

The South Carolina Society  
Sons of the American Revolution  
**State President's Report for January SAD Meeting**

January 19, 2022

The society ended 2021 with 784 members. With the just completed reconciliation, we have 705 with 152 dropped for nonpayment of dues. We had a net loss of 79 members for the year. The society adopted a new dues collection process which depended on chapter involvement. This process is under evaluation.

The society's fall Board of Governors meeting was held in Columbia on October 15, 2022. The winter meeting will be January 28 at 10:30 am at Shandon United Methodist Church in Columbia. The annual meeting will be held April 28 and 29 at the Marriott in Greenville.

The SC society continues to make the graves of SC Society founders. Graves at Trinity Episcopal Cathedral are scheduled for October 23, 2022.

The Battle of King's Mountain, a joint event with the North Carolina Society was held on October 7, 2022. The North Carolina Society took the lead this year for this great success.

The Battle of Cowpens Commemoration was held on January 17, 2023. This national event is sponsored by the Daniel Morgan Chapter in conjunction with the national park service.

On February 2 a dinner is being held in Camden with men interested in reactivating the Joseph Kershaw Chapter. This chapter has been inactive for several years.

The Robert Crawford Chapter has notified the state society that they are unable to secure officers and need to close. The vice-president for chapter renewal is working with them on next steps. This chapter is centered in the "Lancaster Neck" just south of Charlotte which is a rapidly growing area.

**Future Events:**

Andrew Pickens Grave Site Restoration Dedication, April 1 in Clemson.

Battle of Camden Patriots Re-internment Ceremony, April 21-22, Camden. Archeological research on the Battle of Camden site disclosed a mass grave of some 14 patriots. This event will remember their sacrifice and give a proper burial. President General Picket will be in attendance.

September 8-9 has been set for the national event celebrating the Battle of Eutaw Springs in Eutawville, SC.