



Air, Land, NC Detachment 1257, Marine Corps League  
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**Minutes of the Air, Land, NC Detachment 1257  
Monthly Meeting: 8Jan2019**

Prior to the meeting, Shayna Boyd, a representative from the Navy Federal Credit Union, gave a presentation on the NFCU's new offices near Triangle Town Center and near the Brier Creek Walmart. She talked about the services available, including online services and noted that members can use any ATM and be reimbursed for external fees. We also found out that she is a recently discharged Marine who would like to become a member of the MCL, specifically our Detachment.

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

At 1905 hours the Meeting was called to order by Commandant Brown and the opening ceremony was held.

**A. ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS BY ADJUTANT**

All present or accounted for:  
Commandant William Brown – present  
Sr. Vice Commandant Jerry Glenn – present  
Jr. Vice Commandant Ray O'Neill – absent  
Judge Advocate Jorge Armhold – present  
Paymaster Ed Whalen – present  
Adjutant Jack Kemeny – present  
Chaplain Tammy Holt – present  
Sgt. at Arms Ken Jenkins – present  
Service Officer Terry Shackelton – present  
Junior Past Commandant - absent

**B. ATTENDANCE**

Approximately 13 members and 1 guest present.

**C. NEW MEMBERS**

No new members were inducted. Shayna Boyd was approved as a new member and will be inducted in February.

**D. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

The minutes of last month's meeting have not yet been published to the website. Those minutes have been emailed to the membership.

**E. CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED**

Correspondence received via email and forwarded to pertinent staff and members.

#### **F. PAYMASTER'S REPORT**

Paymaster provided a financial report to the Board of Trustees and reported that the Detachment's finance's are in good condition. The details will no longer be posted to the minutes, since these minutes are now public information on the website. One item of note; SVC Glenn made a \$200 donation to the Detachment. If any members desire to see the details of the report, please let the Adjutant know and the financials can be emailed.

#### **G. SICK & DISTRESSED**

We noted that the list of sick and infirm include Joe Grieco recovering from a broken shoulder, Pete Lambert awaiting a kidney, Burt Lockhart recovering from shoulder surgery. Doug Doster and Joe Claps are receiving cancer treatment. Please keep everyone in your thoughts and prayers and call and visit to keep everyone's spirits up.

#### **REPORT OF OFFICERS**

1. P/M Whalen noted that our next gun shows are at the State Fairgrounds on 19-20Jan2019 and 26-27Jan2019 at the Greensboro Coliseum. Ed asked for volunteers and enough members volunteered to fill the time slots.
2. Commandant Brown and P/M Whalen noted the gun shows are not as well attended as in the past and customers are shopping prices against internet sellers. Few attendees spend money at the shows and find lower pricing on the internet or at local gun stores. We need to find alternate places to sell raffle tickets or other ways to raise money. This might include internet sales, credit card sales, an annual public dinner, an additional raffle, etc. Members should give thought to fund raising and pass these ideas on to the Board of Trustees.
3. SVC Glenn presented an idea for raising funds through the new natural gas supplier in North Carolina, Dominion Energy. Dominion has a \$1,000,000 grant program for 501©3's that can award up to \$15,000. If we have someone in the Detachment who knows how to write grants, we can apply, based on the charitable giving that we do.
4. SVC Glenn talked about the Wake Forest Community Calendar on the town website. Many of the organizations in Wake Forest note their meetings and events on the calendar and Jerry thought the Detachment should do so also. Doug Doster includes us on the American Legion online calendar, but this is typically only seen by members of AL, VFW and MCL. Adjutant Kemeny will contact Bill Crabtree at Town Hall and input information for the town calendar.
5. Commandant Brown visited the MCL Ship's Store to obtain staff ribbons for our members. He also attempted to obtain the medal for our current Marine of the Year. This medal is in the mail. He will finish compiling the list and provide the ribbons to appropriate members so that they can wear them.
6. Commandant Brown noted that Bingo at the VA Hospital will be on 6Feb2019; all are invited. The next Wake Forest flag raising will be on

1Apr2019 for a female Navy vet. The 6May2019 flag raising will be for our Detachment member, George Cattalona.

#### **H. OLD BUSINESS**

1. Commandant Brown discussed the new detachment website, [airlandnc.org](http://airlandnc.org). The website is up and running, but includes little information to date. Keep checking on it and Web Sgt. Doster will have it operational and useful in the near future. As part of the new website, Web Sgt. Doster has set up a new email account, [airland1257nc@gmail.com](mailto:airland1257nc@gmail.com). The password is MCLeague1257. Also, as part of the website, Commandant Brown has set up a Magic Jack telephone answering service at (919)745-1257. All of this should be operational in the near future.

#### **I. NEW BUSINESS**

1. Commandant Brown presented the certificate and plaque to the 2018 Marine of the Year, Terry Shackleton. Terry was honored for his support of Detachment fund raising, services on the Detachment Board of Trustees, volunteer efforts and donations to the USO, constant trips to Camp Lejeune and Fort Bragg delivering service members from the airport to their duty stations, and other efforts in the local community.

#### **J. GOOD OF THE LEAGUE**

Joe Mitchell won the 50/50 raffle. Robert O'Loughlin won the attendance raffle of \$25.00.

**Commandant Brown** closed the meeting at approximately 2000 hours and the closing ceremony was held.

**NEXT DETACHMENT MEETING: 12Feb2019** at 1900 at the Legion Hall.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Jack Kemeny  
Adjutant

# MARINE CORPS LEAGUE RIBBONS

SHOWN IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

Distinguished Citizen Gold	Distinguished Citizen Silver	Distinguished Citizen Bronze	Distinguished Service Bronze
National Marine of the Year	Division Marine of the Year	Department Marine of the Year	Detachment Marine of the Year
National Recruiter Gold	National Recruiter Silver	National Recruiter Bronze	Past National Commandant
National Staff Elected Silver	National Staff Appointed Bronze	Department Commandant	Department Staff Elected Silver
Department Staff Appointed Bronze	Department Recruiter Silver	Detachment Commandant	Detachment Staff Elected Silver
Detachment Staff Appointed Bronze	Detachment Recruiter Bronze	Community Service	Board of Trustees Commendation — V. Fisher
National Meritorious Unit of Commendation	Department Meritorious Unit Commendation	Individual Meritorious Commendation	Ceremonial Guard Ribbon
Kennel Dog of the Year	Chief Devil Dog Individual Commendation	Pack Dog of the Year	Pack Leader Commendation — Individual
Pound Dog of the Year	Pound Keeper Commendation — Individual	Past Chief Devil Dog	Pack Leader
Pound Keeper	Marine Corps League Membership		

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2019 GUN SHOWS

C & E GUN SHOWS

DEC 15 & 16, 2018

JULY 6 & 7, 2019

DEC 21 & 22, 2019

DIXIE SHOWS

NOV 17 & 18, 2018

JAN 19/20, 2019

MAY 4 & 5, 2019

AUG 3 & 4, 2019

NOV 23& 24, 2019

GREENSBORO

JAN 26 & 27, 2019

AUG 24& 25, 2019