



Sons of Confederate Veterans

***** Savannah, Georgia *****

Savannah Militia Camp 1657
Chartered in 1994 with 18 Charter members.



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Compatriots,

VERY IMPORTANT!! Every one of us must contact our Georgia State Senator, and make him aware that Senate Bill #294, which is now in committee will take away Confederate Memorial Day in Georgia and will remove all the protection our Monuments and Symbols enjoy under the law in Georgia. Very Important, Act Now!!!

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, February 9th, 6:00 pm for supper and fellowship. Our program will begin at 7:00. This we will view a short video called, 'Under the Yellow Flag' the story of Chimborazo Hospital, the main Confederate Hospital in Richmond Virginia during the War Between the States. Our Adjutant Jack Wray recently visited there and has gotten a copy of the tour video for us to view. This is a large part of our history that not many of us knows anything about. Our Ladies auxiliary, The Lucy Matilda Kenney Society#7 Georgia Order of the Confederate Rose, {OCR}. Will meet that night in the same room at 6:00 all ladies are invited to visit and join.

On Tuesday January 19th we held our first quarterly business meeting of 2016. We had a good turnout for the meeting, but I wish more of us would participate in our business meetings. Our participation in camp activities is at an all-time high. Our attendance at our monthly meetings is doing great. Our meeting room is full and we may soon have to find a larger room to meet in.

There were a couple of things that we could improve on, #1 would be we need more of you to take serious our golf tournament, we need your help. Although our tournament was a great success and brought in some very needed funds, our membership participation was very low. Never have so few done so much for so many. You can contact our 1st Lt Commander Doyle Todd 912-657-6804 and ask how you might help him put this thing together.

You should start thinking about buying/selling a Hole Sponsorship, do you own a business or have a business contact that would want to sponsor a hole. We sold 33 sponsorships last year, but only about ten of our members did the selling. Your family could sponsor a hole; you could Honor your Confederate ancestor with a hole sponsorship.

It is official, we will march again in this year's Saint Patrick's Day Parade in Savannah. You are invited to march with us, I need as many uniformed Confederates as I can get to help me parade our colors through the streets of the old town on that great Saints Day. Remember we are the Sons of the South-Land and Gentlemen and will conduct ourselves as such. If there be those on the sidelines that or offended by our presents they can K-M-C-A.

Those that Love us, will love us, those that do not love us, never will!

Let us resolve to live the call of our Charge, to Defend the Good Name of our Veterans. Those that hate and fear us will never stop their efforts to rewrite the history of our country, they do not care about the truth. They don't want to know about Black Confederate Veterans, or anything about the real Abraham Lincoln. They want to fundamentally change our history, where all Black were victims and all Whites were tyrants.