Marine Corps League L/Cpl Robert Slattery Detachment #206 Department of New Jersey

Minutes of Meeting

Date: November 3, 2021

Time: 1930

Location: 13 Legion Place, Whippany, NJ

Call to Order

Commandant Paul Brown called the meeting to order. Colors Posted. Pledge of Allegiance. Opening Prayer.

Roll Call Of Officers

| Commandant | X Present | Absent | Excused |
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| Sr. Vice Commandant | X Present | Absent | Excused |
| Jr. Vice Commandant | X Present | Absent | Excused |
| Judge Advocate | X Present | Absent | Excused |
| Adjutant | X Present | Absent | Excused |
| Paymaster | X Present | Absent | Excused |
| Sergeant-at-Arms | X Present | Absent | Excused |
| Chaplain | X Present | Absent | Excused |
| Quartermaster | X Present | Absent | Excused |

Minutes of Previous Meeting

Michael Lewis made motion to accept. John Andrews seconded. All were in favor.

Applications For Membership

None

Introduction of New Members and Guests

None present

Past Commandant Michael Lewis was present.

Old Business

Adjutants Report

Charlene mentioned the Save The Date for the Veterans Of America Day being held on Sunday, May 22, 2022 at Somerset Patriots Stadium in Bridgewater. More to come.

Paymaster's Report

Debbie shared balances

Chaplain's Report

John has reached out to Bob Stalzer with no response.

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Report Of Officers

Judge Advocate

Mike indicated the By Laws is up to his 5th revision. Requires 2 meetings to ratify. He highlighted changes –

Mission of Detachment, DD214 will be reviewed, confirmed and returned to prospective member, Recognition of Assoc. Members, Alternate ways to conduct a general meeting, and Non-member guest speakers limited to 5 minutes

Michael Lewis made the motion to accept By Laws. John Andrews seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Next meeting the By Laws will be ratified.

Jr.Vice Commandant

Stan spoke about the Rose Outing upgrade of some 'equipment'.

2 applications for membership were processed by Debbie.

Nov 10 former Marine from 2/25 Richard Skinner hosting a birthday celebration at the Dog House in Washington Township. \$35/\$40 per head. Food and bar available. Stan is planning to set up a Membership Drive that evening and a Rose Donation table.

Membership Committee needs to meet and call members to encourage participation.

VSO may come to next meeting to share Disability Ratings.

Suggested a member of Detachment speak to Marines of 2/25 at Picatinny to encourage joining Detachment.

Sr. Vice Commandant

Nothing to report at this time

Commandant

Planning to attend the Goonie Birds Marine Corps Birthday Ball along with Mike Dougherty and Luis.

He mentioned that Gunny Monaco will be the Guest Speaker at Mary Queen of All Nations Missionary Alliance on Sunday, November 21 at 4:00pm at Madison Hotel

MC Ball Birthday cake at next month's meeting.

Report of Special Committees

Rose Outing

Detachment is in need of a Chairman for this

Quartermaster

Steve had all new items on display for sale

Marines Care

Gunny shared what Marines Care does so all in attendance had a better understanding. Marines Care is a 501c3 non profit. Our Detachment is a 501c4.

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2022 Golf Outing will be held on Thursday, September 15, 2022 and the cost to play will be tiered based on the timing of the registration submitted.

Scholarship Committee

A meeting will be scheduled before the end of the month.

Toys For Tots

Keith has called the 1st Sgt. No response. Boxes were to be delivered to the meeting but were not. Gunny said bring toys to meeting and he will handle. Dec 15 cut off.

New Business

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Swearing In of new members will be conducted at the Dec 1 meeting.

Holiday Social will be discussed and decided.

Michael Lewis indicated his Boy Scouts will be holding a Veterans Day Ceremony on Nov 13 at 9:00am at the Verona Civic Center. Gunny & Domenick will be there with their Military Display.

Dues

N/A

Good Of The League

N/A

Announcements

Sgt.Major Eddie Neas will be at the 9^{th} Annual Turkey Shoot Golf Tournament on Sunday, Nov 21, 2021 at 9:30am at the Bel Aire Golf Course in Belmar. Golfers welcome to join.

Lunch Bunch

N/A

50/50 Michael Lewis won

Meeting Closed at approximately 20:40

Next Meeting – Wednesday, December 1 - 19:30

Submitted By: Charlene Cosgrove-Bowie

November 5, 2021