

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE Anne Arundel County Detachment 1049

August & September 2022



The official newsletter of the Anne Arundel Co Detachment

2022 Marines Helping Heroes 5k Challenge

In-Person
Oct 15, 2022
8 AM Start

Virtual
Sept 24-Oct 15

Includes:
Race shirt
Medal

CANCELLED

All Ages

Optional push-up and sit-up challenges

A charity event to benefit local military and veterans. Details and **REGISTRATION** at RunSignUp.com/mhh

Hosted by

ARUNDEL MILLS
A SIMON CENTER

Regrettably, the organizing committee made the difficult decision to postpone the 5k Challenge indefinitely. There were several issues that led to the inevitable conclusion. The committee remains united in the desire to continue to support their beneficiaries through a different type of fundraiser. More on that as future plans firm up.

There is just something wrong with this headline taken from the Military Times.

Military Culture & History

PETA flocks to stop Navy's treatment of sheep

(Military Times) A prominent animal rights group is aiming to pull the wool from the eyes of Defense Department and Navy officials in an effort to end "gruesome and often deadly" decompression sickness tests on sheep and other animals. [Read More](#)

CONTEST ANNOUNCEMENT

Write the next sentence in the article. You can only write ONE sentence. The best sentence will be announced in the next newsletter. The winner gets a free beer (or whatever beverage preferred) from the editor of this newsletter.

Legal note: This contest is not sponsored or endorsed by the Military Times, HQMC, or the Department of Defense. I am pretty sure they would not approve.

The Editor

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NEWSLETTER EDITOR

ALL THE NEWS THAT'S FIT TO PRINT.. AND SOME THAT ISN'T

First, let me apologize for not getting this newsletter out in a timely manner. Life got in the way of life last month.

This will be a combination newsletter for August and September. As you will see, there is much to report.

As I am sure our Jr Vice and Paymaster will also report, all annual dues are due 31 August. If you have not remitted them, please do so at your earliest convenience.

Our new commandant, Burt Helmka, is working hard to bring us back to pre-COVID levels. He has made recruiting and retention a top priority.

Once of his initiatives is to hold a fellowship gathering. He is open to a breakfast, lunch, or happy hour. These will NOT be meetings but a gathering of Marines.

He will be sending a notice for the first one shortly. I am asking that if you are available to please support him. If you need a ride, let someone know and we will get you there.

Finally, as a reminder, school has started. Drive carefully. Protect our kids.

Semper Fi,
Ray Sturm



There are numerous references to the 5k Challenge in this edition. The decision to cancel the event was made on Sept 6th. This was too late for individual contributors to change their comments. The editor apologizes for any confusion.

NOW in effect: The new **National Suicide Prevention Hotline**.

9-8-8

We are all used to calling 9-1-1 to report an emergency. This new number is designed to save lives also. However, it is only effective if people know it. PLEASE PASS THE WORD.

COMMANDANT'S CORNER

Marines,

I have been looking at our By-laws and Constitution and they need updating to be in compliance with current IRS regulations. Please review them and submit any changes you think should be made. You'll receive a link for By-laws in a few days. We also need to update our Administrative Procedures. Any assistance you can provide will be appreciated.



In an effort to build camaraderie, I'll be making and sending an email blast for either a breakfast or lunch fellowship at a local venue. This will not be a staff or business meeting but rather a chance for Marines to gather. Once you receive it, please let me know if you can attend.

The 5k run is coming up. This is a possible recruiting event with this fundraiser. All volunteers are welcomed.

On 27 August, I attended the Department of Maryland meeting. Before you know it the Department Convention will be here. The date for our convention is May 11th thru 14th at the Grand in Ocean City.

Semper Fi,
Burt



Detachment Colors

YOUR DETACHMENT

STAFF

Commandant	Burt Helmka
Sr Vice Cmdt	Ben Wells
Jr Vice Cmdt	Joe Wright
Judge Advocate	Ray Sturm
Jr Past Cmdt	Ben Wells
Adjutant	Norm Huffman
Chaplain	Bill Collins
Sgt-at-Arms	Jim Galvin
Color Guard Cdr	Woody Bowman
Newsletter Editor	Ray Sturm
Paymaster	Joe Wright
Quartermaster	Bill Collins
Public Affairs	Vacant
Marksmanship	Ray Sturm
Web Sergeant	Joe Wright
Young Marines	Ray Sturm

WEBSITE

<http://mclaacdet1049.org>

FACEBOOK

Anne Arundel County Detachment
1049, MCL

MEETINGS

The detachment meets the 4th Monday of the month at 7:00 PM at the Harry L. Cooper VFW Post 160, 2597 Dorsey Rd, Glen Burnie, MD

SOCIAL HOUR

Social hour commences immediately after the meeting. Come join us for a beverage and the telling of sea stories.

SUBMISSIONS

Submit articles, photos, or suggestions to Ray Sturm at Bandit6A@gmail.com by the Saturday following the detachment meeting.

9-8-8

Extension 1

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COMING SOON **NEW INITIATIVE** COMING SOON

DETACHMENT FELLOWSHIP GATHERINGS

WATCH YOUR EMAIL FOR DETAILS

(This is not a trick to get a working party)



SENIOR VICE COMMANDANT

Marines,

I don't have a lot to say this month other than if you missed National in Daytona Beach you missed a good time. Please come out and enjoy fellowship of your MCL meetings on the 4th Monday of every month. The Department of MD is going to have a raffle for a 300 Blackout in the AR style starting soon so buy your tickets once they become available.



The Marines Helping Heroes 5K is on October 15th which is the day of our in-person race at Arundel Mills Mall. Please support our race by either signing up or send our information to others who would be interested. www.marineshelpingheroes.org

Semper Fi

Ben Wells

JUNIOR VICE COMMANDANT

Marines,

Annual dues need to be paid by August 31st. If you have not paid, please do so right away.



Joe Wright



CHAPLAIN

Poor attendance at our monthly meetings continues to be a major concern. Suggestions as to how we can increase attendance at these meetings as well as how to increase member participation in all of our activities are most welcome. If we are to continue as a viable organization, we must address this issue.

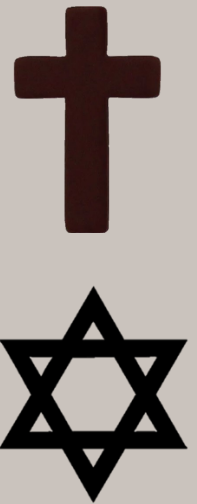
As fall approaches so does our 5k run. This event is one of our major fund raisers, and this year... if we are to be successful, we need the help of all our members. Please spread the word to your friends and business associates. The in-person event will be held 15 October at Arundel Mills.... The virtual event will begin on 24 September and run until 15 October. Additional information is available at our website: MARINESHELPINGHEROES.org
SIGN-UP...it's fun and it's good for you.

Please say a prayer for our fellow Marines who have passed and for all of those who are in distress.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Miss Jane. She is at home recovering from surgery. She has a full-time servant who is responding to her every need. Go Norm !

Let's not forget Woody who is recovering from knee replacement surgery.

Semper Fi,
Bill Collins-Chaplain



EAGLE SCOUT COORDINATOR

I continue to present the MCL Good Citizenship Award to all new Eagle Scouts.

If you know a Scout who is about to attain this prestigious rank, please let me know.

Semper Fi,
Jim Galvin

Sgt-at-Arms / Eagle Scout Coordinator



CAMP LEJEUNE WATER EXPOSURE

If you served at Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune or Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS) New River in North Carolina, you may have had contact with contaminants in the drinking water there. Scientific and medical evidence has shown an association between exposure to these contaminants during military service and development of certain diseases later on.

You may be eligible for disability benefits if you meet all of these requirements.

Both of these must be true:

- You served at Camp Lejeune or MCAS New River for at least 30 cumulative days from August 1953 through December 1987, **and**
- You didn't receive a dishonorable discharge when you separated from the military

And you must have a diagnosis of one or more of these presumptive conditions:

- Adult leukemia
- Aplastic anemia and other myelodysplastic syndromes
- Bladder cancer
- Kidney cancer
- Liver cancer
- Multiple myeloma

WHO'S COVERED?

- Veterans
- Reservists
- Guardsmen

Learn more here. Contact a [MDVA Veterans Benefits Specialist](#) for further assistance with filing a claim or call our regional office at 800-446-4926, ext. 6450 to find your closest service office.

<https://Veterans.Maryland.gov/camp-lejeune-water-exposure/>

VA**U.S. Department
of Veterans Affairs**

VA makes all toxic-exposure conditions presumptive immediately following signing of PACT Act

WASHINGTON — The Veterans Affairs Department has declared all 23 health conditions outlined in the recently enacted PACT Act “presumptive” from the date the bill was signed, reducing the burden on veterans or their survivors to prove that certain diseases were caused by service-related exposure to toxins and burn pits.

The VA had planned to phase in the system, under which specific health conditions likely resulting from exposure to toxins are recognized as service-related, over the next few years. Those conditions include brain cancer, gastrointestinal cancer, kidney cancer, lymphoma and melanoma, among others. President Joe Biden [signed the legislation](#) Aug. 10.

"Veterans have waited too long for this care and these benefits already and we're not going to make them wait any longer," VA Secretary Denis McDonough told the American Legion National Convention in Milwaukee on Wednesday. "So instead of phasing in the conditions over the coming years, we're making all conditions outlined in the PACT Act presumptive August 10."

The law will provide an easier path to health care and benefits for veterans who served near open-air burn pits, which were widely used by the military throughout the 1990s and the post-9/11 wars to dispose of garbage, jet fuel and other materials. Veterans diagnosed with cancer, respiratory issues and lung disease at early ages have blamed exposure on the toxic fumes from these pits, but the VA contended for years that there wasn't sufficient evidence to support their claims.

The new law will also expand the list of presumptive diseases related to Agent Orange to include exposure in Thailand, Cambodia, Laos, Guam, American Samoa and Johnston Atoll. It also strengthens federal research on toxic exposure, and boosts the VA's resources and training to help cope with new claims.



PACT ACT FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



The **PACT Act** is a new law that expands VA health care and benefits for Veterans exposed to burn pits and other toxic substances. This law helps us provide generations of Veterans—and their survivors—with the care and benefits they've earned and deserve.

The Act **(1)** expands and extends eligibility for VA health care for Veterans with toxic exposures and Veterans of the Vietnam era, Gulf War era, and Post-9/11 era, and **(2)** expands eligibility for benefits for Veterans exposed to toxic substances.

What new or expanded presumptions will the Act create and when will they be in effect?

VETERANS AND SURVIVORS CAN FILE CLAIMS FOR ALL CONDITIONS OUTLINED IN THE PACT ACT IMMEDIATELY.

For Gulf War and post 9-11 Veterans, that includes:

Brain cancer, Glioblastoma, Respiratory (breathing-related) cancer of any type, Gastrointestinal cancer of any type, Head cancer of any type, Lymphoma of any type, Lymphatic cancer of any type, Neck cancer, Pancreatic cancer, Reproductive cancer of any type, Kidney cancer, Melanoma, Asthma (diagnosed after service), Chronic rhinitis, Chronic sinusitis, Constrictive bronchiolitis or obliterative bronchiolitis,

Emphysema, Granulomatous disease, Interstitial lung disease (ILD), Pleuritis, Pulmonary fibrosis, Sarcoidosis, Chronic bronchitis, Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD).

For Vietnam Veterans and other Veterans exposed to tactical herbicides, that includes two Agent Orange presumptive conditions:

Monoclonal gammopathy of undetermined significance (MGUS), High blood pressure (hypertension).

How can Veterans apply for VA health care?

Apply **online** at [VA.gov/health-care/apply/application/introduction](https://www.va.gov/health-care/apply/application/introduction).

Call our toll-free hotline at 877-222-8387, M-F, 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. ET.

Mail a completed, signed Application for Health Benefits (VA Form 10-10EZ).

Bring a completed, signed VA Form 10-10EZ with you to your nearest medical center or clinic or get help through your state's Department of Veterans Affairs Service Officer.

Get help filing your claim by working with an accredited representative.

What are the PACT Act key components?



The Act **expands and extends eligibility for VA health care for Veterans with toxic-exposures** and Veterans of the Vietnam era, Gulf War era, and Post-9/11 era.



VA **will improve the decision-making process** for determining what medical conditions will be considered for presumptive status.



Every enrolled Veteran will **receive an initial toxic exposure screening** and a follow-up screening every five years. Veterans who are not enrolled, but who are eligible to enroll, will have an opportunity to enroll and receive the screening.



VA health care staff and claims processors will receive **toxic exposure-related education and training**.



The Act requires **research studies** on mortality of Veterans who served in Southwest Asia during the Gulf War, Post-9/11 Veteran health trends, and Veteran cancer rates.



The Act will help VA **build a stronger, more skilled workforce** to meet the growing demand for benefits and services.



The Act authorizes **31 new medical facilities** across the country, providing greater access to VA health care.

How can a Veteran file a claim?



Veterans who would like to file a claim must complete VA Form 21-526EZ to apply for benefits and submit any supportive evidence.



To learn about standard VA disability claims, supplemental claims, secondary claims, and more visit: [VA.gov/disability/how-to-file-claim/when-to-file](https://www.va.gov/disability/how-to-file-claim/when-to-file).

If a Veteran was previously denied a claim, what can they do?

VA will contact Veterans when a presumption of service connection is established or changed. However, **Veterans previously denied a toxic-exposure related claim** are encouraged to file a supplemental claim. Once a supplemental claim is received, VA will review the claim under the new law.



U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

Learn more and sign up at [VA.gov/PACT](https://www.va.gov/PACT)
Download the VA Health and Benefits App
Call us at 1-800-MyVA411 (1-800-698-2411)
Find a VA at [VA.gov/find-locations/](https://www.va.gov/find-locations/)

MARINES SERVED IN THE EUROPEAN AND AFRICAN THEATERS OF WORLD WAR II

The Marines of World War II are best known for their island hopping campaign in the Pacific at battles such as Guadalcanal, Tarawa, Iwo Jima and Okinawa, but they also had a small presence in the war's other theaters. A Marine brigade occupied Iceland during the early stages of the war, and Marines later served as advisors and trainers during British and American amphibious operations in Africa and Europe.

During the Normandy invasion, Marine sharpshooters used their rifles to detonate floating mines and clear the way for Navy ships. At least 50 members of the Corps also served as intelligence agents and saboteurs for the Office of Strategic Services. They included Colonel Peter J. Ortiz, who parachuted into Nazi-occupied France and was later twice awarded the Navy Cross for his efforts in aiding the Resistance.

All told, roughly 6,000 Marines took part in the European and African Theaters in some capacity during the war.

2 September 1945: The Japanese officially surrendered to the Allies on board the battleship MISSOURI in Tokyo Bay. With General Holland Smith transferred home in July 1945, the senior Marine Corps representative at the historic ceremony was LtGen Roy S. Geiger, who had succeeded Smith as Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific.



Hound Dog Pound 204

Mer-lin Pack

Officers

- Pound Keeper Paul Gunther
- Sr Vice PK Pat Sharkey
- Jr Vice PK Howard Koontz
- Smart Dog Ray Sturm
- Dog Trainer Leonard Steipler
- Mad Dog Woody Bowman
- Police Dog Norm Huffman
- Watch Dog Burt Helmka
- Barking Dog Stuart Blair
- Dog Robber Joe Wright

Next Growl

11 December 2022

Dog House

Harry L. Cooper VFW Post 160



MODD

Hound Dog Pound 204

On 8/28/2022, the Pound held a Growl and elected (or should I say, re-elected) its officers. There was only one minor change. DD Burt Helmka replaced PDD Ben Wells as Sir Watch Dog. Please see the column to the left for a full slate of elected and appointed Dogs.

Supreme Growl Election Results

- 60th Chief Devil Dog CDD Alan Sanning
- Sr Vice Chief DD PDD JD Jones
- Jr Vice Chief DD PDD Evie Remines
- Smart Dog PDD Joe DeAngelo
- Dog Trainer PDD Lisa Ciesielski
- Police Dog PDD Matt Veprek
- Mad Dog PDD Charles Minton

The full slate of elected officers, Kennel staff officers, and appointed officers can be found on the Kennel website.

MilitaryOrderOfTheDevilDogs.org



PCDD Bob Lent passed away on 27 August. Rest in peace Honorable Chief.





Hosted by the National Public Relations Committee



This Month's Topic:

The editor is not aware of a Zoom meeting this month. It has only been a few weeks since the convention. I'm sure the new Public Relations Committee is considering future topics.

If you have a topic you'd like to bring up, I will gladly forward it for consideration.

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Young Marines

Upcoming Events

4 Sept	Unit Drill	VFW Post 160	1:30 to 5:00 PM
9 - 11 Sept	Encampment	Fort Frederick	
18 Sept	Unit Drill	VFW Post 160	1:30 to 5:00 PM
1 Oct	VFWA Fall Festival	VFW Post 160	TBD
2 Oct	Unit Drill	VFW Post 160	1:30 to 5:00 PM
16 Oct	YM Birthday Ball	Baltimore Det 565	TBD
22 Oct	DDR Dash	Quantico, VA	7:00 AM
22 Oct	YM Color Guard	Fisher House	12:00 PM
30 Oct	Unit Drill	VFW Post 160	1:30 to 5:00 PM
5-6 Nov	Sr YM Encampment	Jarrettsville, MD	
10 Nov	Colors	VFW Post 160	7:00 PM
13 Nov	Unit Drill	VFW Post 160	1:30 to 5:00 PM
3 Dec	Craft Fundraiser	Bowie Elks Club	

ATTENTION CRAFTERS

We are looking for crafters who would like to rent a table at our December Holiday Bazaar.

If you are interested, please see and follow the directions on the flyer on the next page. All proceeds from table fees will benefit the Anne Arundel Young Marines.

ANNE ARUNDEL YOUNG MARINES
HOLIDAY BAZAAR

CRAFTERS WANTED!!!!

SPACES WILL BE OPEN FIRST TO CRAFTERS.

If spaces remain, we will open up to Direct Sales at a
later date

DECEMBER 3, 2022 (10 AM – 2 PM)

Elks Bowie – 1506 Defense Hwy – Gambills, MD
21054

Provided – 8' Table with 2 Chairs

\$50 per space inside (34 available) - \$40 outside space
(5 available)

\$100 Spaces available for Food Trucks (5 available)

Please email me to request an application.

(jcowger55@gmail.com)

Provide your name, email, type of craft ***with a picture of your crafts***, preference for indoor or outdoor space and if electricity is needed. If/When approved, you will be sent the application with payment information that will be required to be made within 72 hours after receiving email. PAYMENTS MADE THROUGH PAYPAL.

Direct sales can submit information to be put on the waiting list if spaces become available.

We will be limiting types of crafters so we have lots of variety. Sponsor: ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY YOUNG MARINES. If you would like more information about the Anne Arundel Young Marines, please visit youngmarines.org or facebook



Operation Homefront



After picking up donations from **Dollar Tree** stores throughout the region, the Young Marines held a pick-up for military and other families in the area at VFW Post 160.

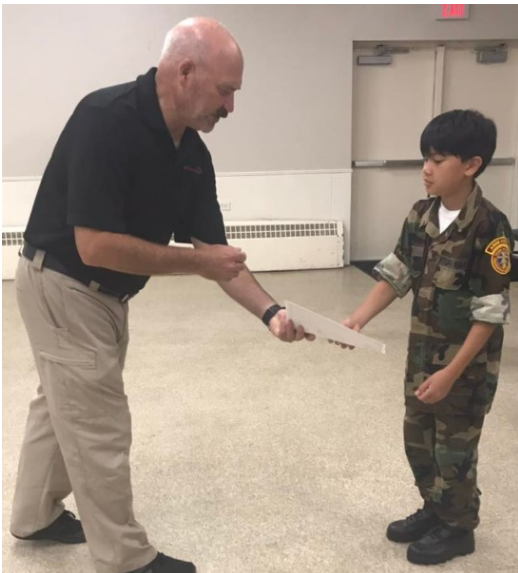
Each year, Operation Homefront volunteers collect the toys to be distributed at the nonprofit's nationwide holiday events and by on-base Family Readiness Groups. Dollar Tree and Operation Homefront have partnered annually since 2006 to deliver the program.





Awards

Unit Commander Ray Sturm held an awards ceremony to distribute various awards the Young Marines earned over the last several months.



Promotions

August 7

Congratulations to our newly promoted Young Marines
Job well done.



Timothy Clingenpeel promoted to YM SSgt
Adult Volunteer Petra Clingenpeel assists with the pinning.



Daniel Westerlund promoted to YM LCpl
Unit Adjutant April Westerlund pins them on.



Skyler Hiatt promoted to YM LCpl
The Unit CO and XO have the honor of pinning on the new rank.

Cyber Safety & Drug Reduction Event

The event was conducted at the Anne Arundel Community College. While attendance was not as expected, the event drew praise from the Secret Service instructors, K-9 officers, and participants alike.



Keeping
the Kids
Safe !



UPCOMING EVENTS

CALENDAR

26 Sept	MCL meeting	VFW Post 160	7:00 PM
24 Oct	MCL meeting	VFW 160	7:00 PM
10 Nov	Cake Cutting	TBD	
19 Nov	Dept of MD meeting	Ellicott City	9:00 AM
28 Nov	MCL meeting	VFW Post 160	7:00 PM

Please send calendar additions to Ray Sturm at Bandit6A@gmail.com NLT the Saturday following the detachment's monthly meeting.



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Minutes



Detachment Meeting Minutes
Anne Arundel County Detachment 1049
Marine Corps League
August 25, 2022

900PENING BY RITUAL:

Meeting called to order by Commandant Burt Helmka at 1900 hours.
The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by prayer by Judge Advocate Ray Sturm.
Members in attendance: 12

Commandant Helmka announced guests in attendance.

National:

Ray Sturm (Marine for Life Committee)

Department:

Ray Sturm – Marine for Life Committee Chair

Past Department Marine of the Year – Paul Taylor (2010), Ray Sturm (2018), Ed Dahling (2019).

Ben Wells (2020).

Detachment:

Past Detachment Commandants - Joseph Wright (2011-2013), Ed Dahling (2013-2015), Ray Sturm (2015-2019).

Past Detachment Marine of the Year – Joe Wright (2015), Ed Dahling (2016), Ray Sturm (2017), Norm Huffman (2021), Burt Helmka (2022).

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:

Commandant	Burt Helmka	P
Sr. Vice Commandant	Ben Wells	P
Jr. Vice Commandant	Joe Wright	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	E
Color Guard Commander	Woody Bowman	E
Historian	Joe Wright	P
Newsletter Editor	Ed Dahling	P
Paymaster	Ed Dahling	P
Public Information Officer	Vacant	
Quartermaster	Bill Collins	E
Rifle Pistol Team Captain	Ray Sturm	P
Sgt-at-Arms	James Galvin	P
Web Sergeant	Joe Wright	P
Young Marine Commander	Ray Sturm	P

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP: None

ADJUTANT'S REPORT: Minutes from the July meeting were posted on the Detachment website and in the newsletter. Copies available on table.

CORRESPONDENCE: None

PAYMASTER: The financial report was given by Jr. Vice Commandant, Joe Wright.

Checking:	\$10,336.36
Savings:	\$ <u>2,267.38</u>
Total assets:	\$12,603.74

CHAPLAIN REPORT: Woody Bowman had a knee operation and cannot drive for a few weeks.

COMMANDANT: No report – will discuss in Old and New Business

SENIOR VICE: No report

JUNIOR VICE: No report

JUDGE ADVOCATE: No report

JR. PAST COMMANDANT: No report

NEWSLETTER EDITOR: Ray Sturm reported he will combine the August and September newsletters and would like all reports sent to him as soon as possible. Ray reminded all their dues were due by August 31st.

QUARTERMASTER: Absent

HISTORIAN/ WEB SERGEANT: No report

COLOR GUARD: Absent

YOUNG MARINES: Commander Ray Sturm reported the Young Marines have a busy schedule:

- Participated in school supply drive for Operation Homefront
- Sept – Encampment at Ft. Frederick
- December 3 – Craft Show at the Bowie Elks

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Commandant Helmka reported Danny Fischio has agreed to handle the By-Law Committee. The last update was 2009. Burt requested Joe Wright send a link to members requesting they look at the bylaws and admin procedures for any proposed changes. Major update concerns dues. We need to assure our bylaws coincide with the National bylaws. Please send any proposed changes to Danny Fischio.

The topic of moving to an new location for meetings was discussed. Burt visited the Severna Park American Legion and explained our needs. Waiting on a reply. Burt also contacted American Legion Post 40 in Glen Burnie. They welcomed the Detachment and are looking into finding storage in the building. Final decision to be determined.

Burt suggested holding fellowship/meeting at local restaurants, hoping to draw more attendance. Some suggestions were: Glory Days – Airport – 30-day notice – lunch

Bella Napoli – has private room - Pasadena
Cracker Barrell – Airport - no weekends
Green Turtle – Pasadena – lunch
Bob Evans – call ahead weekdays – may have a 10–15-minute wait
Momma Lucia – Hanover
Hideaway Happy Hour - Odenton
Piney Orchard Parkway restaurant
Burt suggested all look for possible venues.

NEW BUSINESS: Burt requested we all use the Detachment business cards to gain possible new members.

GOOD OF THE LEAGUE: Ed Dahling was presented with a Certificate for his tour as Department Paymaster, dated May 8, 2022.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

August 27, 2022 – Department meeting – Baltimore – 1426 E. Ft. Avenue

August 28, 2022 – Pound Growl – VFW Post 160

CLOSING CEREMONIES: Sgt. at Arms Jim Galvin closed the meeting IAW MCL rituals. The next meeting will be held on September 26th, 2022.

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



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

Harry L. Cooper VFW Post 160
2597 Dorsey Rd
Glen Burnie, MD 21061

The VFW Post 160 is a Veterans organization that stands for Veterans of Foreign Wars. We were founded on May 5th 1936, we moved to our current location in June 1958. We also have an auxiliary who are family of a Veteran.

The Marine Corps League Anne Arundel County Detachment 1049 is based here, as is the Fleet Reserve Association branch 212. Our members are from Marines, Army, Navy, Coast Guard, and Air Force.

We come together to help Veterans, their families, and community in our area. Why not see if you are eligible to join any of our organizations. ~ *VFW Post 160 website*

VFW EVENTS

- VFW House Committee 2nd Monday @ 6:00 PM
- VFW/VFWA 2nd Monday @ 7:00 PM
- MOC/MOCA 2nd Friday @ 7:30 PM
- Fleet Reserve Assn 2nd Saturday @ 10:00 AM
- Marine Corps League 4th Monday @ 7:00 PM
- Anne Arundel Young Marines Every other Sunday @ 1:30 PM

 Veterans of Foreign Wars of The United States <small>Col. Harry L. Cooper Post 160 2597 Dorsey Rd Glen Burnie, MD 21061-3268</small>	
SNACKS	
CHEESE BURGER	\$4.50
CHICKEN BITES	\$3.50
CHICKEN TENDERS	\$4.25
CHICKEN WINGS (12)	\$9.55
CHICKEN WINGS (6)	\$5.30
HOT DOG	\$1.50
MOZZARELLA STICKS	\$2.00
FRENCH FRIES	\$1.90
CHIPS 	\$1.25
PIZZA	
LARGE PIZZA	
CHEESE PIZZA	\$7.50
PEPPERONI PIZZA	\$7.80
3 MEAT PIZZA	\$7.80
THIN PEPPERONI PIZZA	\$7.80
PERSONAL SIZE	
CHEESE PIZZA	\$4.25
PEPPERONI PIZZA 	\$5.30

Canteen Hours

- Sun 12-6 PM Unless football. We could be open later.
- Mon—Thur 12-8 PM
- Fri-Sat 12-10 PM

Wednesday and Friday night dinners: 6-8 PM

We would like to thank all of

Our Sponsors, Supporters, & Friends

For your commitment to our community and charitable causes throughout the year.



**U.S. Structured Cabling,
Inc**



Stromberg Metal Works, Inc.



2022 Marines Helping Heroes 5k Challenge

WHEN

October 15, 2022
8:00 AM Start

WHERE

Arundel Mills
7000 Arundel Mills Cir
Hanover, MD

VIRTUAL RUN

Sept 24 to Oct 15

FEATURING • All ages • Optional push-up & sit-up challenges • Stroller Division • Walkers

INCLUDES • Race T-shirt • Medallion • Prizes • Refreshments



Details and registration at:

RunSignUp.com/mhh

For additional information: MarinesHelpingHeroes.org

Contact: info@MarinesHelpingHeroes.org

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