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NEWSLETTER

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Culver's

Wednesday October 15th, 2026
Culver's Share Night
Collins Road
Jacksonville, FL

Kudos to our Culver's Share Knights for once again going the extra mile to connect with the community and serve delicious food with a smile.

Culver's check presentation for this event will be accepted by Paymaster PDD Fred Gilmore on Wednesday October 21st, 2026 at 1700: all are invited!



Friday, October 2nd, 2026
Culver's Share Night
Middleburg, FL



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DD Jack CAmpbell and DD Don Okuley reciviing check from Culver's General Manager Kaitlyn Catherman

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COMMANDANT'S CORNER

Greetings,

The weather had made our decision for us to cancel our annual picnic. It was decided to cancel our picnic and that not many members would want to stand around and eat soggy hamburgers, hot dogs or watered-down baked beans. Mother nature had other plans for us. A new date will be decided on at out next meeting.

In less than four weeks, we'll be hosting our 11th Annual Golf Tournament and celebrating our 251st Marine Corps Birthday Ball. Both events will take a lot of preparation, teamwork and support from our members to make them successful.

In addition to the Golf Tournament and Birthday Ball, the Detachment is tasked with conducting three Color Guards, and of course Toys for Tots will be in high gear. It doesn't matter what you volunteer for, just volunteer.

We have a lot on our plate, and this is exactly why we need all hands-on deck. Every member's time, effort, and willingness to step up will make a big difference. Let's pull together, support one another and continue to show what our Detachment can accomplish when we all work as a team.

"If you don't like something change it. If you can't change it, change your attitude," (Maya Angelou)

SEMPER FI!





2026 FALL CONFERENCE

Friday October 16th, 2026
Professional Development Program
Lake Buena Vista, FL

There were 16 DOF different Detachments represented at the 2026 Fall PDP class held at the Hilton Lake Buena Vista Hotel.

Review of the PDP survey iindicated that all were more than satisfied with the class and became more familiar with the MCL, its Uniforms ands Awards.

Special consideration was express that some Detachment members may not have the means to travel to Conference locations. With this in mind, it was presented that the PowerPoint format is available on the DOF website as a tool for Detachment Commandants to share with their Detachments.

The next PDP class is scheduled for the 2027 Spring Conference, Hilton Altamonte Springs, FL.



SEMPER FI!
PDD CHARLIE MYERS
DIRECTOR PDP



This section is designed for gathering your *"not as mean, but still a Marine"* picture. If you have a photo that aligns with this theme, we invite you to share it with us.

To submit your photo, please send it to:
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Time is really

In our last issue, the featured member was:

PDD Fred gilmore



VAVS



Please send me your VAVS report via: email, text, call or just tell me.

COMING SOON



MEETING

Wednesday October 21st, 2026
Time: 1900 Detachment HQ



GGGT



Friday, November 6th, 2026
General Geiger Golf Tournament
Eagle Harbor GCC
Fleming Island, FL



Contact me if you can volunteer and don't forget Sponsorship and teams!
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USMC BIRTHDAY BALL

Tuesday, November 10th, 2026
Hilltop Restaurant
Orange Park, FL



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Excerise Your Brain

Last issue's answer:
"ICU"

"Four cars come to a four-way stop, all coming from a different direction. They can't decide who got there first, so they all go forward at the same time. They do not crash into each other, but all four cars go. How is this possible?"



Let Us Pray



"Father, your love is as wide as the oceans, as deep as the sea, and as tall as the heavens. May your spirit rise like a mighty wave and come and restore those who are ill. Amen."

Please keep the following members and their families in your prayers:

Don Brammer (Sheila)
Bill Carter (w Emily)
Felix Ramos-Vargas
Bobby Turner
Lee Hart
Gayward Hendry
Suzanne Gilmore (Anita)
Glenn Muschewski (w Judy)
Charlie Myers (Mason)
Rich Bolduc
Larry Hamilton (Pam)
Steve Jimenez (w Robin)
Rusty Park (w Denise)
Herb Steigleman (Lou)
Fred Wainwright
Gayle Plant (h Jim)
Del Price (w JoAnn)
Ski
Gayward Hendry
Art Grimaldi (Kirsitin)
Randy Case
Jack Campbell (w Barb)
Troops near Iran

Any one knowing of a member and/or family member sick or in distress, please contact
Chaplain DD Jack Campbell

Offering a "FREE" breakfast to potential new members, every Monday
Grumpy's Restaurant
834 Kingsley Avenue
Orange Park,, FL 32073
Doors Open: 0530
Breakfast: 0700



SGT CHUCKLES

"Why do mushrooms get invited to all of the parties? Because they are such fungis."



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