter # 49**, District # 7
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Gregory Thorne, Senior, Katy, TX, James Bates Society – TSCAR  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Robert Rankin Chapter # 62**, District # 8
- Honorable Mention: Tara Powers, soph, Katy, TX, James Bate Society – TSCAR  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Robert Rankin Chapter # 62**, District # 8



*David Jones, Drake Peddy, David Temple*

**THE JAMES M. LOONEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL POSTER CONTEST AWARD (5 CERTIFICATES):**

Contest was developed to help stimulate interest in American History in support of the Texas School Fifth (5th) Grade Curriculum. The Posters are judged on artistic merit, creativity used to express the annual theme, originality of presentation, and show evidence of research done by the student. We had 12 Chapters, 80 contestants, and 171 schools participating in this year's contests. The winners were:



- 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Nicholas Moulder, Walnut Glen Academy, Garland, TX  
Sponsoring Chapter: **East Fork Trinity Chapter # 47**, District # 6
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Alec B. Pantoja, Doris Cullins-Lake Pointe Elem, Rockwall, TX  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Dallas Chapter # 2**, district # 6
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Jo Jo Weinstein, Athens Christian Academy, Athens, TX  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Athens Chapter # 54**, District # 10

These two awards did not have "evidence of research" and did not meet the National Poster Contest Rules, but warranted recognition for outstanding artistic merit, creativity, used to express the annual theme and originality of presentation.

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Grace Wang, Rice Elementary School, Tyler, TX  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Captain William Barron Chapter # 25**, District # 10
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Sahar Sagarwala, Hedgcoxe Elementary School, Plano, TX  
Sponsoring Chapter: **Plano Chapter # 37**, District # 11



*Drake Peddy, Harlan Adair, David Temple, Charles Luna and Steven Lee*



**SATURDAY SECOND GENERAL SESSION (3:00 PM)**

**THE TXSSAR AMERICANISM AWARDS:**

Formerly the Louis J. Rumaggi Trophy, the award is given to a chapter that develops an exceptional program to recognize patriotic activities of the youth of the state, supports institutions and adults that promote patriotic education, recognizes observance of national holidays, and recognizes of outstanding citizenship during the past year. Winners were:

- Group 1 (10-39) **Robert Rankin # 62**, District # 8, with 10,935 points
- Group 2 (40-99) **Major K M VanZandt # 6**, District # 5, with 5,705 points
- Group 3 (100-199) **San Antonio Chapter # 4**, District # 3, with 9,510 points
- Group 4 (200+) **\*Dallas # 2**, District # 6, with 1,575 points

*Stephen Rohrbough, David Temple, Peter Baron, James Alderman, Steven Tanner, Tom Lawrence*



**TXSSAR OUTSTANDING CHAPTER AWARD:**

Awarded to Chapters that excelled in all programs, activities, and outreach to non-SAR institutions and groups as reflected in the 12 sections of the Chapter Annual Report. The award is given to Chapters in four categories for their participation in the majority of programs contained in the Annual Report. The winners are:

- Group 1 (10-39) **Robert Rankin # 62**, District # 8, with 24,037 points
- Group 2 (40-99) **Major K M VanZandt # 6**, District # 5, with 13,912 points
- Group 3 (100-199) **San Antonio Chapter # 4**, district # 3, with 22,712 points
- Group 4(200+) **\*Dallas # 2, District # 6**, with 5,982 points

\* Repeat winners from last year

*Stephen Rohrbough, David Temple, Peter Baron, James Alderman, Steven Tanner, Tom Lawrence*





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## **PART TWO—TXSSAR – PRESIDENT’S MEDALS & AWARDS** **DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL**

The State Medal of Distinguished Service, authorized in 1998, is the highest Medal that can be awarded by a State Society President during each year of his term of office. It is presented to a Compatriot for distinguished service rendered to the State Society on the state level during a State Society’s President’s term of office. The Medal should be presented at the State Society annual meeting at the conclusion of the President’s term of office. The State Medal of Distinguished Service is presented by the incumbent State Society President.

A State President may present only one Medal of Distinguished Service during each year of his tenure as State Society President. .

**2010 Awardee: Thomas Bruce Green III**



*Tom B. Green III*

### **PATRIOT MEDAL**

The Patriot Medal is awarded only by a state society. It is the highest award given for service at the state or chapter level. This medal is presented only to individuals and may be received ONLY once. It represents long, faithful and outstanding service at the state and/or chapter level. Service at the national level can not be considered in making the award.

**2010 Awardees:**

- Larry Stevens (Piney Woods)**
- Winston Scott (Hill County)**
- Ed Raines (Robert Rankin)**
- George Harcourt (San Antonio)**
- Russell Dart (Cradle of Texas)**



*Larry Stevens, Winston Scott, Ed Raines, George Harcourt, Russell Dart*

### **MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL**

The Meritorious Service Medal, authorized in 1980, may be awarded to SAR members who have rendered long, faithful and meritorious service to their chapter, state society, district, or to the National Society. This medal may be awarded by the National Society, a district, a state society, or a chapter and is awarded for lesser services than would merit the Patriot Medal. It may be awarded to an individual once by the National Society, a district, a state society or a chapter. The meritorious service rendered should be stated in the citation.

**2010 Awardees:**

- James T. Jones, Jr (Pat Fud, CG, ARC, SOX)**
- Mike Ratcliff (CG & Reg)**
- Jim Heath (By-Laws)**
- Sam Massey (Conv)**
- Ron Barker (JROTC, CG, Vet)**



*James T. Jones, Ron Barker, Mike Radcliff, Sam Massey*

**BRONZE GOOD CITIZENSHIP MEDAL**

The Bronze Good Citizenship Medal, authorized in 1895, recognizes persons whose achievements are noteworthy in their school, community or state.

**2010 Awardee: Linda Edwards**

*Tom Lawrence, and Linda Edwards*

**TEXAS SILVER SERVICE MEDALS:**

**2010 Awardees:**

**Peter McLellan (treas)**  
**Bill Marrs (Sec)**  
**Art Hall (Reg)**  
**John Knox (DVP, CG, Eagle)**  
**Ray Cox (Web, CG, Imm, DVP)**  
**Russell Dart (Con M & A, Booklet)**  
**Bud Schwart (Report)**  
**Bob Cohen (Report)**  
**Stephen Lee (Video)**

**Ed Butler (TX in Rev War)**  
**Stephen Rohrbough**  
**David Bowles (Pres SA Chapr)**  
**Robert Truitt (Pres Van Zan)**  
**Joe Bruce Barrett (Pres Lib)**  
**Harlan Green (Pres Hamil)**  
**Lynn McKee (Pres Carr)**  
**Drake Peddie (Pres Plano)**  
**James Beal (Pres Free)**



*Tom Lawrence, Joe Bruce Barrett, Harlan Green, James Alderman, Lynn McKee, Peter Barron, James Beal*

**TEXAS BRONZE SERVICE**

**2010 Awardees:**

**David Jones (Hist Teach)**  
**Peter Baron (Pub Svce, Flag, Arch Hist)**  
**Larry Stevens (CCP)**  
**Arnold Seidule (PF Proj)**  
**George West (Trust)**

**Nathan White (Per Fnd, Bylaws)**  
**Randoll Reagan (Essay)**  
**Peter Rowley (Oration, DVP)**  
**Johnny Snapp (Pres Big Country)**

**SERVICE TO VETERANS;**

The Service to Veterans Medal may be awarded to SAR members who have given long and exemplary service to veterans. The medal is awarded for 5000 USS Stark Award points accrued by the SAR member.

**2010 Awardee: Dr. Wendell Edwards**



*Wendell Edwards and James T. Jones*



*Tom and Mickey Jo Lawrence*

**MARTHA WASHINGTON MEDAL**

The Martha Washington Medal, authorized in 1971, may be given by the National Society, a state society, or a chapter to a woman over 18 years of age in recognition of outstanding service to SAR.

**2010 Awardee: Mickey Jo Lawrence**

**SAR MEDAL OF APPRECIATION**

The SAR Medal of Appreciation, authorized in 1960, may be presented by the National Society, a state society, or a chapter to a member of the DAR in good standing in recognition of and in appreciation for outstanding services rendered to the SAR.

**2010 Awardees:**  
**Connie Barker**  
**Dianne Jones**  
**Marty Cox**  
**Catherine Massey**



*Connie Barker, Dianne Jones, Marty Cox & Catherine Massey*



*Tom Lawrence and Barbara Stevens*

**DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY MEDAL**

The Daughters of Liberty Medal, authorized in 1992, may be presented by the National Society, a district, a state society or chapter to a lady recommended by any officer of a chapter, state or National Society, SAR in appreciation for her unselfish devotion, tireless efforts and assistance to the SAR, and who has dedicated her time, energy, ability and/or finances to the organization in support and furtherance of the stated objectives of the National Society, SAR. This medal is considered second in importance only to the SAR Gold Good Citizenship Medal.

• **2010 Awardee: Barbara Stevens**

## TXSSAR Patriots Fund Alexander Hamilton Pins and Medals

The [ALEXANDER HAMILTON MEDAL](#) honors the memory of the first Secretary of the Treasury of the United States. It is awarded to individuals who give \$1,000.00 to the Patriots Fund. Successive \$1,000.00 contributions earn a bronze oak leaf cluster, and five bronze oak leaf clusters can be exchanged for a silver oak leaf cluster. The [ALEXANDER HAMILTON PIN](#) is awarded to individuals who give \$500.00 to the Patriots Fund. Individuals who gave to the Patriots Fund before 2002 may receive credit for their contributions by producing receipts or showing early pewter pins given for contributions prior to 2007. Proceeds from the Patriots Fund are used to fund the various Youth and Public Service programs of the Texas Society.

### ALEXANDER HAMILTON MEDALS 2010

Compatriot	Chapter
Joseph L. Benham	Hill County
Gavin H. Germany, Jr	Cradle of Texas
William H. Holcombe, Jr.	Col. Turner Sharp
David W. Jones	Robert Rankin
Charles E. Luna	Athens
Arnold J. Seidule *	Cradle of Texas
Paul J. Stautzenberger-Crown	Alexander Hamilton
Ronald G. Whatley	Bernardo De Galvez
* = oak leaf cluster	



*Pictured above: Charles Luna with Alexander Hamilton and two of the awardees David Jones (front) and Ronald Whatley (back right)*

### ALEXANDER HAMILTON PINS 2010

Compatriot	Chapter
Col Harry C. Long (Ret)	San Antonio
Larry G. Stevens	PineyWoods
David J. Temple	Dallas



*Pictured above: President Tom Lawrence, Larry Stevens, Alexander Hamilton, David Temple, Chairman Charles Luna, Peter Baron accepting as San Antonio President for Harry C. Long*

**CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION:**

The certificate recognizes of service by members for services and support to the SAR.

- 2010 Awardees:**
- Thomas McCormick (Poster)**
  - Robert Clark (Chancellor)**
  - Harry M. Fife (Mem)**
  - Charles Luna (PF End)**
  - George Harcourt (Meet)**
  - Bill Harper (DVP)**
  - Ray Walls (DVP)**
  - James Alderman (DVP)**
  - J. Mark Hansen (DVP)**
  - Allan Henshaw (DVP)**
  - Joe Bruce Barrett (DVP)**
  - Mike Everheart (DVP)**
  - Paul Carrington Chapter (Host)**



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**THE SPECIAL PRESIDENTIAL AWARD  
“KNOWS THE MOST ABOUT ALEXANDER HAMILTON AWARD”**

The special award, which required scoring highest on a test about the life and times of Alexander Hamilton, went to none other than the Genealogist General Joe Dooley. Not many were surprised that Joe had the knowledge to ace the test! Good work.

*PPG Nathan White, GG Joe Dooley  
and TXSSAR P Jim Jones*

