



GREENE'S GAZETTE

*The Official Newsletter of the Nathanael Greene Chapter
Of the North Carolina Society of the Sons of the American Revolution*

JULY 2019

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Let's Welcome Our Newest Members

Henry Cook- Patriot William Ragland (NC)
Arthur Cook- Patriot William Ragland (NC)
Samuel Post-Patriot Jacob Blasdel (NH)
Claude Woods- Patriot John Mead (PA)
Charles Nevin- Patriot Joseph Ludden, Jr.(MA)

PROGRAMS

July 9, 2019- Pam Hanzaker- "Participants of the Battle of Guilford Courthouse: In Their Own Words"

Sept 10, 2019- Jason Baum- The Hessians at Guilford Courthouse

Dispatch from the Courthouse



We kicked off our new year with a great presentation from Susan Webster, the

curator of the Greensboro History Museum, on the Arthur Forbis cap. Susan gave a very detailed narrative on the history and the efforts to preserve the cap and its connection to the Guilford Courthouse Battle, where Arthur Forbis was mortally wounded. We were fortunate to have Arthur Forbis' direct descendent, Guilford County Commissioner Justin Conrad (pictured with Susan Webster above), join us. The Chapter also had the honor to induct two new members: Henry & Arthur Cook, sons of past president Chip Cook, who joined on their ancestor William Ragland of NC.

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-Major General Nathanael Greene



Calendar of Events

**Guilford Courthouse NMP*

*July 4, 2019- Wreath laying at Signers' Monument, 10AM

*July 9, 2019 meeting, 7PM

August 3, 2019- House in the Horseshoe wreath laying, Sanford, NC, 10AM

*August 10, 2019- Nathanael Greene birthday celebration, 10AM

August 17, 2019- Board of Managers Meeting, K&W Cafeteria, Burlington, NC, 11AM

*September 10, 2019 meeting, 7PM

*November 11, 2019 meeting, 7PM

On this Day in July & August

July 4, 1776-The Declaration of Independence is adopted

July 21, 1780-Battle of Colson's Mill, NC

July 29, 1781-Battle of the House in the Horseshoe, NC

Aug 2, 1781-Battle of Rockfish, NC

Aug 7, 1782-George Washington creates the Purple Heart Award

From the 3rd Line...

"Permit me then to recommend from the sincerity of my heart, ready at all times to bleed in my country's cause, a Declaration of Independence, and call upon the world and the Great God who governs it to witness the necessity, propriety and rectitude thereof."

-Major Gen. Nathanael Greene



May 14, 2019 induction of newest members Henry & Arthur Cook.
(From L to R: Arthur Cook, Henry Cook, Sam "Chip" Cook, President Josh Myers)

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