



Detachment Meeting Minutes

Anne Arundel Detachment 1049

Marine Corp League

June 15, 2026

Meeting called to order by Commandant John Dunker at 1900 hours. The Pledge of Allegiance recited, followed by prayer from the Detachment Chaplain. Members in Attendance 15.

Tonight we recognize special guest in attendance Leonard Spiegler and his wife.

Roll Call of Officers

Commandant	John Dunker	P
Sr. Vice Commandant	Joe Peacy	P
Jr. Vice Commandant	Jeff Glover	P
Judge Advocate	Vacant	
Jr. Past Commandant	Burt Helmka	P
Adjutant	Dan Ryan	P
By-Laws Committee Chairman	Danny Fischio	E
Chaplain	James Sanchez	E
Color Guard Commander	Vacant	
Pay Master	Jeff Glover	P
Historian	Joe Wright	E
Newsletter Editor	Ray Sturm	P

Public Information Officer	Vacant	
Quartermaster	Dan Ryan	P
Rifle Pistol Team Captain	Ray Sturm	P
Sgt -At- Arms	James Galvin	E
Web Sergeant	Joe Wright	E
Young Marine Commander	Ray Sturm	P

Application for Members: NONE

Adjutant Report: May report on line. Any corrections please let me know.

Pay Master Report:

Checking: \$9,414.89

Investment: \$10,652.62

MCL Lottery for May will be discussed at old business.

Senior Vice: Making plans for our next Bull and Oyster Roast. Going to start getting that together. Think about raffle tickets, prizes. Also need to include people at Post 175.

One of our member Norm Milligan is diagnosed with cancer. Keep him in your prayers.

Commandants Notes:

It was noted that Commandant attended American Legion Post 175. Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of the month at 7 o'clock. They started a couple months ago providing dinner for those who attend. Anyone who attends the meeting gets a drink ticket as well. All members of MCL Detachment 1049 are invited to attend. To show support. Also be aware Post 175 is looking for

participants for the 4TH of July Parade in Severna Park. After the Parade there is going to be a party at Post 175 starting at 1200 to 1800 will end at 1800 due to prior commitment. Also need volunteers to help with the party. Also noted Post 175 Chaplin is available to any Detachment 1049 member for Prayers, visits, and Sacraments. Her contact information is on the Post 175 website.

Junior Vice: No Report

Judge Advocate: NO Report

Jr. Past Commandant: Our monthly dinners have been successful. Myself, the Commandant and Senior Vice have done the last five dinners. We need help! Cooking, setup, and cleanup. Any help will be appreciated. We made roughly \$225 to \$250 a dinner. So over \$1,000 just in the dinners. Dinners are the second Fridays of the month. Next dinners are July 10th.

Quartermaster Report: NO REPORT

News Letter Editor: Get your articles in.

Young Marines: Did a Downs Park family day. Did Two Flag retirements. Doing Colors at Bowie Bay Sox Game June 20th. Have a Graduation in August.

Unfinished Business: Next Detachment dinner July 10th meal will be Pork and Pulled chicken sandwiches, bag of chips, salad and dessert. Recruitment drive would like to be done. Looking for dates possibly August/September discuss at July Meeting. Last one cancelled due to weather. Financial report for the May Lotto, tickets sold for \$5 each. Total money brought in was \$4,680, monthly payout was \$2,050, ticket printing \$110, total expenses \$2,160, leaving a profit of \$2,520.

New Business: VFW Auxiliary Post 160 does what they call a Fun Fest Fall Fest every year. This year October 3rd. Table with space \$30. To just rent a space \$20. Event includes Chili cookoff, bake sale, scarecrow making, stuff for kids. Motion made and passed that \$20 will be provided for a space. For the past two Detachment Dinners a total of \$497 was raised in revenue. Expenses \$197 for a profit of \$300. \$510 profit turned over to Paymaster.

Please note that Woody Bowman has retired as the Detachment Color Guard Commander. Vacancy now exists for Color Guard Commander and Judge Advocate. Detachment 1049 Commandant will be reaching out to members to fill these positions. Also, by-law committee needs to be started up. Department senior vice is working diligently on the Convention for next year. More information to follow. S

Meeting closed by Sergeant at arms. Next meeting will be July 20th.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daniel Ryan

Adjutant, MCL Detachment 1049