

**DEPARTMENT OF ILLINOIS MARINE CORPS LEAGUE
2020-2021 ELECTED OFFICERS**

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Commandant	Mike Sturch	1652 Brower Pl.	Sycamore, IL 60178-	815-441-2243	mlsturch@hotmail.com
Senior Vice Commandant	Ron Burns Sr.	525 N. Pearl St.	Lebanon, IL 62254-1428	618-593-0533	ronburns45@live.com
Junior Vice Commandant	Robert R. Weber	1103 Haas Rd	Trenton, IL 62293-2117	618-224-9437	311snakeandnape2@gmail.com
Judge Advocate	Victoria Cobbett	733 Singer Ave	Lemont, IL 60439-3912	630 257-6432	v.cobbett@comcast.net
Paymaster	PDC Mike Malmstrom	5107 48 th St.	Moline, IL 61265-7506	309-764-9638	mikem3280@gmail.com
Chaplain	Brent Bacon	219 S. Locust St	Genoa, IL 60135	815-751-6211	bbaconusmc@gmail.com
Assistant Chaplain	Gary Hoeffken	1881 Old Park Lane	Swansea, IL 62226	618-900-1271	ghoeffken@att.net
Sergeant at Arms	Bob Kappes	1217 Joanne Lane	Champaign, IL 61821-	217 419-1566	paymaster@cumarines.org
Asst Sgt at Arms	Kevin Keller	14030 Lara Trace	Bloomington, IL 61705	618 554-1540	Kkeller64@yahoo.com
Junior Past Commandant (Also a Trustee)	JPDC Bruce Blackmer	4530 W. Marquette Rd.	Chicago, IL 60629-5627	773-316-6976 (H) 773-284-1212 (C)	Jbmarines_81@yahoo.com
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Commandant, District #2	Jeffrey Bruce	PO Box 311	Woodstock, IL 60098-	847 208-1386	fox25usmc@gmail.com
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Trustee (PDC) #1	PDC Bill Barta	11 Hiawatha Dr.	Clarendon Hills, IL 60514-1113	630-263-0700 (C)	wbbarta@msn.com
Trustee (PDC) #2	PDC Greg Baker	304 S. Main, Box 78	Cherry, IL 61317-	815-228-9767	glbaker078@comcast.net
Trustee (R & F) #4	Daphne Kappos	340 Whitelaw Ave.	Wood River, IL 62095-1915	618 402-7620	marinekappos@aol.com
Trustee (R & F) #3	John Olejnicki	1021 Garner	Wheaton, IL 60178-4413	630 665-8769	Jk311mar@yahoo.com

APPOINTEE OFFICERS

POSITION	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY/STATE/ZIP	PHONE	EMAIL
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Service Officer	Karl Bradshaw	16645 Delhi Farms Rd.	Jerseyville, IL 62052-	618-885-5684 (H) 618-806-2609 (C)	karl782@hotmail.com
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VAVS Hines	Bruce Blackmer	4530 W Marquette Rd.	Chicago, IL 60629-5627	773-284-1212	jbmarines_81@yahoo.com
VAVS Jesse Brown	Sergio Correa Jr.	3848 W. 57 th Pl.	Chicago, IL 60629-	773 236-9070	s-correa@innovalabhub.com
VAVS North Chicago	Oliver Davidson	42990 Washington	Winthrop Harbor, IL 60096	224-430-1107	marinecorpsman@hotmail.com
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Historian	Arlene Davis	2300 S. 11 th	Springfield, IL 62703	217-572-1280	kitteh.ad@gmail.com
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Public Relations Director	Kevin Keller	14030 Lara Trace	Bloomington, IL 61705	618 554-1540	Kkeller64@yahoo.com
Liaison Officer	PDC Mike Malmstrom	5107 48 th St.	Moline, IL 61265-7506	309-764-9638	mikem3280@gmail.com
Scholarship Chairman	Victoria Cobbett	733 Singer Ave	Lemont, IL 60439-3912	630 257-6432	v.cobbett@comcast.net
Legislative Chairman	Robert R. Weber	1103 Haas Rd.	Trenton, IL 62293-2117	618-224-9437	311snakeandnape2@gmail.com
Quartermaster					
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Wars Chairman	Kevin Keller	14030 Lara Trace	Bloomington, IL 61705	618 554-1540	Kkeller64@yahoo.com
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Homeless Veterans Chairman	PDC Mike Malmstrom	5107 48 th St.	Moline, IL 61265-7506	309-764-9638	mikem3280@gmail.com
Homeless Vets Members (All Dist. Commandants)					

STANDING COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY/STATE/ZIP	PHONE	EMAIL
Scholarship Chairman	Victoria Cobbett	733 Singer Ave	Lemont, IL 60439-3912	630 257-6432	v.cobbett@comcast.net
Scholarship Member #1	PDC Bill Barta	11 Hiawatha Dr.	Clarendon Hills, IL 60514-1113	630-263-0700	wbbarta@man.com
Scholarship Member #2	John Olejnicki	1021 Garner	Wheaton, IL 60178-4413	630 665-8769	Jk311mar@yahoo.com
Legislative Comm, Chairman	Robert R. Weber	1103 Haas Rd.	Trenton, IL 62293-2117	618-224-9437	311snakeandnape2@gmail.com
Legislative Member #1	PDC Bill Barta	11 Hiawatha Dr.	Clarendon Hills, IL 60514-1113	630-263-0700 (C)	wbbarta@msn.com
Legislative Member #2	PDC Mike Malmstrom	5107 48 th St.	Moline, IL 61265-7506	309-764-9638	mikem3280@gmail.com
Legislative Member #3					
Publicity Chairman (PR Chair) (All District Commandants)	Kevin Keller	14030 Lara Trace	Bloomington, IL 61705	618 554-1540	Kkeller64@yahoo.com
Membership Committee Chairman (All District Commandants)	Robert R. Weber	1103 Haas Rd	Trenton, IL 62293-2117	618-224-9437	311snakeandnape2@gmail.com
Awards/Citations Chair (Jr. Vice) (All Dist. Comdts plus 1 Trustee)	Robert R. Weber	1103 Haas Rd	Trenton, IL 62293-2117	618-224-9437	311snakeandnape2@gmail.com

Awards Citation Trustee Member					
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Color Guard Member #1					
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Activities Comm. Chair (Sr. Vice)	Ron Burns, Sr.	525 N. Pearl St.	Lebanon, IL 62254-1428	618-537-6734	ronburns45@live.com
Activities Member #1					
Activities Member #2	PDC Greg Baker	304 S. Main, Box 78	Cherry, IL 61317-0078	815-228-9767	glbaker078@comcast.net
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Time and Place Chairman	PDC Mike Malmstrom	5107 48 th St.	Moline, IL 61265-7506	309-764-9638	mikem3280@gmail.com
Time and Place Member #1	PDC Greg Baker	304 S. Main, Box 78	Cherry, IL 61317-	815-228-9767	glbaker078@comcast.net
Time and Place MCLA Liaison	Renee McGuan	35 C Colonial Manor	Highland, IL 62249	815-751-1455	rsm1455@yahoo.com
MOY Society Chairman (current MOY); Members (All MOYs)	Mike Sturch	1652 Brower Place	Sycamore, IL 60178	815-441-2243	mlsturch@hotmail.com
Audit & Budget Chairman	JPDC Bruce Blackmer	4530 W. Marquette Rd.	Chicago, IL 60629-5627	773-316-6976 (H) 773-284-1212 (C)	Jbmarines_81@yahoo.com

CONVENTION COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY/STATE/ZIP	PHONE	EMAIL
Convention Liaison Committee (Assts. must be 1 from Time and Place and 1 appt. by Comdt)	PDC Mike Malmstrom	5107 48 th St.	Moline, IL 61265-7506	309-764-9638	mikem3280@gmail.com
Convention Liaison Asst. #1	PDC Greg Baker	304 S. Main, Box 78	Cherry, IL 61317-0078	815-228-9767	glbaker078@comcast.net
Convention Liaison Asst. #2	Renee McGuan	35 C Colonial Manor	Highland, IL 62249	815-751-1455	rsm1455@yahoo.com35
Rules Committee Chairman	Victoria Cobbett	733 Singer Ave	Lemont, IL 60439-3912	630 257-6432	v.cobbett@comcast.net
Rules Committee Member #1					
Rules Committee Member #2	PDC Don Haines	1005 Prairie St.	St. Charles, IL 60174-3638	630-377-7328 (H) 630-564-1804 (C)	usmc1962@comcast.net
Credential Committee Chairman (Chairman appoints 4 members from separate districts)	Sue Gibbons	1733 W. Glenn Ave	Springfield, IL 62704-4826	217 662-8270	sgibb1@uis.edu
Credential Committee Member #1					
Credential Committee Member #2					
Credential Committee Member #3					
Credential Committee Member #4					
Bylaws Committee Chairman (JA) (3-5 appointed members)	Victoria Cobbett	733 Singer Ave	Lemont, IL 60439-3912	630 257-6432	v.cobbett@comcast.net
Bylaws Committee Member	PDC Bill Barta	11 Hiawatha Dr.	Clarendon Hills, IL 60514-1113	630-263-0700 (C)	wbbarta@msn.com
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Resolution Committee Chairman	PDC Don Haines	1005 Prairie St.	St. Charles, IL 60174-3638	630-564-1804 (C)	usmc1962@comcast.net
Resolution Committee Member					
Resolution Committee Member	Dave Edwards	904 Star Dr.	Heyworth, IL 61745-	309 498-1007	dle41@aol.com
Resolution Committee Member	Bob Kappes	1217 Joanne Lane	Champaign, IL 61821-	217-419-1566	paymaster@cumarines.org

SPECIAL APPOINTIVE OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

43.02 APPOINTMENT OF APPOINTIVE OFFICERS.

(a) ALL APPOINTIVE OFFICERS ARE APPOINTED BY THE DEPARTMENT COMMANDANT, WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF THE INDIVIDUAL APPOINTED, AND REQUIRES APPROVAL OF THE MAJORITY OF THE STAFF.

(b) APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL OFFICERS (OVER AND ABOVE THOSE HEREINAFTER STATED) MAY BE MADE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE DEPARTMENT COMMANDANT WHENEVER DEEMED NECESSARY, PROVIDING SUCH APPOINTMENT RECEIVES APPROVAL OF THE MAJORITY OF THE STAFF AND FURTHER PROVIDING THAT THE DUTIES OF SUCH OFFICE BE MADE A MATTER OF RECORD IN THE DEPARTMENT FILES.

45.02 APPOINTMENT AND TENURE OF COMMITTEES.

(a) THE DEPARTMENT COMMANDANT HAS THE AUTHORITY TO APPOINT THE MEMBERS OF THE VARIOUS COMMITTEES WITHIN THE PARAMETERS STATED HEREIN FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL COMMITTEE. ALL APPOINTMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF THE MAJORITY OF THE STAFF.

(b) APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL COMMITTEES (OVER AND ABOVE THOSE HEREIN IDENTIFIED) MAY BE MADE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE DEPARTMENT COMMANDANT WHENEVER DEEMED NECESSARY, PROVIDING SUCH APPOINTMENTS RECEIVE APPROVAL OF THE MAJORITY OF THE STAFF, AND FURTHER PROVIDING THAT THE DUTIES OF SUCH COMMITTEES ARE MADE A MATTER OF RECORD IN THE DEPARTMENT FILES.

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CVA Assistant Representative	Bill Barta	11 Hiawatha Dr.	Clarendon Hills, IL 60514-1113	630-263-0700 (C)	wbbarta@msn.com
CVA Assistant Representative	George Mulvaney	PO Box 18374	Chicago, IL 60618-0374	773-704-2150	lz4vets@gmail.com
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Americanism Chairman	Kevin Keller	14030 Lara Trace	Bloomington, IL 61705	618 554-1540	kkeller64@yahoo.com