

### **Society Participates in Little League Baseball Ceremonies**

The War of 1812 Society in the Commonwealth of Virginia color guard combined with the James Monroe Chapter Sons of the American Revolution color guard participate in the opening ceremonies for two different counties on the Northern Neck area of Virginia. First on Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, in the program for the Richmond County League they presented the Colors.. The guard consisted of George Becket and Bart Morison of the James Monroe SAR Chapter and Charles Belfield and Hugh Markham of the War of 1812 Society. The following day, Saturday April 8<sup>th</sup> a similar combined color guard also participated in the Little League opening program for the Northumberland County League. In this ceremony, Mike Lyman substituted for Hugh Markham as they presented the Colors and fired the opening musket shot to signal play ball. In the two events the color guards were viewed by well over 1000 children, parents and grandparents.

Some photos taken follow:





