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Semper Fidelis!

COMMANDANT'S MESSAGE

Danny Fischio



I would like to thank Marines Tom Maiorana, Mike Hadley, Denny Bynum, Ed Dahling and Vic Halme for their assistance at the March, Friday night fund raising dinner. We had another sell out crowd and raised \$212.00; also I would like to thank all those that came out to have dinner.

Final nominations and election of officers for Commandant, Senior Vice Commandant, Junior Vice Commandant and Judge Advocate will be held at our March meeting. So be thinking about those Marines of this Detachment that you consider to be most qualified to lead us during this coming year. Installation of elected and appointed officers will take place at the April monthly meeting.

Upcoming events to mark your calendars with include:

Detachment Friday Night Fund Raising Dinner at VFW Post 160 from 1800-2000 on May 5, 2006.

Department of Maryland State Convention to be held at the Princess Royal Hotel in Ocean City, MD May 11-13, 2006

MCL Pistol Match at Indian Town Gap, PA June 2-4, 2006

83rd Marine Corps League & Auxiliary National Convention 2006. August 06-12 in Boston MA.

Marines, if you have any ideas to make our meetings and Detachment better, or would like to assist with current activities and functions please feel free to contact me. We continue to have an outstanding turnout at our monthly meetings; it's your support that makes our Detachment successful. I hope that you will be able to attend our next meeting and look forward to seeing you again on Monday, March 27th.

Semper Fi

Danny R. Fischio



Senior Vice Commandant

Tom Maiorana



Will it's time to start selling ads for the convention, we did really well last year I hope we can top it this year. I will have forms and prices at the next meeting. The golf tournament is coming up fast (May 1st) so tell your friends and associates to come join us for a fun day at the Bay Hills Golf course, please get the sponsor information in as soon as possible so we can get the signs printed.

Remember part of the proceeds go to the (Marines Helping Marines) program. And you all know it's a most worthy cause. Any questions regarding registration or participation please contact Manny Airey at 410-255-9129 or 410-245-7211 Steve Salanik at 410-923-2517 Tom Maiorana at 410-987-1297

Semper Fi



Junior Vice Commandant

Gary Frye



Hello Marines,
Recently I have had numerous requests regarding the cost of a Lifetime Membership within the League. A memo received from the National Adjutant/Paymaster

dated 24 March 2004 reflects the following: Now until 2007

Age 0 to 35-\$325	2007-\$400.00
Age 35 to 40-\$300.00	2007-\$350.00
Age 40 to 50-\$275.00	2007-\$350.00
Age 51 to 60-\$200.00	2007-\$250.00
Age 61 and over \$100.0	2007-\$125.00

As you can see it would be beneficial to become a Life Member, instead of paying \$25.00 a year you could save money in the long run. In addition I have once again requested an updated list from Headquarters but to no avail, I will keep on trying so our files will be up to date. In closing, if you have any address changes please forward me the information so I can e-mail Headquarters.

Semper Fi,
Gary Frye



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\$1.00 Per Ticket Or 7 Tickets for \$5.00. drawing to be held Saturday May 12, 2006 at the Marine Corps League Convention Ocean City Maryland, Princess Royal Hotel.

For Tickets Or Information Contact Anne Arundel Detachment 1049.

The VFW Post 160 Men's Auxiliary will sponsor. A Day at the Races on April 22, 2006 from 3 pm — 9 pm. All proceeds to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Admission Fee of \$7.00 includes Limited Open Bar, Draft Beer, Spaghetti Dinner and Soda. For Tickets and information call the Post 160 Canteen at 410-766-9802 or Sam at 410-627-6835.

Semper Fi
Ed Dahling



Legislative

Jim LeGett

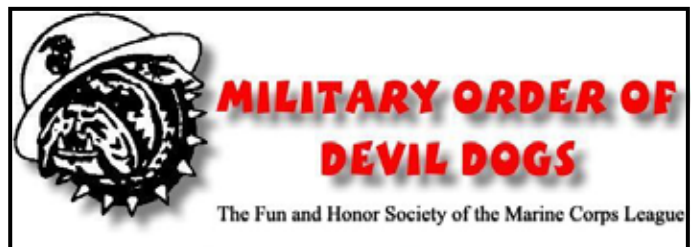


The latest regarding the "Income Tax- Subtraction Modification – Military Retirement Income" bills (SB 22 & HB 35) in Annapolis is: both bills are still being considered in the Budget and Taxation committee. There are two holdups, one factual and the second is rumored. The first concern is that the budget has not been established which affects the monies or lack of taxation monies that will be allowed to accommodate these bills. Will our legislators allow the "loss" of the current tax dollars, if the bills are instituted?

The second consideration (rumor) is will our legislators consider reducing the eligibility age from 60 years of age to 55 years.

Both allowances could be of great benefit to the veterans and limit the tax dollars flowing into the State coffers. Attempts are being made to make both come true for the veterans.

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For more information contact club secretary
Brian Beverly, at (410) 437-4864
E-Mail: garrisonrsec@yahoo.com



Historian

Vic Halme



This Month in History

Selected Dates of Marine Corps Historical Significance

3 March 1776 — Captain Nicholas and his Marines land at New Providence, Bahamas, sieze military stores. They also fight with Gen. Washington at Princeton.

12 March 1824 — Brevet Major Robert D> Wainwright and Marines from Boston quell roit in state prison. Story in McGuffeys reader spreads Marines' fame.

9 March 1847 — Captain Alvin Edson leads Marines battalion ashore with Army forces at Vera- Cruz, Mexico.

16 March 1927 — 4th Marines land at Shanghao to stay fourteen years.

8 March 1928 — Captain Merritt A. Edson sets out on epic Coca River patrol to hunt for Sandino.

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DOD Proposed Increase in Tricare Enrollment Fees, Co-pays and Deductibles for Under age—65 Retirees and Prescription Drug Co-pay

Increases for all Retirees.

Changes in Pharmacy Co-payments

Current Co-pays

	Generic	Brand	Non-Formulary
Military Clinic	\$0	\$0	\$0
Mail Order	\$3	\$9	\$22
Retail	\$3	\$9	\$22

Co-pays in FY07 and After

Military Clinic	\$0	\$0	\$0
Mail Order	\$3	\$9	\$22
Retail	\$5	\$15	\$22

100% co-pay for a few certain medications Applies to All eligible beneficiaries, except active duty.

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Buddy



Who is this Marine?



Last Month: Phil Schwarzenberg
Hint: He is A member of the Detachment



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1775 ~ THE UNITED STATES MARINES ~ 2005



In 1775

The Marines
were given birth,
wrought of spirit
and steel ~
A Force
that would shake
the earth.

230 years
of blood, sweat
and tears ~
Hardened
this mighty force,
that always
stays its course.

A sacred
brotherhood
of warriors.
Their swords
of freedom raised.
Unfurl their
scarlet colors ~
Attack with
fury, fire and rage.

On land, air and sea
lightening is the strike.
Thunder, the
awesome roar,
Hammering the enemy
from desert sand to
ocean shore.

In the heat of battle
Marines refuse to
yield.
Anchor and globe
their shield.
"Semper Fi" the call,
This brotherhood of
Warriors ~
"All for one
and one for All."

So, when the storms
of war descend
and the call goes out
to defend,
Marines will
fight until the end.
For when Marines
have landed,
all Hell is abandoned.

In the raging battle,
in the fiery blast,
Marines hold fast.
The fight furious,
The courage glorious.
Til victory is won,
for the fallen and the tall
"Victory for All."

When "Taps"
are played,
o'er Fallen warriors'
graves,
the tattoo sings ~
"All were brave."
Their "ALL"
is what they gave.

The Fallen,
they are not of earth.
Their brave spirits
have new birth.
They have risen
to the sky,
now, lightening is
Their fiery eyes
and thunder ~
Their mighty cry.

The Tall,
With every bugle call
Their spirits are given "All,"
"Semper Fi," the call
"Victory for "ALL."
Within every
fighting machine, is
The SPIRIT OF THE MARINES.

How do we
honor them?
What do we say?
To these valiant warriors
On this ~
Their birthday.

Only one great tribute
for this proud Corps,
Standing tall for "ALL,"
in uniforms of blues and greens ~
"You are noble
Warriors."
"YOU ARE ~
**UNITED STATES
MARINES."**

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