



Greater Nevada Detachment 186 Marine Corps League
Minutes of Town Hall 22 August 2024
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Opening Ceremony

The Sergeant at Arms called the meeting to order and secured the quarter at 1830

Colors were posted and the Pledge of Allegiance was rendered.

The Chaplain led out in prayer.

Roll Call of Officers			
Commandant	Troy Carroll	Present	
Senior Vice Commandant	Teena Barna	Present	
Junior Vice Commandant	Bill Knipper	Present	
Judge Advocate	Hank Peralez	Present	
Adjutant	James Paulson	Present	
Paymaster / Junior Past Commandant	Wesley Edmunson	Present	
Chaplain	Dave Jochman	Present	
Sergeant at Arms	Scott Roff	Present	
Color Sergeant	Andrew Thompson	Present	
Social Media Coordinator	Frank Garcia	Present	
Chief of Staff	Lynnoi McCormick	Present	

We have a quorum.

Minutes of the previous town hall are on the Detachment's website at gnd186mcl.org.

- Motion made, seconded, and passed to accept the previous town hall as posted.

1. MEMBERSHIP

- Applications for Membership
Troy Williams
- Transfers
N/A
- Balloting of Membership
Troy Williams
- Ceremony of Initiation, Introduction of New Members and Guests
John Frey
Mitchell Altman
Armida Altman
Amanda Roff
Phellip Snow



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Guests

Linda from Black Mountain Detachment
Cory Parsons from Summit Organization

2. REPORT OF OFFICERS

Adjutant

Nothing to report

Paymaster

Checking Account

Statement Period Activity Summary

Deposits/Credits	\$8,514.56
Withdrawals/Debits	-37,035.57

Savings Account

Statement Period Activity Summary

Deposits/Credits	N/A
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Withdrawal for Birthday Ball and Golf

Chaplain

Mark Byland (Sarge) had a heart catheter put into his heart, now back home
LtGen Bedard is doing well and sends his regards. He likes to talk to Marines.
Master Sergeant Pete Cain passed away. No arrangements at this time.
Don McCarty and Carol McCarty, Carol is not in as good shape as he is.
Scott MacKensie has trouble seeing. Had a CAT scan of the brain.
John Cern(Spanky), a past cook at the Leatherneck Club, had a stroke.
Fred Axefell of Detachment 495 just got out of the hospital
Sgt at Arms Father in Law is in the Hospital



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Sergeant at Arms

Nothing to report

Color Sergeant

Nothing to report

Social Media Coordinator

Members at 1400 on Facebook and 273 on Instagram

Chief of Staff

Nothing to report

Junior Past Commandant

Nothing to report

Judge Advocate

Still working, waiting for the National change in Bi-Laws so that we can make sure that our Bi-Laws, fit the National guidelines.

Junior Vice Commandant

.Wants to have a pancake breakfast, weekend mornings at the club. With the permission of Ghost and to benefit the Boy Scouts of America and the organization.. Date and time to be determined.

Senior Vice Commandant

Nothing to report

Commandant

VA Benefits, Wills and POAs, have them! Email the Commandant and he will point you in the right direction. 631 East Lake Mead, The Elks Club, in Henderson is our office.

National Administration Procedures (NAP), have made 25 different changes, so we need to make sure to concur with our Bi-Laws. So when it comes out, will be well aware of any changes and will bring to the membership.

List of National Officers:



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T.J. Morgan - Commandant
Russ Miller - Sr. Vice Commandant
Dave Porter - Junior Vice Commandant/Corporate Treasurer
Bruce Rakfeldt- Judge Advocate
Warren Griffin - Past Commandant

ROK Marines will sponsor \$500.00 to three schools each offering Junior ROTC programs September 15th. Presented at a local church to be Determined.

3. REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

- a. Golf Committee
Aliante Golf Club
 - Sunday, 29 September 2024
 - 0730 ShotgunLooking for players and sponsors and sign-ups. gnd186mcl.org.
- b. November 10, 2024 Marine Corp Birthday Celebration
 - Sunday - 1600 until finished
 - Leatherneck Club
 - 15 November - Meet and Greet, Friday night
 - Associate of the Year to be chosen
 - Leatherneck Club

Ball Committee Marine Corps Birthday Ball
70% of the tickets have been sold
Saturday, 16 November 2024
The Orleans Hotel & Casino
Tickets and room block open 01 May 2024

 - Anyone interested in volunteering, please see a Detachment officer or submit a contact form on gnd186mcl.org.
 - Volunteers Meeting on November 6th at 1500. Formal or Semi formal attire. Need to wear a collared shirt.
- c. Membership Activities Committee
 - Commandant in charge of the Associate of the Year and Marine of the Year.
- d. Nomination Committee
 - 2nd time announcement of nominees for election in September 2024:
 - Commandant
 - Troy Carroll - Accepted Position
 - Jon-Michael McCormick - Accepted Position
 - Sr.Vice Commandant



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Bill Knipper - Accepted Position
Jr. Vice Commandant
Andrew Thompson - Accepted Position
Judge Advocate
Hank Peralez - Accepted Position
Cesar Enriquez - Accepted Position

4. BUSINESS

Unfinished Business

Wes discussed last nights Hawaiian night

Good of the League

Pancake breakfast (see Jr.Vice Commandant's remarks).

Announcements

Veterans Memorial
Grant Sawyer Building
September 13, 2024 at 0900

NBEW Workshop
October 12, 2024
0900 - 1200 hours
Veterans event

Veterans Resource
September 28, 2024
Silverton Casino

VA Benefits at the Elks Lodge on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday by appointment only.
631 East Lake Mead
Henderson, Nevada

Dark Guardian Paint It Forward
Sunday, 08 September 1500 - 1700

Toys for Tots Charity Golf Classic
October 18, 2024 at 0800
Palm Valley Golf Course
November **NO** Town Hall meeting. Regular Town Hall meeting on December 19, 2024 at regular time.



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Ask for military discounts at various restaurants and retailers

Check news, announcements, events and calendar at gnd186mcl.org.

Friday nights are social nights at the Leatherneck Club, 1800, please come and join us.

5. The meeting was adjourned at 1945