## OPENING BY RITUAL:

Meeting called to order by Commandant David Wells at 1900 hours.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by prayer by Chaplain Bill Collins.

Members in Attendance: 17

* Ray Sturm Past Detachment Commandant (2018)
* Edward Dahling Department of MD Paymaster, Past Detachment Commandant, Detachment Marine of Year (2016)
* Joe Wright Past Detachment Commandant, Detachment Marine of the Year (2015)
* Woody Bowman Detachment Marine of the Year (2014)

**ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:**

Commandant David “Ben Wells P

Sr. Vice Commandant Lou Gewirtz E

Jr. Vice Commandant Burt Helmka P

Judge Advocate Ray Sturm P

Jr. Past Commandant Ray Sturm P

Adjutant Norm Huffman P

By-Laws Committee Chairman Danny Fischio A

Chaplain Bill Collins P

Color Guard Commander Woody Bowman P

Historian Joe Wright P

Newsletter Editor Ed Dahling P

Paymaster Ed Dahling P

Public Information Officer Guy Hall A

Quartermaster Bill Collins P

Rifle Pistol Team Captain Ray Sturm P

Sgt-at-Arms James Galvin P

Toys for Tots Coordinator Chris Stevens P

Web Sergeant Joe Wright P

**APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP:**

* There were no applications for membership.

**CORRESPONDENCE:** None.

**PAYMASTER:**

Paymaster Ed Dahlinggave a hardcopy report:

Checking $14,971.08

Savings / CDs $ 7,330.33

Total Detachment Assets $22,301.41

**CHAPLAIN REPORT:**

* A great report. No one is sick.

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**COMMANDANT:**

* No report

**SENIOR VICE:**

* No report. Absent

**JUNIOR VICE:**

* Burt reported the Detachment bought $100 worth of raffle tickets and won $150 at the convention.

**JUDGE ADVOCATE:**

* Ray Sturm reported we received the 501c3 status on May 10th, 2019.

**NEWSLETTER EDITOR:**

* If you have anything for the newsletter, see Ed Dahling.

**QUARTERMASTER:** No report.

**HISTORIAN/ WEB SERGEANT:**

* No report.

**COLOR GUARD:**

* Woody Bowman reported the Honor Guard were to participate in the following events:
  + Ferndale Day Parade – cancelled
  + Crownsville Veterans Cemetery – Memorial Day

**TOYS FOR TOTS:**

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

* None

**NEW BUSINESS:**

* Ray Sturm made a motion to spend up to $50 on business cards listing resources for those in need.

Cards will be distributed to membership. Motion voted on and passed.

* Jim Sanchez will report on the official status of the bugle at the next meeting.

**GOOD OF THE LEAGUE:**

* Mid-East Division Conference, hosted by Mountaineer Marine Detachment 957 and the Department of West VA will be held June 21st – 22nd in Princeton West Virginia.
* The National Convention will be held in Billings Montana August 4th – August 9th.
* The Pound Growl will be held on August 18th at the VFW Post 160
* The 5K Run will be held on September 22nd.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

* Happy Birthday to Charles & Ed Luthardt on their 81st birthday.

**CLOSING CEREMONIES:**

Sgt at Arms James Galvin closed the meeting IAW MCL rituals. The next meeting will be held on June 24th, 2019. Closing prayer was given by Chaplain Bill Collins.

**NOTE:** There may be some additions or corrections to the minutes as the recorder had operator error.

Respectfully submitted,

Norm Huffman, Adjutant

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