

First State Detachment Marine Corps League

Minutes of Monthly Membership Meeting

Wednesday, 8/22/2018

Vice Commandant Kwesko opened the meeting at 1200 at the American Legion Hall, O. C., Md. Acting Chaplain Tanner led us in prayer followed by a moment of silence for recently deceased Marine Carey.

All past Commandants were recognized. Members celebrating birthdays also recognized. Ron Wilson was present for his birthday.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS

All officers present

Commandant had his impending operation postponed and was present.

Junior Vice Commandant has a new Associate Member, Jerry Colleli, to be sworn in by the Commandant.



Our Commandant swore in our new associate member Jerry Colleli.

REPORT OF OFFICERS

Commandant – Eulogized deceased member, Jack Carey. He will be missed. Also thanked the 14 Marines and the DE State Commandant for participating in the funeral of Marine Jack Carey.

Requests for donations: Swing for Youth Golf Open, not granted. Worcester County Veterans Memorial Foundation \$100 approved, Donation for Jack Carey to the John P. Kay Scholarship Fund, Semper Fi Fund and Toys For Tots; Approved for \$250. each to Toys For Tots and John P. Kay Fund.

Sami gave Paymaster's financial report.

Quartermaster - NR

SAA—No Report

Acting Chaplain Tanner—Reiterated remarks about Marine Carey's funeral.

Toys For Tots—Reported a successful Christmas in July program. He also has letters of appreciation for those who made our TFT a success.

MARINE BIRTHDAY BALL—Nov. 10, guests \$40. No problems with JR ROTC from Pocomoke.

Youth Fitness—Dick Tanner the activity went well, looking forward to next year.

Looking for volunteers to work at the Convention Center for Jeep Week. Setting up after the meeting. Ours 1000 - 1800 on Friday and 1000 – 1700 on Saturday. Donations to go to “Homes for Our Troops”.

CONVENTION CENTER EVENTS – Oct. 27-28, Home & Garden show.

OLD BUSINESS

Trip to 8th & I, Bus trip was cancelled due to inclement weather in Washington, DC. to reschedule next year.

GOOD OF THE LEAGUE--We are still in need of a Chaplain.

The Quartermaster had a few words to say about the upcoming “Seas The Day” parade to honor the veterans. There seems to be some confusion as to the procedure concerning the number of jeeps and motorcycles to be permitted. Meet in Bayside inside the gate at 1615.

Tee shirts are available also challenge coins.

JVC Kwesko closed the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

John Susbinsky, Adjutant.

Next meeting is on 9/26/18 at 1200 at the American Legion in Ocean City, MD