



Detachment Meeting Minutes
Anne Arundel County Detachment 1049
 Marine Corps League
 December 23, 2013 Meeting



OPENING BY RITUAL:

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

Members in attendance - 22

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
- Joe Wright.....Past Detachment Commandant

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:

Commandant	Ed Dahling	P
Sr. Vice Commandant	Chris Kalwa	A
Jr. Vice Commandant	Ray Sturm	P
Judge Advocate	David Wells.....	P
Jr. Past Commandant	Joe Wright	P
Adjutant	Joe Wright	P
By-Laws Committee Chairman	Danny Fischio	A
Chaplain	Fred Kaminski.....	P
Color Guard Commander	Woody Bowman	P
Historian	Joe Wright	P
House Committee Chairman	VACANT	
Legislative Officer	VACANT	
Newsletter Editor	Mark East	A
Paymaster	Ray Sturm.....	P
Public Information Officer	Guy Hall.....	P
Quartermaster	Fred Kaminski	P
Rifle Pistol Team Captain	Ray Sturm	P
Sgt-at-Arms	George Martin	A
Toys for Tots Coordinator	Dawn Parker MCLA	
VAVs Officer	VACANT	
Web Sergeant.	Mike Hadley	A
Young Marine Commander	Dallas Cooper	A

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

- None

READING OF THE MINUTES

- Minutes of the November meeting were distributed via the detachment list server (e-mail) and several copies were distributed at the meeting. Minutes were accepted as distributed.

CORRESPONDENCE

- Received a letter from Janet Barret, author of “They Called Her Reckless” to promote her book about the pony “Reckless”, who became a real-life warhorse of the Fifth Marine Regiment during the Korean war. She included information on where to purchase the book.



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PAYMASTER REPORT

CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE: \$4,940.98
SAVINGS ACCOUNT BALANCE: \$2,257.48
Certificates: \$5,000.00

The report was accepted as distributed.

MEMBERS SICK & IN DISTRESS

- Auxiliary member, **Nila Caulder's** sister passed away.

REPORT OF OFFICERS

Commandant

- Commandant **Ed Dahling** reminded everyone of the upcoming Department meeting in Laplatta Maryland on January 18th. He also mentioned that **Norman Huffman, Jane Huffman, Manny Airey** and **Ed Ross** are going to Walter Reed Military Medical Center for Christmas dinner. Norm and Jane raised approximately \$1,800.00 for gift cards to distribute to patients at the Christmas dinner. **Paul Taylor** and **Ed Ross** picked up 117 dozen cookies from a friend of Paul Taylor for the Christmas dinner as well.

Sr. Vice Commandant

- No Report.

Junior Vice Commandant

- No Report.

Judge Advocate

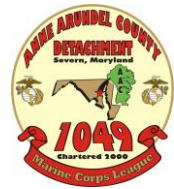
- Judge Advocate **Ben Wells** informed every one of the Springfield M-1 riffle that will be raffled off. Ticket will be \$10.00 each or 3 for \$25.00. Tickets will go on sale after the New Year and the drawing will be in May at the Department Convention. The rifle has had approximately 40 rounds shot through it. The riffle was donated to the Marine Corps League by **Chuck Lucas** who is an avid supporter of the Marine Corps League.

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

- Woody Bowman reported that the color guard was able to fulfill all of its commitments this year. He personally thanked **Charlie Young** and **Norm Huffman** for their help with Toys for Tots.



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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- None

NEW BUSINESS

- Adjutant **Joseph Wright**, made a motion to donate \$190.00 to help **Norm Huffman** and **Jane Huffman** reach their \$2,000.00 goal for gifts to be distributed at the dinner at Walter Reed Military Medical Center. An amendment was made by **Ben Wells** to pass the hat instead and the amendment was approved. Norm and Jane's goal of \$2,000.00 was met.

GOOD OF THE LEAGUE

- **Ed Ross** gave kudos to the members of the Military Order of the Cooties for the honor of being involved with the wreath laying at Tomb Trek at Arlington National Cemetery on 10 November. He also encouraged everyone to experience the event at least once in their lives.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- There is a basket being raffled off from Bellanopolis restaurant in Pasadena Maryland. Tickets were 3 for \$25 and the drawing was held the same day of the meeting.

CLOSING CEREMONIES

Commandant Dahling closed the meeting IAW MCL rituals. The next detachment meeting will take place on January 27, 2014 @ 19:00.

