

Camp J.H. Pendleton Oceanside Detachment 21

Marine Corps League

Membership Minutes: 19 JAN 2023

Pledge of Allegiance: 1802

Invocation and opening prayer

Call to Order: CMDT Leja:1810

Order of Business: Roll Call of Detachment Officers

Commandant: Dan Leja P
Judge Advocate: Hap Arnold P
Sr. Vice Commandant: Mike Lewis P
Jr. Vice Commandant: Mary Anthony NP
Adjutant: David Crippen P
Paymaster: Chuck Atkinson P
Chaplain: Tito Luna EXC
Sgt-at-Arms: Lee Brunson P
Past Commandant: Jim Pruit P
Web SGT: Jon Studer P

Also Present:

Members: Patrick Arnold, Jose Escarsega

New Membership Applications Received:

CMDT Leja reported an invitation to an interested potential member.

Adjutant Report:

Minutes: Were unavailable

Correspondence: None

Report of Officers:

Paymasters Report:

\$5239.80 per bank statement.

Commandants Report:

Dan Leja reported that the Detachment Christmas Dinner was well attended and all had a good time. He noted there was possible Covid exposure, however there were no negative after effects.

Chaplains Report: Excused at work.

Past Commandants Report:

Jim Pruitt reported that he contacted by Bravo Company H&S BN and requested a receipt for the donation. He received assurances but none has been forthcoming.

Old Business:

-The Detachment Chili Cook Off: Needs to be rescheduled as no permit will be issued until there is an inspection.

-Detachment Camaraderie Breakfast Socials: Will be scheduled every other month.

-Marine Spouse Association; Asking for proposals from any organization that supports the military.

-Detachment Ball Caps: Are not to be worn with the MCL shirt. Locating another vendor.

-Associate and Auxiliary Membership: Other service veterans, spouses and no prior service persons are eligible.

New Business:

-Young Marines:

Young Marines Annual Golf Tournament, Friday March 17th: The detachment will have a sign and sponsor a Marine participant: M/P. Arnold; S/ Brunson to pay \$100.00 for a sponsor sign; M/Lewis; S/Pruitt to pay \$200 to sponsor a Marine E-5 or below to play in the tournament.

Jose Escarsega reports there is only the Vista Unit in North SD County. The Camp Pendleton Unit is fully functioning and available for events.

-CPHS Golf with a Hero Tournament: Scheduled for May 12, 2023.

-2023 Election of Detachment 21 officers: MCL requires all Detachments to hold elections by May 2023. Our elections will be scheduled as follows; February Nominations; March Elections and April Installation of Officers.

Committee Reports:

Jim Pruitt that prices at the Sunset Market will be increasing. There is a need for more volunteers to work the tables.

Closing Ceremony: Adjournment 1919.

Next Detachment Membership Meeting: Thursday February 16 at 1800 hours, with Social Time starting at 1730 hours.