



**Marine Corps League Tar Heel
Detachment # 733**

May 2022



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Marine Corps League

Commandant

Tar Heel Marines Det. 733

Vietnam, 3rd Recon Bn, my 1st patrol west of Da Nang, RVN as an observer shortly after being volunteered for Recon by "Zorch" Sutton while I looked for our Seabags along Da Nang's flight line... Oct ? 1968?.

Brand new, "Boot Louies" 2nd Lts. Roberts and Sutton were led by an experienced USMC Lance Corporal, our Team Leader, to "learn the ropes".

On the first day, the leader shot a Viet Cong in black PJs. The "Boot Louies" never saw the dead enemy as the leader pulled the corpse in to the jungle.

During insertion I ripped the crotch out of our Company CO, Capt. Charles Gardiner's borrowed Jungle Utilities jumping from about 8' from the wheel strut of a H-34 Skorsky chopper. The 1st night in a, "Harbor Ste" (camping out) when I could manage a bit of privacy, I squirted a "jigger" too much of govt. official bug juice on my privates trying to keep the "dreaded" blood sucking leeches away. The chemical burn began immediately, and the scabs lasted for the 7-day patrol week; no leeches need apply...

On the 7th day while we were lying down on our backs waiting for chopper extraction below a hill in the distance the, VC opened up on us. Their 1st round wounded the Marine next to me in the stomach. We fired back a lot of shots at the hill. The VC, fairly well concealed, laid off surely knowing a chopper would arrive soon. Our Corpsman bandaged up our wounded Marine. The chopper arrived and we loaded our Marine and got aboard quick.

Back at Da Nang airfield we got the wounded Marine off the chopper, on to a gurney and he was rushed to the base Med. facility. One of the team members noticed fuel leaking out of a bullet hole in the side of the chopper. The VC were good shots and we were damn lucky.

We went via 6 x 6 truck back to our Recon area. We received medicinal brandy from the Corpsmen because we had been in the rain for 7 days. The Co. 1st Sgt saw holes in my jungle utility jacket.

He also saw that a brass suspender tab had a hole in it and the bottom of a loaded M-14 magazine also had a hole in it. I was surprised as he as I had not felt a thing. The bullet that went through the jungle utility jacket was the one that wounded the Marine next to me. See photos on next page.

Semper Fi,
TR



**Next Meeting Wed JUNE 1
7:00pm VFW Cary NC**

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **June 4** – MCL Mud Run. See details below in Adjutant Corner
- **June 12** – COH Sunday 1:00pm Saint Andrews Catholic Church, 3008 Old Apex Road, Apex, NC
- **June 24-25** – Mideast Division Marine Corps League Conference. Double Tree Hotel in Research Triangle Park. See registration packet below for more details. **Deadline to register is MAY 26.**





Marine Corps League

Sr. Vice Commandant



Marines, Jarheads, Devil Dogs, Friends of the Marine Corps League.

This is the year for positive change and new and exciting beginnings for Marine Corps Detachment 733.

Two things to accomplish this year are:

- . A Golf Tournament
- . Marine Corps Birthday Bash

Both events are in the planning stages.

- . Golf in November 2022
- . Birth Bash in November 2022

Both events will require work and volunteers.

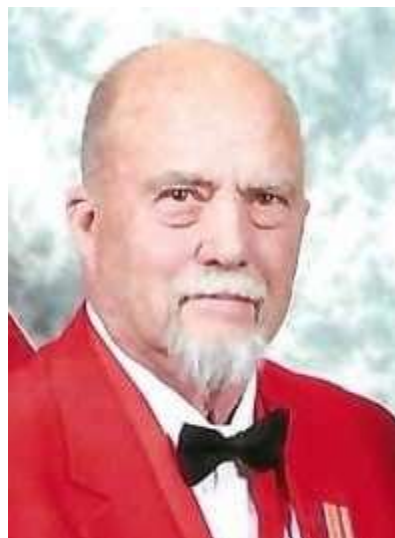
- . For Golf Volunteers, Please Contact Russ Barber
- . For Birthday Bash volunteers, Please Contact Marilyn Lewis or Dorothy Barber





Marine Corps League

Jr.. Vice Commandant



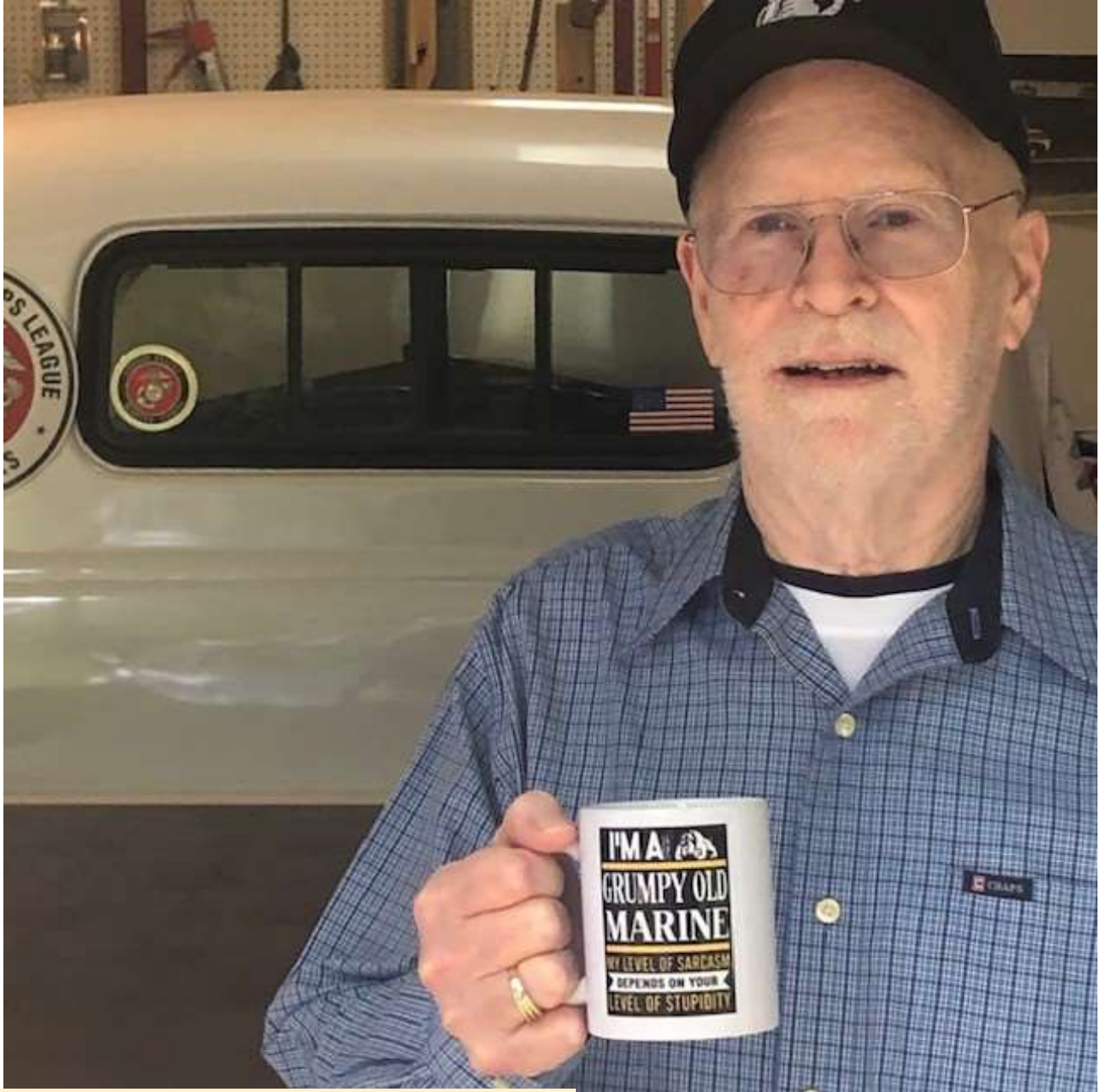
We as Marines, all have friends, memories special events while on active duty, that are forever on our minds. Those of us that are in the detachment, are constantly making new friends and memories. It's a great asset to have and to pass on to fellow Marines and family. Through the heart procedures that I have been having, my Marine Detachment brothers have been my supporters and rescuers. They have been a lift to my moral and spirit. I thank God every day for them. They have been a "Gotcha back brother" from day one. This is what it's about, the term "Semper fi" commands us to do this. The next time someone wants to gossip about a brother remind him what our motto stands for!

Our rifle raffle is going pretty good. We have two gun shows in the month of June and another in August. If you need tickets to sell please contact by email by

linthicj@bellsouth.net or call me a 919-215-5730.

Remember the drawing will be Nov. 10, so you have plenty of time. Just don't let it slip up on you!

Semper fi, Earl Linthicum



Commandant Toby Roberts honored Richard Patrick, past Commandant in 2003, 2004, & 2005 at the May meeting for his tireless efforts helping to craft the bylaws.

Russ Oliver then delivered presenting Richard with a “Grumpy Old Marine” cup. Continue to pray for Richard and his wife Cam.



Marine Corps League

May Historical Moments

MAY

2 May 1946: Marines from Treasure Island Marine Barracks, under the command of Warrant Officer Charles L. Buckner, aided in suppressing the three-day prison riot at Alcatraz Penitentiary in San Francisco Bay. WO Buckner, a veteran of the Bougainville and Guam campaigns, ably led his force of Marines without suffering a single casualty.

5 May 1983: In Beirut, Lebanon, a UH-1N helicopter carrying the commander of the American peace-keeping force, Colonel James Mead, was hit by machine gun fire. The six Marines aboard escaped injury. Colonel Mead and his crew had taken off in the helicopter to investigate artillery and rocket duels between rival Syrian-backed Druze Moslem militiamen and Christian Phalangists that endangered French members of the multinational force.

8 May 1995: In the wake of the most devastating storm to hit the New Orleans area in more than 200 years, a group of Marines and sailors from Marine Forces Reserve demonstrated the quick response synonymous with the Navy/Marine Corps team. Within 24 hours of being called, Marines assisted in the evacuation of 2,500 civilians, and Navy corpsmen treated scores of flood victims.

10 May 1945: The 22d Marines, 6th Marine Division, executed a pre-dawn attack south across the Asa River Estuary and seized a bridgehead from which to continue the attack toward Naha, the capital of Okinawa.

15 May 1862: Corporal John Mackie, the first Marine to earn the Medal of Honor, was commended for service in the USSGALENA during action against Confederate shore batteries at Drewry's Bluff which blocked the James River approaches to Richmond.

16 May 1945: The 22d and 29th Marines continued the attack against Half Moon Hill, a day characterized by the 6th Marine Division as the "bitterest" of the Okinawa campaign. By the 18th, the famed "Shuri line" had been breached.

22 May 1912: First Lieutenant Alfred A. Cunningham, the first Marine officer to be assigned to "duty in connection with aviation" by Major General Commandant William P. Biddle, reported for aviation training at the Naval Aviation Camp at Annapolis, Maryland, and Marine aviation had its official beginning.

23 May 1988: The V-22 Osprey, the world's first production tilt-rotor aircraft, made its debut during rollout ceremonies at Bell Helicopter Textron's Arlington, Texas, facility. More than 1,000 representatives from the military, industry, and media, gathered to hear various speakers, including Gen Alfred Gray, Commandant of the Marine Corps, praise the versatile rotor craft designed to meet the needs of 21st Century battlefields.

26 May 1969: Operation Pipestone Canyon began when the 1st Battalion, 26th Marines and 3d Battalion, 5th Marines began sweeps in the Dodge City/Go Noi areas southwest of Da Nang. It terminated at the end of June with 610 enemy killed in action at a cost of 34 Marines killed.

29 May 1991: Elements of a joint task force that included the 5th Marine Expeditionary Brigade departed the Bay of Bengal off the coast of Bangladesh after nearly two weeks of disaster relief operations following a devastating cyclone. The joint task force delivered tons of relief supplies using helicopters, C-130s, and landing craft in Operation Sea Angel.

Memorial Day 2022 North
Carolina State Capital

**Marine Corps League Detachment #733 Honors the Fallen
Heroes who gave the ultimate sacrifice defending our
nation**





31st Memorial Day remembrance and wreath laying ceremony with Gene Taxis as the guest speaker.

“My whole life I have been surrounded by heroes”

Gene Taxis









Sr. Vice Commandant Russ Barber was invited to speak at the Memorial Reflection At VETERANS FREEDOM PARK in Cary, NC





Marine Corps League Court of Honor





Marine Corps League
JROTC Scholarships
Cary High School





Marine Corps League Adjutant Corner



Marines,
Come slow walk with us TEAM TURTLES in the mud!!
"WE START OUT SLOW . THEN TAPER DOWN"



Percy John Fulton Marine Corps League Mud Run 2022

On Saturday, June 4th, join the Marine Corps League for their 12th Annual Percy John Fulton MUD RUN at the Jomeokee Campground and Park – 1140 Paces Place, Pinnacle, NC 27043.

Benefits numerous charities including:

- Wounded Warrior Bn. East, Camp Lejeune
- Fisher House, Camp Lejeune
- Canine Saving Grace for PTSD Veterans

CHECK-IN will begin at 7:00 am.

For more information or to register,

Visit: <http://usmcmudrunnc.com/>

Questions: Lewis Pleasant Director
MCL Mud Run

majormudd@yahoo.com

Good evening Marines!

As many of you are aware, the last few years the Department has assembled "TEAM TURTLE" to participate in the Mud Run hosted by the Percy John Folton Detachment. Last year was my first time participating and it was an absolute blast! Team building at its finest.

June 4th is fast approaching, and I need to get a roster put together so the registration for the event can get squared away. So, what I need is for any of you who want to participate, let me know within the next 2 weeks so I can start making arrangements.

This really is a great event and a lot of fun. It's even more fun doing it with your fellow Marines. Lots of good laughs and laughing at each other as we make our way through the course. And of course, there are great displays of teamwork as we help each other on some of the obstacles.

Semper Fidelis,
Commandant Ric Ledford
COMMANDANTDONC@gmail.com
Department of North Carolina
Marine Corps League



Capital City Young Marines



Led by Unit Commander Brian Alston and accompanied by Battalion Ex. O. Tyrone Ashe to Parris Island, the Capital City Young Marines conducted themselves worthy of Marine excellence.



Capital City Young Marines





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CCYM ADULT VOLUNTEERS



Brian Alston
Unit Commander

Mr. Alston currently serves as the Unit Commander for Capital City and is responsible for everything the unit succeeds in, or fails to do. He also assists with proper instruction during Recruit Training. He is a former Young Marine. He joined the Young Marines in 2011 and retired in June 2015 as a Young Marine Gunnery Sergeant. He became an Adult Volunteer in August 2015.



Master Chief Stokes
Unit Staff

Mr. Stokes currently serves as the unit Executive Officer (XO) and helps prepare promotion boards. He became an Adult Volunteer in 2006. He has filled the billet of XO for many years. He had one granddaughter in the program. He retired from the Navy, after 22 years, as a Master Chief. He also certified as an Advanced EMT, EMT Instructor, Fire Service instructor, and EMT examiner.



Bev Hill
Financial Manager

Mrs. Hill currently serves as the unit Financial Manager. She ensures the unit is in compliance with YMNHQ's financial requirements and handles all of the unit's financial needs. She became an Adult Volunteer in 2010. She has had one son in the program who later went on to become a United States Marine. She is also a recipient of the Presidential Volunteer Service Award.



Cheryl Alston
Unit Adjutant

Mrs. Alston currently serves as the unit Adjutant. She makes sure each Young Marine's records are up-to-date and handles all of the unit's administrative needs. She has been an Adult Volunteer since 2014 and has had one son in the program. She is also a recipient of the President's Volunteer Service Award.



Tyrone Ashe
Battalion Executive Officer

Mr. Ashe currently serves as the Battalion Executive Officer. He assists with the Battalion Commander with tasks at the Battalion level. He became an Adult Volunteer in 2014. He has filled several billets at CCYM to include Unit Commander, Marine Corps League Liaison, Public Relations Officer, and currently Recruit Instructor. He also is a former United States Marine.



Capital City Young Marines



Elena Austin

Community Service Officer

Mrs. Austin currently serves as the Community Service Officer. She assists with organizing service events in the community and the surrounding areas. She became an Adult Volunteer in 2021 and has one son currently in the program.



Dot Barber

Unit Staff

Mrs. Barber currently serves as part of the unit staff. She became an Adult Volunteer in 2019 and worked with Imagine School YMs in Florida. She transferred to Capital City in 2021.



MGySgt Barber

Unit Staff

Mr. Barber currently serves as part of the unit staff. He currently takes photographs for the unit. He became an Adult Volunteer in 2009 and worked with Imagine School YMs in Florida. He transferred to Capital City in 2021. He also is a former United States Marine.



Nathan Cobb

Training Officer

Mr. Cobb currently serves as the unit Training Officer. His job is to ensure proper training and development for each of the Young Marines. He also coordinates many of the unit's trips both in and out of state. He became an Adult Volunteer in 2009 and has had one son in the program who retired as a Young Marine Sergeant Major.



Donivan Fowler

Unit Staff

Mr. Fowler currently serves as part of the unit staff. He is a former Young Marine. He joined in 2013 and was honorably discharged in 2018 as a Young Marine Lance Corporal.



Ben Tim

Unit Staff

Mr. Tim currently serves as part of the unit staff. He is a former Young Marine. He joined in 2007 and retired in 2013 as a Young Marine Gunnery Sergeant.



Godfrey Willis

Executive Officer

Mr. Willis currently coordinates the YM Physical Fitness Tests, oversees all the unit's gear, and assists with additional YM training. He became an Adult Volunteer in 2018 and has one grandson who is currently in the program. He is also a former United States Marine.

The Doubletree by Hilton Raleigh-Durham Airport Hotel

[Click HERE](#) to reserve your rooms directly with MCL rates

4810 Page Creek Lane, Durham, NC 27703

Telephone: 919-941-6000



Accommodations:

The Doubletree by Hilton Raleigh-Durham Airport hotel at Research Triangle Park is located 2.5 miles from the Raleigh-Durham International Airport (RDU). It is nestled on a quiet hilltop among the beautifully wooded North Carolina landscape.

Our guestrooms feature one king or two double beds, Air conditioning, 37" HDTV, free WI-FI access, coffee maker, hairdryer, iron/board and luxurious bath amenities. All guest rooms are non-smoking.

- Known locally as "The Mansion on the Hill", this southern mansion styled hotel caters to the savviest of business & meeting travelers, while providing a resort atmosphere.
- Hotel guests will appreciate the many services and amenities offered at the Hilton.
- Services include scheduled complimentary shuttle service within a 5-mile radius of the hotel and to Raleigh-Durham International Airport in North Carolina.
- Complimentary 24-hour self-serve Business Center.
- Well-equipped 24-hour fitness center featuring updated equipment.
- Outdoor pool (open seasonally) in a tree-filled courtyard.
- Full service restaurant.
- Energetic yet cozy Lobby Bar.

Room rates are available from June 23rd through 27th.

Group Code: Marine Corps League

The room rate is \$99 per night (+ tax), one king or two doubles. Breakfast included for free for up to two people per room, per day.

Please make your room reservations direct with the hotel no later than May 26, 2022 for this reserved room rate.

MIDEAST DIVISION CONFERENCE

Mideast Division



Hosted by
Department of North Carolina
& The LCpl. Alan D. Lam Detachment #1209



June 24-26, 2022

Joint Opening Guest Speaker: TBA

Friday, June 24, 2022

(Schedule subject to change)

Time	Location	Description
1300-1900	Grand Ballroom Entrance	Registration/check-in
1300-2200	Patio Room	Hospitality Suite
1900-2100	Orchard/Rose room	Mideast Division Growl

Saturday, June 25, 2022

Time	Location	Description
0800	Front of Hotel	Morning Colors (Undress Short-Sleeve Uniform)
0830-1200	Grand Ballroom Entrance	Registration/check-in
0900-0930	Grand Ballroom	Joint opening session – MCL & MCLA Joint Memorial Service
0930-0945		Break so that the MCL and MCLA can separate into their own meeting rooms
0945-1145	Grand Ballroom	MCL meeting Business meeting session
0945-1145	Oak Room	MCLA Business meeting session
1145-1245	Vintage Carolina	Lunch (Prepaid lunch buffet or “on your own”)
1300-1530	Grand/Oak Ballrooms	MCL/MCLA Business meetings resume
1700-1800	Grand Ballroom	Social hour
1800-2200	Grand Ballroom	Banquet; buffet meal; POW/MIA Ceremony (Formal; Mess Dress, Red Blazer or suit and tie NO COVERS OR CREDENTIALS AT THE BANQUET)

Banquet Guest Speaker: Marine TShane Johnson

Sunday, June 26, 2022

Time	Location	Description
0900-1000	Front Foyer	Mideast Division Staff Meeting



MIDEAST DIVISION CONFERENCE

*Hosted by the Department of North Carolina
and the LCpl. Alan D. Lam Detachment # 1209*

Saturday Lunch Buffet

*Salad Bar with Cole Slaw
Tomato Basil Soup
Fried Chicken
BBQ Brisket*

*Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
Green Beans
Assorted Rolls
Assorted Desserts*

Saturday Evening Banquet Dinner

The banquet dinner will be a seated served meal

Menu

Choice of:

- 1. Rosemary Grilled Chicken Breast with Shallot Caper Jus*
- 2. Pork Sliced Pork Loin with Caramelized Apple Glaze*
- 3. Garlic Infused Sliced Sirloin with Bordelaise Sauce*

*Served with garlic mashed potatoes & green beans
Mixed Garden Greens Salad with Choice of 2 Dressings
Rolls & Butter
NY Cheesecake with Fresh Cream and Raspberry Sauce
Freshly Brewed Coffee, Iced Tea or Milk*

NOTE: A cash bar will be available at the Banquet

The deadline to register for the banquet is 26-May-22



Mideast Division

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

Annual Conference Registration Form

June 24 – 26, 2022

The Mideast Division Annual Convention will be held June 24 – 26, 2022 at the Doubletree by Hilton Raleigh-Durham Airport Hotel, 4810 Page Creek Lane, Durham, NC 27703. The room rate is \$99 per night, one king or two double bedrooms. Breakfast is included in the room rate for up to two people per room, per day. **Please make your room reservation directly with the hotel no later than May 26, 2022, by calling 919-941-6000.**

The hotel is offering a Saturday lunch option for just \$18 per person. The closing Banquet has three meal options. The dinner will be a served seated meal. All registered members and guests (credentials required) may enjoy the Hospitality Room as well. Conference registration is \$10. **To have your name tag printed and welcome packet prepared prior to your arrival, you must be pre-registered by May 26th, 2022.** Please complete this form and make your check payable to “**Department of North Carolina**” and note on your check that it is for the **2022 Mideast Division Conference**, and then mail both to:

**MIDEAST DIVISION CONVENTION
C/O DEPT. OF NC PAYMASTER
Randal E. Rempfer
437 Amelia Ave.
Raleigh, NC 27615-1502**

Please print and complete the following information as you want it to appear on your name tag.

<u>Attendee</u>	<u>Guest</u>
Name _____	Name _____
Title _____	Title _____
Det/Unit _____	
Address _____	Address _____
City/State/Zip _____	City/State/Zip _____
Phone _____	Phone _____

Total \$ enclosed for registration @ \$10 each X quantity _____ = \$ _____

Total \$ enclosed for lunch buffet @ \$18 each X quantity _____ = \$ _____

Please note which dinner selection(s) by entering how many:

Quantity	
<input type="text"/>	Chicken @ \$50 each = \$ _____
<input type="text"/>	Pork @ \$50 each = \$ _____
<input type="text"/>	Sirloin @ \$55 each = \$ _____

Grand total of all lines above: \$ _____

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TarHcelmcl.org for more information

Email JbffitChmollnthejibtllsouth.nt

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Marine Corps League Recruitment



MEMBERSHIP

Membership requires that you are an honorably discharged, on active duty, or a reserve Marine with 90 days of service or more, or a retired Marine. This includes officers and enlisted, male and female members.

Navy Corpsmen and Chaplains

You must have trained with Marine FMF Units in excess of ninety days and earned the Marine Corps Device or the Warfare Device.





**Marine Corps League
Tar Heel Detachment
733**

Contact us at:
404 S. Harrison Ave.
Cary, NC 27511
tarheelmcl.org

Do you know about the Marine Corps League?
Do you miss Marine Camaraderie?
Want to make a difference in your community?

We meet the 1st Wednesday of each month
1800 social and 1900 meeting at
Cary VFW Post 7383
522 Reedy Creek Rd.
Cary, NC 27513





Mission statement

The mission of the Marine Corps League is to promote the interest and to preserve traditions of the United States Marine Corps, strengthen the fraternity of Marines and their families, serve Marines, FMF Corpsmen, and FMF Chaplains who wear or who have worn the Eagle, Globe and Anchor, and foster the ideals of Americanism and patriotic volunteerism.

Marine Corps League Supports



Fisher House
Wounded Warriors
Battalion East



Marines Helping Marines



NROTC - JNROTC

Hope for the
Warriors



Community
Activities

Young Marines



Eagle Scouts

Marine Corps League
Supports



Marine Corps League May 2022 Minutes



1. Opening Ceremony: At 1900 hours, Colors Posted and Allegiance to flag was recited.

A. Meeting was conducted at the VFW Post 7383, 522 Reedy Creek Rd. Cary, NC. 27516 by Commandant Toby Roberts

B. Welcome to all: Total **Present 11** in attendance. No application for membership.

C. Meeting status: There was a quorum present.

2 Recognition of All Guests:

Spouses of members: Lewis, Barber. Roberts, Frame, Oliver, Munoz, Brown, and Cargill
DoNC. DVC William Brown

Three (3) Capital City Young Marines briefed experiences during recent road trip to Parris Island
Jim Smith Candidate for NC State senate

Cmdr. Greg Erickson Cary HS JROTC introduced candidates for scholarship recipients; and announced the awards ceremony and change of command/ awards day 17 May 2022.

3. Roll Call of Officers: PRESENT: Toby Roberts, Commandant; Gene Taxis, Adjutant/ Paymaster; James Lewis, Sgt at Arms; James Mitchell, Web Site & Zoom coordinator; Tyrone Ashe, Judge Advocate; John Saitta, Chaplain; Russell Barber, Sr Vice Commandant; Pamela Thomas, President Tar Heel # 733 Woman's Auxiliary; David Gardener, Eagle Scout Coordinator.

EXCUSED: Sean Van Pallandt, Historian; Earl Linthicum, Jr. Vice Commandant. Underwent Recent heart operation

4. New Business:

A. Three Capital City Young Marines briefed their experience at Parris Island to include gas chamber, mess hall, crucible, PT, barracks inspection, and parade deck & many activities. They also experienced a wakeup call DI style and met the OG and Monforte Point Marine guest of honor. Tyrone Ashe filled in the gaps & also mentioned Jude Smith former young marine who is now stationed at 8 & I. He also mentioned an honor graduate Marine Ronda, who won the Chesty Puller award. She and her Marine husband are now studying to become forest rangers. John Staley mentioned that Jim Haslem and John Skuce were the founders of the CCY Marines.

B. John Staley was honored with a grumpy old Marine coffee cup for awesome support to the Detachment; As well as one to Richard Patrick, which will be delivered due to med issues-

C. Cmdr. Erickson presented 2 candidates for scholarship, Luke Heard & Bradley Nelson. A motion to split the \$1000.00 scholarship into two; and give each one a 500.00 check was made and approved. After the discussion ensued which highlighted a discrepancy in this years'22-23 proposed budget, specifically the scholarship in the amount of \$500.00 needed to be increased to \$1000.00 once details were working out with Cmdr. Erickson. The two scholarships will be presented the at an awards ceremony 17 May 2022 at 3:30 at the Cary High by the Adjutant Taxis representing the detachment. Prior to voting on the motion, Ron Frame voiced the concern that money should be used to create a recruiting package and promotional items/stickers. Tyrone recommended a recruiting committee be established headed by Jr. Vice.

D. Paymaster Report: For the month of April 2022:



Marine Corps League May 2022 Minutes



F. John Saitta gave the membership an update on Memorial Day Ceremony and got concurrence on having a luncheon at the tobacco Road Bar and Grill following the ceremony. (Chicken dish buffet style) \$16.00 pay at door.

G. Chaplain: John Saitta, acting in the capacity of Chaplain asked for a moment of silence and prayer for Marine William Joseph Cancel killed during the Ukraine conflict. Prayers of strength for his wife, 2 children, friends and love ones.

H. Our Judge Advocate, Tyrone Ashe briefed the newly written by laws will be taken to the upcoming conference 13 June to get them signed by State Judge advocate Kenny Joyner to make the official.

I. Tyrone asked for donations to help 2 new struggling CCY Marines due to father not working and diagnosed with stage 4 cancer. Motion to use the 300.00 VFW check and 100.00 budgeted funds to help the cause, Motion by Jahn Staley, seconded by Jim Mitchell, and by voice vote approved.

J. Pam Thomas briefed MCL auxiliary attendance at up-coming Department and Mid East Conventions, they will raffle off a basket of parotic cleaning items. Also, on their agenda, they will sponsor a Durham Va. Service day. An e-mail to follow providing details. Pam also introduced Jr. Vice President Beth Carbone. Tyrone mentioned a link to donate \$ in support of pancreatic cancer in honor of Pam's sister and for recent 5K run. Details to follow in email.

5. Sickness and distress: Do we have any reports of sickness, distress or death:

A. Russ Oliver briefed condition of Andrew Blizzard. His recent operation was not as successful as expected. He will remain on feeding tube. Pray for strength and future recovery.

B. Pray for all members of our Detachment who are up in age.

C. Earl Linthicum will be going into hospital 29 April 2022 for Heart surgery to include a new valve and clean 3 arteries. Pray for strength and full recovery.

6. Unfinished business:

A. Russ Barber briefed recent activities at a local breakfast in Holly Springs in which the detachment presented a waitress at Eggs UP Grill with a certificate, photos and card with cash, to honor her graduation from NC State University.

B. A motion to approve last month's minutes was made and seconded and by voice voted approved.

C. Toby Roberts briefed Rose Ferreri will receive \$125.00 per month per budget to upgrade our web site was discussed with Jim Mitchell being the gate keeper for all info, reports, photos, and scuttlebutts. His email is iratevet@yahoo.com. Please send all info through our Detachment web site coordinator Jim Mitchell.

D. Matt Stokes the XO of CCY Marines invited all to attend weekly meeting every Monday evening here at the VFW starting 18:30.

E. Mamaku Sword was to be presented to 2nd Lt. Matthew Gardner at the NC State University by Col Staley at the Bell Tower 12:30 20 May 22. This is the 31st year we have presented this prestigious award. Col Staley also briefed the State Department conference agenda and locked on delegates. Next the Department officers slate was discussed and permission for the delegates to vote for or against by-law changes (after hearing all discussions).



Marine Corps League May 2022 Minutes



Members of the detachment voted to elect Dave Anderson for Sr vice & Bill Brown as Judge Advocate. F. Jim Mitchell recommended we take out an ad in the newspaper and hold an open house /cookout at the VFW, in order to recruit new members. He also recommended we all carry business cards and applications for immediate recruitment. He mentioned his granddaughter 's soccer team recently collected over \$2000.00 doing a door- to- door fund raising solicitation.

7. Announcements:

A. DoNC Conference 13-14 May – Raleigh Crabtree Mall, Hilton - Devil dog Growl on the 13th. Business meeting 14th - Banquet Sat night with Guest speaker Lieutenant General JB Laster President and CEO of Toys 4 Tots Foundation.

B. Bill Brown mentioned the Mid-East convention 13-14th June at Double Tree Inn in RTP sponsored by the Burlington detachment. He asked those attending, make your reservations soon in order to get discount price on rooms.

8. Marines or Navy Corpsman Killed on active duty: 1 Marine was killed in Ukraine William Joseph Cancel. Pray for strength for the families, loved ones, and friends.

13. Closing Ceremony! 21:45



**Marine Corps League
Detachment #733
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<http://aversbororestaurant.com> 919-779-6661

Cover My Floors

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www.covermyfloorsnc.com

Auto Interiors & Tops Inc.

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Arvin, Inc. Lawnmower

5850 Fayetteville Rd., Raleigh, NC 27603

Murray's Tire and Auto Service

1202 S Saunders St., Raleigh, NC 27603
www.murraystirebargains.com 919-821-0573

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www.groceryboyrcing.com 919-821-2586

The Bull & Bear Bar & Grill

5442 Six Forks Rd., Raleigh, NC 919-847-3617
<https://the-bull-bear.business.site>

Ten Ten Auto Service

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European Performance

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www.europeanperformance.net 919-803-3045

High Park Bar & Grill

625 E Whitaker Mill Rd., Raleigh, NC 27608
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MAY 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Mother's Day				EDWARD GLEASON WILLIAM HODGES		
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
	Memorial Day GEORGE WALLS				National Donut Day	

JUNE 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
	Memorial Day				National Donut Day	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		CALVIN HARPER DAVID BUTLER				
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Father's Day MICHELLE MITZI MANNING				SUE ELLEN BEAULIEU		
26	27	28	29	30	1	2