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NEXT CMM CHAPTER MEETING: Saturday, **July 18, 2009**, 11:00 a.m.- Chapter Picnic at Mt. Run Lake. Please bring a covered dish to share. Plates, knives, forks, spoons and cold soft drinks will be provided. *Look under "Coming Events" (page 4) for information on July 4th activities.*

PRESIDENTS CORNER:



Compatriots, SAR spouses and friends. We have a small but very active group of members in our Culpeper Minute Men Chapter. You will see this as you read the summary of the activities reported in the minutes of the May meeting conducted and/or planned by the members as written below. We thank all of you for what you have done and are planning to do this summer & fall. However, I do want to take this opportunity to ask those of you are not as actively involved in the events of the chapter to consider doing a teeny-weeny little bit! We would appreciate your help and enjoy your company!

We need a big turnout for the 4th of July noontime Reading of the Declaration of Independence on the Culpeper Courthouse Green (lawn) by our CMM member Jim Bayne. Also join us for the Parade on Main Street Culpeper at 4:30pm. Member Lon Lacey, Jr. is working closely with the Culpeper Independence Day planning committee to see that our chapter as well as the Culpeper Minute Men Chapter, DAR and the Fauquier Courthouse Chapter, DAR get a prominent place in the parade.

Plan on joining us for fun and relaxation at the annual CMM Chapter picnic on Saturday July 18th at the Mountain Run Lake Park, Culpeper.

Some of you may wish to join the Lay family in Westbrook CT Old Cemetery as we mark the grave of our Revolutionary War ancestor ASA LAY on the weekend of August 29, 2009. The 7th Conn. Regt. Chapter, SAR Color Guard of New London, CT is going to assist us with the Ceremony. The 7th Conn Regt. militia unit is where Lt. Col. Asa Lay completed his inactive military service after the Rev. War.

May all of you have a fun filled, happy and patriotic summer!

Francis Lay, President
Culpeper Minute Men Chapter, SAR.

Calendar of Events:

August 22, 2009 - Regular Meeting at Best Western