

Marine Corps League Minutes  
for Oct 6<sup>th</sup>, 2016

1800 - Social Time

1830 - Call to Order by the Commandant, SAA Hoerner posted the Colors and led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and singing of the Marines Hymn.

Chaplin Sellers opened the Bible and led us in prayer.

SAA declared the meeting open to conduct official business

Officers Roll Call was done - all present

Two (2) new members were introduced - 1st was Joel Rodriguez, 2nd - George Escudero

The minutes were passed over Cliff Addison made the motion Robert Hall 2nd the motion. Voted on all said yes.

Paymasters Report was read. See on MCL bulletin board

Sickbay Report - Bob Simms can hardly get around, Danny Simmons is still on dialysis, 3 or 4 days a week, No contact with David Wellborn, Richard Wills is at home and Charlie Holtz is feeling much better and is at home.

Visitor - Meagan Mosley, she is working with Dave Fuller on the newsletter. She explained a little of what they are doing. From a Marine family, father was a Marine Aviator and flew with the Blue Angles.

Golf Tournament - it is almost here, a lot of hard work has been put into it. Biggest yet. This year the 4 major donors will receive an "Oar" inscribed . Show time will be 0930.

Polo Shirts - Shirts will have the Marine Corps Logo on the left breast with the Detachment name & number. Shirts are \$25.00 each. Add \$2.00 for XXL or larger.

MC Ball - We will celebrate the Ball on Saturday, Nov. 12th. starting at 1830 at St. Thomas Catholic Church. Speaker will be Benny Hornsby former Navy Chaplin. Cost of the Ball is \$35.00 per person. See Robert Robertson for tickets turn in names of guests.

I&I Biloxi will have their Ball on the 19th of Nov. We are invited, it will be held at the IP Casino. RSVP by Nov. 4th.

Oct. 15th in Collins. Veterans Jamboree would like to have a table there. Need volunteers.

Veterans Picnic - Mark Retcho gave an update - everything is going well, Army is on board, Air Guard will be there. Having a good response from interested car owners.

Veterans Day - We lay to wreaths and Flags to present on our fallen comrades. For the Parade downtown, Jeff Broome has a trailer and a truck to pull it. Meet at 0900 at the Hardy Street Baptist Church.

Christmas - Dollar General is the drop off point. Need volunteers to check the collection boxes every week or two. Mrs Holifield has boxes to distribute. She will decorate and distribute to the Dollar General Stores. Christian Services and Church's will distribute.

November meeting will be the Birthday Ball.

Dec. 10th, 2nd Saturday, Pot Luck Dinner at the League HQ, bring a TOY.

For the good of the League - Color Guard needed for the Golf Tournament - Bill Perkins, Robert Robertson, Robert Hall and Dave Fuller volunteered.

For the Good of the League - some talk about the Ship being named after Jack Lucas. More info to come.

Commandant calls for the SAA Hoerner to retire the Colors.

The Chaplain closed the Bible for the 50/50 drawing. Jeff Broome won this week.

The Bible was reopened, the Chaplain read the names of Det. Marines who have gone before us and lead us in prayer.

Sr. Vice Commandant said his part and reminded us to seek out new members.

SAA Hoerner declared the meeting closed