

Commandant,

Here are the meeting notes from last night's meeting:

#### MCL Det 1070 Detachment Meeting at Moose Lodge 3 September 2024

1901: The Commandant Tim Snyder orders that the Quarters be secure.

1905: The meeting declared to be open for business and recognized Derek Stiefel for his toys for Toys for Tots contribution from the corn hole league.

1907: Welcome to the meeting Derek Stiefel as well as Michael Stranberg and a lady who is a Marine Mom.

1910: Hondo handed out MCL cards to members for potential joining members.

1911: Commandant looking for a volunteer for Jr Vice.

1911: Thanks to Jerry Dowling for taking over the Fallen Marine program.

1911: Thanks to Dan Wisheart for taking over recruiting for the MCL.

1912: Flags are on order and are coming in with. Hondo in charge.

1912: Rifles are being worked on as well by Chuck McLiverty.

1913: The DoNC MCL Fall Meeting is to be held on 28 September and looking for the Color Guard to raise the flag.

1914: The Hampstead Detachment is planning a trip to Parris Island for 2 nights in October.

1915: Sept 11 is Patriot Day.

1915: A few items for the USMC Birthday Ball: still looking for a guest Speaker, possible Wilbur Jones. Ray Decker is working on a DJ. Cost for the ball is \$55/person as of right now. We will have a separate meeting for organizing for the Ball. Commandant has to make a speech for it.

1919: Team River Runner is similar to Project Soar.

2021: Adjutant says that the First Quarter report is due (June, July & Aug) plus the Adjutant will donate a gift (a Swanny's Handmade Wooden Items pen in a box) for the Guest Speaker for the USMC Birthday Ball this year; The Paymaster announces the ad booklet for the USMC Birthday Ball ads in response to Gordon working on it and in our MCL Operating Account has the money in it (see Hondo for the #s), Art says that Toys for Tots kicks off the first of October with Bob Hedden as the Coordinator and Art helping out with it, Poker Night had to be pushed out to October timeframe due to the laws here in NC in regards to gambling but a quarter auction is being looking at for April 2025, the Parade is 9 November the same day as the MCL Det 1070 USMC Birthday Ball. The Truck is being brought for the Veterans Day Parade. Bob will be at Wounded Warrior Battalion East on Camp Lejeune the week.

1936: Frank is helping on the recruiting drive and is looking to hand out cards to all who are interested in recruiting new members to the MCL Det 1070. Please get cards if you need them/all should have them...

1938: Matt Wesley is the Veteran Service Officer for New Hanover County. No VEAC for this year locally but the next one is in Carrie possibly.

1943: No further business we shall prepare to close.

Sgt at Arms retire the colors.

Semper Fi,

Adjutant

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