

Detachment Meeting Minutes **Anne Arundel County Detachment 1049** Marine Corps League February 24, 2014 Meeting



## **OPENING BY RITUAL:**

Meeting called to order by Commandant Ed Dahling at 19:00.

Members in attendance - 26

Commandant acknowledged presence of the following special guests.

- Ed Ross......Mid-East Toys for Tots Coordinator/Past Dept. Commandant
- Guy Hall.....Mid-East Aid De Camp/Past Detachment Commandant
- Paul Taylor.....Department of Maryland Adjutant
- Manny Airey..... Past Detachment Commandant
- Mac McNeir.....Past Detachment Commandant
- Joe Wright.....Past Detachment Commandant
- Danny Fishcio.....Past Detachment Commandant

## **ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:**

Commandant	. Ed DahlingP
Sr. Vice Commandant	. Chris KalwaP
Jr. Vice Commandant	. Ray SturmP
Judge Advocate	. David WellsP
Jr. Past Commandant	. Joe WrightP
Adjutant	. Joe WrightP
By-Laws Committee Chairman	. Danny FischioP
Chaplain	. Fred KaminskiP
Color Guard Commander	. Woody BowmanP
Historian	. Joe WrightP
House Committee Chairman	. VACANT
Legislative Officer	
Newsletter Editor	. Mark EastP
Paymaster	•
Public Information Officer	. Guy HallP
Quartermaster	. Fred KaminskiP
Rifle Pistol Team Captain	. Ray SturmP
Sgt-at-Arms	-
Toys for Tots Coordinator	. Dawn Parker MCLA
VAVs Officer	. VACANT
Web Sergeant	. Mike HadleyA
Young Marine Commander	. Dallas CooperA

#### APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

• None

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

• Minutes of the December meeting were distributed via the detachment list server (e-mail) and several copies were distributed at the meeting. Minutes were accepted as distributed with a correction to the dollar amount that was raised by Jane Huffman. The correct dollar amount was \$2,200.00.





# CORRESPONDENCE

• Received a letter from the St Baldrick's Foundation thanking the detachment for their contribution of \$100.00.

## PAYMASTER REPORT

CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE:	\$7,136.32
SAVINGS ACCOUNT BALANCE:	\$2,257.68
Certificates:	\$5,001.59

The report was accepted as distributed.

## MEMBERS SICK & IN DISTRESS

• Jack Severn's mother passed away. A memorial was held and several members of the detachment attended.

## **REPORT OF OFFICERS**

#### Commandant

• Commandant **Ed Dahling** is asking for delegates for the Department convention. Be sure to submit your name if you intend to be a delegate.

#### Sr. Vice Commandant

• No Report.

#### Junior Vice Commandant

• No Report.

#### Judge Advocate

• No Report.

## **REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES** (ONLY LISTING THOSE WITH ACTUAL REPORTS)

- Color Guard Commander, **Woody Bowman**, announced on March 8<sup>th</sup> at St Anne's Cemetery they will be posting colors at Confederate and Union gravesites.
- Sgt at Arms, George Martin can no longer remain as detachment Sgt at Arms.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

• **Ray Sturm** announced that inactive membership letters went out and responses are starting to come back. He also reminded everyone that the March member appreciation night is coming up.







Beer and Pizza will be available after the meeting. Ray requested that members grab some M1 Raffle tickets and continue selling them for the benefit of the detachment.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- **Ray Sturm** presented copies of the proposed Detachment tri-folds, to be used for a recruiting tool. A motion to purchase 500 tri-folds not to exceed \$250. The motion was accepted via member vote.
- **Ben Wells** will be researching the cost to order several covers and EGA's for purchase by new members and regular members. Info will be available at the next meeting. Members approved the task.

# **GOOD OF THE LEAGUE**

- **Bill Alli**, with the Free State detachment gave a brief presentation on the proposed Korean War Veterans Memorial Wall of Remembrance. He is asking for our help by contacting your congressman. Bill also spoke about his memoir, "Too Young for a Forgettable War". His memoir was available for purchase after the meeting.
- The first round of Officer Nominations were held and the nominees are: Commandant Ed Dahling, Sr. Vice Commandant Joe Wright, Jr Vice Commandant Ray Sturm and Judge Advocate Ben Wells. Nominations were closed until the March meeting. If you desire to be an officer, you are encouraged to step forward and let your intensions be known.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

• Vietnams Veterans have been invited to the state house in Annapolis on Wednesday March 5<sup>th</sup> for an event to commemorate the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Vietnam War and to thank them for their service.

## **CLOSING CEREMONIES**

Commandant Dahling closed the meeting IAW MCL rituals. The next detachment meeting will take place on March 24, 2014 @ 19:00.