



## Next Meeting: “How the Royal Navy Sparked the Revolution”



**Ohio University Inn – Athens, Ohio**

The venue for the January 28<sup>th</sup> meeting will be at the Ohio University Inn – Richland Ave. Athens, Ohio 45701. The meeting will start at 6:00 PM. Our speaker will be Prof. Sarah Kinkel of the History Department at Ohio University. Her topic will be about the role of the British Royal Navy in exacerbating colonial resentment against the British in the 1760s and 1770s (partly due to the navy’s new role in enforcing trade regulations, and partly due to its embodiment of a centralized, disciplined, hierarchical organizational structure). Please come to hear this fantastic program on the American colonial period that help set the stage for the American Revolution.

### End of the Seven Years War

February 10, 1763

The Treaty of Paris ends the Seven Years War (French and Indian War). France surrenders all of its North American possessions east of the Mississippi to Britain. This ends a source of insecurity for the British colonists along the Atlantic Coast. The costs of the war and maintaining an army will lead the British government to impose new taxes on its colonists, with world-shaking results.



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Carl J. Denbow, your webmaster, has been working on a redesign of our web site – [www.sar-ewing.org](http://www.sar-ewing.org). One feature of the new site will be a special members section. You’ll be able to login using your email address and the temporary password “bluecoat.” Once logged in you should change your password. This registration process will make possible a virtual community among our members and should facilitate communication between meetings. This is just a little glimpse into what is planned for our new, improved site. Stay tuned for further details!

### Dates to Remember:

- February 5-6 OHSSAR Winter meeting – Findlay, Oh (info: [www.ohssar.org](http://www.ohssar.org))
- **February 25 Ewings Chapter meeting – OU Inn, Athens, Ohio**
- February 25-27 NSSAR Spring Leadership Meeting, Louisville, KY
- April 29-May 1 OHSSAR 127 Annual Conference, Blue Ash, Ohio