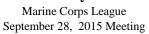


Detachment Meeting Minutes

Anne Arundel County Detachment 1049





OPENING BY RITUAL:

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

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

Members in attendance: 27 members

Commandant Ray Sturm acknowledged the presence of the following Special Guests.

 Don Benson 	District Vice Commandant
 Paul Taylor 	Department of Maryland Adjutant
 Guy Hall 	Mid-East Ambassador, Past Detachment Commandant
 Ed Dahling 	Department of Maryland Paymaster, Past Detachment Commandant
 Manny Airey 	Past Detachment Commandant, Department Marine of the Year
 Joe Wright 	Past Detachment Commandant, Detachment Marine of the Year
 Woody Bowman 	Color Guard Commander, Detachment Marine of the Year

Commandant Sturm also introduced other guests.

Dick Johnson Life Member Detachment 1049
 Jim Gavin Life Member Detachment 1049

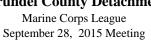
ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:

Ray Sturm	P
Ben Wells	P
Matt Prial	P
Chris Wise	P
Ed Dahling	P
Norm Huffman	P
Danny Fischio	A
Fred Kaminski	P
Woody Bowman	P
Joe Wright	P
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Ed Dahling	P
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Guy Hall	P
Fred Kaminski	P
Ray Sturm	P
Pat Sharkey	P
Dawn Parker	A
VACANT	
Joe Wright	P
Dallas Cooper	A
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Commandant Ray Sturm asked for an open meeting, inviting the Ladies Auxiliary to attend. Chris Stevens, David Wells, and Manny Airey were called to the front and presented certificates and ribbons for outstanding service for their work on the Golf Tournament 2015. Congratulations to all three. Jim Brady was also recognized for his work on the golf tournament, but was not present to receive same awards.

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP: None

READING OF THE MINUTES:

Adjutant Norm Huffman reported minutes of the August meeting were distributed via the detachment list server (e-mail). Several hardcopies were available at the meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE: None

PAYMASTER: Ed Dahling reported:

Checking: \$12,749.28 CD's: \$5,270.77 Combined \$18,020.05 Available \$12,749.28

MEMBERS SICK AND IN DISTRESS: None

REPORT OF OFFICERS:

Commandant: (See below)

Sr. Vice Commandant: No Report Jr. Vice Commandant: No Report Judge Advocate: No Report

Quartermaster: He will have new posters next month.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES:

Newsletter Editor: Ed Dahling asked members to send in their articles for the newsletter by the Saturday following the monthly meeting. It can be anything involving Marines, ill or deceased members, etc.

Color Guard Commander: Woody Bowman is asking for volunteers for the Honor Guard. His number is 410-647-9655.

Webmaster: Commandant Sturm asked Joe Wright if the Detachment meeting date and time could be placed on the web site. Joe will take care of this.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Bill Collins updated us on the trip to the National Air & Space Museum which will take place on Oct. 3, 2015. Leaving the VFW at 9 am followed by a complimentary lunch at McDonalds. There is a tour and show, free time to shop and look around, then returning home. We should return to the VFW around 5pm. There was a question if wheelchairs could be furnished. Bill will check into this and let us know.

Guy Hall and Ray Sturm attended the Modern Marines display at Quantico. They reported that they helped to stuff over 8,000 bags for giveaways at the Modern Marines display. It was a very busy day.



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Marine Corps League September 28, 2015 Meeting

NEW BUSINESS: There is a problem with the air condition in the VFW. The VFW is asking a \$50.00 donation from every group that uses the hall. Joe Wright made a motion we donate \$50.00, which was second, voted on and passed.

TOYS FOR TOTS: A suggestion was made to replace the Toys for Tots coordinator. Since Chris Stevens has been working this committee for quite a while and has been thru National training, it was suggested that Chris now act as the Anne Arundel Detachment 1049's coordinator.

GOOD OF THE LEAGUE: Paul Taylor reported a few detachments are holding a Marine Corp Ball. Unfortunately, Detachment 1049 cannot get the members involved. Paul distributed flyers for the Baltimore Detachment Marine Corps Ball if anyone was interested in attending: November 7, 2015 – 1 to 5 pm – Columbus Gardens - \$40 pp – Contact 410-547-7699 if interested.

Detachment 1049 will have a cake cutting ceremony and (15 minute open bar) on Nov. 10, 2015 at 1800 hours. Please join us for cake and refreshments.

Mike Nelson's motorcycle club will be doing a Toy for Tots Run on Nov. 14, 2015 in the vicinity of the Annapolis Mall.

Harford County Detachment will have a Toys for Tots Concert on Nov. 8, 2015. The cost is \$20.00 plus 2 new toys. You can pay online. Don Benson informed us that he **is not** singing.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

October 3, 2015 – Trip to National Air & Space Museum in Chantilly VA. – Contact Bill Collins at 410-271-4847 or dvader1@comcast.net.

Nov 6, 2015 – Detachments Friday night dinner. Spaghetti, meatballs garlic bread & salad.

Nov 10, 2015 - Cake Cutting Ceremony at the VFW at 1800.

Dec 13, 2015 - Pound Growl - VFW Post 140

Jan 16, 2016 - Pack Growl - Westminster

CLOSING CEREMONIES:

Commandant Sturm closed the meeting IAW MCL rituals. The next Detachment meeting will take place on October 26, 2015. Prayer was given by Fred Kaminski. Winner of 50/50 was Jim McCormick who donated his winnings back to the detachment.

Respectfully submitted, Norman Huffman, Adjutant Marine Corps League - A. A. County Detachment 1049