

# St Charles County Detachment SCUTTLEBUTT

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**<u>DETACHMENT MEETING</u>** 1900, 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of every month at the **Pezold Banquet Center**, 5701 Hwy N, Cottleville. Our Next Meeting is **November 4, 2020** 

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**STAFF MEETING** 1900, 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of every month. Our next Staff Meeting will be on **November 18** at the AmVets Hall, 360 Brown Rd, St. Peters

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Opinions and comments that appear in this newsletter are not necessarily those of the

Marine Corps League or of Detachment 725 official policy.

<u>UPCOMING EVENTS</u> Please take note and mark your calendars for these upcoming events available to support our community and Detachment.

NOV 14	Toys for Tots Collection on 5 Main 5t in Old St Charles
Nov 21	Toys for Tots Collection at Bass Pro, 9:00 – 1:00
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Dec 04	6:30 PM, Detachment Christmas Dinner, at the Rack House in Cottleville. \$25.00 per person, covers
	the meal and soft drinks/ice tea. Cash bar. Please dress business casual – no uniforms.
Dec 05	Defiance Parade and Toys for Tots collection. We will be collecting for Toys for Tots before, during
	and after the parade at the Defiance Roadhouse*. There will be a band from 1100 to 1400.
	0830-1030 Breakfast buffet at the Roadhouse*. Veterans eat free, so be sure to wear your Marine
	Corps ballcap, shirt, jacket, etc.
	0900-1400 Toys for Tots collection at the Roadhouse
	0930-1000 Arrive for parade. We form up at the Good News Brewing Co*
	*See map on page 3. Good News Brewing Co is #2. Defiance Roadhouse is #7.

### **COMMANDANT'S MESSAGE**

Nov 14

Members of St Charles County Marine Corps League 725 and Ladies' Auxiliary,

Toys for Tots Collection at Bass Pro, 9:00 – 1:00

As we begin to ramp up for the Holiday season it will once again become very busy! That's actually a good thing considering all the chaos we have endured over the past several months. We will be asking for volunteers to help with Toys for Tots, setting up our display for Parade of Lights as well as personnel to staff the gates, decorating our float for the Defiance parade, persons to ride float, walk the parade and as always, our Honor/Color guard Commander will be putting together a team to lead the Defiance Christmas Parade.

It is truly an honor to be part of such a great organization

Semper Fi Bob Evenson (316) 670-0433 Commandant, St Charles County MCL Detachment 725 <u>Color Guard:</u> We have a **new Color Guard/Honor Guard Commander** – Jason Todd. He is looking for a few good men & women to join the Color Guard and/or the Honor Guard. If you're retired or able to get a day off once in a while, we could use your help. Many of the events are on weekends or holidays. For more details, please contact Jason at 314-681-6846 or via email at <a href="mailto:iteldtod:ite

### **MEMBERSHIP**

ATTENTION ANNUAL MEMBERS. IF YOU HAVEN'T SENT THEM IN YET, YOUR MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS WERE DUE SEPT 1st. PLEASE SEND YOUR CHECK FOR \$35.00 TO THE ST CHARLES COUNTY MARINE CORPS LEAGUE, PO BOX 1362, ST PETERS, MO 63376

<u>LIFE MEMBERSHIP</u> To upgrade, contact Paymaster Gene Vaucher at 314-724-4811or <u>genegail26@sbcglobal.net</u>

LIFE MEMBERSHIP (ONE-TIME FEE)

AGE: 0-35 36-50 51-64 65 & over FEE: \$500.00 \$400.00 \$300.00 \$200.00

### **CHAPLAIN'S CORNER**

Chaplains report, October 2020

Fortunately, we can continue to celebrate God's healing for our members and spouses! Much of it because of the many prayers from the faithful. Since His healing is ongoing, our prayers should be also. And now, we can include intense prayer for keeping the Constitution alive and well. The one we fought to protect and defend.

Our votes (and prayers) will do what our weapons cannot... Our loving,

Powerful God is "always faithful" to us, let us be faithful to Him......

Always Faithful,

Chaplain Bob

Contact Chaplain Bob at 636-358-0853 or vet4god@juno.com

<u>CHANGE OF ADDRESS</u> Please contact Paymaster Gene Vaucher when your mailing address, email address or phone number changes. He maintains our roster. If your mailing address changes, he will notify National MCL so they will send your dues renewals to the correct address. You can send him the updates via email at: <a href="mailto:genegail26@sbcglobal.net">genegail26@sbcglobal.net</a>

## SHIP'S STORE

If you would like to purchase specific items from the Quartermaster, please give Jerry Bradley a call (636-978-1376). He has MCL Covers, Sateen Jackets, Marine T-Shirts, Marine Baseball style hats, golf shirts, and many other items.

**Facebook:** if you have info to put on our detachment Facebook page, send it to John Burke at: luddyburke@sbcglobal.netrook

### **GOOD OF THE LEAGUE:**

**50/50 Drawing**: Doc Gardner won. He donated his share to the Toys for Tots fund.

One Year Free Membership: We didn't draw names in August, September, so we drew three names: Jason Todd and

For information on future National or Dept of Missouri conventions or events go to the websites, below:

National www.mcInational.org

Dept of Missouri www.momcl.org

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#2 Good News Brewing Co (Parade starts here)#7 Defiance Roadhouse (Breakfast and T4T collection)



October 2, 2020. Members of our Honor Guard rendered honors at Jefferson Barracks Cemetery.



Dave, Mark and Adam at the Old Glory Flag Run in Wright City. There were 500 vehicles and over 1500 people cruising the interstates, displaying our National Colors and other patriotic flags. It was beautiful.

# **Fund Raiser Gun Raffle Winners**

S&W 9mm......Larry Lauebbert Win 30.06......Brad Durham



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