



The Scuttlebutt Newsletter

Intracoastal Detachment 1058

Marine Corps League

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Fort Lauderdale, FL 33339



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February 2012

To all Members:

Sadly, we must start off by reporting the passing of our founding Commandant, Marine Bob Powers. Since forming the Detachment in 2002, he spent a good part of his life, actively supporting the organization. His presence will be greatly missed at our upcoming meetings and events. In this time of grief, kindly remember to keep his family in your thoughts and prayers. Please see pg. 3 for funeral information.



Sixty Seven years ago this month, Marines: Charles Dipaola, John Townley, Dick Handley, and Bob Beale took part in one of the biggest and most important campaigns of World War II, the Battle of Iwo Jima (Feb 19 - Mar 26, 1945). For their courage and service, we salute them on the anniversary of this epic battle. *Thank you again!*

Congratulations goes out to Brittney Kramer for her award of a \$500.00 bookstore scholarship from the Ted Bolender Scholarship program. For those students who would like to participate in the Fall 2012 semester program, please see pages 5 & 6 for scholarship application and requirements. Make sure to get your completed application packages mailed out no later than July 14, 2012.

It's Newsletter Booster season again, so please don't forget to update your support status. Also, we have space available for business card ad's and personal messages, see page 11. Remember, the Scuttlebutt is the life blood of the Detachment and we always need help with printing and mailing expenses. Also, if you have an email address, help the Detachment conserve by requesting to discontinue your paper copy and receive the electronic edition each month in your email. Kindly, write to mclfi1058@aol.com, to submit your email and/or request.

Be sure to attend this month's Detachment Member's Meeting on Thursday Feb 16, 2012, as we welcome the Unit 1058 Auxiliary as our guests for the evening and we'll have a presentation from Devil Dog Pound 192, as well. *See you there!*

Semper Fi,

Scott Vulpis
Commandant,
MCL Det. 1058

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2012 Isle Casino & Racing RV Show

Thank You Volunteers!

A big thanks to everyone who came out to volunteer and visit the MCL promotional booth at the Isle RV Show on the weekend of January 26th-29th. Not only did some of you give of your time, you kindly made monetary and material donations to our cause, as well. With your help, we were able to raise over \$700.00 in net proceeds for the Injured Warriors of Florida Fund, LLC., and we recruited a new member, to boot.

Of course, none of this would not have been possible without the gratitude of show coordinator, Connie Davis, and the Isle Casino & Racing organization for inviting us to participate with their donated exhibit space. *Thank you again for your support and helping our wounded troops!*



LtoR: Amy Vulpis with Jan and Jim DuVall manning the booth



Marine Tom Depretoro and Cmdt. Scott Vulpis

Injured Warriors Fund of Florida, LLC

Mission Statement:
 "The Injured Warriors Fund of Florida, LLC, is a not for profit organization created to provide financial aid and assistance to all severely wounded service personnel and their families."




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A *Big Oorah!* goes out to Jame Bolender for coordinating the printing production of our charity poster.

In Memory of Past Commandant Robert P. Powers



Rest in Peace Marine, Your Duty is Done

Bob is survived by his son Robert J Powers, and two daughters, Catherine Fulop, and Annemarie Fletcher, with four grandchildren; Elizabeth, Alia, Hayden, Mason, and a great grandchild, Colt Joseph. Please remember to keep his family in your thoughts and prayers during this time of sadness. See below for funeral service information.

Friday, February 17th, 2012 - Visitation w/Family at Baird-Case Funeral Home
4343 North Federal Highway
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Saturday, February 18th, 2012 - Funeral Mass at St. John's Baptist Catholic Church
4595 Bayview Dr. Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308 - 10:00am

Funeral Procession to Lauderdale Memorial Park for Internment with Full Military Honors.
 Luncheon to follow at Galuppi's on the Green, 1103 North Federal Hwy, Pompano Bch, FL 33062
 Food and drink will be served.

Dress Code : Semi Formal Uniform Red Blazer or Church Clothes.

In Lieu of flowers, Bob's family respectfully requests memorial donations be made to the:

"Intracoastal Detachment 1058 MCL"

PO Box 11248

Fort Lauderdale FL 33339

Donations will go to benefit the Detachment "B" wounded troops fund.

Newsletter Boosters

Ted Anderson	11-13
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John Gullman	02-12
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John Jordan	02-12
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Ed McNulty	02-12
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Marty Winston	02-12
Scott & Amy Vulpis	08-12
Don Hennessy	02-12
Pat Doherty	11-12



Commandant of the Marine Corps

A STATEMENT ON THE SS FLAG FROM
THE COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS
GEN. JAMES F. AMOS

2/10/2012

Headquarters Marine Corps Lt. Col. Joseph M. Plenzler
3000 Marine Corps Pentagon

WASHINGTON —

On February 9, I was made aware of an internet photo depicting Marines posing with a flag containing a Nazi symbol. I want to be clear that the Marine Corps unequivocally does not condone the use of any such symbols to represent our units or Marines.

The local command to which the Marines in the photo were assigned investigated this issue last November. They determined that the Marines in the photo were ignorant of the connection of this symbol to the Holocaust and monumental atrocities associated with Nazi Germany. To ensure the Marines involved fully understood the historical use of the SS symbology, a formal instructional class was prepared and delivered by unit leadership.

In order to ensure that all Marines are aware of the Marine Corps' position on this issue, I have directed that:

My commanders investigate the prevalence of the use of SS or other unauthorized symbols within the reconnaissance and sniper communities.

The Sergeant Major of the Marine Corps immediately detach from his current duties in Washington, DC and personally meet with every senior Staff Non-commissioned Officer and Marine from our sniper and reconnaissance communities to reinforce my message and expectations.

The commanding general of our training and education command review the current sniper school curriculum to ensure it contains prohibitions on the use of the SS symbol and other inappropriate symbols.

On behalf of the Marine Corps and all Marines, I apologize to all offended by this regrettable incident.

-END-

Source: www.marines.mil

NEXT DETACHMENT MEETING:

**THURSDAY, February 16th,
2012**

American Legion Post #142, 171

**S.W. 2nd Street,
Pompano Bch, FL**

Meeting Starts at 7:30 p.m.

See You There!

Detachment Officers

Commandant	Scott Vulpis	954-801-4366
Sr. Vice Commandant	Scott Egan	561-504-0556
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Jr. Past Commandant	Ed Johnson	954-786-8253
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Adjutant	Jim DuVall	954-564-1520
Paymaster	Kyle Austin	954-783-5953
Chaplain	Jim DuVall	954-564-1520
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Sergeant at Arms	Bob Coleman	954-783-8891
Color Guard Sgt.	Jesse Bell	954-772-9030
Ship's Store	Scott Egan	561-504-0556



If Master Gunnery Sergeants gave press conferences



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MARINE CORPS LEAGUE INTRACOASTAL DETACHMENT 1058

Ted Bolender Scholarship Program, Fall 2012

This packet contains general information about the scholarship program along with the application and instructions for the Applicant, Sponsor, and Detachment / Unit Officers. Any Questions regarding the scholarship program or application should be directed to: Chairman V. Matthew Rao at (561)451-8772 drvmatthewrao@juno.com, or Past Commandant Ed Johnson at (954)786-8253 emjaci@aol.com, or Kevin Bolender at (954)969-5300 kbgcpi@gmail.com, or Cmdt. Scott Vulpis at (954) 801-4366 mclfl1058@aol.com.

The purpose of the 2012 Scholarship Program is to grant bookstore scholarships to qualified family members of Marine Corps Leaguer's who are pursuing full time undergraduate or technical training at a full time, recognized institution. Scholarships are awarded on a competition basis where applicants are judged on their eligibility, compliance, academic achievement, and original essay response. Scholarship awards for the Fall 2012 academic semester will not exceed \$500 maximum per applicant and the total number of scholarship awards issued will depend on the availability of funds. All scholarship awards will be transmitted electronically to the bookstore of the applicants designated learning institution and only used for textbooks and learning supplies. Award recommendations and final selection will be at the discretion of the Ted Bolender Scholarship Committee.

APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Only the Children, Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren, and Step-Children of an Intracoastal Detachment 1058 Marine Corps League and MCL Auxiliary Intracoastal Unit 1058 member in good standing. These are the only eligible applicants.
2. Must be enrolled as a full time student or minimum of 12 credit/semester hours in an accredited college or university, in pursuit of a degree, or in a vocational program pursuing certification. Official proof of enrollment from your accredited learning institution, for the Fall semester of 2012, must accompany your completed application.
3. Must show proof of satisfactory academic progress. A copy of your latest official transcript must accompany your application. If you have never attended a college or trade school, your high school transcript will be the document that you provide. If you were home schooled, you must submit your GED, SAT, or ACT score.
4. Must submit an original essay, typed, double spaced, and a minimum of 500 and no more than 1000 words, answering the following question: "What is the value and importance of community service in our society and tell us what it means to you?" *Please retype the question at the top of your essay response and omit your surname so that your essay may be evaluated objectively.*

SPONSOR'S ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. They must be a parent, step-parent, or grandparent of the individual they intend to sponsor. Must ensure that the person who they intend to sponsor, is a member of the sponsor's immediate family. No nieces, nephews, or neighbors. Step children and adoptee's are considered family members.
2. Upon certification, the Sponsor must show evidence to the Commandant/ President of the Detachment /Unit, that the sponsor is a legal resident of the State of Florida. Only, a photo I.D of either a driver's license, state I.D., or US passport is acceptable.
3. Proof is to be furnished to the Commandant /President of the Intracoastal Detachment/Unit, that the sponsor is a Regular or an Associate Member who is in good standing with either the Marine Corps League or MCL Auxiliary. In good standing requires that all dues are paid and up to date or that the sponsor is a Life Member of the League or Auxiliary. If the Sponsor is the Commandant/President, or the Paymaster/Treasurer of the Detachment/Unit, the Commandant/President must appoint the Senior Vice Commandant/Vice President to approve the application.

DETACHMENT/UNIT OFFICERS RESPONSIBILITIES

The Detachment/Unit officer's main responsibility is to ensure that the applicant is a legal member of the sponsor's family. The Detachment/Unit officers are to print their name and sign the Certification in the appropriate place. (see page 3).

Send all application packets to: Chairman, Scholarship Committee
PO Box 11248,
Fort Lauderdale FL, 33339

Remember, all applications must be submitted via US Mail and postmarked by July 14th, 2012.

Late application packages will not be considered for review.



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Application / Certification
Ted Bolender Scholarship Award - Fall 2012

Applicants, please complete the following information.

Date: _____

Name First _____ MI _____ Last _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Date of Birth _____ Phone # _____ Email Address _____

Name and Address of Institution that you are currently attending or intending to apply: _____

School year you will be attending for the Fall semester: (circle one) 1 2 3 4

Anticipated Graduation Date _____ Current GPA _____

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

Sponsor Information

Name of Sponsor _____ Membership# _____ Life Member # _____

Sponsor Relationship to Applicant (check one) Father _____ Mother _____ Grand Parent _____

SPONSOR SIGNATURE

DETACHMENT / UNIT CERTIFICATION

This section is to be completed and verified by the indicated Detachment or Unit Officer. In the event that the applicant is related to the Commandant/President or Paymaster/Treasurer then the Senior Vice Commandant/Unit Officer will sign in their stead.

The Paymaster/Treasurer hereby certifies that the Sponsor is a member in good standing with the Marine Corps League.

PAYMASTER/TREASURER _____
PRINT NAME

OFFICER POSITION

SIGNATURE

DATE

The Commandant/President of the Detachment or Unit hereby certifies that the member is qualified to sponsor the applicant named above.

COMMANDANT/PRESIDENT _____
PRINT NAME

OFFICER POSITION

SIGNATURE

DATE



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Member Profile

On the last day of the Isle RV Show, Sunday January 29th, **Marine Don Justis** was proudly wearing his dress blues when he came out to volunteer at our MCL promotional exhibit. Don is a retired Gunnery Sergeant and decorated ground pounder who received the Silver Star while serving with 3/5 in Vietnam. Needless to say, he looked great in his uniform and it helped to draw plenty of people over to our exhibit with both interest in him and our cause for Injured Warriors of Florida, LLC.

Some of you have met Don's son, Ethan, who is very proud of his Dad and carries a photocopy of his Silver Star citation for people to read, so with Don's permission, we have posted the citation below. *Thanks for your service Marine!*

The President of the United States takes pride in presenting the SILVER STAR MEDAL to
STAFF SERGEANT DONALD E. JUSTIS UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS For service as set forth in the following

CITATION:

For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action while serving as a Platoon Commander with Company L, Third Battalion, Fifth Marines, First Marine Division in connection with operations against the enemy in the Republic of Vietnam. On 11 June 1968, while participating in Operation Mameluke Thrust in Quang Nam Province, Staff Sergeant JUSTIS' platoon suddenly came under intense small arms and automatic weapons fire from a large, well entrenched North Vietnamese Army force. Reacting instantly, he skillfully maneuvered his men to more advantageous positions and commenced adjusting accurate artillery fire upon the enemy emplacements. Fearlessly exposing himself to the hostile fire, he boldly moved across the fire-swept terrain from one position to another, shouting words of encouragement to his men and directing their fire. After ensuring that casualties were evacuated, he deployed his platoon on line and commenced an attack on the North Vietnamese positions which was halted by a heavy volume of hostile fire. After airstrikes were conducted on the hostile emplacements, he aggressively led his Marines in another assault which forced the North Vietnamese soldiers to flee in panic and confusion. His bold initiative and heroic actions contributed significantly to the accomplishment of his unit's mission and were instrumental in his platoon seizing an enemy machine gun and a large amount of equipment. By his courage, outstanding leadership and unwavering devotion to duty in the face of great personal danger, Staff Sergeant JUSTIS upheld the highest traditions of the Marine Corps and of the United States Naval Service.

For the President,
H. W. BUSE, JR.
LIEUTENANT GENERAL, U. S. MARINE CORPS
COMMANDING GENERAL, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC



Source: <http://www.securenet.net/3rdbn5th/justis.htm>



Gun Range Meet

Saturday March 3rd , 2012
0945 - 1100 hrs.
National Armory Gun Range
1315 S.W. 1st Court
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Scott Vulpis
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Veterans News



My HealthVet—VA's Online Personal Health Record

My HealthVet is VA's award-winning online Personal Health Record (PHR), located at www.myhealth.va.gov. It offers users anywhere, any time internet access to health care information, resources, and tools. Launched nationwide in 2003, My HealthVet is the gateway to web-based tools that empower Veterans to become active partners in their health care. With My HealthVet, users access trusted, secure, and informed VA health and benefits information, at their convenience.

1 Type www.myhealth.va.gov in the address bar on your web browser, and then press Enter. This takes you to VA's My HealthVet website.

2 On the right-hand side of the screen, click the [Register Today](#) button. Complete the registration page, and review and accept the Terms & Conditions and the Privacy Policy for using the My HealthVet website.

3 Log into your My HealthVet account and begin to create your PHR.

4 Begin using My HealthVet to access VA health care and services at your convenience to better manage your health. Also, if you are a VA patient, take some time to watch the In-Person Authentication (IPA) video online.

5 Bookmark www.myhealth.va.gov as a favorite and make a note, if you are a VA patient, to get an upgraded account during your next VA clinic visit to get the most out of your PHR.

Forwarded by VSO V. Matthew Rao

Improving 2 Way Communication

Secure Messaging

Secure Messaging through My HealthVet is a web-based message system that allows participating VA patients and VA health care teams to communicate non-urgent, health related information in a private and safe computer environment. Secure Messaging is not e-mail, but an *encrypted*, secure communication tool available through My HealthVet.

Participating users may access Secure Messaging 24 hours a day, 7 days a week on www.myhealth.va.gov. Secure Messaging is based on proven and widely accepted standards in the health care industry. Users who have an upgraded account known as an In-Person Authentication, or IPA, may use Secure Messaging at participating VA facilities. It is being implemented as a *phased release* for VA health care teams and clinics through 2010.

Benefits of Secure Messaging

- Promotes a partnership between the patient and their health care team.
- Provides a safe, alternative communication means that is convenient and flexible.
- Reduces the need for telephone calls and waiting on hold.
- May decrease unscheduled clinic walk-in visits
- Provides a timely response.

Upgrade Your Account Today

To get the most out of My HealthVet, VA patients are urged to visit their local VA health care facility to get an upgraded account, known as In-Person Authentication (IPA). Before VA patients can refill their VA medications by name, access their VA Wellness Reminders, and participate in the future features of My HealthVet, Veterans need to complete the IPA process (takes approximately 10 minutes) as a security measure. The purpose of the one-time IPA process is to verify the Veteran's identity, in-person. This complies with VA policy and protects Veterans' identities. It's a simple process that will enhance a Veteran's use of My HealthVet and allow access to other features as they become available.



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Detachment Digest - January 2012

**GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
MARINE CORPS LEAGUE 1058
THURSDAY JANUARY 19TH, 2012
HELD AT AMERICAN LEGION POST #142**



Meeting was called to Order by Commandant Scott Vulpis at 19:30 hrs.

Opening Ceremony: Acting Sgt. at Arms Ed Johnson posted the colors and led the Detachment in the Pledge of Allegiance, and then declared the meeting open for official business. Acting Chaplain Jim DuVall read the Opening Prayer.

Roll Call: Elected Officers present: Cmdt Scott Vulpis, SVC Scott Egan, and Past Commandant Ed Johnson.

Guests: Our guest for the evening was Richard Bove

Minutes of Previous Meeting: Copies of Minutes from the members meeting on December 15th, 2011 were passed around for the members review. A motion was made by Gene Bredeck to accept the minutes as presented and was seconded by JPC Ed Johnson and carried to a unanimous vote, none opposed.

Correspondence: Cmdt. Vulpis reported that we received an email from Marine Bill Amos who notified us that he had recently suffered a stroke and was now recovering at home. Additionally, Bill wanted to thank everyone for their prayers and for the 'get well' card he received and gave best wishes for Bob Powers. Also, we were contacted through the Detachment website by Commandant Joe Wadlow of the 3 Rivers Detachment MCL of Pittsburgh, PA, who is down for vacation and requested to attend one our upcoming meetings. Cmdt. Wadlow found us via our Observer Newspaper ad.

Paymaster Report: Copies of the Paymaster Report were passed around for the members review. A motion was made by Gene Bredeck to accept the report as presented and was seconded by JPC Ed Johnson and carried to a unanimous vote, none opposed.

Report of any Members or Family sick or in distress: Cmdt. Vulpis reported that Past Commandant Bob Powers had suffered a heart attack and was currently recovering at Imperial Point Medical Center in Fort Lauderdale, FL. Also, he reminded everyone that Marine Bill Amos was at home, recovering from a stroke. Furthermore, JVC Marty Winston and SAA Bob Coleman could not attend tonight's meeting as they were both feeling ill.

Report of Committees: Membership Committee Chairman Gene Bredeck stated that the recent Observer newspaper ad had not given the results that he wished, possibly due to advertising over the holidays. He is considering, getting with the Membership Committee to discuss the possibility of running another ad sometime around April 2012. Additionally, he talked about liking the idea of having some type of a prize for the member who recruits the most people for the year and he offered to donate a \$100.00 gift certificate to the winner. Additionally, if the person recruits 5 or more people, he would also give them a gift of a large, beautiful, hardback book titled "The Marines" from the Marine Corps Heritage Foundation, that he brought and presented to the meeting. The book is apparently popular, as Gene stated, they have all been sold out.

Old Business:

Ted Bolender Scholarship Fall Semester Packet: Cmdt Vulpis announced that the Detachments 2011 Fall Semester scholarship packet was ready for distribution and would soon be released upon final approval of the Scholarship Committee. He passed out a copy of the Fall semester requirements and application for everyone's review, stating that only the dates and essay question had been changed from to initial program. and asked that anyone with children or grandchildren in college, to give them an application for funding. He also reported that the committee was currently reviewing a Spring semester application for approval and hopes to distribute the award at the next meeting.

Detachment Exhibit at Isle Casino & Racing RV Show: Cmdt. Vulpis announced that the Detachment was scheduled to participate in the 2nd Annual Isle RV Show and needed volunteers to help man the exhibit on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, January 27, 28, & 29, 2012, between the hours of 10 am to 5 pm. SVC Scott Egan volunteered to help set up the booth on Friday and would help work Saturday, as well. Additionally, he talked about having a giveaway item for people who donate \$10 or more. A watch cap with an embroidered Eagle, Globe, and Anchor was selected, as it is a popular item with young people and is inexpensive to purchase and produce. Gene Bredeck made a motion that the Detachment spend no more than \$100 in production and was seconded by David Knipp. The motion was carried to a unanimous vote, none opposed. Marines; David Knipp, Don Justis, Larry Nelson, and Gene Bredeck kindly confirmed they would participate in the weekend event.

Honor Guard Formation: Cmdt Vulpis reminded everyone that the Detachment is still looking for volunteers to start up an honor guard detail and would like to have a total of 6 people. Marine Don Justis followed by saying that we should have a seventh person as an alternate, in case someone cannot attend an event. As for the uniform, he suggests the Undress uniform with black trousers.

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MCLA Intracoastal Unit 1058

AUXILIARY MEETING:
THURSDAY FEBRUARY 16th, 2012
7:30 PM, American Legion #142
171 S.W. 2nd Street
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Auxiliary Officers

President.....Amy Vulpis, 954-591-4280
Sr. Vice President./Treasurer..... Jan DuVall
Jr Vice President/Secretary.....Whitney Walsh
Judge Advocate.....Marion Broadhead

The Marine Corps League Auxiliary was chartered on September 4, 1937 as a subsidiary organization of the Marine Corps League. On August 25, 1950, the Auxiliary was incorporated under the laws of the District of Columbia as an affiliate of the Marine Corps League. The Auxiliary was formed for the purposes of promoting the interests of the U. S. Marine Corps, the Marine Corps League and to protect and advance the welfare of Marines and their dependents. Auxiliary members participate in a wide variety of programs that benefit and preserve the fundamental rights and freedoms of every person of this Nation, young and old.

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JOIN TODAY

Intracoastal Detachment 1058
Meets every 3rd Thursday of the month, 7:30 pm
at American Legion # 142
171 SW 2nd Street, Pompano Beach
For further info. Contact Gene Bredeck (954) 495-5790
www.mcleague1058.org

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New Business

Birthday Ball Committee Formation: Cmdt Vulpis announced that a Birthday Ball committee was being formed by Chairman Bob Coleman and would need 4 or 5 individuals to join and help out. Marine Coleman also sent over a copy of an estimate for the venue at Galluppi's on the Green. Cmdt. Vulpis commented that it was a nice facility that is situated overlooking the Pompano Golf Course and had recently opened a newly built, outdoor veranda area, as well.

Schedule Gun Range Meet: Cmdt Vulpis stated that he had recently been asked by a few individuals as to when the Detachment would be going on another gun range outing. He passed on that he would make an announcement for a date in the upcoming February Scuttlebutt.

Open Agenda

SVC Scott Egan spoke about the young Marines of Miami wreath laying ceremony at Pearl Harbor and said that he had seen a story about them published in USA Today. Also, to show their appreciation for our support, they plan to attend a future meeting of ours to give a report on their trip. Marine David Knipp reported for those with service connected disabilities, the VA is sending out letters to replace VA Form 20-5455, that shows a listing of their rating and summary of benefits, and is considered an official record of your VA entitlement. This letter is provided to use in applying for benefits such as housing entitlements, state or local property or vehicle tax relief, civil service preference, or any other program or entitlement in which verification of VA benefits is required.

50/50: Marine George Rafajko was the winner of \$30.00 in which he graciously donated back to the Detachment for a total collection of \$60.00 for the evening.

Closing Ceremony: Being there was no further business, Acting Sgt at Arms, Ed Johnson conducted the closing ceremony and Acting Chaplin, Jim DuVall followed with the closing evocation. Acting Sgt at Arms, Ed Johnson announced the next meeting will be on, Thursday February 19th, 2012 at this same time and location.

Meeting adjourned at 20:40

CARRY ON !






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our beautiful memories*



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