



Ewings Chapter
Fall Harvest Newsletter – October 2012

October Meeting

Dear compatriots, please note that the October meeting is our dual meeting with the Marietta Chapter. I have contacted compatriot Jean Yost president of the Marietta Chapter and he writes the following:

Dear Compatriots, *Our next meeting is our Annual Dual Meeting with the Marietta and Ewings Chapters OHSSAR. The Marietta Chapter serves as the host this year. We will meet Thursday, October 25th with dinner at 6:30pm at the American Legion Marietta Post 64, 8th and Wooster Street, Marietta, Ohio. As always, we will invite the public and ask that you bring a guest along. The cost of the meal is \$12.00. You may pay at the door, but reservations are requested, call me at 740-678-8060 or return email by October 22. The Speaker will be Scott Britton, Marietta Chapter Historian. Scott's topic: "The Revolutionary War Soldiers of Mound Cemetery, Stories Untold." Scott has a great program with recently discovered information.*

Directions: *American Legion Marietta Post 64, from Athens/Meigs, follow Ohio Route 7 North to Marietta. Crossing the Muskingum River, OH Rt 7 is Washington Street, continue on Washington Street to 8th Street, turn right and go one block, Legion is on left past the Oak Grove Cemetery..*

Thanks
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NOTE: Ewings members can also call reservations to William Beegle at 740-446-2152 or email: beegle@hughes.net no later than Monday, October 22, 2012.

Highlights of September Meeting

The September meeting was held at the old Chester Courthouse in Chester, Ohio. Vice President, Alan Goldsberry presided over the meeting. The speaker was Mr. Paul Morehouse. Mr. Morehouse is past state president of the Ohio

Society of the War of 1812. Mr. Morehouse talked about the effect of the War of 1812 and its influences on the western frontier, a very appropriate topic, this being the 200th anniversary of this period in American history. The business meeting focused on upcoming meeting dates, such as; the October meeting in Marietta, the BOM meeting in Gallipolis, Battle Days in Point Pleasant and the November meeting in Athens. Secretary William Beegle also announced the re-instatement of member Robert Driscoll from the Ben Franklin Chapter to Ewings Chapter.

Highlights of Battle Days

Ewings Compatriot John Sauer was coordinator of the Battle Days wreath laying ceremony on Sunday, October 7 at Point Pleasant WV. Laying a wreath from Ewings was Compatriots Jim Smith and Jim Lochary.

Dues Notice

Please note that Ewings Chapter Dues are now payable. Dues are the same as last year: National - \$30.00, State - \$10.00 and Chapter - \$10.00. The total dues for 2013 = \$50.00. I need to receive them no later than December 15, 2012.

Other Dates of Interest

- November 29th Fall Holiday meeting American Legion Post – Athens, Ohio
- December – No meeting – Christmas
- December 2nd Regional SAR/DAR meeting at the Parkersburg County Club. Marietta Chapter to provide the program this year.