

#### **Detachment Meeting Minutes**

#### **Anne Arundel County Detachment 1049**

Marine Corps League November 27, 2017 Meeting

# **OPENING BY RITUAL:**

Meeting called to order by Commandant Ray Sturm at 1900 hours.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by prayer by Guest Chaplain Fred Kaminski.

Members in Attendance: 17

• Paul Taylor Department Adjutant, Department Marine of Year (2010)

• Edward Dahling Department Paymaster, Past Detachment Commandant, Detachment Marine of Year (2016)

Manny Airey
Past Detachment Commandant, Detachment Marine of Year (2005),

Department Marine of Year (2014)

Joe Wright Past Detachment Commandant, Detachment Marine of the Year (2015)
Woody Bowman Color Guard Commander, Detachment Marine of the Year (2014)

# **ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:**

Commandant	Ray Sturm	P
Sr. Vice Commandant	Ben Wells	P
Jr. Vice Commandant	Pat Sharkey	A
Judge Advocate	Chris Wise	P
Jr. Past Commandant	Ed Dahling	P
Adjutant	Joseph Wright	P
By-Laws Committee Chairman	Danny Fischio	A
Chaplain	Bill Collins	A
Color Guard Commander	Woody Bowman	P
Historian	Joe Wright	P
House Committee Chairman	VACANT	
Legislative Officer	VACANT	
Newsletter Editor	Ed Dahling	P
Paymaster	Ed Dahling	P
Public Information Officer	Guy Hall	Α
Quartermaster	Bill Collins	A
Rifle Pistol Team Captain	Ray Sturm	P
Sgt-at-Arms	James Galvin	P
Toys for Tots Coordinator	Chris Stevens	P
VAV Officer	VACANT	
Web Sergeant.	Joe Wright	P
Young Marine Commander	Dallas Cooper	A

#### **APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP:**

• There were no applications for membership.

#### **READING OF THE MINUTES:**

• Minutes of the October meeting were distributed via the detachment list server (e-mail) twice and copies were available at the meeting.

# **CORRESPONDANCE:**

• None



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**PAYMASTER:** Paymaster Ed Dahling gave a hardcopy report:

Checking	\$13,899.25
Savings / CDs	\$ 7,308.98
Total Detachment Assets	\$21,208.23

#### **CHAPLAIN REPORT:**

• Thanked the Lake Shore Volunteer Fire Department for hosting veterans on Veterans Day.

#### **COMMANDANT:**

• Attended Young Marines birthday celebration.

#### **SENIOR VICE:**

• No Report.

#### **JUNIOR VICE:**

• No report.

#### JUDGE ADVOCATE:

• No report.

## **NEWSLETTER EDITOR:**

• Due to the early meeting in December, articles will need to be turned in early.

# **QUARTERMASTER:**

• No report.

#### **HISTORIAN/ WEB SERGEANT:**

• No report.

#### **COLOR GUARD:**

• December 9<sup>th</sup> – Pearl Harbor Day (In honor of) event at Food Lion on Mountain Rd.

# **TOYS FOR TOTS:**

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Toys for Tots Motorcycle Run on November 18<sup>th</sup> from American Legion Post 175 to Mission BBQ in Glen Burnie was a huge success. Brought in \$2,400 cash and a 5 ton full of toys.
- Looking for volunteers and a vehicle to pick up toys.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

• The 501 C-3 application process has ran into administrative snags. Still moving forward.



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## **NEW BUSINESS:**

• Motion made to increase the annual budget for donating to Boy Scouts Troop 216 from \$300.00 to \$500.00. Motion was voted on and approved.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- Associate member Nila Caulder announced that the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Bluegrass Marathon Jam to benefit the Fischer House will be February 24th at American Legion Post 276 from 12 to 12. Looking for donations.
- The December 18<sup>th</sup> detachment meeting will be our typical pot luck dinner. Bring a covered dish if you can.
- VFW Post 160 will be retiring flags the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month if you have flags that need retiring.

# **CLOSING CEREMONIES:**

Commandant Sturm closed the meeting IAW MCL rituals. The next detachment meeting will take place on December 18, 2017. Prayer was given by Acting Chaplain Fred Kaminski as well as an outstanding playing of the Marines' Hymn on the harmonica.

Respectfully submitted, Joseph Wright, Adjutant Marine Corps League - A. A. County Detachment 1049