



The Monthly Rebel Banner

The newsletter of Sons of Confederate Veterans Murfreesboro Camp #33
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2010-2015 Sesquicentennial of "The Cause for Southern Independence" 1860-1865

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THIS MONTH IN OLD DIXIELAND!

Compatriots,

We had a good Battle of Murfreesboro memorial service at the Evergreen Cemetery, the 5' x 8' Confederate flag was changed out. Despite the cold weather we had a good turnout. The flag will be sold in a silent auction, it was the 155th anniversary of the Battle of Murfreesboro. New member Bret Hawkins, in his kilt, was in attendance and received his membership certificate.

This year will be the 40th anniversary of the Chartering of Murfreesboro SCV Camp #33, our Camp was Chartered on June 8, 1978. We will work on a commemoration along with an extra special June Confederate Memorial day service.

The SCV Camp #33 polo shirt order has been finished and for those that want to pick theirs up at the Camp meeting, I will have them at the February meeting. I will mail the others to members that paid the shipping fee. We also ordered two banners to use at events.

The Tennessee Division annual reunion will be held in Chapel Hill April 20-21 at Henry Horton state park. There will be a meet and greet at the N B Forrest boyhood home on Friday afternoon. Make your plans to attend the reunion and enjoy a few days of Confederate fellowship.

The date has been set for the 20th annual Ole Bedford's Blackeye peas and sweet potato luncheon, Saturday July 7th! It will be held at the Oakland's Mansion picnic pavilion.

If you have a suggestion for a speaker, please contact 1st Lieutenant Commander James Forbes at: jforbesjr@comcast.net

Also, if you have an article that you would like to write for this newsletter, email it to: jasonboshers@charter.net

I would like to challenge each of you to recruit one new member this next year, give an SCV membership to a family member for a gift. However you do it, bring someone into the SCV!

Keep on Recruiting!
Hooray for Dixie, Ole Confed

Recruit a new member in 2018!

Our Camp is one of the largest in the entire SCV, however, there is always room for more members. I would like to see everyone in Murfreesboro Camp # 33 recruit at least one new member in 2018. There is strength in numbers!

Confederate Flag Day March 3rd!

Confederate flag day will be commemorated on Saturday March 3rd. Camp #33 members will meet at the Rutherford County Courthouse and caravan to the Nathan Bedford Forrest home in Chapel Hill for a ceremony. We will leave Murfreesboro at 12:00 noon, and arrive at Chapel Hill by 1 pm. If you can't make the ride to Chapel Hill, fly your Confederate flag from your house and buy an SCV license plate for all of your vehicles!!

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Visit us online at: <http://www.tennessee-scv.org/Camp33/> or <http://sonsofthesouth.blogspot.com/>
Like us on Facebook Sons of Confederate Veterans Camp #33

Camp Meetings

Murfreesboro Camp #33 is a descendant Camp the Joseph Palmer Bivouac No. 10 UCV, which was chartered on September 8 1888. The meetings are on the fourth Tuesday on the month (except for December which is on the second Tuesday) at 7:00 PM at the Heritage Center located at 225 W College St, Murfreesboro, TN.

Our Next Meeting will be February 27th

**For our February meeting
we will watch "The Hunley Experience"
which was provided by the
South Carolina Division SCV.**

Salute to the Confederate Flag

I salute the Confederate flag with affection, reverence, and undying devotion, to the Cause for which it stands.

Edward Ward Carmack's Pledge To The South

"The SOUTH is a land that has known sorrows; it is a land that has broken the ashen crust and moistened it with tears; a land scarred and riven by the plowshare of war and billowed with the graves of her dead; but a land of legend, a land of song, a land of hallowed and heroic memories.

"To that land every drop of my blood, every fiber of my being, every pulsation of my heart, is consecrated forever. I was born of her womb; I was nurtured at her breast; and when my last hour shall come, I pray GOD that I may be pillowed upon her bosom and rocked to sleep within her tender and encircling arms."

Welcome To Our Newest Member

Davis Roscoe Shipman
He is joining on his Great, Great Grandfather
Private John W. Shipman
Co. G, 35th North Carolina Infantry Regiment

We welcome this Southern gentlemen to the SCV.

Passing of Two Compatriots

It is with deep sympathy that I inform you of the passing of two members of SCV Camp #33:

Charles O'Neal: Funeral services for Mr. Charles Willis O'Neal, age 70 of Murfreesboro, were held Monday, Jan. 29 at Coffee County Funeral Chapel. Burial follow in Rose Hill Memorial Gardens. The family received friends on Monday prior to the service from 11 a.m.- 1 p.m. Mr. O'Neal passed away on Thursday, Jan. 25. Charles was born on Aug. 4, 1947 in Coffee County to the late, Charles Edward O'Neal and Jo Willis O'Neal Whiteaker. He retired from the paving industry and was always proud of his work. Hunting, golfing and fishing were the things that he enjoyed, but most of all, he loved spending time with his children and grandchildren. He is survived by his son, Justin O'Neal and wife Sara; daughter, Jody Wrather and husband Michael; grandchildren, Morgan and Parker O'Neal, Harrison, Sumner and Katie Wrather; several cousins and many friends.

Clyde Puckett: Clyde Wayne Puckett, age 78, of Murfreesboro, TN, passed away on Thursday, January 11, 2018 after an extended illness. A native and lifelong resident of Rutherford County, the oldest child of Elmer W. and Evelyn Bowers Puckett; he was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Ewing "Butch" Puckett and Jerry Puckett. Wayne is survived by his wife, Dyanna Moore Puckett; his daughters, Sherri Lannom (John Collinsworth) of Cinebar, WA, and Renee Lawrence (Kyle) of Thompson Station, TN; grandson, Daniel Lawrence; sister, Juanita Benson (Jimmy); brother, Dorris Neal Puckett; nieces, Reba Benson Markum and Anita Puckett Davenport; and nephews, Mike Puckett and John Puckett. A memorial service was held on Saturday, February 03, 2018, 2:00 pm, at First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 907 E. Main Street, Murfreesboro, TN.

Amazon Smile fundraising program.

Most everyone uses Amazon to order stuff online these days, you can help to raise money for the SCV Tennessee Division by registering with the Amazon Smile program. You will still log in as usual with your existing password and Amazon will donate .5% of your eligible purchase to the Tennessee Division. Go to: smile.amazon.com and select; "Sons of Confederate Veterans- Tennessee Division"

Camp #33 Member businesses.

This is a new section of our monthly newsletter. If you want your business included email all of the details, to: mboroscv33@aol.com

Smotherman's Antiques 316 N. Front Street, Murfreesboro TN
Buying and selling antique furniture, auto, motorcycles, guns & military memorabilia
615-278-6461 randysmotherman@mail.com

Calendar of Events!

March 3rd: Confederate Flag Day

March 27th: Camp Meeting

April 20th & 21st: Tennessee Division Reunion

April 24th: Camp Meeting

May 22nd: Camp Meeting

June 8th: 40th Anniversary of re-chartering of Camp 33

June 16th: Forrest Boyhood Home

June 26th: Camp Meeting

July 18th thru 22nd: SCV National Reunion

July 24th: Camp Meeting

The name “Forrest Hall” remains!!

At the Tennessee Historical Commission meeting on Friday February 16th, the request by MTSU and the Tennessee Board of Regents to change the name of the ROTC building “Forrest Hall” was DENIED by a vote of 15-7. They needed a 2/3 majority, it was 2/3 + 1 against their request. I want to thank everyone that was able to attend the meeting in Nashville, as well as the ones where it was broadcast to other sites around the state. This was a very long hearing; it lasted from 9 am until after 2 pm. MTSU had five witnesses, all of whom are working at or going to school there. As SCV Tennessee Division Commander, I was the only witness for the SCV, but Doug Jones the SCV attorney won the day for us. This hearing was before a Tennessee Administrative Law Judge, who afterwards confirmed the vote and ordered the THC to file their comments on why they voted that way with the court. THC member Sam Elliott gave a scathing commentary and said that there was no compelling reason why the name should be changed. The MTSU attorney tried to say that some students were scared of the name on the building and an older lady that is a THC members said that she is tired of all of these little snowflakes that can't read a work without getting offended. Several SCV members and friends went to the Tennessee state capitol building for pictures at the Forrest bust. A great day for Tennessee history, General Forrest and the SCV. Deo Vindice! James G Patterson

The Charge

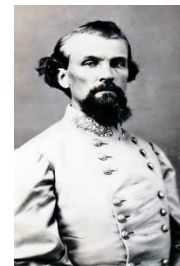
“To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will commit the vindication of the cause for which we fought. To your strength will be given the defense of the Confederate soldier's good name, the guardianship of his history, the emulation of his virtues, the perpetuation of those principles which he loved and which you love also, and those ideals which made him glorious and which you also cherish.” Remember, it is your duty to see that the true history of the South is presented to future generations.”

Lt. Gen. S.D. Lee Commander in Chief UCV at the 1906 Reunion, New Orleans Louisiana

***The Sesquicentennial might be over, but the battle rages on.
Do you have any Rebel left in you or are you going to be Reconstructed?***



**Sons of Confederate Veterans
Tennessee Division Reunion
April 20-21 2018
Chapel Hill, Tennessee**



Name: _____

Cell/Phone # _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Camp Name: _____ Camp# _____

Camp, Brigade or Division Office: _____

Guest or Spouse: _____

Registration: \$35 for each SCV member attending No. of persons____ Total \$____

Late Registration after March 15, 2018: \$40

Friday Evening Social at Nathan B. Forrest Boyhood Home No. of persons____ Total \$ Free

Saturday Lunch Henry Horton State Park \$20 No. of persons____ Total \$____

Saturday Historical Bus Tour Maximum 50 \$35 No. of persons____ Total \$____

Saturday Awards Banquet Horton State Park \$30 No. of persons____ Total \$____

Camp T Shirt Sizes: S, M, L, XL, XXL, \$25 Size_____ No._____ Total \$____

(Must be pre ordered by March 15 2018 choose Grey or Pink)

Reunion Program Advertising: Full Page \$75; 1/2 Page \$50; 1/4 Page \$25; 1/8 Page \$15

For advertising send email with Ad to: seanhill69@gmail.com Ad Total \$____

Ancestor Memorials \$10 each: _____

_____ Total Ancestor Memorial: \$____

Grand Total \$____

Come to the boyhood home of Gen. Nathan B. Forrest and Henry Horton State Park for our 2018 Division Reunion

Host hotel: Henry Horton State Park Lodge

(931)364-2222

4209 Nashville Hwy.

Chapel Hill TN 37034

Room Rates for SCV Reunion : Standard Room \$ 68.40 + tax King Room \$72.90 + tax

Make checks payable and mail to: SCV Camp #297, 3660 Springplace Rd. Lewisburg TN 37091 (memo 2018 TN Reunion)

Questions: call 256-565-6304

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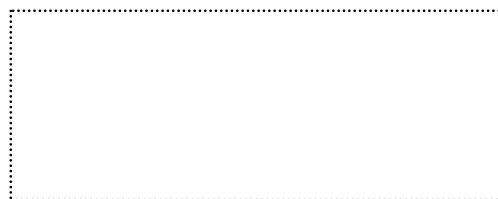
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In God We Trust



May God Save Dixie !!!!!!!

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*The Charge given by Lt. Gen. S.D. Lee Commander in Chief UCV at
the
1906 Reunion, New Orleans Louisiana*