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Open – Camp Adjutant

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.

Given at New Orleans, LA in a speech on April 25, 1906 to the SCV National Convention by Lt. Gen. Stephen D Lee.

From the Commander's Desk

By: Camp Commander Don Green

Greetings Compatriots,

The new year is upon us and I hope it will be the best yet for you personally. Events are already starting to be set to attend all over the South. So, find somewhere you want to go attend and help defend your Confederate and Souther Heritage; always remember Beauvoir has events cloby and they are year-round. We need to address the situation of dues for those who were paid for, but have not paid the Camp back. It's pretty simple...If you did not pay your dues for 2021-22, you are not in good standing with Camp 2263. If you did not pay dues to the camp for this year, but the camp paid them for you, you maybe in good standing with national and state, but not with the camp. As I look over it, 15 people owe dues to the camp whose dues were paid for them. If you are on the delinquent list and want to rejoin, just contact us and add \$5 to the \$55 to get current. For the one's who were paid for, if you do not pay the camp back, you will owe \$110 come this August. I hope that explains where we are on dues not paid. We had a very nice Lee-Jackson Banquet last Saturday the 15th down at Lakeshore and hope you can join us next year at the same place for our 8th Annual Banquet. The camp has 3'x5' flags for sale: 1894 state flags, gadsen flags, battleflags, ect. For \$10 each. Keep this in mind before you go buy from another source. The position of Camp Adjutant is open and if someone is interested in filling the position, let us know. Our next Camp meeting will be Tuesday February 22, 2022 at the Mercy House in Bay St. Louis. We hope you will join us, especially if you have not attended a meeting recently. Deo Vindice! God Bless the South!

7th Annual Lee-Jackson Banquet




Commander Green presided over the 7th Annual Lee-Jackson Banquet at Lakeshore.




Charlie Schmitz did a wonderful presentation on Generals Lee & Jackson on Jan. 15, 2022.



The attendees all took a photo after it was over. 3 Camps & our OCR were represented.





**3rd Mississippi (1st Miss. Rifles Honor Guard & 9th Conn.)
Infantry Regiment - 2022 Spring-Summer Schedule**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/270849566691036/>

1. **Lee Jackson Banquet - Shieldsboro Rifles 2263**; Lakeshore Baptist Church, 6028 Lakeshore Rd Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 **January 15, 2022; 5pm; Confederate Impression; Scouting Event**
2. **Winter Quarters-Dunn Plantation**; Union, MS; **January 21-23, 2022; Confederate Impression; MAX EFFORT**
3. **Oddfellows 6th Annual Pilgrimage to the Tomb The Unknown Confederate Soldier**; Beauvoir in Biloxi, MS.; **February 12, 2022; Confederate Impression; Scouting Event**
4. **Battle for the Texas Hospital**; Archusa Creek Water Park; Quitman, MS; **February 18-20, 2022; Federal Impression; MAX EFFORT**
5. **Battle of Fort Beauregard**; Harrisonburg, LA; **February 25-27; Either Impression; Scouting Event**
6. **Fort Randolph Reenactment**; Forts Randolph & Buhlow State Historic Site; 135 Riverfront St. Pineville, LA 71360 Pineville, LA; **March 11-13, 2022; Either Impression; Scouting Event**
7. **Shiloh Reenactment National Event**; 1097-2467 Joe Dillon Rd. Michie, TN 38357; **April 1-3, 2022 Confederate Impression; MAX EFFORT**
8. **Thunder on the Bay- Fort Gaines** - Dauphin Island, Alabama; **April 8-10, 2022**; (Overlapping Event) **Either Impression; Scouting Event**
9. **Battle of Pleasant Hill**; 23271 LA-175, Pelican, LA 71063-4004, **April 8-10, 2022**; (Overlapping Event) **Either Impression; Scouting Event**
10. **Confederate Memorial Day at Beauvoir**; Biloxi, MS; **April 23, 2022; 1st Miss. Rifles Impression; MAX EFFORT**
11. **Grand Gulf Living History**; Grand Gulf Park; 12006 Grand Gulf Road Port Gibson, MS 39150 May 6-8, 2022; **Confederate Impression; Scouting Event**
12. **Trail of Honor**; Harley Shop in Jackson, MS.; **May 21-23, 2022; Either Impression; Scouting Event**
13. **Battle of Resaca**; Resaca, GA.; **May 21-23, 2022; Confederate Impression; Scouting Event**
14. **Battle of Cuba Station**; Gainesville, AL.; **May 27-29, 2022 Either Impression; MAX EFFORT**
15. **President Davis Birthday**; Beauvoir in Biloxi, MS.; **June 4, 2022; 10am-3pm; 1st Miss. Rifles Impression; Scouting Event**
16. **MS Division Color Guard Duty**; Columbus, MS; **June 11, 2022; 1st Miss. Rifles Impression; Scouting Event**
17. **Vicksburg Living History**; Old Courthouse Museum; Vicksburg, MS; **July 2, 2022; Confederate Impression; Scouting Event**
18. **Commemoration of the Battle of Mobile Bay - Fort Morgan Garrison**, Fort Morgan State Site; Gulf Shores, AL; **August 6, 2022; Confederate Impression; MAX EFFORT**

Col. Don P. Green, Jr.-3rd Mississippi Infantry Regiment

Here is the schedule for the 3rd Mississippi Infantry for the Spring 2022 Season.

Brigade SCV Update



Brigade Councilman Forrest Dawes presided over the Brigade Meeting in Dixie.



5th Brigade Members and guests prepare for the potluck feast on December 3, 2021.

Division SCV Update



BATTLE FOR THE TEXAS HOSPITAL

FEBRUARY 18-20
Archusa Creek
Water Park
Quitman MS

Facebook: Battle For The Texas Hospital

PERIOD BLACKSMITH
FOOD VENDERS
PERIOD SUTLERS

BATTLE QUEEN PAGEANT

Friday Night Dancing at Chefskis
PERIOD DOCTOR DOING FIELD SURGERY
MEMORIALS AT MONUMENTS
MUSIC BY SAWMILL BLUEGRASS BAND

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more info call 601 549 1969

The poster features a large background image of a log fort on a grassy bank next to a lake. Several people in period clothing are visible around the fort. Inset images include: two women in period dresses, a blacksmith at work, a person in a field, and a bluegrass band performing. The text is arranged in various orientations and sizes throughout the poster.

Many Compatriots and Camps will be attending the Battle for the Texas Hospital in Quitman.

National SCV Update

The Sons of Confederate Veterans present the
2022 Stephen Dill Lee Institute
THE 21ST CENTURY
CONFEDERATE



The following speakers have agreed to speak at Beauvoir

- Dyan Mears, Chief operating officer of Beauvoir.
- Dean Stevens, Chairman of the SCV IT Committee.
- Carl Jones, Army of Tennessee Department Councilman, SCV
- Paul Gramling, Past commander-in-chief of the SCV
- Chris Sullivan, Past commander-in-chief of the SCV and immediate past director of the S.D. Lee Institute.
- Walter D. "Donnie" Kennedy, Chief of heritage operations for the SCV and co-author of *The South Was Right!*

★ **February 18-19, 2022 – Beauvoir** ★

The 2022 Institute will be held at the last home of President Jefferson Davis, Beauvoir in Biloxi, Mississippi. Host hotel is the Edgewater Inn, 1936 Beach Blvd. in Biloxi. 800-323-9676 or 228-388-1100

Registration: \$145 per person, all SCV members and family.
Includes Saturday lunch and banquet.

Register by calling 1-800-MY-DIXIE or visit our web site at
www.stephendleeinstitute.com

Scholarships available for teachers and students

For more information visit our web site at www.stephendleeinstitute.com
or contact Past Commander-in-Chief Chuck McMichael

Stephen Dill Lee Institute at Beauvoir 2022

Beauvoir Upcoming Events

*6th Annual Pilgrimage to the Unknown Confederate
Soldier
February 12, 2022
Beauvoir Cemetery
11:00 am*



The Pilgrimage to our Unknown Soldier started 6 years ago and has become an annual event for the Beauvoir property, to honor all Confederate dead. Found in 1979 by Mr. Rick Forte Sr., laid to rest on the Beauvoir property in April of 1980. The tomb, inscribed "Known but to God", was dedicated on June 6, 1981.

"Shattered by the American Civil War (1861-1865), Odd Fellowship rose again in Baltimore a mere five months after the close of hostilities. The resurrection of the society in September 1865 marked the first fraternization of the blue and the gray. Thereafter Northern members aided their Southern brothers in rebuilding their desolate land. It is this shared history of brotherhood that has led the Odd Fellows to the Tomb of the Unknown Confederate Soldier." (Charles L. Sullivan)

Beauvoir's Unknown Confederate Soldier is the only Confederate Soldier in the world to receive the Grand Declaration of Chivalry.

The annual Oddfellows' Pilgrimage to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

MEET THE SPIRITS OF BEAUVOIR 2022

January 15TH
February 26TH
March 19TH
April 16TH
May 21ST
June 18TH
July 16TH
August 20TH
September 10TH

The Jefferson Davis Home and Presidential Library
2244 Beach Boulevard | Biloxi, MS 39531

Timeline 6 PM - 12 AM
Cash tickets at the door only

> Registration will begin PROMPTLY at 6 PM in the library building auditorium. All ticket holders must go through registration. Please be on time.

> Once registration and orientation are complete, the paranormal investigation will begin. Some locations are outdoors, please dress appropriately.

> Refreshments will be available for a small cost please bring cash

Meet the Spirits at Beauvoir for 2022.

Media Pages Update

We are looking at creating a new website for a minimum fee, possibly free, for the Camp. Our original website was a bit costly and has not been renewed as of yet. Camp Members are looking at this for us and will report to us in the very near future with possible options. We are also looking at creating other pages on different social media sites given the biasedness against our heritage that exists on present medias. More to come.

Camp Website: In Progress

Brigade Website: www.dgreen1865.wix.com/5th-brig-ms-div-scv

Division Website: www.mississippi-scv.org

Beauvoir Website: www.visitbeauvoir.org

National Website: www.scv.org

5th Brigade Meeting Dates 2022

The following dates are confirmed for the future Brigade meetings at the Dixie Community Center South of Hattiesburg. We hope those who can do attend.

March 4th, 2022

June 3rd, 2022

September 2nd, 2022

December 2nd, 2022

Beauvoir Dates 2022

February 11, 12, 2022 Pilgrimage to our Unknown(banquet on Friday(11th) Pilgrimage on Saturday(12th)

March 5, 2022 Confederate Flag Day

April 23, 2022 Confederate Memorial Day(Larry McCluney guest speaker)

May 7, 2022 3rd Annual Chuck Bond Run For Roses

June 4, 2022 Jefferson Davis Birthday

July 20, 2022 Coast Fest(Car show)

December 3, 2021 Wreath Laying

December 17, 2022 Christmas in Camp

Kitsaa Stevens

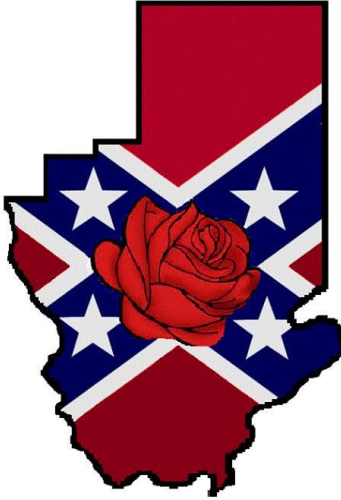
Development & Programs

Beauvoir Jefferson Davis Home

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Order of the Confederate Rose

ORDER OF THE CONFEDERATE ROSE



*HANCOCK COUNTY CHAPTER,
HANCOCK COUNTY, MS*

The Pearl Rivers Chapter #30 chartered into the Mississippi Society Order of the Confederate Rose during an interesting time in our world. We chartered in January 2020 and were unable to have our first independent meetings due to the COVID pandemic. We are proud to say that we will be hosting our first meeting on September 1st, where our members will discuss activities we hope to accomplish and how we plan on supporting our host Camp.

We hope to invite prospective membership to our future meetings, which will be the first Tuesday of each month. If you have a female family member who would like to join the Pearl Rivers Chapter #30, Mississippi Society Order of the Confederate Rose, please email the Chapter at pearliversocr30@gmail.com.

Yours,

***Callie Bunter
President
Pearl Rivers Chapter #30,
Mississippi Society Order of the Confederate Rose***

Battle of Galveston

The Battle of Galveston was a naval and land battle of the American Civil War, when Confederate forces under Major Gen. John B. Magruder expelled occupying Union troops from the city of Galveston, Texas on January 1, 1863.

After the loss of the cutter Harriet Lane, the Union Fleet Commander William B. Renshaw blew up the stranded vessel USS Westfield to save it from falling into enemy hands. Union troops on shore thought the fleet was surrendering, and laid down their arms. The battle is sometimes called the Second Battle of Galveston, as the Battle of Galveston Harbor (October 1862) is sometimes called the First Battle of Galveston.

Battle

Two Confederate cottonclads, CS Bayou City and the CS Neptune commanded by Leon Smith, sailed from Houston to Galveston in an effort to engage the Union Fleet in Galveston Harbor, which consisted of USS Clifton, USS Harriet Lane, USS Westfield, USS Owasco, USS Corypheus and USS Sachem. Outnumbered six to two by the Northern ships, Neptune was severely damaged by the Union Fleet and eventually sank. While Neptune was quickly disabled, Bayou City succeeded in capturing USS Harriet Lane.

During this time, USS Westfield was grounded on a sandbar. A three-hour truce was called for by Magruder, but Union Fleet Commander William B. Renshaw, ignoring the negotiation offer, attempted to destroy the grounded Westfield with explosives rather than let it fall into enemy hands.

Renshaw and several Union troops were subsequently killed when the explosives were set off too early. Union troops on shore were convinced that their own ships were surrendering and, therefore, laid down their arms. The remaining U.S. ships did not surrender and succeeded in retreating to Union-controlled New Orleans.

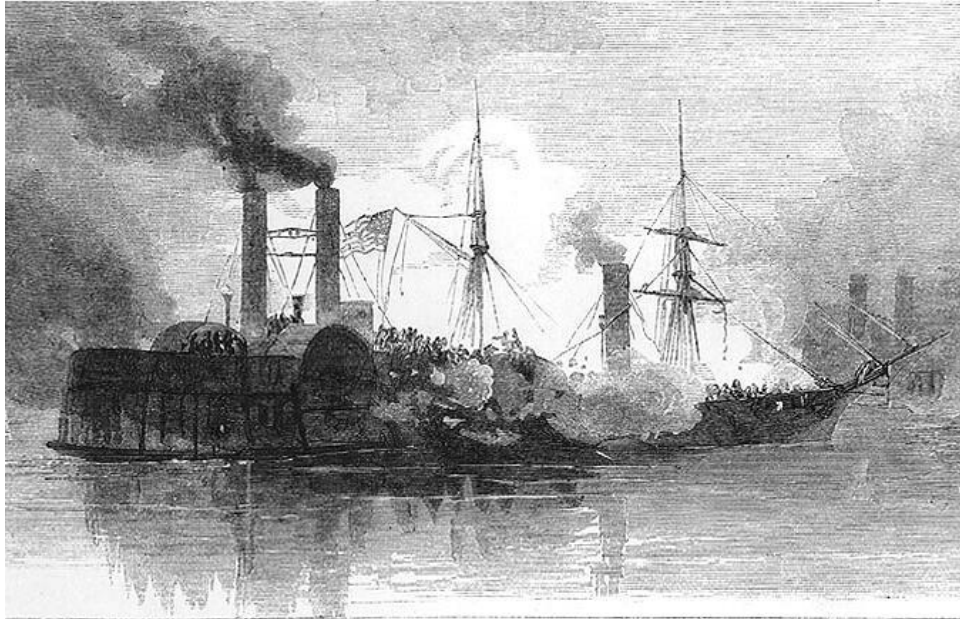
Aftermath

The Union blockade around the city of Galveston was lifted temporarily for four days, and Galveston remained the only major port that remained in Confederate hands at the end of the war. The Confederate Congress stated this on the successful recapture of Galveston:

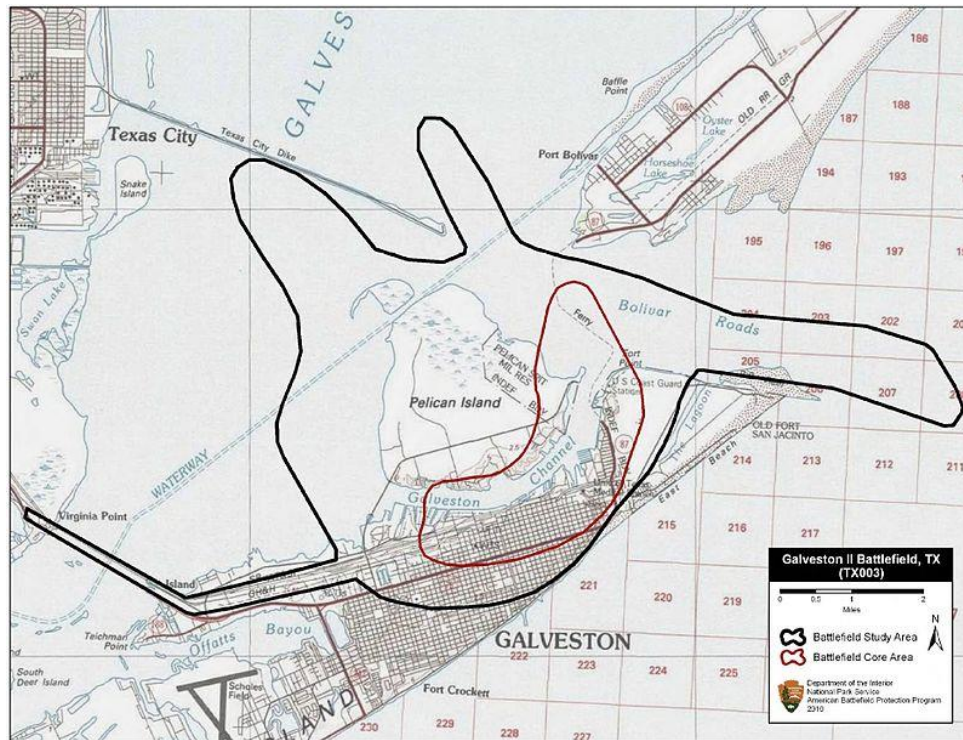
The bold, intrepid, and gallant conduct of Maj. Gen. J. Bankhead Magruder, Col. Thomas Green, Maj. Leon Smith and other officers, and of the Texan Rangers and soldiers engaged in the attack on, and victory achieved over, the land and naval forces of the enemy at Galveston, on the 1st of January, 1863, eminently entitle them to the thanks of Congress and the country... This brilliant achievement, resulting, under the providence of God, in the capture of

the war steamer Harriet Lane and the defeat and ignominious flight of the hostile fleet from the harbor, the recapture of the city and the raising of the blockade of the port of Galveston, signally evinces that superior force may be overcome by skillful conception and daring courage.

Photo # NH 42911 Confederates capture USS Harriet Lane, off Galveston, Texas, 1 January 1863



CAPTURE OF THE HARRIET LANE.



Courtesy of: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Battle_of_Galveston

